Day's Doings in YORK COUNTY

West Toronto
North Toronto
East Toronto

DEER PARK WANTS CITY AT ONCE TO GET BUSY

Big Meeting Hears Aldermen Orate —Newsy Notes From All Over York County.

WEST TORONTO, Dec. 29.—That Dr. Hackett's campaign is beginning to tell is evident from the sudden activity in Mayor Baird's "camp." While no public meetings are being held, both candidates are canvassing assiduously, and a big vote is certain. Dr. Hackett seems to be making many new friends, and his creditable record while on the school board is winning him a great deal of support now. His straightforward attitude on annexation, and his known freedom from corporation affiliations are also sure to gain him a great amount of support.

High Park-avenue Methodist Church was last night the scene of a delightful organ recital, given by Dr. Torrington of the Toronto College of Music. Other artists who contributed to the program were: Miss Ashworth, H. Ruthven Macdonald, and George A. Dixon. The choir gave a Christmas anthem. There was a large attendance.

Thomas Moore and family wish to thank their many friends in this city for the sympathy extended to them in their recent bereavement.

The annual meeting of Court Toronto Junction, No. 166, Canadian Order of Foresters, was held last night. These officers were elected: Bro. Watson, chief ranger; J. Stoneman, vice-chief-ranger; Percy Hopkins, recording secretary; L. Seeple, financial secretary; J. H. Doner, treasurer; Bro. James, chaplain; Elmer Stoneman, S. W.; J. W. Archer, J.W.; A. Toase, S.B.; Bro. Clarke, J.B.; Dr. Hopkins, physician; A. H. Clemmer, auditor; trustees, C. Irvine, T. Garlin, A. Toase.

George Duff, a resident of Fort Elgin for over 40 years, died last night in his 67th year. He leaves a widow and three sons. One of the sons, James, is a resident of West Toronto.

Dr. Hackett's headquarters in the campaign from now till election day will be at the committee room, 113 West Dundas-street.

After the jurymen to-night had viewed the remains of William George White, 272 Maria-street, whose dead body was found horribly mangled on the C.P.R. tracks north of Pacific-avenue, about 10.30 last night, the inquest was adjourned till Wednesday evening, Jan. 6, in the city hall, Keele-street. Dr. Chas. H. Gilmour was the presiding coroner.

C. F. Wright caught a runaway horse attached to a buggy on Humberside-avenue about 9 o'clock to-night and brought it to Maher's livery stable on Keele-street.

In police court this morning Fred Chouler, who has been in Canada for seven months, pleaded guilty to the charge of taking letters belonging to R. Hawkins and Al. Cooper, with whom he boarded. In one of the letters was a money order which Chouler tried to cash at the postoffice. Police Magistrate Ellis remanded the case for a week, and will arrange with the crown attorney to have the Dominion Government deport Chouler to England.

Edward Trempe pleaded guilty to stealing $9 from Mrs. Janet Black of Mulock-avenue on Sunday evening, Dec. 20, and was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

A branch Sunday school in connection with St. John's Anglican Church will be opened in one of the class rooms of St. Clair-avenue public school on Sunday next at 3 p.m. Children not attending any other Sunday school will be cordially welcomed by the rector, Rev. T. Beverley Smith.

We are taking stock and offering Baths, Closets and Lavatories at prices below cost. All kinds of piping and fitting cheap. Ryding & Son, 206 Dundas-street, West Toronto. 364

DEER PARK.

Ratepayers Have Good Meeting and Present Strong Claims.

DEER PARK, Dec. 29.—(Special.)—Thomas W. Gibson, deputy minister of mines, presided over a largely attended meeting of the members of the Deer Park Ratepayers' Association, held here to-night.

The report of the executive committee, embodying a number of needed improvements in the newly-annexed district, was read and adopted.

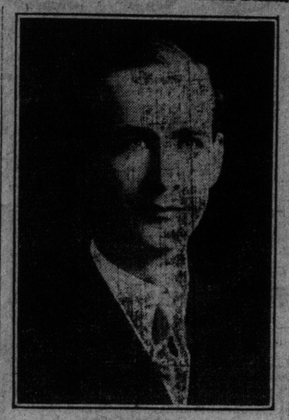
Briefly summarized, the Deer Parkers want the city, among other things, to provide immediately for the systematic collection of garbage, a new firehall at the top of the hill, electric lights instead of gas, suitable playgrounds. Gallows Hill cut down and the maintenance of the present library as a branch of the Toronto system.

