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WEDNESDAY, JAN. 13, 1909.



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REDUCTION. No Time Will be Lost Ir. Bring. ing On the Issue.

New Shops For Waterworks to be Dealt With.

Two of the Aldermen Have Ex. changed Committees.

Will there be a reduction this year n the number of licenses? The hotel men say no; the temperan cople say yes. The Council will

livided at its next meeting. On Monday night the Markets Committee will con the communication from the Citizens' Campaign Committee, demanding of fifty licenses, and as there are four temperance aldermen on the committee the matter is sure to go

before the Council without delay. ion is divided in the City Hall over the chances of the Council voting for a reduction. The temperance people declare that leaving out the doubtful ones they will have eleven votes. The hotel men are positive that reduction be voted down on a 12-9 division. The temperance people aim at getting eighteen licenses cut off this year. Their future course will be decided by way this year's movement works

Mayor McLaren, discussing the mat ter to-day, said he thought the Council should back up the License Commission-. If the Council would say add be cut off he would favor whe making a reduction, but as the Council has no say he would prefer to leave the mat-

ioners, who have the ne of the aldermen think that if Some of the aldermen think that if the Connell and License Commissioners could reach an agreement by which every hotel keeper would lose his license for any infraction of the law until the number of licenses is cut down to fifty, it would be a solution of the problem. A scheme of this kind is impracticable, however, as the License Commissioners have the sole say as to who shall be cut off, and the arrangement would cer-tainly not meet with the views of the reductionists. Most of the aldermen believe that three-quarters of the mem-bers of the Hotel Men's Association favor a strict observance of the law, and they think that they should refuse ad-mission to the association to those who do not live up to it. The granting of the temperance people's request would mean the cutting off of eighteen hotels. The commissioners at present are em-powered to issue seventy-fire licenses. cil and License The commissioners at present are em-powered to issue security-five licenses, but sixty-reight has been the number issued for many years.

The matter of new shops for the waterworks department is one of the first things the new Fire and Water Committee will deal with. The pro-position is to have joint shops for the Board of Works and Waterworks De-martment in the Board of Works yard. There is \$5,000 on hand for the work.

Some of the waterworks officials say the statement made in the Council by Ald. Morris that one of them informed bim Ald. Clark was not the richt man for the chairmanship of the Fire and Water Committee casts suspicion on all of them. They would like to see the committee take the matter up.

Ald. Applegath, who was placed on the Sewers Committee, is exchanging places with Ald, Ellis, who was placed on the Court House Committee. The change is made by mutual consent, but must be ratified by the Council. Ald. Applegath, who was placed on

Holton & Tye took out a permit to-ay for a brick addition to Mrs. David-on's residence on Aberdicen avenue, to day for a son's resid cost \$200.

There will be a joint meeting of the Hsopital Governors and Board of Health at 5 o'clock this afternoon to consider the public laboratory question.

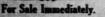
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## Enjoyable Time.

social of the Orkney and Shotland Society beld in the Foresters' Hail, James street h. last evening, being "Old New Year's " There was a large attendance. Af-the regular meeting Chairman Mr. J.

Hamilton Gun Club the ten 20-target events of yesterday were completed, and the aunteur averages made up. T three jeading amateurs, and the scot they made out of a possible 200, were:

HOME CRCLE OFFICERS. Las night Circle 12, Canadian Home Cir-tes, held its regular meeting in Green's Hall in a cold attendance. After the routine musement recorranme for the year had been construct, officers as follows were installed or na Leader. Robt. Painley: Leader, W., fartier: D. Leader, Jas. MorTon; rec.sec. 4. Effewerth; transurer. Ira Green; fin sc, A. C. Smith; chaplain, Jao. MofTat; marbid. C. Pergensor; warden A. Geis; sec-tes, B. C. Smith; chaplain, Jao. MofTat; marbid. C. Pergensor; warder, M. Geis; wed, K. B. C. Smith; chaplain, Jao. MofTat; marbid. C. Pergensor; warder, M. Geis; wed, K. B. H. Gengenson; warder, M. Geis; wed, K. B. H. Benderson and Griffin; auditors, Brat, Bard Merrima; trusces, Bro-ker insen, Paradine and MofTat; represent-tive to Surrense Circle in March Bro. Par-face; alternate, Bro. R. Paieler, Supreme Draminer P. M. Patterson will visit this directe to explain amendements to constitution.



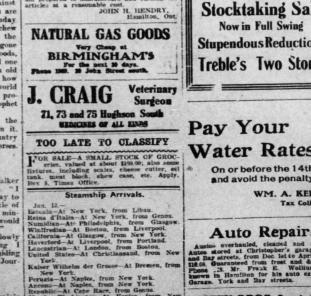
rpins clothing stock at values like al5 mils and overcoats, \$0,98; fin-24 overcoats at \$19; fancy knitted regular \$4, at \$1.98; closing out and gloves at big reductions; ten heavy reinder buck mitts at 35c, ar 65c; for lined gloves at \$1.98, ar 65. Vralick & Có., 13 and 15 a street north.

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