

HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

IMPORTED FORTY DETECTIVES

Preparations for Crooked Work in Hamilton Elections.

HAMILTON, Jan. 1.—(Special)—The elections are on tomorrow, and in preparation for crooked work forty detectives have been brought into the city. The bar rooms were denounced from a number of pulpits.

Father Englebert of St. Anne's Church this morning warned his congregation not to vote for the men with the money.

The slate the hydro-electric power supporters are endorsing are as follows: For mayor—Ex-Ald. George H. Letz. For controller—Controller Cooper. Controller Bailey, Ald. Morris.

Mr. W. G. Lumsden died to-day at his home, 47 West Cannon-street. He was 71 years of age.

THE TELEGRAM WANTS MILLIONS SPENT ON ITS OWN HOBBIES, BUT NOT A DOLLAR FOR THE VIADUCT.

INTELLIGENT ELECTORS CAN SEE THE POINT, VOTE VIADUCT MONDAY.

A RECORD YEAR

The Imperial Life's Excellent Statement Reflects Country's Prosperity.

The prosperity which has prevailed generally throughout the country during the past year is being reflected in a striking manner in the annual statements of our large financial and commercial concerns.

The new assurances effected and policies revived, amounted to \$2,000,000, and exceeded by over a million dollars the company's best record in any one year.

The rate of interest realized on the company's funds were 5.2 per cent., an increase of 40 over that earned in 1909.

The policyholders and others having interest in this strong, progressive Canadian company are to be congratulated upon the marked success which has uniformly characterized its operations.

"A Sermon to Husbands," Broadway Tabernacle to-night.

HAMILTON BUSINESS DIRECTORY

HAMILTON HOTELS

HOTEL ROYAL

Livery room completely renovated and newly carpeted during 1907.

2.50 and Up per day. American Plan.

REV. W. A. CAMERON STAYS FOR ONCE JOHN D. FAILS

Pastor of Bloor-Street Baptist Church Declines \$6000 Stipend in Cleveland Church.

"Bloor-street will not let me go." When the foregoing telegram from Rev. W. A. Cameron, rector of Bloor-street Baptist Church, was read to the congregation yesterday by Deacon John Stark, men, women and children rose from their seats and sang with joyful voices the old doxology, "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow."

Some two weeks ago Mr. Cameron received a call from Euclid-avenue Baptist Church, Cleveland, as a direct result of a visit of Mr. John D. Rockefeller to the Bloor-street Church at short notice before, and with the call came the offer of \$6000 a year—considerably more than his present stipend.

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Wave of Patriotism

The singers and couters in front of the city hall had, in the meantime, taken the advice of Inspector Cudde's men and dispersed in bunches, going west along Queen-street.

Fire Cracker Broke Windows

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Police Were Mailed

All of these happenings escaped the direct glance of the police. When a hoodlum showed himself in the midst of a gang there was "nothing doing," and the reports that reached the various stations were to the effect that the crowds were merely playful.

BULLETS MADE PANIC AT WATCH NIGHT SERVICE

Smashing Windows, Attacks on Cars and General-Roystering Ushered in New Year.

Dozens of plate glass windows, and plenty of smaller ones were smashed, bullets were fired into the "watch meeting congregation of Little Trinity (East) Church; bon-fires were lighted in the streets; an attempt was made to burn up a milk wagon in Scott-street; the fire department was called out; stoness were hurled from a street car window, and the P-A-Y-E signs on some cars were maltreated; by Saturday night roysters bent on beholding in the new year.

Macedonian Used Revolver

And all this with only one arrest made. A young Macedonian was nabbed from a wild bunch of compatriots at the corner of King and Trinity-streets by P. C. Cooke. He was caught in the act of shooting madly with a revolver. There was one bullet left in the smoking weapon when the constable's hand wrested it from him.

Bonfire on Car Tracks

Bedlem broke loose on the stroke of 12 in various downtown sections of the city. When the hoarse whistles and chariot bells sounded the start of the New Year.

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Board of Education

Ward 4 Electors Should Vote for

W. S. LEVIE

He has eleven years of service to his credit. He has shown himself to be eminently independent and conscientious, and has worked entirely for the interests of the Citizens. He is careful to take time to make up his mind, but when once his mind is made up as to a proper course of conduct, he is full of determination. He is a man of liberal views, and in business ability is the equal of anybody on the present Board.

WHY ALL WISE CITIZENS WILL VOTE FOR VIADUCT

Points Raised by Henry Holgate Answered by Prominent Physician.

One of the most prominent Liberal physicians in the city has sent the following statement to The World:

This is not a vote in favor of any property speculation. It is a vote in favor of the growth of the city as a whole. There should be no east or west in this city. Every vote should be given for the benefit of the entire city.

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- 22 BOKHARA RUGS, dark, rich wine red, suitable for libraries and dens; sizes ranging from 5 ft. 6 in. x 4 ft. up to 6 ft. 6 in. x 4 ft. 6 in. Regular price \$20 to \$45. January Sale price 25.00
- 33 ANTIQUE KAZAKS, SEREBENDS, MOUSOULI, all in good condition, rich and artistic, Oriental designs, average sizes 5 ft. x 4 ft. Regular price \$25 to \$35. January Sale price 19.50
- 15 AGRA RUGS, very heavy and beautiful Indian make; sizes 6 ft. x 3 ft. Regular prices \$18. January 8.75
- 22 ANTIQUE BELUCHISTAN RUGS, in close weave and very silky, average sizes 6 ft. x 3 ft. 6 in. Regular price up to \$25. January Sale price 17.50
- 32 ANATOLIANS, SMALL KAZAKS, MOUSOULI, mostly antique and silky pieces, average sizes about 9 ft. x 4 ft. Regular price up to \$25. January Sale price 12.50

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