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TORONTO.

MURDEROUS ATTACK BY JAPS Three Firemen Terribly Mangled by Knives in Hands of Orientals.

VANCOUVER, B.C., Jan. 2.-(Special). - Three firemen, Frost, Anderson and McDonald, were set upon by a mob of armed Japanese to-day and left for dead at the corner of Powellstreet and Gore-avenue, two blocks from the police station. The men were clothed in uniforms with brass buttons and the attack of the Japanese is all the more serious for that rea-

By accident, Frost, a fireman, fell thru the window of a Japanese store. In an instant the Japanese proprietor rushed out. Many of his countrymen came to join in the fight, for it was in the centre of the Japanese district. The firemen were overpowered after a fight, when the flesh of their faces had been .torn into ribbons by the razor-like knives which the Orientals

Frost was mortally hurt, for his neck was cut, slashed and laid open for four inches and two inches deep alongside of the jugular vein. The men were frightfully mangled about the arms and breasts, but McDonald and Anderson, the other two firemen, were still fighting over the body of Four Japanese were arrested and the firemen were taken to the hostal. The Japanese fought like de-



NED HANLAN. The Famous Oarsman Who is Reported to be Dying by Pneumonia.

LOFTUS WINS.

Defeats Terence Cunerty for Separate School Trustee in 4th Ward. J. T. Loftus, barrister, defeated Terence Cunerty for separate school trustee by a maority of 20. The voting was

lively all day. All the other wards went by acclamation. Try Watson's Cough Drops.

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When down town try a cup of our delicious hot coffee

or cocoa Special light mid-day slunch for business people, 12 till 2 every day.

TRY IT TO-DAY

THE WEATHER

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, Jan. 1.—(8 p.m.)—Fine weather has prevailed to-day thruout the greater portion of Canada. Showers have occurred in British Columbia and Nova Scotia, and light local snowfalls and flurries in New Ontario. Lower temperatures have been experienced in all districts except British Columbia and Southern Alberta, where they have been somewhat higher.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 32 below—6 below; Atlin. zero—4; Victoria, 36—44; Vancouver, 22—24; Edmonton, 22 below—2 below; Battleford, 26 below—8 below; Calgary, 10—34; Regina, 20 below—4; Winnipeg, 12 below—8; Port Arthur, zero—16; Parry Sound, 22—36; Toronto, 26—34; Ottawa, 10—24; Montreal, 16—26; Quebec, 6—16; St. John, 18—30; Halifax, 24—36.

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and encumbered with so many handshakings and congratulations from the moment that Mr. Oliver's election was beyond doubt, that a trust could easily have been formed on the spot in these pleasant features of the proceedings. Dr. Hawke and Mr. Reed were especially anxious at The Star office — where Mr. Oliver awaited the result—that their candidate should obtain a vote exceeding the combined Geary and Nesbitt poll, and when their wishes became gratified their exuberance hardly knew bounds.

Friends kept passing thru the

24-36.

Probabilities.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—
Moderate winds, mostly westerly; fine
and a little colder.

Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence—Westerly winds; fine and cold.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Moderate
westerly winds; fair and cold.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh westerly
to northwesterly winds; fair and colder; local snow flurries.

Lake Superior—Fair and about the same temperature.

Extra and specific passing thru the crowd—to congratulate Toronto's new mayor, and at this juncture appeared ex-Mayor Urquhart, who was not only hearty but enthusiastic in his congratulations. One of his supporters called for three cheers for his worship, the mayor, and these being given, Mr. Oliver advanced on the platform in front of the window and spoke briefly, as follows:

"Ladies and gentlemen, fellow-cititemperature.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan—Fair and Alberta—Mostly fair and a little milder; some local snow flurries.

THE BAROMETER.

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STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS. in each of which strong price attractions will be offered throughout the month of January.

REMEMBER: Those who come first get the best pick.

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Statendam....New York...
L. Champiain...St. John ...
Cymric...Boston
Kroonland...New York ...
Majestic...Southampton ...Naples ..... New York ...... Antwerp

Anglican Women's Auxiliary, St. Philip's Church, 10 a.m. Beard of education, city hall, 8.

TO DAY IN TORONTO.

MARRIAGES. CROSBY STEINBERGER-On Jan. 1st, 1908, by the Rev. C. O. Johnston, Ira Howard Crosby to Mrs. Mina Steinberger, both of Toronto. DEATHS.

BUTTON-At the family residence, St. Clair Farm, Locust Hill, Markham. Township, on Wednesday, Jan. 1, 1908, Lieut.-Col. W. M. Button, in his 92nd year.

Funeral service at his late home on Saturday, the 4th inst., at 2.30 p.m. Interment at Locust Hill Cemetery.

Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

BOYNTON—On Jan. 1st, 1908, at his late residence, 2 Gli sgow-street, Edward aboynton, in his 83rd year. (Resident of Toronto for 32 years).
Funeral on Friday at 2 p.m., from above address to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

BURGESS—Alice G., aged 33 years, at No. 1 Logan-avenue, Todmorden, Jan. 1st, 1908, wife of Wm. Burgess.
Funeral notice later. COLEMAN—On Tuesday, Dec. 31st, 1907.
Sarah Coleman, in her 61st year, native
of London, England, and sister of Mrs.
James S. Goddard, 118 Rose-avenue.
Funeral from her late residence, 108
Main-street, East Toronto, on Friday,
at 2 o'clock. Interment at the Necropolis. Funeral private.

