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THE MAYORALTY

that he might assist civic affairs by which makes his election desirable. Sunday slides can be put right any we believe Mayor Hocken takes will leave no doubt in Mr. Davies' mind fort should be to elect a council which ings." of the choice of the citizens. And will do things rather than a lot of men Mayor Hocken's supporters should who agree about nothing. Only business leave no vote unpolled that may add to men with real business experience of Mr. Davies' assurance.

conce, but one rule can be laid down. the United Kingdom, Lord Rosebery Do not vote for any man you do not said years ago in parliament that unknow, nor for any man to whom you less the state controlled the railroads. is the direr sin? would not entrust the transaction of the railroads would control the state an important piece of your own private That condition was rapidly nearing erty or on paying taxes? That's the ings and inconveniences of life of thoubusiness. Voting for a "good fellow" realization in the United States thru issue. The qualification ought to be on or "a man who has lived in the ward the railroad control of -telegraphs all his life," may be good sentiment, and express service, when not only but it is bad business and costs the the federal but many of the state people out of their own little inside legislatures intervened to protect the pockets not less than \$2,000,000 a year. public.

Among the controllers we recommend common consent was a good alderman contemporary, that he will require no aspirant for municipal honors, and parcel post that comes into operation pleads support of the harbor commission, opposition to the Esplanade viaduct, public ownership of public utilities and government by commission Controller Foster broke all his former

seats in the city council. Voters should American cities for excellence of govtry and pick the 27 who will not be elected. Take the list and mark off the men for whom you would not vote under any circumstances. Of the remainder consider them fairly, weighing undemocratic, they ought, at the same their merits and demerits, and, acting on your knowledge, do not vote for any by commission government. There man who would not in your opinion act can be nothing sacred about any paras you would wish to act yourself. ticular number of members in an Votes for friendship sake are votes as elected city council. Whether it con-

In the first ward, Ald. Hilton has this, at least, all experience shows, dropped out, leaving Mr. A. E. Walton that the ward system and the sectionand Mr. W. D. Robbins as the probable al interests it fosters are harmful to watches. certainties. Ex-Ald. Hubbard and Mr. administrative efficiency. W. E. Orr have the best chances of dis- In matters of administration what placing Ald. Saunderson.

The Toronto World equals in practical experience what Mr. Moriey Wickett possesses in theory. the third ward. The new man to vote for is A. E. Burgess, a retired manuhis own business, and now is willing to devote his experience to city affairs. Mr. David Bell and Mr. Duncan D. Reid specially when Ald. Rawlinson is runing again. If Ald. McBride could lay to heart the third chapter of the espis-

The fourth ward has six candidates. Ald. Wanless and Weston are almost who ran last year, has made many SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 28, 1912 new candidate who will have strong

In the fifth ward Messrs. May and Meredith should be elected easily. the third is more difficult to choose but we think Ald. Graham is likely to

The three sitting aldermen seek re election in ward six. Mr. Charles Henry Maybee should supplant one of not pressing his own claims. While the three next week, and Ald. Mesome points, such as the Sunday slid- not particularly distinguished himself ing bylaw, we believe there are other in council. In the seventh ward the once the city is committed to them, There is no doubt about Ald Anderson, Macdonald will supplant Ald. Ryding.

The old aldermen have not, as a sound and business-like position, year. They had no regard for team have to be settled next year. To be- play, but like to do stunts on their own error in civic government, as it is ember of the board of control, would agree with others of their colleagues some magnitude can appreciate the

> RAILROADS AND PARCEL POST. That uncontrolled railroad com-

every voter to mark his ballot for Mc- Commission of the United States preevery voter to mark his ballot for Mc-Carthy and O'Neill, and any other two sented its twenty-sixth annual report, pudiates today. The Family Compact he pleases. Controller Maguire has which includes the close of its invesstrong claims on the electorate, and by tigation into the express companies, these mere adjuncts of the railroad and deserving the promotion he re- interests. The commission declared ceived from the council. Mr. James that it has provoked a revolution and by an annual vote the tenant would have Simpson is the labor candidate, and renovation in the methods and rates an equal voice and say: but when we will be elected if the labor men know of the express agencies. Among the propose to make it in the shape of their business. He is as well-inform- reforms covered are the double coled and energetic as any man in the lection of charges, the prevention of debenture (mortgage) with annual field. Ald. Yeomans is a sincere work- discriminatory rates, the establish- charges (just the same thing) the unfair er, and will have large support in the ment of thru routes, the standardizaeast end. If he were as well known in the west, his election would be certain. Controller Church receives such railroad companies preyed upon the Globe stands for it, because it has fallen tremendous support from an evening public. Even more potent in compelinto the hands of men who worship proling the railroads to carry on what is other. Mr. Richard Woods is a new really their express service will be the

with the new year.