In taking over the Deer Park Public School, the city board of education is requested to continue the present teaching staff and look to the matter of more school accommodation.

A number of aldermanic candidates were present, and Ald. Church, the first speaker, commended the action of The World in advocating a Greater Toronto, and at the same time stated that the Province of Ontario ought to inaugurate a general railway act, and east, west and north T vbgkqj zfiffffff East, West and North Toronto share i nthe benefits of a single fare.

Ald. Foster, ex-Ald. Dr. Noble, Candidate John ONeil, Fred Hogg, Mr. Bolus, Mr. Maguire, ex-Ald. Geary and Mayor Oliver spoke briefly. "The street railway needs vigorous looking after," said he. The several resolutions adopted by the association would be carried out as quickly as possible."

Messrs. Farquhar, Yeoman, O'Hara and Douglass also spoke.



T. N. PHELAN
An Aldermanic Candidate in Ward 1.

STOUFFVILLE.

Opposition to Reeve, Together With Local Option, Makes Exciting Contest.

STOUFFVILLE, Dec. 29.—(Special).—One of the most exciting campaigns in the history of the village of Stouffville is now in full blast, and indications point to one of the largest votes ever cast on Monday next.

The entrance into the municipal arena at the last moment of Dr. W. A. Sangster for the position of reeve in opposition to R. P. Coulson, the present chief magistrate, came in a measure as a surprise. It is understood that Dr. Sangster is the nominee of the local option party, who are putting up a full slate known to be favorable to the measure.

The present reeve, R. P. Coulson, and the village council have given good satisfaction, are favorably disposed toward the local option measure, and will, it is believed, be returned by good majorities.

At the nominations last night 21 candidates were nominated for the council, a number of whom have since retired. The list of those who will go before the electors on Monday is: For reeve, R. P. Coulson and W. A. Sangster.

For council: W. P. La Fraugh, F. Wilson, J. S. Doherty, Eli Hoover, members of the old council, and C. St. John, A. Lehman, W. Forsythe, and B. E. Beebe.

For school trustees these were elected by acclamation; H. W. Sanders, W. T. Byam, and T. Reaman.

EAST TORONTO.

Local Conservatives Meet To-Night—Mr. Sinclair's Strong Support.

EAST TORONTO, Dec. 29.—The East Toronto Conservative Association met in Society Hall to-morrow (Wednesday) evening at 8 o'clock. A good big attendance is desirable.

Friends of Alex. Sinclair, the east end candidate for the board of education, is meeting with the greatest encouragement in his canvas, and his election seems practically assured. With a splendid grasp of educational affairs, to which is added two years on the East Toronto school board, Mr. Sinclair is thoroly conversant with the whole situation. With $50,000 worth of public and high school buildings, and a teaching staff unexcelled it is imperative that one representative at least be chosen from the east. Mr. Sinclair the choice is a happ yone.

NORTH GWILLIMBURY.

SUTTON, Dec. 29.—(Special).—Reeve Jas. Anderson and Councillors Robt. Davidson, Harry Crandall, Henry Glover and W. M. Marritt were yesterday re-elected by acclamation.

SUTTON.

Majority of Old Council Are Returned by Acclamation.

In Sutton Town here yesterday the reeve and council were all elected by acclamation with the exception of Wm. Osborne, who resigned, J. A. Lake being nominated and elected by acclamation in his place. The council is Reeve A. E. Pugsley; council, Dr. A. B. Greenwood, A. Burrows, W. Comer and J. A. Lake.

NORTH TORONTO.

Medical Health Officer Gives Town a Good Record.

NORT HTORONTO, Dec. 29.—The local board of health held their final session to-night, when Dr. Jeffs, M.H.O., gave a report of the year's work. Only two cases of typhoid fever were reported during the year, while the recent scarlet fever epidemic has been stamped out.

Dr. Hodgetts will be invited to address the council in the near future on sanitation and sewage disposal.

The question of garbage collection took up some time, but nothing tangible resulted.

The board suggested that a bylaw be prepared by the council for doing away with privy pits and dry earth closets.

A vote for A. J. Brown as mayor is only a slight recognition of his past services to the town as member of the town council for about twelve years and as reeve of the town for one year. Cast your vote in his favor nevt Friday.

The town council will hold their winding up meeting to-morrow evening.

Mrs. Aphra A. Pratt of Merton-street passed away at her home today after a short illness. The funeral, which will be private, will take place to Mount Pleasant Cemetery on Thursday at 2 p.m.

