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ABOUT THE NEW CITY HALL

Architect Lennox's First Report to the New Property Committee.

Tenders to be Advertised for for Three Elevators in Accordance With the New Specifications Which Call for a Cheaper Finish — Cost of Finishing Neelon Contract.

Architect Lennox yesterday presented a report to the Property Committee as to new specifications for elevators for the new City Hall In it the architect advised that if the committee were desirous of having a first-class elevator plant, one worthy of the building, the former specifications as to the construction portion of the plant should not be altered. He admitted, however, that the finishing of the enclosures might be cheapened by dispensing with the electro-plate silvering. He refused to recommend either hydraulic or electric, alleging that should he do so the city would lose the benefits of a wider competition, and might allow tenderers an opportunity to combine.

To Advertise for Tenders.

On motion of Ald. Lamb it was decided to advertise for tenders for the installation of three elevators, either electric or hydraulic, in accordance with the new specifications, as recommended by the architect.

Accompanying this recommendation was a statement of the accounts connected with the contracts for the new City Hall. The architect reiterated his assurance, given last year, that the Treasurer had on hand sufficient funds to meet what was due on each of the accessory contracts. But his present statement varies from the last one in that he now finds that there is approximately a $11,700 deficiency on the Elliott & Neelon contract, for which no funds are at hand.

How it is Made Up.

The amount which will be required to complete this contract is $22,375. Of this $5600 will be required to complete the tower, $1900 to complete main entrance steps and foundation for same, $3875 to complete tuck-pointing, $3000 to complete carving, and $1000 to complete stone cutting, the remaining $7000 being due on outstanding accounts. To meet this the architect calculates on the probable $10,000 to be saved by cheaper elevator specifications and the balance of $4000 on the Elliott & Neelon account, making $14,000 in all. So that the net deficiency on the Elliott & Neelon contract is $8375, which, in addition to the contract for concreting the basement, to cost $3300, leaves a balance of $11,675 on the Elliott & Neelon contract for which funds are not available.

A Saving of $3000.

The report further says: "In connection with the Elliott & Neelon contract I have made a saving of about $3000 by substituting concrete instead of stone floors in the vaults. Also I wish to draw the attention of your committee to the fact that there does not appear to be a special fund in connection with the carrying on of the erection and completion of the new city buildings, and the consequence is that all preliminary expenses, such as wages for watchmen, firemen, engineer, inspector and also fuel, insurance, etc., and other items of expense, totalling last year some $8000, were charged against the Elliott & Neelon contract." Such expenses as charges on debentures, insurance, law costs, etc., totalling $100,000, had been charged against the amounts appropriated for the building, and if a general fund had been provided there would have been ample funds to complete the details of construction.

Toronto Railway Increases.

Since the beginning of the year the daily returns of earnings of the Toronto Railway, with the exception of one day, show increases ranging from $100 to $500, as compared with the corresponding days last year. The earnings for Wednesday were $3129.75, an increase of $500 compared with the same day last year.

Dominion Day the Opening.

Ald. Dunn, chairman of the Property Committee, paid a visit to the new City Buildings yesterday morning. He found the work much further advanced than he had been led to expect, and he believes that it will be ready for the formal opening on Dominion Day.

The Board of Control and the Property Committee inspected the buildings yesterday afternoon, and urged the architect and the contractor to hasten the completion.

Island Improvements.

Ald. Hanlan proposes to make the Island his special care in Council. The first step in his island policy is the construction of a broad sidewalk and bicycle path around the Island from Hanlan's Point to Island Park. Ald. Hanlan intends to bring pressure to bear on the Council, and to that end petitions are being circulated among bicyclists and the citizens generally for the improvement. A return will be obtained showing the great increase of rental from the city's Island property in recent years and the advisability of still further increasing the value of the property by a modern system of walks and paths.

The Jail's Balance Sheet.

Jail Steward McMillan reports that the cost of each prisoner at the jail during the last year, including the expense of hiring extra guards for male prisoners committed to hard labor and employed on city works on the Don flats, was 44c per day. The expense of feeding the prisoners was five cents per diem. During the year the fines collected at the jail amounted to $1003.50, and, after settling all the liabilities for 1897, there is a balance of $867 to the credit of the institution.

Weights of Bread.

There was a full attendance of the members of the new Property Committee at its first meeting yesterday afternoon. The question of a standard weight for bread was introduced by the reading of a communication from George Weston, protesting against the decision of the former committee. It was decided to invite the master bakers, who seem to be divided on this question, to appear at the next meeting of the committee to give their views.