WOMEN'S MEETING TONIGHT. In the effort several of the women's therefore be drawn between the adfor the city as his claims to support. societies are making to promote public ministrative and legislative functions. interest in the city elections, they records in the way of economy by vot- should be cordially supported by all ing for the cheapest man he could get men and women electors who have the for the corporation counsellorship. He good of the community at heart. Toalso landed the city finances in a night at 8 o'clock, meetings will be deficit of half a mill on the taxes this held in the King Edward, Winchester year. Ex-Controller Spence is serving on the harbor commission, but opposes commission government for the civic conditions, but know city. This reactionary vote is charactionary vote in a condition of the vote in the vote in the condition of the vote in th teristic of Mr. Spence, and we think he will be sufficiently busy looking after the harbor plans.

ALDERMANIC CANDIDATES.

Study of civic contracts, ernment and purity of public life.

EFFICIENT CITY GOVERNMENT. When civic government by commiswe will extract it.

the people need is efficiency and for In the second ward the three seats efficiency, individual responsibility is are likely to go to Messrs. Rowland, a primal necessity. To this there can' Ball and Wickett. Mr. Ball is the most be no intelligent opposition any more progressive man of the three and than to legislation that expresses the

THIS TRUE

facturer, who has made a success of That Gives All the Voting to Landlords and All the Taxes to Tenants?

TENANTS' POLITICAL RIGHTS

mentable confusion and misunderstanding. Tenants can bring down rents by voting to shift taxation from buildings to land, thus promoting building and discouraging the idle holding of space.

MUNICIPAL CITIZENSHIP V. PRO-VINCIAL CITIZENSHIP.

lord robs the tenant of his vote. Which

paying taxes. That's what the American revolution turned on; that's what Mackenzie's rebellion turned on in Canada; Recently the Interstate Commerce traded on in Canada for the last 70 years, and that's what The Globe rewanted to do all the governing and let the people do the paying.

Once more: if we choose to build tuber perty before humanity.

will of the community whose mind

presumably is the ruling factor. A

sharp line of demarcation should

Electricity in

charged bring it to us and

Then and Now

In ages past, when men were cast While that is done either by separa-tion or realization the problem of good in fiercer, sterner mould, election day Market be allowed to remain as such While that is done either by separacity government will remain unsolved. was bright and gay and joyous to bethold. At break of morn the winding metropolis? "The Great Harbor" hold. At break of morn the winding horn and bugle's clarion call would "St. Patrick's Market?" been making in its advocacy of a change in the form of civic government. An elective council, charged the fuss which bothers us they dress-with legislation and policy and with ed in eager haste; and, each within and for rapid advancement in all the power to nominate heads of ad. his suit of tin, to see the sports they great industries is the motto raced. The civic lists thru fleetbe welcomed by every one that wishes sition and when it gets down to that on in every town. The men who then Toronto to stand in the forefront of rock bottom fact the problem will be nown. Not by his voice the People's nown. Not by his voice the People's week, will be cremated and conveyed to then sought to urge his views; to the place of her birth in Phillipswe grieve to state he placed more burgh, Quebec. U. S. Consul F. S. S. we grieve to state he placed more burgh, Quebec. U. S. Consul F. S. S. weight upon an ax and thews. With Johnson of this city, who is a nephew weight upon an ax and thews. With scenario of this city, who is a nepnew steed aprance and flashing lance he of deceased, received word to this efact. a Watch

absolutely prevents good timekeeping. If yours is charged bring it to us and carged bring it to us and the carged bring it to us and yards of tags and cards they stuff in every door, and if you pick them up too quick they send a cartload more.

Sherwood Hart.

Wanless & Co.

