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The beginning of January finds us to offer special induce-

ents in all departments for the pur-

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55 to 61 KING STREET EAST,

PREDICTS LIBERAL WIN

How Well Informed English Journalist

Views Situation.

article on "The Crisis in England," and

The prime minister on Dec. 2 introduc-

ed into the house of commons a resolution reaffirming in the strongest and

clearest terms the financial supremacy

of the lower chamber. That resolution

strikes the key-note of the campaign.

The Liberals can hardly expect to re-

turn from the polls with an undiminished majority. If they come back,

the Irish Nationalist vote, it will be a very considerable achievement. know England too well to prophesy

with any definiteness the result of a general election, but I shall be very

creatly surprised if, in spite of the

many formidable interests they have antagonized, the Liberals do not re-

turn to power with a clear mandate to

bridle the financial pretensions of the

house of lords. One Liberal minister-

after another has declared that his

party will not again take office with-

out a clear guarantee that what oc-

curred on Nov. 30 shall never be per

mitted to occur again. There is only

one guarantee that will meet the situ-

ation; and that is a promise by the

King that he will be prepared to cre-

ate a sufficient number of peers to carry thru the house of lords a bill

definitely depriving the upper cham-

ber of the right to reject the financial

proposals of the commons. Sooner than be swamped by 500 new men the house lords would agree to anything. But

the expedient is a desperate one, so des-

perate as to be in itself sufficient proof

that Great Britain is passing thru a

peaceable but profound revolution and

s entering on the prodigious and fate-

ful task of rebuilding almost from top

EARTHQUAKE TO BEGIN WITH

Washington Seismographs Hard Hit

Very Early in the Year.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.-An earth-

quake shock of considerable violence

was registered on the seismograph at

following bulletin, regarding it was

moderate distance was recorded by the

seismographs at the weather bureau

this morning at 6 hours 4 mintes and 38 seconds a.m., 75th meridian time.

The second preliminary tremors be-

gan at 6 hours 8 minutes 52 seconds.

tion was unusually great, causing the pen to pass off the record spool in some

"The origin is estimated to have bee!

at a distance of about 2000 miles from Washington, and probably to the south

or southwest. The total duration of

Where Was It?

earth tremors were recorded here yes-terday. They were of slight intensity.

The stronger shock was recorded at

10,20 a.m., but showed only a small

FORT DE FRANCE, Martinique,

Jan. 2.—There has been no eruption of

Mont Pelee, and Soufrere is also in-

Nightriders Shot Witness.

quake has occurred here, or so

movement on the seismograph.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Jan. 2.-Two

the record was nearly two hours."

and the strong motion just three minutes later. The amplitude of the mo-

'An unusually strong earthquake at

the weather bureau Saturday.

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What will be the upshot of it all?

thus sizes up the contest:

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CO., Ltd.,

. Toronto

as a whole, he was ould carry.

effect of the defeat of the building of the out that there was the mistake of Satbe some time before got under way. next January be-

ict is an integral part e," he added, it would e to go on with the of the avstem, even ding of the viaduct.'

THE WEATHER

OBSERVATORY, TORONTO, Jan. 1.—

(8 p.m.)—A marked cold wave centred to-night in Saskatchewan, is spreading over Canada, promising much cold weather. Southerly to westerly gales have prevailed to-day in the Gulf of St. Lawrence and the maritime provinces. pose of reducing stock for stock-taking. All over the house Extra-

time provinces.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 26—32: Vancouver, 27—32: Edmonton, 8 below—6; Battleford, 10 below—4: Prince Albert, 22 below—10 below—4: Prince Albert, 22 below—10 below—5; Winnipeg, 15 below—4: Port Arthur, 8 below—8: Parry Sound, 18—34; Toronto, 24—34; London, 28—37; Ottawa, 13—36; Montreal, 20—36; Quebec, 14—34; Halifax, 10—40.

Section 10 discount assessment commissioner, He did so only under strong pressure by Commissioner Forman and the board of control, but the electors were plainly aroused nevertheless. J. T. V. May was an easy second in the ward.

The greatest surprise of all was the tidal wave which engulfed Ald. J. J. Graham in the sixth ward, which he has represented since 1894 continuous.

Valley, Upper and Lower St. Lawrence -Fresh westerly to northerly winds; some light local snowfalls or flurries, but mostly fair and much colder.

