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Notice to Riders.

ard's Liniment Cures Distem

NEW YORK MARKETS.

leaving a Field of Sixteen Alde manic Candidates for the Elector to Choose From.

Eight Ex-Aldermen and Eight New spirants are Seeking to Form the New Civic Parliament.

At 12 o'clock to-day the time allowfor candidates to withdraw from the contest for membership in the when the 12 o'clock bell rang only four of the 20 nominated had retired.

Chris Smith was the first to ask that his name be taken off the list. He made the request Monday. John Liddy followed his example this morning, and W. G. Richards and W. M. Stane did likewise. There are now sixteen candidates in the field and all are good men. This is said to be one of the best lists of candidates that has ever been offered to the electors and it is expected that the contest will be decidedly close. The election will be held on Monday, Jan. 7, and the first meeting of the new council will be held on Monday, Jan. 7.

Owing to the water commissioners and the school trustees having all been elected by acclamation, the concetsts this year will be wholly within the council. cits council of next year expired, and

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Aid. G. W. Sulman and Ald, W. E. McKeough, the two aspirants for mayoralty honors, are both putting up a warm fight, and nearly every one is expecting a big vote.

The candidates for aldermen are, E. A. Mounteer, E. W. Scane, A. B. McCoig, John Waddell, John Edmondson, S. B. Arnold, W. F. Smith, John Mount, Wilfred M. Fleming, David A. Hutchison, G. G. Taylor, George W. Cowan, Daniel Jordan, John Holmes, William S. Marshall and Robert Pritchard. Of this number four were members of the last council, four have been members of previous councils and the other eight are new men. It wild be interesting to watch the result on Monday next and see how many of the experienced men will be elected.

FREED HER UNCLE'S SLAYER.

A Former Kent County Lady t brains Pardon For a Michigan Murderer.

The Crime Was Committed by Young Desperado-Relatives of the Victim Reside in This City.

Hizen S. Pingree, the energetic and erratic ex-gowernor of Michigan, made the last hours of his regime memor-able by a series of pardons extended to convicts serving time in Jackson

state prison.

Among those granted was the freedom of Convict Stewart, who had served 32 years of a life sentence for the murder of John Willetts in Dethe murder of John Willetts in Detroit in the year 1868. The murdered man was a cousin of Mrs. J. U. Dolsen, of this city, and second cousin to Mrs. Kaspar Schwemler, corner of William and Duluth Sts., and his niece, Mrs. Chas. Willetts, of Detroit, was largely instrumental in obtaining the murderer's recent pardon through a corner of rather interesting happen. the murderer's recent pardon through a series of rather interesting happen-

ings.

Mrs. Willetts, formerly of this county, is a member of a ladies' organization which bestows much of its ganization which bestows much of its charity upon the unfortunate paupers and prison inmates of the state, and some years ago sent a series of gifts to be distributed to the convicts at Jackson. Shortly after she received a polite letter of thanks from Stewart, which opened what materialized into a regular correspondence between the philanthropic lady and the convict.

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A year ago on the occasion of a casual visit to Jackson, Mrs. Willetts procured permission to visit Stewart and then discovered that he was the murderer of her uncle. The discovery was a painful one to both, but did not lessen the lady's interest in the man, whose excellent education and good behaviour had earned him promotion in the institution. Consequently, when Governor Pingree announced his intention of issuing several pardons. Mrs. Willetts successfully appealed on Stewart's behalf.

Stewart's crime was a brutal one. With a confederate he entered the Willetts homestead at night, but aroused the owner, who was mastering his colleague when Stewart stabbed him in the stomach. The deceased lived only a few hours after the affray and the murderer's arrest followed three days later. He was only 19 years of age at that time.

LAID TO REST.

The juneral of the late Sarah Hales, eldest daughter of John Hales, took place on Monday from the family residence on Selkirk street to the Maple Leaf Cemetery. A large concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives were present to observe the last sad rites. The services were conducted at the house by Rural Dean McCosn, of whose church the deceased young lady was a faithful member. In spite of the inclement weather nearly forty carriages followed in the funeral train. At the grave the beautiful burial service of the Anglican church was repeated by the Rev. W. H. G. Colles, the Rural Dean, owing to a severe cold, being unable to withstand the severity of the weather. The pallbearers were:—Messra. John McKerrall, T. Huff, J. W. Aitken. D. Blackburu, W. Turner and R. L. Brackin. All the members of the family were present at the funeral with the exception of the two elder brothers of the deceased, James and John, who are up north in the Klondike region. LAID TO REST.