BOSTON, Dec. 27.—(Can. Press)—The federal government's proceedings against the Barre Wool Combing Company. Limited, of South Barre. Mass. for wiolation of the alien contract labor laws, were ended today on the payment by the company's attorney in the United States District Court of \$20,000 in fines to the government.

Service Tomorrow.

Bishop Sweeny will preach the 40th anniversary sermon tomorrow evening at All Saints' Church.
The bishop will preach at St. Alban's Cathedral at night.
A reception to the clergy will be held at the See House on New Year's day by the bishop and Mrs. Sweeny.

Master's Chambers.
Before J. S. Cartwright, K.C., Master.
Blackburn v. Frice.—J. R. Roaf for claintiff, C. M. Garvey for defendant.
Motion by plaintiff for an order alowing bond filed for security for costs.

until 31st inst.

Bank of Ottawa y, Gilpin.—Shaver (Heighington & M.) for plaintiffs. Motion by plaintiffs on consent for judgment. Judgment for plaintiffs on consent for \$2080 and costs to be taxed.

TENANTS VS. OWNERS.

They have no representation for the taxation they pay. The landlords have Furthermore, The Globe says the tax-

hey leave the load on the successor! In Great Britain the taxpayer, the rate-

taxes shall go. The landlord does the of generations of struggle" for "Liberal saying and the tenant does the paying. rights, of persons, of citizens, seeking to tries. Speaking about conditions in the United Kingdom, Lord Rosebary sages the landlord's property, the land-

And we have the professed organ of Liberalism in Canada championing the rights of property as against the suffersands and thousands of our citizens!

service. The city's percentage of the earnings which should go to reduce the fares and improve the service, goes to reduce the taxes of the landlord class. And yet these \$4,000 tenants were denied aligned to the city of additional territory that would tend to do away with crowding, and therefore educe rents and taxes and let the public out in the open.

**A system of tubes that would give better street car service — quicker, most of these tenants who would use these cars would supply by their fares most of tubes, sinking fund and interest, wages, maintenance, etc. and and new territory for building and city esterical to the condition of citizenstant.

The Globe would-scontinue the law that diversity improve the condition of citizenstants.

The Globe would-scontinue the law that diversity improve the condition of citizenstant of the city of additions and their families.

HOW many electors of Ward 4 know where to go to ring the fire alarm box near their residence in case of a fire? If elected as one of your representatives I will endeavor to have some of a fire? If elected as one of your representatives I will endeavor to have lost played to exist my whereby the relatives I will endeavor to locate the fire alarm box near their residence in case of a fire? If elected as one of your representatives I will endeavor to have have the extent well be able at a glance to locate the fire alarm box by a new electrical system. Elect SHAYNE as a port, who has studied this important improvement.

HAVE you noticed the dangerous was sure to be established.

How many electors of ting the fire alarm box near their residence in case of a fire? If elected in each one of a fire? If elected ways, but a tremendous increase in ways, but a tremendous there have so not or a fire? If elected to will endeavor to the kew Year's business is also fully expected. To The World year and ways, but a tremendous representatives I will endeavor to the here have well and a glance of a fire? If elected have a large of the New Year's business to be dur

At Osgoode Hall

lowing bond filed for security for costs, Order made. Costs in cause.

McArthur-Rigney v. Dominion Grain Co.—Cox (J. H. Hunter) for plaintiffs. No one contra. Motion by plaintiffs for judgment under C. R. 603.

Order made for judgment with costs. Pallandt v. Flynn.—R. J. Maclennan for sheriff of Toronto. J. Jennings for execution creditor. S. S. Mills for Canadian Bank of Commerce. No one for claimant Freeman. Motion by sheriff of Toronto for an interpleader order. Enlarged at request of sheriff until 31st inst.

consent for \$2080 and costs to be taxed.

Re Baumfelder Trusts and Trustee Act.—H. M. Mowat, K.C., for Marion Cust. Motion by Marion Cust for an order for payment into court of \$227. Order made for payment in less costs fixed at \$20.

Trial.

Before Middleton, J.