(Black and Colored) and very cold.
Alberta—Fine and decidedly cold. Household Linens

THE BAROMETER. Noon. 31
2 p.m. 30 29.61 16 W.
4 p.m. 29
8 p.m. 25 29.68 5 N.
Mean of day, 29; difference from average, 5 above; highest, 34; lowest, 24.
(Saturday, 37-17.)

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS. From

Portland John, N.B. Liverpool ... Liverpool . Halifax Liverpool .St. John's, Nfld. .Glasgow .Dover New York .Rotterdam New York New York New York Liverpool .. New York TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

Royal Alexandra—"Marcelle," 8.
Princess—"Detective Sparkes," 8.
Grand—"The Old Homestead," 8.
Shea's—Vaudeville, 2 and 8.
Majestic Music Hall—Vaudeville, 2 and 8.
Star—Burlesque, 2 and 8.
Gayety—Burlesque, 2 and 8.

MARRIAGES. BOLD-MILLER-At the McCaul-street Synagogue, on Sunday, Jan. 2, 1910, Miss Ida Bold of Brooklyn, N.Y., to A. Miller of Toronto.

GREER-CUDMORE - On Saturday Jan. 1, 1910, at the residence of the bride's uncle, Mr. John Cudmore, 46 Don Mills-road, Toronto, by the Rev. R. S. E. Large, B.D., Emily J., third daughter of Mr. Geo. Cudmore of Toronto, to Samuel J. Greer of Burlington. To the January number of The North American Review, Sydney Brooks, the well-known journalist, contributes an

DEATHS. ANDERSON—At Fairbank on Friday,
Dec. 31, John Leonard Anderson, second son of W. J. Anderson, aged 7
years 6 months.
Funeral on Monday, Jan. 3, at 2.30
o'clock, to Prospect Cemetery.

As the people have decided by &
As the people have decided by &

DUNCAN—On New Year's evening, at his mother's residence, 330 Bruns-wick-avenue, Wilbert Joseph Duncan (Bert), eldest son of Mrs. Duncan and the late Wm. Duncan of York

The interest in the fate of the ex-

GARDINEK—Suddenly, at Toronto, on the board of education loses two of two of the board of education loses two of the board of education lo

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Funeral Monday, at 3.30 p.m. from above address. Interment in St. James' Cemetery. Friends kindly accept this

notice. LEGGAT—At his late residence, Braeside, Hamilton, Ont., on Sunday, Jan. 2, 1910, Matthew Leggat, Esq., Jan. 2, 1910, Matthew Leggat, Esq., in his 81st year.

Funeral or Wednesday, 5th inst., at 2.30 pm. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery. Kindy omit flowers.

OCKE—On Saturday, Jan. 1, 1910.
Esther Elizabeth, dearly beloved wife of Wm. Locke, aged 31 years.

Funeral from 6 Vivian-street on Monday at 4.15 p.m. Interment in St. James' Cemetery. Friends please accept this notice.

The National Canary and Cage Bird.

St. James Cemetery.

accept this notice.

MARTIN-On the first instant, at Scarborough Junction, Ont., Emily Louisa Brown, wife of John Martin.
Funeral at 2 p.m. Tuesday. Friends and relatives please accept this intimation. Findly omit flowers.

The National Canary and Cage Bird Society held its second annual open show on New Year's Day in the Assembly Hall, Labor Temple.

The doors were open to the public at 1 p.m. This show surpassed all other

copy.

MITCHELL—On Friday, Dec. 31, 1909, at Plainfield, N.J., Kate K. Mitchell.

Funeral to Mount Pleasant Cemetery on Tuesday morning, Jan. 4, 1910, from the Union Station.

PALMER—On Saturday, Jah. 1, 1910, at 224 Markham-street. Mrs. Jane Palmer, widow of the late G. L. Palmer.

Funeral Monday at 3 p.m.

ROBINSON—On Sunday, Jan. 2, 1910, at 11 Rusholme-road, Eliza Jane, wife of W.