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THE PROBABILITIES.

G. N. W. Special. Toronto, Jan. 2.—10 a. m.—Lakes west-erly winds, fair and cold. Thursday fair and colder; night temperature likely to fall below zero in most localities.

Miss Tillie Thompson is visiting in Mrs. Wm. Beeston, Blenheim, is visiting friends and relatives in the

St., spent New Year's with friends in Dresden. Miss Miss Alice Johnston, Lacroix

Miss Lillian Pratt is still very ill, there being no change in her condi-tion this morning. At II a. m. to-day Barrister John Reeve filed tha first chattel mort-gage for the new year. Mr. Campbell, Leamington, entered St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday, suf-fering with typhoid fever.

The official thermometer registered three above zero last night, being the coldest night so far this winter. Wm. Beeston, Blenheim, returned to his home this morning, after spending New Year's with his parents in this

Miss Lizzie Rankin returned to her home in Dover Centre yesterday, after spending the past few days with friends in the city.

William Shea, confined in the jail as a lunatic, has been released. Jail Surgeon Charteris and Dr. Fleming have both pronounced him quite sane.

Jas. Pierce, a former employe of the Chatham Gas Co., but latterly farming in Raleigh, has sold his farm of 50 acres and moved into the city

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Crawford, of Detroit, took place this morning to Maple Leaf Cemetery. The deceased was formerly, Mrs. Malcolm McKerrall, of this city. to-day.

TO CUPE AL OLDEN ONE DAY.

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Stick to it

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And Succeed

We will begin the new year and new century, just where we left off. one price, upon merit, at one profit, without the aid of any scheremium or bonus, for all of which consumer himself, pays., and to ghonestly and honestly succeed.

The End

The end will be the saving of much mos to this community, great comfort to the ma discomfort to none. Many in all walks life endorse our position and are steadfa customers, dealing in mutual regard and it spect. Think it over, you who do not con here regularly, individualize the proposition an personally enjoy the benefits. Begin right with the year, just where we left off, and sticl

Thornton & Douglas.

Man'f'g Tailors and Furnishers CASH

Walker Sterling, of Elk Rapids, Mich., is visiting friends in the city. Mr. Sterling was formerly a resident of Blenheim and Chatham, and sees a great many changes in the Maple City since leaving here twelve years

Thames Lodge 101 Sons of England Benefit Society, beld their usual weekly meeting in the låi O. U. W. hall, Bro. W. R. Moore, R. P., in the chair. One application for membership was received. Bro. Thomas Guy reported, recovered from his recent suckness. On account of the municipal elections, the lodge will stand adjourned until Monday 14th Jan., when Bro. J. J. Couzens, District Deputy, will install the officers, Bro. Arthur Fennings will give selections from the Jordan gramophome. Brothers, come and spend a pleasant evening.

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1 General Purpose Horse 9 years chevy Work Horse 7 years old, 1 Bay 11 years old, 3 Milch Cows coming in 1 Milch Cow coming in 1 Milch Cow coming in 1 Milch Cow coming in 1 April, 2 Yearling Steers, 2 Spring Calves, 1 reged York Boar 2 years old, 1 registered Boar 1 year old, 3 registered York So tarrow March, 2 York Sows to farroy Jan., 1 York Sow with litter of 8 pig Oak Lodge Principal, 13 good York Sonars and sows, eligible to be registed Noxon Binder in good repair, 1 2-hors Cultivator, 1 1-horse Gale Cultivator, Norse Diamond Tooth Cultivator, Work Harness, 1 set Single Harness, Truck with bunks and log poles, 1 Sheller, new, 1 Grant Land Roller, 1 Iron Harrows, 1 set Bob-Sleighs, Rack, 1 Stock Rack, nearly new, 1 1 Fanning Mill, nearly new, about 10 of Corn in the crib, Forks, Spades, and other articles too numerous to market the strength of the stre