Wallberg v. The Jenckes Machine Co.—I. F. Hellmuth. K.C., and M. L. Gordon for plaintiff. G. H. Kilmer, K.C. and J. A. Rowland for defendants. An action by plaintiff to recover \$3295 and interest from July 20, 1911, paid by the plaintiff under protest, for the purpose of securing the discharge of a mechanics' lien registered against the power plant and premises in question. Judgment: The view that I take of this contract is that the "site of the work" means some place immediately adjacent to the line of location, and that its true interpretation is indicated in the fact the line of location, and that its true interpretation is indicated in the fact that the purchaser is to provide "a standard gauge track adjacent to pipe line for the distribution of material along the line of location." Applying this view to the facts of the case, I think his duty ended when the pipes were placed upon the skidway near the top of the hill. As I construe the contract no reformation is necessary. The claim put forward by the contractor was, however, I think, very much exaggerated. After making allowances to defendants for loading one hundred pipes which I compute

much exaggerated. After making allowances to defendants for loading one hundred pipes which I compute at \$575, and deducting from the \$3895 there remains \$3320. Judgment for plaintiff for \$3830 with interest at five per cent. from July 20, 1911. No costs to either party.

Before Kelly, J.

Levitt v. Webster.—A. M. Lewis and F. F. Treleaven (Hamilton) for plaintiff. T. Hobson, K.C., and J. M. Telford (Hamilton) for defendant. An action by Sarah Levitt against defendant for specific performance of an alleged agreement for sale to plaintiff of property known as 111 West King

ELECTORS OF WARD 4 LET US REASON TOGETHER.

DID ever any aldermen call a pub lic meeting during their terms of of-fice to give an account of their stew sands and thousands of our citizens!

Next, the bulk of the street car fares are paid by the tenants and their families. They pay more in fares than is necessary to maintain the street car service. The city's percentage of the earnings which should go to reduce the fares and improve the service, goes to

self-supporting.

HAS your City Council made any effort to reduce the high cost of living? Is there any reason why products, coal, etc., should remain at the

will move in the matter. SHOULD the unsightly piece of arrouse each wight from slumber light is elected he will endeavor to remedy

BRITISH STEAMER REPORTED

LONDON, Dec. 27 .- (Can. Press.)-The British steamer Workman, from Nanaimo, Victoria, B.C., and San Francisco via Coronel for London and Liverpool, is reported to be ashore 15 miles south of Rio Janeiro. Ward for Controller. A man with

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Canada west, to and including Fort William. Connections with American roads are made at Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Sault Ste. Marie and Detroit. tickets issued today and good until Jan. 3, 1913, will be sold at a single and one-third regular fare. Round trip tickets issued on Tuesday, Dec. 31, 1912, and good until Jan. 2, 1913, will be sold at single fare rates.

"What do you charge for a bath?" "Fifty cents,"
"Gee! I got a bath in Pittsburg the other day and had to pay \$1 for it."
"Well, it's worth \$1 in Pittsburg."—
Chicago Tribune.



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ROYAL GEORGE TO CROSS ATLANTIC

Starts Today on First Trip Since Accident-Will Be Overhauled in Glasgow.

After having undergone temporary repairs, the Canadlan Northern liner Royal George leaves Halifax today to cross the Atlantic for Glasgow. Scotland. On her arrival there she will be placed in the Clyde dry-dock of her original builders, the Fairfield Engineering Company of Glacgow She will there be placed under extensive repairs that will make her the first-class vessel she was before meeting with the mishap on the St. Lawrence and will be ready to be placed in Canadian Northern service again

early this coming spring.

A thoro examination of the ship made while she was in dry-dock at Halifax by expert marine engineer showed the vessel to have sustaine much less damage than was expected. This was owing to the fact that the bar on which the Royal George Tal was of a shelving nature and the grounding of the vessel was grad The examination proved conclusi that the hull of the ship had not strained. As a consequence it only be the matter of a few mo before she will be in as good co

ADVENTURER IS KILLED. Max Von Bulow, Said to be Descendant of Famous Count.

RENO, Nev., Dec. 26.—(Can. Press. -With both hands cut off and his fractured, Max Von Buelow, said to a descendant of Vount Von Buelo the famous German general, was not ed up on the railway track near state line today and died later in rairoad hospital at Sparks. Wen Buelow was a globe trotter and solder of fortune. Several years ago he married Miss Christine Plumer, a wealth woman of Pueblo, Colo., and they treveled thru Europe in regal style. They were later divorced were later divorced,

Ven Buelow was highly educated, and spoke several languages. It is believed he wasbe ating his way west on a passenger train last night and fell beneath the wheels.

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