Rusholme-road, Eliza Jane, wife of W J. Robinson. Funeral notice later. Orangeville, North Bay and Dundas papers please

87 THOMAS, D.W.I., Jan. 2.-No Norman A. Craig the German cruiser Freya, succeeded in saving the greater part of the to-(UNDERTAKER)

far as can be learned, in any other West Indian island. Large Shade Trees Moved. We supply large Elm and Maple trees to 40 feet high, also big evergreens and shrubs, guaranteeing them to grow. wn Bros. Co., Brown's Nurseries,

PETROLEA, Jan. 2.—Ed. Pollard gets the mayoralty of Petrolea for 1910 by accimation, Dr. C. O. Fairbank and G. S. Pitkin having declined the nomination. Dr. C. O. Fairbank mand the control of the contr MOBILE. Ala., Jan. 2.—James Middleton, a farmer, and principal withes in a night rider case set for trial in the federal court this month, was first and killed from ambush near his home in Baldwin County last night.

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GEARY ELECTED MAYOR

has represented since 1894 continuously. He was regarded as the safest of Lower Lakes, Georgian Bay, Ottawa the aldermen, but the "time for a change" feeling seems to have sud-denly become epidemic. Mr. Graham's friends attribute his defeat to the determination of the strong temperance Guit and Maritime—Fresh westerly winds; moderately fair; colder; local snow flurries.

Superior — Fresh northwesterly winds; fair and very cold.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan — Fine and very cold.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan — Fine and very cold. The sixth ward returns a solid pha-lanx of new men, as Ald. Adams had retired and Ald. McGhie sought a con-trollership. J. O. McCarthy, J. A. Mc-Causland and David Spence are the trio. The last named led F. G. Me-Brien by only nine votes. Mr. McBrien a year ago was only 12 behind Ald. Adams. He is young and aggressive and will doubtless gain a seat before

many years.

Conservatives in Majority. Politically, the new council stands 14 Conservatives and 11 Liberals, Last year there were 13 Liberals and 11 Conservatives, so that the tables have een turned.

Conservatives-Mayor Geary, Con-The line-up is: trollers Church and Foster, Ald. Hilton, Rowland, Hambly, McBride, Weston, Dunn, R. H. Graham, May, McCausland, Spence and Baird. Liberals-Controllers Spence Ward, Ald. Chisholm, Phelan, O'Neill.

Maguire, Heyd, Welch, McMurrich, Maguire, Heyd, Weich, McCarthy and Anderson.

In comparison with the composition of previous councils, this year's board of aldermen might almost be called a of aldermen might almost be called syoung men's council. Mayor Geary is young men's council. Church on the young men's council. Mayor Geary is well under 40, and Ald. Church on the board of control, isn't at all burdened down with years. In the first ward, T. N. Phelan has the energy of youth. as has Norman G. Heyd in the third, A J. A. McCausland in the sixth, not mention several of the re-elected aldermen, who are far from being

hoary with age. Fate of Bylaws and Plebiscite. The tube referendum carried in every ward and in the outlying districts the majorities were of a sweeping character. The fear that the older sections of the city might not have the enthusiasm of suburban localities was early dispelled by the downtown returns. The first ward led the van with a mafority of 2400, while in the seventh ward

COATES—On Friday, Dec. 31st., at 116
Curzon-street, J. W. Coates, in his
43rd year.
Member of the Canadian Order of Member of the Canadian Order of electing school trustees, it is for Foresters, Court National.
Funeral from above address on Monday, Jan. 3rd, to Norway Cemeters.

Fig. 2. See the Canadian Order of School trusters, it is the legislature new council to apply to the legislature for the necessary power to depart from the present method of electing by the legislature will city at large. This the legislature will probably do, and will at the same time

and the late Wm. Duncan of York
Township.
Funeral Tuesday, Jan. 4th, at 2.30, to Prospect Cemetery.

NGRAE-On Saturday Jan. 4th at 2.30 firehalls and police stations for the new districts was not considered. to Prospect Cemetery.

GINGRAS—On Saturday, Jan. 1, 1910, at the residence of his son, 469 West Adelaide-street, Louis Gingras, in his sist year.

Funeral private, Monday, at 2 p.m.

GARDINER—Suddenly, at Toronto, on the control of the other bylaw was a necessity.

Changes in Board of Education.

The board of Education of the part of education is proposed.

ing-avenue. Peter Gardiner, aged 44 years.

(Funeral from above address at 2.30 p.m. Monday.

Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

HARRIS—On Saturday, Jan. 1st, 1910, at 40 Agnes-street, Jane Harris, widow of the late Wm. Harris, in her 89th year.