Robert Drewry, an old and esteemed resident of Davisville, was conveyed to a city hospital on Monday to undergo an operation. Mr. Drewry received a kick while shoeing a horse, and this has necessitated the operation.

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Apple juice has a very marked effect on the kidneys, increasing their power to throw off the waste products of the body, called urea, and thus prevents Rheumatism, Sciatica, Neuralgia, and similar troubles that come from poisoned blood.

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"Fruit-a-tives" are tablets in which the juices of ripe fruits, with their medicinal value intensified, are combined with valuable tonics. They act directly on Bowels, Kidneys and Skin and put them in perfect condition—thus ensuring the thorough elimination of all waste matter and poisons from the body. Trial box 25c. Regular size 50c—6 boxes for $2.50. Fruit-a-tives, Limited, Ottawa.

BALMY BEACH.

Local and City Artists Will Assist For Sweet Charity's Sake.

BALMY BEACH, Dec. 29.—The united parishes of St. John's, Norway, and St. Aidan's, Balmy Beach, will hold a charity concert in the "Beaches" Masonic Temple on Tuesday evening, Jan. 5, at 8 o'clock. A number of well-known artists will assist, and Rev. W. L. Baynes Reed and Rev. E. A. McIntyre will have charge of the disposal of the proceeds.

PICKERING.

Happy Function Was the Celebration of This Silver Wedding.

PICKERING, Dec. 29.—About sixty invited guests assembled at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hobbs to the east of the village to celebrate their silver wedding. Rev. Mr. Bell of the Methodist Church here, and Rev. Mr. Moore of Little Britain, a former pastor here, were present. The house was appropriately decorated, the table laden with good things, and a short program well rendered. Several of the members of the church contributed together, and purchased a handsome oak rocker, while various presents in silver were received. Mrs. Hobbs' brother, Mr. Harris, who has recently purchased the Wilson farm, was present. One of the contributors to the evening was Mr. Ham, who was one of the fellow settlers of Fred Hobbs' father in this part of Ontario.

APPLIES TO ADMINISTER.

William Boulton, late farm superintendent of the Mimico Asylum, who was fatally injured by being struck by an inmate of the asylum, left no will.

His daughter Margaret applies to administer his estate of $6102.31 cash. She and her sister Agnes and their brothers, Alfred, William, Phillip and Edward, share in the estate.

DOVERCOURT.

DOVERCOURT, Dec. 29.—The Christmas tree entertainment in connection with the Sunday school of St. Edmund's Church will be held to-morrow (Wednesday) evening, in the parrish hall, corner Dovercourt and Donforth-roads.

SCARBORO.

WEST HILL, Dec. 29.—(Special).—John Heron, farmer, of concession 11, Scarboro, died suddenly early this morning, aged 66. He leaves a widow, two sons, Chas. and George, and one daughter, Bertha, all at home. Samuel and George Heron of Scarboro were brothers and there are four sisters, Mrs. Moore, Deer Park; Mrs. D. G. Stephenson, East Toronto; Miss Elizabeth Heron, Scarboro, and Mrs. Westley of Pickering. The funeral takes place on Thursday at 2.30 to Melville Presbyterian Cemetery.

NEWMARKET.

Mayor and Reeve by Acclamation—A Contest For the Others.

NEWMARKET, Dec. 29.—(Special).—Mayor Pearson was last night re-elected by acclamation, as was Reeve Wm. Keith.

For the council these were nominated: E. S. Cane, Geo. Vale, R. S. Schmidt, N. J. Roadhouse, N. L. Rogers, P. S. Doyle, P. E. Lundy, C. Denne, A. E. Coombs, W. A. Evers, H. S. Cane, J. D. McKay and B. W. Hunter.

For school trustees: T. H. Brunton, Dr. Scott, C. J. Ross, J. R. F. Broughton and O. E. Tench.

For light and water commissioners, J. Currey, B. W. Hunter, C. E. Lundy, C. Denne and A. E. Coombs.

WYCHWOOD.

WYCHWOOD, Dec. 29.—The Presbyterian Christmas tree and entertainment will be held in the church to-morrow (Wednesday) evening.

Watchnight services will be held on Thursday evening at 11 o'clock in the Presbyterian, Anglican and Methodist Churches.

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FOREIGN POSITION STRONG

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Eggs, cold storage	0 25	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75
Turkeys, dressed, lb	0 18	0 20
Geese, dressed	0 11	0 12
Ducks, dressed	0 12	0 13
Chickens, dressed	0 11	0 13
Fowl, dressed	0 08	0 09

Live poultry, 2c per lb. less.

