

HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

TEN NEW MEMBERS IN HAMILTON CITY COUNCIL

Bailey Gardner, Allen and Jutten on Board of Control—Three Bylaws Carry.

HAMILTON, Jan. 1.—(Special.)—Hamilton's City Council for 1912 will be constituted as follows: Mayor—Geo. H. Lees (elected by acclamation); Board of control—W. G. Bailey, Chas. W. Gardner, John Allan, Thos. W. Jutten, Aldermen—Ward 1, J. H. Hornung, J. H. Milne, Ward 2, W. G. Bailey, Chas. W. Gardner, Ward 3, David Garson, Chas. W. Hornung, Ward 4, J. E. Davey, Norman Clark, Ward 5, Thos. W. Jutten, Mackay, Ward 6, Fred W. Littlewood, Ward 7, Wm. Ryan, Dr. Hopkins, Ward 8, David Newlands, Walter Elliott, Ward 9, P. F. Lalonde, Nathaniel Merigold.

Ten new faces will be seen at the council board this year, the members returned for the 1912 council were not in last year's council being: Controllers Allen and Jutten, aldermen Milne, Hornung, Hornung, Mackay, Littlewood, Hopkins, Newlands and Elliott. Of these, Messrs. Allen, Jutten, Milne and Hopkins have had some experience in the council, the first named having served as alderman and controller, and the others at various times as aldermen. Those who retired from municipal life as a result of being defeated at the polls to-day are Aldermen Forth, Campbell, Robinson, who resigned to the board of control, and Aldermen Lovjoy, Birrell and Howard, who sought re-election.

An Interesting Contest.—One of the most interesting contests in to-day's polling was that between Messrs. Gardner, Allen, Jutten, Hornung, Milne, Forth, Birrell, Robinson, Sewers, Forth, Campbell, 1910.

The results of to-day's voting were as follows: For controller—Bailey, 4522; Gardner, 4488; Allen, 3834; Jutten, 3872; Forth, 3831; Robinson, 3828; Sewers, 3712; Forth, 3092; Campbell, 1420.

Of the four money bylaws submitted to the ratepayers to-day, all were approved except the one for the purchase of a park site on the north shore of Burlington Bay. This measure was defeated by only 47 votes. The voting on the bylaws was as follows: East and park site, 2333 for, 1886 against; North shore park site, 2101 for, 1163 against; New fire station, 2293 for, 1465 against; Underground lavatory, Gore Park—2382 for, 1638 against.

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NEAR-RESTAURATEURS HAVE THEIR GOOSE COOKED

Two No-Homers Ran an Eat House on Christmas Day—But They Never Came Back. James Pearson, who runs a restaurant on Bay street, longed for a Christmas dinner cooked elsewhere and in order that he might enjoy the day in some distant place he engaged two capable gentlemen to look after the patrons of his eating house, Charles Deacon and Robert Reading. These men have not abiding place or rather have not had since that green Christmas Day. Thru the day the hot goose with cranberry sauce and other delicacies was served to the hungry ones.

A SUBSTITUTE FOR HUMAN SKIN IN GRAFTING

The report comes from Philadelphia that Dr. Max Staller, at Mount Sinai Hospital, in that city, has made the discovery that the white lining of eggshells can be used as a substitute for human skin in grafting operations after burns and scalds. It is further stated that experiments at the hospital for three months have been successful in every case. In one case a woman was so fearfully burned that it was doubted she would live thru the operation. She will soon be able to leave the hospital.

At the present time there is one telephone in Warsaw to every 38 people, a ratio that is exceeded in a steam Europe only by Stockholm and Christiania. The company which has the monopoly is now extending the telephone cables into the suburbs. The number of new subscribers in 1910 was 3466, bringing the total up to 22,445.

TORONTO ENJOYS IDEAL HOLIDAY

Glorious Weather Marks Opening of Year—Sun Shines in Splendor on First Day of Winter Sports.

"What so fair as a day in June?" asks the poet in his rhapsody over midsummer glories. What so fair as Toronto—on the first day of the twelve months? With pardonable and justifiable pride every individual progressive Toronto citizen could ask the question on the ideal New Year's Day so gloriously enjoyed by young and old.

Our Lady of the Shoys, ever welcomed by the lovers of silver, tinkling sleigh bells, was a recently arrived guest, and sleighing parties made merry.

Jack Frost in the earliest hours of the new year did excellent service in drying up the streets and hardening the roadways.