Funeral from R. Moffatt's undertaking parlors, 271 Yonge-street, Monday, Jan. 3rd, at 2 p.m., to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. No flowers.

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Funeral Monday.

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plebiscite, endorsing the returning to in Port Dalhousie when boys, afterthe old system of electing school trus- wards sailing, owning and building tees by wards, would have on the 2 years' term of the newly-elected members of the board, thought that until the legislature had passed a bill giving force to the by-law, matters would remain in statu quo.

He recalled the fact that the government had previously refused to pass such a law, stating that the matter should be referred to the people before Frank E. Hodgins, K.C., solicitor for the board of education, gave the same reply.

The National Canary and Cage Bird Society held its second annual open The doors were open to the public at

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McCLURE—At his residence, 223 Annette-street, West Toronto, on Sunday, Jan. 2, 1910, George, beloved
husband of Millie McClure, aged 39
years.

Masonic service at the house at
1,30 p.m. Tuesday, Service at Victoria
Presbyterian Church at 2 p.m. Interment at Thorold on Wednesday,
Jan. 5. Woodbridge papers please
copy.

This show surpassed an other,
shows ever held in Canada. A total of
376 entries was received, which meant
over 400 birds were on exhibition. The
birds were up to the standard in evbirds were up to the standard in evbirds were up to the standard in evbirds were place were provided and H. D. Hyslop for Norwichs; J. McCabe and W. Anderson for Scotch Fancies; A. W. Mountford for wild bird
and the collections; H. D. Hyslop for 1 p.m. This show surpassed all other

BIG TOBACCO FIRE.

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt, Jan. 2.-The customs tobacco stores, containing tobacco to the value of \$5,000,000, was Late of Craig & Son. Phone Park 295 gutted by fire yesterday.

Firemen, assisted by 200 sailors from

> The loss is estimated at \$1,500,000. HOCKEY ON SATURDAY.

All Stars Waterloo

Election Echoes

THE TORONTO WORLD

There were Geary majorities in every ward except the seventh. The third ward gave the winner 1200, his largest. The mayoralty vote of Thomas Davies dropped from \$200 in 1909 to less than 700.

Robert Buist Noble managed to wrest fourth place from Joel Marvin this apponent's 100 to wre this opponent of the same still of the Courth. The ward ward the first returning officer arrived at the city half and the source of the managed to wards, which gave him 1400 over his opponent. Dr. Harrison scored well in his own ward, the fourth. There are six lawyers in the new council — Mayor Geary. Controller Church. Ald. Pheian. Heyd, Anderson and Baird.

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There are six lawyers in the new council — Mayor Geary. Controller strength of the sixth ward was second with 3043 votes. This year he droped to a little over 1800.

Ald. Keeler's overthrow wasn't so spectacular for only five years. It was, however, just as complete. That as sessment department job did it. The new council. Altho it contains as strongly temperance as risely. Ald. Keeler's however, just as complete. That as sessment department fold did. The word of the seed of the contains as strongly temperance as risely. Ald. Meeler's were allowed the policy of the trist of the seed of the contains of the seed of the seed of the contains of the seed of the co

NEW YEAR'S CHEER

the Louis XV. room and the lounge at and their friends on Saturday evening. Between six and seven hundred em-ployes and guests thronged the building and enjoyed the splendid program of music and dancing which was arranged by a most efficient committee Mr. and Mrs. Bailey of the King Ed-ward acted as host and hostess and received the guests, many of whom were personal friends of the genial manager and his wife. For the children present a fine large Christmas was provided, and all were made

gestion was accepted by a considerable number, young and old.

the Hon. A. B. Morine, K.C., of Newfoundland. Mr. Paterson, President A. W. Martin and J. S. Robertson, past president, all made strong appeals for total abstinence, for pledge signers. J. M. Hamilton, the famous Scottish

tenor, sang three selections.

Capt. Alex. Muir. PORT DALHOUSIE. Jan. 2.-Capt. Alexander Muir, last surviving member of A. Muir & Bros., shipbuilders, passed away this morning. His other brother. William, died in November last. Both brothers were over ninety years old. They came from the old country in a sailing vessel and settled wooden boats, of which they had a large fleet at one time. They were They were known all over the great lakes as shipbuilders and drydock owners, lengthering a large number of wooden boats after the ne wcanal was built.

