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CIVIC POLITICS.

If the unusually large number of alternative candidates tends to arrange the average citizen from his apathy regarding civic affairs a notable good will be accomplished, even if there be no great change in the personnel of the common council.

Still, there is undoubtedly room for improvement in the civic parliament.

A few of the present aldermen are inefficient, more are careless and many could undoubtedly be replaced by better men.

The mercantile element, one which should be greatly interested, is not fully represented.

The addition of labor representatives would also undoubtedly be a benefit.

The unions have several men in the field on a good platform, and while they probably do not hope to elect all of them, there is no reason, if the candidates are personally capable, why the election of the best of them would not be for the material good of the labor people and the city.

Altogether the result of the coming election should be a marked improvement in civic administration next year.

A ONE-SIDED BARGAIN.

The Toronto News (Independent Liberal) calls attention to one of the innocent looking provisions, wholly for the benefit of the Grand Trunk Pacific Company, with which the contract now under discussion bristles.

This provision is found in the eleventh clause dealing with branch lines.

During the fifty years of the company's lease a number of branches may be built to tap centers of industry adjacent to the great trunk line.

The ownership of these branch lines will come up for adjustment when—or if—the government takes over the trunk route.

Mark on what terms the adjustment is to be made. The government is to "take over such branch lines or lines as the company may elect not to retain."

The choice is left entirely to the company. This means simply that the Grand Trunk Pacific may require the government to take over all its lame ducks and will be able to keep the profitable lines. It promises to be a pleasant arrangement for the Grand Trunk Pacific. It will have a lease of the trunk route for half a century.

When that period has expired it will have another half century of running rights, will be able to force the government to relieve it of all branches which it has found by experience to be unprofitable, and will retain all its money-earning feeders.

The fact that an exhibition is to be held in St. John next fall is no reason why the government should refuse to assist such an extraordinary celebration as the three hundredth anniversary of the discovery of the St. John river.

If the double grant does establish a precedent it is not probable that the present government would suffer by it. Though things political are notoriously uncertain it is a fairly safe bet that another government will be in power before the four hundredth anniversary comes around.

Referring to the Hon. Mr. Sifton's speech in favor of the Grand Trunk Pacific bill, the Halifax Mail says: "The appearance of Sifton as the chief apologist for this infamous deal proves conclusively that there is a large rake-off in the transaction. That malicious politician, who has, since he entered the Dominion government in 1896, amassed an enormous fortune, is only in politics for the sake of what there is in it. He was never yet known to advocate anything in the public interest. It is the interest of Clifford Sifton that he furthers first, last and always."

The New York Tribune has been tabulating the results of the Republican district conventions, and shows that eighteen states and territories have elected 116 delegates to the national convention, of whom ninety-six were pledged hand and foot to Roosevelt, twenty being elected without definite instructions, although not necessarily opposed to Roosevelt.

A QUEER SCOTCH WIFE (Westminster Budget).

There have been many will-makers more eccentric than Mr. MacCaig, the Olan banker, whose last testament will shortly come under the consideration of the Edinburgh court of session.

Mr. MacCaig, it may be remembered, left instructions in his will that gigantic statues of himself, his brothers and sisters, a round dozen in all, should be placed on the summit of a great tower he had commenced to build on Battery Hill, near Olan—each statue to cost not less than £1,000.

Just now your chance to sell that property to advantage may be brighter than it will be again during the whole year.

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EXHIBITION WILL BE HELD.

In consequence of the receipt of the following telegram: "Government will grant five thousand dollars for exhibition this year. City members will see you Saturday," president Emerson called a meeting of the directors of the Exhibition Association Saturday night.

Resolved, That the grant from the government and the grant and guarantee from the city being assured, the board recommends the executive to arrange an exhibition for the current year.

This means that the ten thousand dollar grants from the government and city will be swallowed up by the exhibition people and the ten thousand dollar committee left out in the cold.

The three representatives of the city in the local legislature were in attendance.

Mr. Robertson, M. P. P., stated that he was in favor of an exhibition being held, regardless of the Champlain celebration.

Mr. Furdy, M. P. P., said he was also of the same opinion.

Mr. Lantieri, M. P. P., said he would accept the position of manager and will decide the matter within the next few days.

NETPUNE ROWING CLUB

Urges Government to Assist Exhibition and Tercentenary—Officers Elected.

At the annual meeting of the Neptune Rowing Club Saturday evening a resolution was passed urging the government to make a substantial grant to the Tercentenary committee, irrespective of the \$5,000 grant to the Exhibition Association.