A few flurries of light snow played merrily with pedestrians at times during the forenoon.

Old Sol gradually drew away the vapor overhead, and then triumphantly shone with gorgeous radiance from a clear blue, almost Italian, sky on the snowclad, happiest, best, most prosperous and what should be the most progressive city in the whole of this grand new world.

Fair sunshine and blue skies, with the air was cool enough to recognize the sway of winter. But what mattered that to Toronto crowds? New Year holiday makers in their thousands, as with society at King's Plate Day at the Woodbine, are always the best dressed things, as all travelers attest, to be seen on this jolly old sphere. Thanks to the good times, and to the benevolent, it is comparatively rare to see the man or woman or child in Toronto in needy attire.

Yesterday "the well-dressed" characteristic of Toronto people was emphasized. Early rising was probably not the general rule, but thousands of children were up betimes to get their children off to the New Year Sunday school rallies—the Methodists at Massey Hall—and others to their respective churches.

New Year Calls. Sleighs and automobiles carried hundreds of callers to the semi-official New Year receptions, such as those of Sir John Morrison Gibson and the Bishop of Toronto, while tens of thousands made New Year calls on relatives and friends.

The Y.M.C.A. kept open house at the Central and was crowded. In the civic election arena the greatest activity was manifested. Worried candidates had the sympathy of their supporters, but the rivals for civic office measured well up to the spirit of the day as they encountered each other by wishing one another, with the all-pervading heartiness of a day vibrating with Toronto's awakening spirit of confidence and optimism—"A Happy New Year."

Tobogganing and Skating. Early in the week there was some hope that there might be good skating on New Year's. There was skating, but the ice was not in its usual January condition. A small crowd of winterers took advantage of the ice on Howard Pond. Others went to the rink, several of which were opened, but most of the skaters remained at home. The toboggan hills also attracted good crowds and the High Park resorts were well patronized.

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THE OPEN GATE

DAYS WIN IN THIRTEEN TWENTY LICENSES GO

Over 700 men called at Government House yesterday afternoon to offer good wishes and congratulations to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario and Lady Gibson, who were assisted by their two daughters and Major Stansby, also Mr. Sydney Fellows, A.D.C., The Hon. Sir James Whitney also received with His Honor and Lady Gibson.

A large reception was held at the See House yesterday afternoon by His Lordship the Bishop of Toronto and Mrs. Sweney, assisted by Bishop and Mrs. Sweney, assisted by the Hon. Sir James Whitney also received with His Honor and Lady Gibson.

The monthly meeting of the Toronto Humane Society will be held at four o'clock this afternoon at the office of the Home Life Building.

The marriage of Miss Florence Peters daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Westman and the officers of the Royal Grenadiers were to give at the King Edward on Jan. 25 has been indefinitely postponed.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Keefe return to Ottawa this evening.

The marriage of Miss Maud King to Mr. George Malcolm McTaggart, Toronto, takes place to-day in St. Catharines.

Mrs. H. H. Fudger is giving a children's party to-day.

Mrs. W. E. Fudger, Rushmore-road, gives a tea to-day.

SOCIETY

The Daily Hint From Paris

Black satin gown with collar trimmed with pleatings of black and white tulle.

Mrs. Innes-Taylor, 192 Cottingham-street, Wednesday.

Mrs. Lawrence Hubbell, to-day.

Mrs. Eaton and Mrs. Burnside, Lower-avenue, Thursday and Friday, and not again.

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Leap Year Birthday Mug Coupon. For silver mug awarded by The Toronto World to babies born on February 29, 1912. Name of Parents, Address of Parents, Name of Baby, Date and Hour of Birth. I hereby declare the above facts are correct. Attending Physician (Name and address).

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The Toronto General Hospital. Pursuant to the provisions of the Toronto General Hospital Act, 1906, a meeting of the subscribers will be held at the Toronto General Hospital for the purpose of electing the Trustees to be elected by them under the provisions of the said Act at 3 o'clock in the afternoon on Tuesday, the 29th day of January, 1912.

Changes in Main Line Train Service, Canadian Pacific Railway. As has been customary in past years at this season, the Canadian Pacific Railway will withdraw train No. 5 which leaves Montreal, Windsor-street, 10.10 a.m.; Ottawa, Broad-street, at 1.15 p.m. daily for Port Arthur and Winnipeg after trip of Dec. 31, 1911.

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