Joy Rider Jugged.

James Gardiner of 356 Victoriastreet, was arrested Saturday, charged with stealing Capt. Bell's automo-bile. Gardiner was chauffer for Capt. Bell, and he had been previously warned several times from keeping the machine out of the garage after the owner was thru using it. On Saturday morning he had the auto out till flive



\$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00

Rain shedders. High tops. Ankles dry, feet too. Fine for skating.

THE ROBERT SIMPSON COMPANY LIMITED

XMAS GIFT TO HIS GIRL LED TO DOBSON'S FALL

The of a second term for A. J. Brown, w

sional free drinks. Gave Furs to His Girl.

The detective in the express office learned that a set of furs had been received for a certain address and returned to Toronto, and a set valued at Staff of King Edward Hotel Has Dance and Music.

The spacious American dining room, the Louis XV. room and the lounge at turned to Toronto, and a set value at \$125 sent. These furs were taken care of by Dobson just before Christmas. The following Sunday a detective shadowed Dobson and his sweetheart to church and sat immediately behind them and noted the value of the furs. the Louis XV. room and the lounge at Dobson was taken up for questioning about where he got the money to purdisposal of the members of the staff chase such furs. This was the first

sign of his guilt.

Last Thursday the chief of the Thiel detectives brought Dobson to the Hotel Savoy and behind closed doors of room, cross-questined him for three hours, and, having then some evidence of Whistler's connection in the case, caused Dobson to break down and make a full confession, implicating Whistler and Flynn and two other unknown men.

The whole plot was conceived in the minds of Whistler and Flynn, and Dobson, being approached, consented This was as far back as last Authorism was as far back as last Authorism to Nov. tree was provided, and all were made the recipients of a pretty gift. The function, which is an annual affair, was thoroly enjoyed and many were the kind wishes extended to Mr. and Mrs. Bailey for their gracious hospinately.

Dobson, being approach as last Autrice previous to Nov. 4, attempts were made to pull off the job, but something would intervene to prevent it. On afternoon of the robprevent it. On afternoon of the robprevent it. On afternoon of the prevent it. The complete returns are:

-For Mayor—Sub-Divs.

Polling Sub-Divs. Many Piedge Signer's

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At the first meeting of the year the speakers at the Canadian Temperance League meeting, and the officers of the league yesterday afternoon in Massey Hall, made a special appeal to the audience to take a hotel abstinence pledge for the year 1910, and the suggestion was accepted by a considerable

bery, Dobson called up the Imperial Bank and asked them to be sure and have their money package over early. It is stated he wrote a letter a week ago, informing Flynn that he had lost his job with the express company, and his job with the express company. The council board of York Township.

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The speaker of the afternoon was gaged two unknown thugs to pull off the job, Whistler driving the pair over to Canadian side, skirting the streets up to the corner of Welland-avenue and Bridge-street, about two blocks west of the depot. The two thugs got out of the rig at this point, leaving Whistler in charge of it. They walked down to opposite the little express office and waited the signal from Dobson, which was to an uplifted right hand alonbside of the cheek. This This given, the two men walked into the of-fice, entering the door next the station. Dobson handed the package over to one of the men, who covered it with black cloth and quietly walked out up Bridge-street to the waiting room. The other man said, "Turn around, Dobson, and let me hit you on the back of the head." Dobson turned around and received the blow that felled him to the floor unconscious. This man out and leisurely crossed the lower steel arch bridge.

Th man with the money package entered the rig with Whistler and drove up to Bender-avenue, where he got out. The two men hired by Flynn received \$2800 each for the job. All the money that Whistler has received has been \$200, and Dobson \$175, given them, it is said, in dribs of \$25 or \$50

As soon as the detectives knew Whistler's and Dobson's guilt, the American police cast out their dragnets and soon had Whistler and Flynn under arrest. Late Friday night, Whist-ler voluntarily returned to the Cana-dian side, while Flynn was arraigned before Police Justice Piper at Niagara Falls, N. Y., charged with conspiracy to commit theft of \$14,169 from the Capadian Express Co. He pleaded not before Police Justice Piper at Niagara Falls, N. Y., charged with conspiracy to commit theft of \$14,169 from the Canadian Express Co. He pleaded not guilty. Waiving a hearing he was remanded to Lockport for hearing Monday. Dobson and Whistler were arraigned before Magistrate Fraser last evening and remanded to Welland Jail evening and remanded to Welland Jail the same month of last year. The reuntil next Friday, Jan. 7, when they will have a hearing.