The ground taken was that the exhibition was purely a provincial matter and intended to benefit the farmers and stock raisers and should not be confused with the Tercentenary celebration.

The reports submitted show the club financially and in membership in excellent standing.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President—Roland Frith. Vice-presidents—Heber Vroom, K. J. Macrae.

Secretary—Homer D. Forbes. Captain—Dr. J. Lee Day.

Managing committee—The above officers, with F. E. Hanington, P. A. Kinross, C. D. Robertson, Geo. P. Kirk, A. E. Everett, F. R. Campbell and Geo. McA. Bilzard.

Trustees—Rowland Frith and F. E. Hanington.

F. E. Hanington, the retiring president, was tendered a resolution appreciative of his services during the past year.

A large photo of the Paris crew will adorn the walls of the club after this, being presented by Robert Fulton and Ex-President Hanington. Mr. Hanington also presented a banner entitled "In the Golden Days," showing an eight-oared crew practicing on the Thames.

A PROMOTION.

A promotion conferred because of long and honorable service has been bestowed on Captain William H. Allan, who has been placed in command of the splendid 4,000-ton steamship Governor Dinkley of the Eastern Steamship Co., Portland division.

Captain Allan, who has been commanding out of Boston for thirty-five years, worked his way up in steadiness, and during the last few years has commanded the steamers State of Maine, Cumberland, St. Croix and Penobscot, and as much as any other commander knows the travelling public. His promotion has elicited general congratulations. Captain Allan lived in Boston until three years ago, when he moved to Rosedale—Boston Post.

TILE COLLINS.

At 156 Rockland road, on Saturday afternoon, the marriage of Miss Marie Kate Collins, fourth daughter of Sidney Collins, to Arthur Tiley, took place. Both are of English birth. The bride performed the marriage ceremony and the bride was given away by her father, Mrs. Sadie Wolf and the bride's three sisters and little niece, who were attended in white, acted as bridesmaids. The bride wore a dress of pale terra cotta trimmed with cream silk and lace. In the evening a number of friends were entertained to supper, the rest of the evening being spent in singing and music. The bride received a large number of presents and the happy pair were congratulated by all.

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WAS TROUBLED WITH PAIN IN HER HEART FOR SIX YEARS.

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Mrs. C. Bondrea, Campbellton, N.B., was completely cured by

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She tells of her experience in the following letter: "I was troubled with a pain in my heart and weakness for six years. Most of the time I could not lie on my left side. I consulted a doctor but got no relief and was completely discouraged. I did not think I would live long and expected my friends would find me dead. A friend brought me a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and I took them please her, not thinking they would do me any good. I had not used half the box when I commenced to feel myself getting better and by the time I had taken two boxes I was completely cured and can recommend them to all sufferers from heart trouble."

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LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Du Verne of Digby is visiting Mrs. J. R. Armstrong.

Rev. Dr. Borden of Sackville, preached the Tercentenary sermon at the St. Stephen's church Sunday evening.

The Eastern liner St. Croix, Capt. Thompson, which reached this port about 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, left for Boston again about 10 p. m.

The St. Stephen's church guild will meet this evening, March on Monday evening, April 12th, the annual business meeting will be held.

Miss Doris Clarke and daughter, Miss Doris Clarke, are visiting at Centenary parlors. They are here to attend the Nordic concert.

Miss Christopher, 100 Victoria street, is confined to her bed from a complication of diseases.

Eleven people were baptised at the Lower Cove last evening morning at eight o'clock. There were about equal numbers of men and women. Rev. A. S. Trafton performed the ceremony.

At the Seaman's Mission last night Rev. O. Gates, D. D., conducted the service. R. Morton Smith led the singing. H. S. Cruikshank sent a supply of flowers, which were given to the men.

Word was received on Saturday afternoon that Rev. Father McGoldrick was somewhat better, being able to sit up in bed a few minutes at a time.

The first company of the St. John's Boys' Brigade, connected with the St. John's (Presbyterian) church, attended service yesterday at St. John's church. There was a good muster, between forty and fifty boys parading in uniform. Colonel Buchanan was also present in uniform.

Sunday afternoon Sergt. Campbell and Officers Crawford and Perry ejected from the Bricklayers' Hall on Brussels street Joseph Clancy, George Wilson and Morris Blake, who were drunk and had on a roaring fire in the stove which threatened to set fire to the place.

Rev. Dr. Borden, principal of Mt. Allison Ladies' College, preached in Carleton street Methodist church Sunday morning, the occasion being the anniversary of educational work in connection with the Methodist church. The text was Chronicles, II, 1-10.