ELFORD—On Dec. 31, Arnold W. Elford, aged 11 years, son of James Elford, George-street, Mimico.

Funeral on Thursday, Jan. 2nd, at 2 p.m., to Humbervale Cemetery. FLETCHER-On Jan. 1, 1908, at her residence, il Gloucester-street, Toronto, Re-becca Ida. widow of the late James Fletcher and daughter of the late James Good.

Funeral private, on Friday afternoon Funeral private, on Friday afternoon.

GREENWOOD—On Dec. 31st, 1907, Charlie
Greenwood, in his 44th year.
Fur eral from his late residence, 1196
Queen-street East, on Friday, at 3 p.m.
to Norway Cemetery. Friends please
accept this intimation.

HOWE—At his residence, 240 Seatonstreet, William Howe, late of His Majesty's customs, in his 82nd year.
Funeral notice in evening papers.

MURRAY—On Tuesday evening, Dec. 31

MURRAY—On Tuesday evening, Dec. 31, 1907, at the residence of her brother, E. A. Rogers, 210 Closs-avenue, Clara J., widow of the late Alexander Murray of London, Ont.

Funeral service at the above address on Thursday at 3 nm., there to North

on Thursday at 3 p.m., thence to North Parkdale C.P.R. Station.

Interment at London, Friday, Jan. 3, 1908.

Council as alderman for the Second Ward in 1906, retiring at the end of the year.

Hocken's Vindication.

Funeral service will be held at St.

James' Cemetery chapel on Friday afternoon, Jan, 3rd, 1908, at 3 o'clock. NEWTON—At his late residence, 193 Palmerston-avenue, on Tuesday, Dec. 31st, 1907, John Newton, beloved husband of Margaret Newton, in the 8ist year of

his age. Funeral on Thursday, Jan. 2nd, at 2.30 p.m., to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Fu-VERRAL—At Weston, on Tuesday, Dec. 31st, Mildred Elizabeth, daughter of George W. and Kate Elizabeth Verral. Funeral on Thursday, Jan. 2nd, at 2.30 p.m., to St. John's Church, thence to St. Phillip's Cemetery, Weston.

Edward Fenton 328 East King-street, is the most reliable man in the city as a gentleman's valet. What's the use of getting a new suit? Get that one pressed. Phone 102?.

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Try Watson's Cough Drops. Noon and Evening Dinner.

Williams' Cafe, Yonge and Queenstreets, have built up a good reputa-tion for pure, good and tasty cooking. The special 25 cents dinner is patronized by a thousand patrons daily. You

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A CLEAN SHEET.

Nineteen hundred and eight came in with a clean sheet, save for Charles White, an English emigrant, who came into the eastern section of the city from Norway, where he had drunk not wisely but too much. He was lodged in No. 4 station. Otherwise the city pinch-houses were empty and the station slates devoid of entries. This was the case despite the fact. that the city streets were crowd-ed all day long with a throng of pleasure-seekers and election

## NUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

"Ladies and gentlemen, fellow-citizens of Toronto, and especially the ladies—I want to thank you, one and all, for giving me the largest majority ever received by a mayor of To-ronto. I will do everything in my power to merit that majority, and I happy and prosperous New Year.' A few minutes before he addressed the throng from The Star office win-

im, "I want to thank you all, gentlemen, for your assistance. Got 2000 Women's Votes. In private conversation Mr. Oliver said he was confident that 2000 votes had been polled for him by the wo-

dow, Mr. Oliver said to those about

men electors. Mr. Oliver then proceeded to The Globe office with the intention of addressing the people assembled there, but the number being rather few when he arrived, and The Globe windows being rather difficult for this sort of post-election oratory, he content himself with saying to those gatherea in the reportorial rooms:

"I want to thank all my friends for the magnificent victory that we have gained to-day. I do not know that I have anything else to say, except to wish you all a happy New Year. You know what it is to fight for two or three months for an office. I am tired out, but I wish to thank all my friends for what they have done for me."

Three cheers were then given, and the curtain was rung down on the

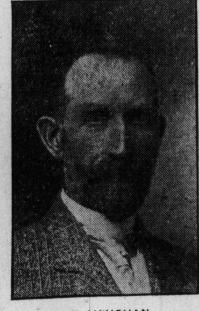


ALD. T. L. CHURCH Clever Young Lawyer, Who Headed the Poll in the Second Ward.

cluding Mrs. Joseph Oliver, Jr., and Mrs. Kent and Mrs. Doran, nieces, whom he warmly kissed, were awaiting him in The Globe's editorial cor-

Joseph Oliver, the new mayor for 1908, has been in business in Toronto for many years as a lumberman. He first entered the city council in 1895 as alderman for the Second Ward, but retired until 1901, when he was re-elected, serving for the two following years. In 1903 he served as controller, but in 1904 he was defeated, returning to council as alderman for the Seco

The tremendous sweep of Controller NEWTON—At the Toronto General Hospital, on New Year's Day, Amy, beloved daughter of James and M. L. Newton of 155½ Bleecker-street, Towarmly approve his fighting methods ment. No more powerful evidence of



ALD. VAUGHAN. Who Leads the Poll in the Fourth Ward.