The Men in the Toils.

Dobson, who is 23 years old, came to Niagara Falls, Ont., from Hamilton, a little over a year ago. He had been connected with the express company in Hamilton, and because of his good work had been promoted to the position of cashier across the river. He was Scotch-born and has been in Canda only four years. His father lives in Hamilton. He had made the acquaint ance of Whistler when that youth was a United States Express Co. messen-

Whistler is said to have often frequented Flynn's place, playing pool there. Several times he had brought Dobson there. Flynn is much older than the others, a man of 41 years; Whistler is 25 years old. Flynn came here several years ago from New York, where he was a bartender. He has had his present saloon for two years.

Dr. John McGarry who was a bartender of the fire of the great interest was manifested all day yesterday concerning the fire of Dr. John McGarry, who was called to attend Dobson at the time of the robbery, said that the young man had been hard hit; and there is no question that he had been.

Harper, Customs Broker, McKinnon Building, Toronto.

A. J. BROWN WILL BE

N. TORONTO'S MAYOR

-Great Interest is Shown-

Big Time in York.

NORTH TORONTO, Jan. 2.-(Spe

cial.)—One of the keenest fights in the history of North Toronto was that of Saturday, when, by a majority of 137 over ex-Mayor John Fisher, the chief

magistracy of the town was again vested in A. J. Brown, who last year

occupied that enviable position. But while characterized by the greatest

interest and enthusiasm a gratifying

feature was the freedom from person-

alities, and all objectionable elements.

It was a battle royal to the finish.

The defeat of John Fisher may be

ascribed to two or three causes, prom-

sentiment thruout the town in favor

will consent to any reasonal ie condi-

Jas. Pears ... 103 132 130 143 Ches. Murrhy ... 75 104 127 157 D. D. Reed ... 123 147 9.1 84 Walter Muston ... 112 114 34 128 W. J. Lawrence ... 112 114 34 128

W. J. Lawrence . 96 112 85 95 Frank Howe 105 112 71 90

-Davisville Ward-

Customs Duties Show Slight Decrease

WEST TORONTO. Jan. 2.-George

McClure, a well-known resident of

his residence, 223 Annette-street. He was 40 years old and leaves a widow.

Deceased, who was a member of the

choir of Victoria Presbyterian Church,

No. 221, A., F. and A. M., of Thoroid.

ceipts amounted to \$24,418.23, which is

\$843.59 less than those of December

netary of the Sunday School Associa-

tion, preached at 11 a.m. to-day in Vic

The election of R. G. Agnew to the

board of education has aroused the

was well-known in Masonic circles,

-R. G. Agnew's Election.

elected by acclamation.

inent among which was the

North Toronto go thru the building. Tea and light refreshments were served. E. V. Williamson who has been spending the holiday week with his

West Toronto

brother returned to-day to his home at Hespeler, Ont.

The ladies of the Women's Auxiliary held their last meeting at the Y.M.C.A. on Friday night, when a most enjoyable evening was spent and a very nice Carries the Town by 137 Majority supper was served. About 35 were

present.
The defeat of ex-Ald. Andrew Mc-Millan and J. W. Jackson, candidates for alderman in Ward 1 is generally regretted thruout the town. Ald. Mc-Millan was a conscientious representative and J. W. Jackson has a big fol-

lowing in the east end. Editor World: I desire thru the coiumns of your valuable journal to thank the electors of Ward 1 who gave me such an appreciative vote, and that notwithstanding the fact that I was & comparative stranger to many in this large district. The unsuccessful, I desire again to tender thanks for the consideration shown.

James W. Jackson.

Berkeley-avenue. GEORGE SYME A WINNER.

of a second term for A. J. Brown, who now completes his first year in the playor's chair. Again the fact that ex. Mayor Fisher had favored the submission of the sewerage plans and personally endorsed the movement was used against him by the opponents of the measure. Added to all this was the lack of organized effort to carry the nominee to victory. That Mr. Valencher and the first of the history of York Township within the last decade came to an end on Saturday night with the election of George Syme, Jr., over Ex-Deputy Reeve Jerry the lack of organized effort to carry the nominee to victory. That Mr. Fisher, in view of all these adverse influences, rolled up such a large vote is an indication of the strong place which the venerable ex-mayor holds in the hearts of his fellow townsmen. in the hearts of his fellow townsmen.