Hides and Skins.

Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter & Co., 85 East Front street, Wholesale Dealers in Wool, Hides, Calfskins and Sheepskins, Furs, Tallow, etc.:

No. 1 inspected steers, 60 lbs. up	$0 10 to $....	
No. 2 inspected steers, 60 lbs. up	0 09	....
No. 1 inspected cows	0 09½	....
No. 2 inspected cows	0 08½	....
No. 3 inspected cows and bulls	0 07½	....
Country hides, cured	0 09¾	0 08¾
Calfskins, city	0 12	....
Calfskins, country	0 10	0 12
Horsehides, No. 1	3 00	....
Horsehair, per lb	0 29	0 30
Tallow, per lb	0 05½	0 06½
Lambskins	0 70	0 80

Raw furs, prices on application.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Prices quoted are for outside points:

Winter wheat—No. 2 white, 95c bid; No. 2 red, 95½c bid; No. 2 mixed, 93c bid.

Spring wheat—No. 2 Ontario, no quotations.

Barley—No. 2, buyers 57c; No. 3X, 55c bid; No. 3, buyers 51c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 37c bid; No. 2 mixed, 40c bid.

Rye—73c buyers.

Bran—Sellers $22 bulk, outside. Shorts, $25.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 55½c bid.

Peas—No. 2, 85½c bid.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, no quotations.

Flour—Ontario, 90 per cent. patent, $3.50 bid, for export; Manitoba patent, special brands, $6; second patents, $5.40; strong bakers', $5.30.

Winnipeg Wheat Market.

Wheat—January 98½c bid, December 98½c bid, May $1.02¾.

Oats—December 36½c bid, May 40⅞c bid.

Toronto Sugar Market.

St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, $4.50 per cwt., in barrels, and No. 1 golden, $4.10 per cwt., in barrels. These prices are for delivery here. Car lots, 5c less.

Chicago Market.

J. P. Bickell & Co., Lawlor Building, report the following fluctuations at the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Dec.	1.02⅞	1.03⅛	1.02⅝	1.03⅛
May	1.06⅝	1.07⅜	1.06⅝	1.07⅛
July	98⅝	99⅝	98½	99⅝
Corn—				
Dec.	57	57½	57	57½
May	60⅞	61½	60⅞	61½
July	61	61⅝	60⅞	61⅝
Oats—				
Dec.	49½	49⅞	49½	49⅞
May	51½	51⅞	51½	51⅞
July	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝	46⅝
Pork—				
Dec.	14.70	14.70	14.50	14.50
Jan.	16.27	16.27	16.17	16.27
May	16.50	16.50	16.42	16.50
Ribs—				
Jan.	8.32	8.32	8.27	8.27
May	8.65	8.65	8.60	8.65
Lard—				
Jan.	9.42	9.50	9.42	9.50
May	9.70	9.70	9.65	9.67

Chicago Gossip.

J. P. Bickell & Co. say at the close:

Wheat—Sharply higher. Decreasing receipts and improving cash demand is creating scarcity of pit offerings. Short interest is of large proportions, and as the foreign situation is steadily growing stronger we are expecting an advancing market and advise the purchase of May wheat on all recessions.

Erickson, Perkins & Co. wired J. G. Beaty, 14 West King-street, as follows:

Wheat—The market hung fire for a time in the forenoon to-day, and was not aroused to action until the slight opening decline had brought into the market the large contingent of outside operators who are impressed with the bullishness of the situation and ready to take advantage of quite moderate setbacks to add to lines of long wheat. As an incentive in addition to what was well known previously was the receipt of a despatch by a local firm from their Argentine correspondent, reporting storms in that country doing great injury to crops.

Ennis & Stoppani wired to J. L. Mitchell at the close:

Wheat—Ruled firm thruout and closed with a cent gain for the day. The bulge was due largely to short covering and good commission house and Armour buying.

Corn—Was quite strong and shorts covered freely.

J. R. Heintz & Co. wired R. B. Holden:

Wheat—We can see no particular change in the general situation. It looks as tho wheat would sell some lower before we have any advance of importance.

Corn—The market shows a fair undertone of strength.

Oats—The market will follow corn.

Provisions—There is no outside trade. The market closed 5c to 7½c lower.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Butter—Receipts, 11,758; creamery held, common to special, 28c to 29½c.

Cheese—Quiet; unchanged; receipts, 1464.