Proposed Site for Cattle Market.

Another communication was read from Mr. J. H. Duthie, in which the committee were invited to inspect the proposed new site for the cattle market near the Dundas-street bridges. The feeling of the committee was that there was no occasion to hasten consideration of the matter and that when it was taken up offers should be solicited publicly.

St. Lawrence Market Lessees.

On motion, City Commissioner Coatsworth and Assessment Commissioner Fleming were appointed a commission to investigate the claims made by Daniel Kelly on behalf of St. Lawrence Market lessees that the rental on market stalls should be reduced.

St. Lawrence Market Improvement.

The subject of St. Lawrence Market improvement having been broached, President Donald of the Market Association urged the committee to anticipate the early abandonment of the old City Hall and to move towards sending an alderman with the delegation to be appointed by the association to visit various large American cities to get ideas as to modern methods of market operation. Ald. Sheppard moved that Ald. Denison, being an architect, be the aldermanic commissioner. Ald. Denison protested that he did not want to have it said that he was going on a junketing expedition, but the committee insisted that he go. It was also recommended, on motion of Ald. Sheppard, that the city contribute $250 towards the expenses of the commission.

Market Committee Meet

The committee then adjourned to accompany the Board of Control in an inspection of the new City Hall, and the Executive Committee of the Market Association met. President R. Donald was instructed to select an architect, and the two to accompany Ald. Denison as the association's representatives. The president estimated that the trip would cost over $400, as it was contemplated to take in the cities of Montreal, Boston, Greater New York, Philadelphia, Washington, and to return by way of Cleveland. The commissioners will probably set out on Tuesday next.

Prospects for Factories.

The Assessment Commissioner is in communication with a couple of manufacturing concerns, one of which he is tolerably hopeful of inducing to locate here.

The Wabash Railroad.

With its superb and magnificent train service, is now acknowledged to be the most perfect railway system in America—the great winter tourist route to the South and West, including the famous Hot Springs of Arkansas, Old Mexico, the Egypt of the New World: Texas and California, the lands of sunshine and flowers. Passengers going via the Wabash new line reach their destination in advance of other routes. Wabash trains now reach more large cities than any other railroad in the world. Detailed information will be furnished by any railroad agent, or J. A. Richardson, Canadian Passenger Agent, N. E. cor. King and Yonge-sts., Toronto. ed

Clearing Trade Sale.

The consignors of winter woolens have notified Suckling & Co. to clear without reserve all the fall and winter woolens on hand. This will be done at the sale on Wednesday next. The stock consists of Canadian shirts and drawers, hosiery, gloves and mitts, sheetings, blankets, tweeds, serges, friezes. Very special is the line of 100 pieces of clan tartan dress goods, Canton flannels, elderdowns, men's suits, overcoats, ulsters. Sixteen cases of boots stopped at the freight shed from Quebec, as well as a small stock of boots and shoes At 2 o'clock the merchant tailoring stock of William Myers, 310 Queen-street east, Toronto, $2827, will be sold en bloc.

Big Sale at the Bon Marche.

The big sale inaugurated yesterday at the Bon Marche is one of the most successful that have ever been held in the city of Toronto. Messrs. Cousineau & Co. advertised it as a rousing clearing sale. So it is. All day yesterday crowds of ladies swarmed around the counters of the Bon Marche, anxious to secure early bargains in the high-class and seasonable goods that are being offered at exactly half price. Ladies who want real bargains in dry goods should be sure to attend this sale before the best is disposed of.

The Windsor Hotel, Ottawa.

Messrs. Alexander and George P. Leslie, late of Toronto, have taken possession of the Windsor Hotel, Ottawa. Both of these gentlemen thoroughly understand the hotel business, and will no doubt conduct the Windsor in first-class style.

Sweet Singers.

Mr. Moody says that Excell and Gabriel are the sweetest Gospel song singers in America. They sing at the C. T. League meeting at the Pavilion to-morrow afternoon. Rev. W. F. Wilson of Hamilton is the speaker.

Brakeman Cut to Pieces.

St. Thomas, Ont., Jan. 14.—George Arthur Lee, a M.C.R. brakeman, a married man, 26 years of age, fell off a freight train at Tilsonburg early this morning and was ground to pieces. Seven trains passed over the body. His parents reside at Kingsmill.

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REV. R. C. TIBBS' APPOINTMENT

As Successor to Late Rev. Wm. Burns—Secretary of Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund.

The executive of the committee on the Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund met in the Confederation Life Building yesterday to consider the appointment of a successor to the late Rev. William Burns.