For the council Messrs. Pears,
Murphy, Reed. Muston, Lawrence and
Western portion of the township. In the Howe will this year guide the civic ship. Messrs. Pears, Murphy and Howe were members of iest year's council, and the latter won this year not having recorded a single vote. in the face of the strongest opposi-tion. Messrs. Muston, Reed and Law-from start to finish. Altogether the fight was a lively one

rence will make a valuable acquisition and altogether the council of 1910 Jr., was 1007, and for Mr. Nelson 475, cught to render excellent service. Instead of receiving the returns at Instead of receiving the returns at Selinton town hall as in former purchase of some 14 acres to the east the Eglinton town hall as in former of the town for park and water pur- years, the deputies brought the ballot poses aroused some criticism in the boxes to the office of the township early stages, but the citizens ratified clerk at the corner of King and Jarvisstreets, where W. A. Clarke, Reeve the purchase by a substantial ma-Henry and the other members of the township council were. This arrange-ment was regarded as very satisfac-The Sunday car plebiscite carried by a larger majority than was expected. and emphasizes the desire of the townstory and may or may not be adopted in future. The fact that the North Tor-onto elections were on rendered the people for modern conveniences. That any substantial advance will be made even with the endorsation of the citizens along the line of the installation use of the town hall were impossible. Third Deputy-Reeve Elect George of Sunday cars is doubtful. The past Syme, Jr., is a son of Ex-Reeve Geo. history of the Metropolitan Railway Syme, who for so many years repredoes not lead to the belief that they sented so creditably York Township in the council. He is a young man of en-terprise and has for three or four years

occupied the position of president of the Toronto branch of the Ontario At the town hall in the evening the successful gardener and business man, he will make an excellent representa-tive on the council board of York Township.

Joseph Collett... 105 122 57 44 328

Frank Grice... 44 64 78 134 320

F. B. McQueen... 55 107 42 45 289

T. W. Banton... 86 80 37 66 269

R. J. Fenwick... 66 78 67 43 254

—School Trustees— New Opportunities for Study in Royal

College in London. LONDON, Jan. 2.-The Royal College of Surgeons has made some alter-In Eglinton East, James Logie, and ations in its regulations for the admisin Eglinton West, B. L. Palmer were sion of women students to the college museum in order that they may have

relected by acclamation.

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museum in order that they may have the same opportunities for the purpose of study as men.

Women holding other medical or surgical qualifications than students are now admitted to the museum every day, while students may enter after application to the secretary, accompanied by a recommendation from the can.

A number of women students, encouraged by the recent action of the Royal College of Surgeons, have entered for the examinations for diplomas in public health granted by the Royal College.

KING TO GO TO BIARRITZ

Will Make His Usual Visit After Parliament Opens.

ward seven, died early this morning at LONDON, Jan. 2.-What King Edward and Queen Alexandra would do in the early part of the New Year, and how the general section and pros-pects of a change of government might affect their holiday plans were matters ing a past master of Mountain Lodge, of some concern to his majesty's sub He was also deputy master of Mc-

cts. The Queen will remain at Sandringham for some weeks and will, indeed be seen very little in London unt aftr her return from ner spring cruise

PLEDGED TO THE FLAG

Five Thousand S. S. Children Make Rev. Mr. Robertson, provincial sec-Loyal Promise at Montreal.

tion, preached at 11 a.m. to-day in Victoria Presbyterian Church. The preacher at the evening service was Rev. Mr. Currie of New York City.

D. D. McDonald, principal of Niagara-street School, and Mrs. McDonald, have returned from their honeymoon trip and will reside at 415 Annette-street.

The election of R. G. Agnew to the

FAMILIES CHASED BY FIRE

the general feeling is of disappointment at the failure of the by-law to go thru.

To-morrow will see the closing of the valued at \$2,000,000 as a Christmas gift. To-morrow will see the closing of the East Toronto Railroad Men's Y.M.C.A.
All day yesterday the Y.M.C.A. was open to visitors and many availed themselves of the last open tunity to to each child.