Eggs—Easier; receipts, 8480; state, Pennsylvania and near-by fancy, selected, white, 38c to 40c; fair to choice, 35c to 37c; brown and mixed, fancy, 33c to 35c; fair to choice, do., 30c to 32c; western firsts, 31c; seconds, 30c to 30½c.

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 29.—Wheat—Spot No. 2 red western, winter, easy, 7s 11d; futures quiet; Dec., 7s 11½d; March, 7s 7¼d; May, 7s 6⅝d.

Corn—Spot, steady; new American mixed, via Galveston, 5s 5d; futures, quiet; Jan., 5s 2¾d; March, 5s 2½d.

Bacon—Long clear middles, light, easy, 46s 6d.; do., heavy, dull, 45s 6d; clear bellies, weak, 55s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, firm, 48s 6d; American refined, in pails, steady, 49s 3d.

New York Grain and Produce.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Flour—Receipts, 24,198; exports, 5111; sales, 3000; market dull, bute steady. Rye flour steady. Buckwheat flour dull. Buckwheat—Dull. Cornmeal—Steady; fine white and yellow, $1.45 to $1.50. Rye—Dull. Barley—Steady.

Wheat—Receipts, 27,000; sales, 1,200,000 bushels futures. Spot firm; No. 2 red, $1.08 to $1.09½, elevator; No. 2 red, $1.10, f.o.b., afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1.19⅝, f.o.b., afloat; No. 2 hard winter, $1.16⅝, f.o.b., afloat. Except for a short time at the opening, when prices were affected by easier cables, wheat was strong and higher to-day, its influence being a bullish Snow report, very light receipts and reports of serious damage in Argentina. Last prices showed ⅞c net rise. Dec. $1.08 to $1.10 1-16, closed $1.10 1-16; May $1.10⅞ to $1.12 1-16, closed $1.12; July closed $1.06⅛.

Corn—Receipts, 21,500; exports, 135,597; sales, 15,000 bushels futures and 16,000 bushels spot. Spot steady; No. 2, 65½c, elevator, and 66c, f.o.b., afloat; No. 2 white, 66½c, and No. 2 yellow, 66c, f.o.b., afloat. Option market was firmer with wheat, and closed ½c to ¾c net higher. Dec. closed 66c; May closed 67⅝c; July closed 67¾c; Sept. closed 67¾c.

Oats—Receipts, 120,000; exports, 5290. Spot steady; mixed, 26 to 32 lbs., 54c to 54½c; clipped white, 34 to 42 lbs., 55½c to 62c.

Rosin—Steady. Turpentine—Steady. Molasses sugar quiet.

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Men's Fur Trimmed Overcoats, the material is an imported heavy weight English beaver cloth, fast black, cut double-breasted style, full 50 inch length, with deep shawl collar of full furred German Otter, lined with quilted Italian cloth, finished with double row barrel buttons and frog fasteners, collar buttons up close around the neck, black glissade sleeve lining, leather shield at armholes, special price Thursday . . . 13.95

A Thursday Bargain in Men's Furs

Men's Winter Wear Cloth and Seslette Caps, in a number of popular shapes, some have fur lined ear bands, reg. up to $1.00. Thursday 65c

Men's Persian Lamb Caps, glossy rich and even curls, best satin linings, driver, governor and wedge shapes, Thursday 8.50

Men's German Otter Collars, made from choicest No. 1 grade skins, very heavy furred, Thursday 4.75

Men's $1.50 Neckwear for 48c, Thursday

300 Four-in-Hand and English Square Cravats, all that is left of our best neckwear, large assortment of patterns, including the correct bias stripes, rich heavy plain silks and fancy brocades, reg. $1, $1.25, $1.50, Thursday . . 48c

350 Negligee Shirts, pleated and plain, cambrics, zephyrs, oxfords, chambrays, cuffs attached and detached, perfectly made and perfect in fit, reg. up to $1.50, Thursday 50c

Watch, Chain and Charm Complete $1.19

500 Men's Nickel Watches, stem wind and set, American movement, guaranteed timekeepers, Thursday a chain and charm with each watch, reg. $1.50, Thursday 1.19

CHILDREN'S PARADE TO-DAY

Demonstration in Behalf of Cutting Off the Licenses.

A unique demonstration will take place this afternoon in behalf of the license reduction movement, when a parade of several hundred Sunday school children will take place.

Just how many will turn out is not known, but it is expected that the quota from each of the many Sunday schools will result in a string of some 200 or more autos and carriages. The children will carry bannerets suitably inscribed, and will sing campaign songs.