It was the unanimous opinion of the executive that such an appointment should be immediately made; so Rev. R. C. Tibb of Toronto was appointed provisionally to the position. The appointment is subject to the endorsation of the General Committee, which will convene shortly.

Mr. Tibb will enter on his duties at once, and will visit the various presbyteries and congregations in the interest of the Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund. All communications addressed to him at the late secretary's office, 90 Confederation Life Building, will receive prompt attention.

PAY UP, SAYS M'KINLEY.

The Report of the Sealing Commission Endorsed—$473,151.26 is the Amount Required.

Washington, Jan. 14.—The President to-day submitted to Congress the awards and report of the commission appointed under the terms of the treaty of 1896 to adjust the claims of British subjects for losses sustained through the seizure of their sealing vessels in the Behring Sea. In his letter of transmittal the President says:

The report of the Secretary of State presents a clear epitome of the award and renders unnecessary any extended observation on my part, further than to say that I cordially coincide with the recommendation, and that our treaty obligations demand prompt and favorable action by Congress, which I urgently hope may be taken, to the end that these long-pending questions may be finally and satisfactorily terminated. The total amount necessary to satisfy the awards of the commissioners is $473,151.26, which I recommend to be appropriated. (Signed) William McKinley.

LATEST BY WIRE.

Hamilton Tidings Tersely Told.

Hamilton people are thoroughly aroused to appreciate the virtues of Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills. Two cases in which they have been effectual are reported this week.

That of Mrs. James Kearns, 342 Victoria-street, is stated in her own words as follows: "I am very much pleased with the effects resulting from the use of Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills. I have used them for heart and stomach troubles and they helped me from the start. I find them far superior to anything I have ever used before. My husband has also used them for dyspepsia and is enthusiastic in their praise. We both advise others to try them, for we know that the effects will be gratifying in every case."

In the case of Mr. William McGir, 76 York-street, Hamilton, Ont., Mr. McGir says: "I have used several kinds of pills for stomach and kidney troubles, but received only slight relief from them. Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills, on the contrary, have been a revelation to me. They seemed to take hold of me from the start, giving me a splendid appetite and a feeling of health and vigor. I felt myself getting well with every dose I took. They took away the bad taste in my mouth and removed the distress after eating. I can eat anything I like now, and feel completely restored to health. Should I ever fall ill again I will at once resort to Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills, as they are the only remedy I know of which will cure such cases as mine."

CORRUPTION IN CHICAGO.

Frauds in the Police Department—Political Pull at Work.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—Gross abuses of the pension funds of the police department of this city were disclosed at to-day's meeting of the Senate Committee investigating the Chicago Civil Service Commission and police force. A list was produced of over sixty ex-policemen now on the pension rolls of the police department who, it is claimed, are perfectly able to do duty as police officers, but who have been retired, it is alleged, for the purpose of making a place for some candidate for a police star who had a political pull.

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The Canada Lancet's Statement...

A Leading Canadian Medical Journal's Opinion of Abbey's Effervescent Salt...

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"One of its chief points is its superiority as an aperient, taking the place of nauseating mineral waters. It is particularly useful in cases of obstinate constipation, without being attended with debility of the stomach and bowels; not having the reactionary effect peculiar to most aperients and cathartics. It also directly excites the hepatic function, making it invaluable in chronic liver affections.

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MEETINGS.

Notice of Annual Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Merchants' Life Association will be held at the Head Office, 32 Yonge-street Arcade, on Thursday, Feb. 10, 1898, at the hour of 2 p.m.

HON. JOHN DRYDEN, J. G. HOWORTH, President. General Manager.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Metropolitan Railway Company will be held at the office of the company, No. 35 Front-street east, Toronto, on Wednesday, January 19th, 1898, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the election of directors and such other business as may come before the meeting.

(Sgd.) ROBERT JENKINS, Secretary.

Dated the 3rd day of January, 1898. 66

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at the expiration of twenty days from the first publication hereof application will be made to the Surrogate Court of the County of York, for the appointment of the Toronto General Trusts Company as guardians of the estate of James Joseph Stuart and Benjamin Stuart, infant children of James Stuart, late of the city of Toronto, collector, deceased. Dated this 7th day of January, 1898. Edgar & Malone, Solicitors for Applicants. 606

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT James Pearson, of the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, barrister, will apply to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof for a Bill of Divorce from his wife, Minnie Holcombe Pearson of the City of New York, in the State of New York, on the grounds of adultery. Dated at Ottawa this 19th day of August, 1897. McLeod Stewart, Solicitor for applicant. 6