Capt. H. R. Smith, 3rd Battalion, Black Watch, Dundee, Scotland, is at the Dufferin. Capt. Smith saw sixteen months of active service in South Africa during the Boer war. He was formerly in St. John connected with the Jones Brewing Company, and today he leaves for Montreal to see his brother.

The report of the Bucksport district to the annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal church says: "We invited Rev. T. J. Delandst, a superintendent of the New Brunswick conference, to assume charge of our work at Milbridge. He has had quite a revival. They are paying him quite an amount of money and the people hope to retain his services for another year."

The Rev. Dr. Lindsay Parker, of Brooklyn, N. Y., occupied the pulpit of Trinity church last evening and preached to a crowded congregation. Dr. Parker took the following words for his text: "For if when we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of His Son, much more being reconciled we shall be saved by His life." Romans V, 10.

KILLED ON I. C. R.

MONCTON, April 10—Austin Lavell, forward brakeman on Conductor Quince's freight special coming into Moncton, was killed near Catamount. No one saw the accident, but it is supposed that he fell between the cars while going from the van to the engine. He was not missed by the rest of the train until he was found on the tracks and nothing was known of the accident till two or three hours later when the body was found by section men. Both legs were cut off, the right arm broken, his back bruised and his head badly cut. He had been dragged along the track for about eighty feet. Deceased was about twenty years of age and belonged to Jacquet River. He had been on the road only five months.

FUNERALS YESTERDAY.

The funeral of the late Mrs. John Stirling took place Sunday from 158 Queen street. Service was conducted at the Church of St. John the Baptist by Rev. F. Chapman, and interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of the late John Chapman was held on Sunday afternoon in Cedar Hill cemetery. Rev. Mr. Howard and Rev. Mr. Hamilton officiated. The pall bearers were Robert McConnell, Robert Carson, Capt. Ferris and Messrs. Quinn, Robertson and Graham.

TWO DEATHS AT MONCTON.

MONCTON, April 10—Mrs. Stewart Lewis of North River, near Sallibury, suddenly collapsed while waiting on her sick husband on Friday afternoon, and immediately expired. Heart trouble is supposed to have been the cause. Her husband who had a relapse from an attack of pneumonia, died early Saturday morning. They were a middle-aged couple, highly respected residents, and leave three married daughters and five younger children.

AN AFRICAN BRIDE.

Lieut. Arthur J. B. Mellish, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., who is well known here as having represented Malcolm McKinnon in the charge brought against him by the McLaughlin Carriage Co. will wed in a few weeks in England. His bride is Miss Hutton, daughter of a wealthy South African Trinidad. His salary in Fiji was \$12,500. In Trinidad it will be \$25,000 a year. Lieut. Mellish's wife is a daughter of Sir Edward Shea, president of the legislative council of Newfoundland.

DOUBLE THE MONEY.

HALIFAX, April 10—Sir Henry Moore, lieutenant-governor of Nova Scotia, has been appointed governor of Trinidad. His salary in Fiji was \$12,500. In Trinidad it will be \$25,000 a year. Lieut. Mellish's wife is a daughter of Sir Edward Shea, president of the legislative council of Newfoundland.

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COMING!

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OPERA HOUSE, Monday, April 11.

Under the management of F. G. Spencer.

Plan open to subscribers at Box Office Saturday, April 10th, at 10 a. m. Subscription list is still open at Landry's, King street. Prices \$1, \$2.50 and \$5. Gallery, unreserved, at 25c.

EDWARD P. ELLIOTT, "Christopher Jr."

AT YORK THEATRE, TUESDAY EVENING, April 12th, under the management of the King's Daughters. First play opens at 8. A. Chipman Smith & Co.'s Saturday, April 9th, at 10 a. m. Tickets 5c. Whole house reserved. Entertainment begins at 8 p. m.

SCOTCH NUT. I have had placed with me for immediate sale 50 tons SCOTCH DOUBLE NUT, to be delivered after October, the 1st inst. Screened and delivered at \$6.75 per ton (cash). JAMES B. McIVERMAN, AGENT. Tel. 42. 225 Charlotte Street.

FUNERAL NOTICE. The members of the Sons of England will meet at Orange Hill, Simons street, on Tuesday, April 12th, at 1.30 p. m., to attend the funeral of their late friend, JAMES STRAWFORD. Ordinary dress, white tie and gloves. Silver lodges invited. H. SELLEN, Secretary.

OYSTERS! Steves, Restaurants or private parties wanting from one barrel to twenty-five barrels FRESH BAKED OYSTERS can address A. J. GORMAN, Boston, Kent Co., N. B. 250 Barrels on hand. Fresh caught.

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