The parade is timed to leave Queen's Park at 2.30 p.m. sharp, and will proceed over the following route: Grosvenor to Yonge, to King, to Spadina, to College, to Carlton, to Jarvis, to Queen. Citizens on foot are expected to follow the procession for a portion of the route.

Important Change in C.P.R. Transcontinental Service.

During the months of January and February the Canadian Pacific Railway's "Imperial Limited" will not run between Montreal and Winnipeg, or between Calgary and Vancouver. This change will not, however, affect Toronto and Ontario passengers to any considerable extent. The departure time of the western express from Toronto is unchanged from 10.15 p.m. daily, no change in the fast time to Winnipeg, and there will be no wait in Winnipeg for passengers to Calgary and points east. Passengers to points west of Calgary and the coast will reach Winnipeg at 12.40 p.m., have an opportunity to see the attractions of the western metropolis, and leave for their destinations at 10.45 p.m. This small break in their long journey, with the chance it gives to explore the largest city on the route, will undoubtedly meet with a ready welcome from transcontinental travelers. The change takes effect Jan. 1. 34

Christmas With the Consumptives.

Every provision was made for an enjoyable Christmas season with the ninety odd consumptives at the Toronto Free Hospital and King Edward Sanitarium, on the Humber, and about one hundred and twenty-five in the two Muskoka Institutions of the National Sanitarium Association, near Gravenhurst. The good old-fashioned plan of a Christmas tree was employed, and these were laden with presents of many kinds for patients and all members of the staff. The trustees personally gave generously to the riches of the trees, and to these gifts were added many others from friends and relatives of the patients, who represent communities scattered really from ocean to ocean.

The Importance of Prince Rupert.

The highest compliment yet paid to Prince Rupert, the new Pacific port, comes from the Grand Trunk Pacific's chief competitor. It is announced that the Canadian Pacific has appointed a freight and passenger agent at that port. This is another evidence of the correctness of the contention of Mr. Hays that Prince Rupert will command attention. The Canadian Pacific is very wise and aggressive, but it is not in the habit of opening offices and incurring expense of maintaining agents at ports or points where there is no business. Prince Rupert seems to have arrived in advance of the first Grand Trunk Pacific train.

Where Are the McMurrays?

Information is sought concerning Mr. and Mrs. Robert McMurray, who left Corareaney near Waringstown, Lurgan, Ireland, about 30 years ago, and settled in Toronto. Mr. McMurray got a job as coachman with Mr. Bond. They have not written home for many years, and Mrs. Wm. John Page of Waringstown (a sister of Mrs. McMurray), would be very glad to hear anything about them. Mrs. McMurray would be 70 years of age by this time, and Mr. McMurray would be at least 60 or so, if they are still living.

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Little Jack Horner.

Little Jack Horner sat in a corner,
Eating his luncheon with glee,
And said when he'd eaten, "This meal
can't be beaten."
Williams restaurant satisfies me.

Elected by Acclamation.

DUBLIN, Ont., Dec. 29.—Nominations held in the police Village of Dublin for police trustees resulted in Dr. Michell, Alex. Darling and Frank McConnell being elected by acclamation.

Major Cooper Improving.

The many friends of Major W. H. Cooper will be pleased to hear that his condition is greatly improved at Grace Hospital.

DIVIDEND NOTICES. DIVIDEND NOTICES.

The Dominion Permanent Loan Company,
12 KING STREET WEST.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of three per cent. (3 per cent.) for the six months ending Dec. 31, 1908, BEING AT THE RATE OF SIX PER CENT. PER ANNUM, has been declared on the Permanent Stock of the Company, and is due and payable at the office of the Company, 12 King Street West, Toronto, on and after the 2nd day of January, 1909.

Notice is further given that the Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 23rd to the 31st inst., both dates inclusive.

Toronto, Dec. 22, 1908. F. M. HOLLAND, General Manager.

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THE STANDARD BANK OF CANADA
Dividend No. 73

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of THREE per cent. for the current quarter ending 31st January, 1909, being at the rate of TWELVE per cent. per annum upon the paid-up capital stock of this Bank, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office of the Bank and its Branches on and after

MONDAY, THE 1ST DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 20th to the 30th of January, 1909, both days inclusive.

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING will be held at the Head Office of the Bank in Toronto on Wednesday, 17th February, 1909. The Chair will be taken at 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the Board.

GEO. P. SCHOLFIELD, General Manager.

Toronto, 22nd December, 1908.

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