17.000 electors pinned their faith to his methods. The vote is heavier by about 5000 than any controllership candidate

has received heretofore. The large personal following of F. S. Spence was counted upon to insure his return to the board, and not in vain, as the sequel proved. Mr. Spence received many scores of "plumpers," but for the most part electors linked Mr. Spence and Controller Harrison to-gether, both being Liberals and temgether, both being Liberals and temperance advocates. The "church vote," so-called, was arrayed pretty solidly behind the twain.

Controller Ward drops back from

head of the poll to fourth place. His friends attribute the fact to the desire of voters to make Controller Harrison Defeat of Controller Hubbard. The passing of Controller Hubbard

# Mayor-Elect Jos. Oliver

was not wholly a surprise. During the the victor in last summer's bye-elecpast week predictions had been freely made by those in fairly close touch with the controllership situation that he would be forced out into the cold. elected in old St. Matthew's ward, he was hurt even more by his opposi-tion to an investigation into the parks year. department. The controller was one of the strongest defenders of the park commissioner, and declined to sit on the committee appointed to look into the charges. Another adverse influence was the feeling that Mr. Hubbard was not sufficiently aggressive in taking the city's part against the street railway, the circumstances that his son is connected with the company giving

rise to the belief that the controller was not entirely unbiased. The controller's record for continuou service in the city council is equaled only by that of Ald. J. J. Graham. Elected first as alderman in the Fourth Ward in 1894, he continued to represent that ward until 1903, serving as con-troller in 1898 and again in 1901, the office being then in the gift of the aldermen. When it became elective in 1904 he was returned and has since occupied a seat on the board. His defeat after fourteen years' service is in some re-spects regrettable. He has always been regarded as a "safe" man and one in-terested in keeping down the tax rate compelled respect.

Ald. Hales Goes Down. The defeat of Ald. Ed Hales in the



MARK BREDIN. Who is Elatad man in the Third Ward.

first ward was not generally expect-It was his first year in council and his record, while it might not be termed a brilliant one, was nevertheless distinguished by sound common sense in dealing with civic issues. While not given to oratorical flights, he was nevertheless a useful member and usually voted right.

Ex-Ald. William Semple ("Bill") Stewart returns to council after a year's absence. His most hopeful supporters did not look for the big' vote that for a time made him look like a rival to Ald. Chisholm for head of the poll, and enabled him to out-distance Ald. Saunderson, who was

...... Interest Thruout Province Intense

The streets in front of the newspaper offices in almost every town and city in the province were crowded last night to watch the election returns from Toronto. Not in years has an election

in the Queen City created such general interest thruout Ontario. The World got in touch by telephone with many of the rincipal centres from Owen Sound in the north, Windsor in the west and Brockville in the east, and at each place the interest was keen.
The victory for the power bylaw was received almost with enthusiasm in the cities Western Ontario, as the active campaign of the power interests left some doubt as to what

the decision of the electorate would be.

The coming into the race of F. S. and represented the first ward for Spence was recognized as a serious his seat in 1899, and continuing as . man in the ward up to last Mark Bredin's Success.

Mark Bredin, the new representa-tive in the third ward, filling the

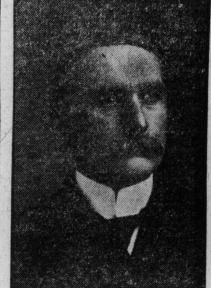


ALD. KEELER

Re-Elected in the Fifth Ward. vacancy created by Ald. Geary's mayoralty aspirations, is a substantial business man, who has large inter-ests in the ward. Mr. Bredin has been resident of Toronto for 25 years, and has for 22 years been in business as a bread manufacturer. The original name of the firm was the Tait Bredin Company, but nine years ago the partnership was dissolved and the business, under the name of Bredin Mr Bredin is quite a large employer. and, as he has shown his ability in private enterprise, he should be, by reason of his practical common sense an acquisition to the city council. Among the planks in his platform is reorganization of the civic works de-partment. He may be described as a moderate Liberal in politics. Mr. Bredin is an Anglican, and a prominent member of the Church of the Messiah. His home is in Deer Park.

A Fine Run.

J. A. McCausland is to be congratulated on his splendid run in the Sixth Ward, he almost continuing to wrest third place from Ald. Adams, the latter retaining his seat by a bare marland's first bid for aldermanic honors, and his personal popularity in the ward, where he is well-known as an alert young business man.



ALD. R. H. GRAHAM Who Leads the Poll in Fifth Ward

the city council than the "People's Tommy," and his electors have shown their confidence in his good record. "Bill' Stewart gets back into council as representative of the First Ward. the by-election following the death of Ald. Wilson, he re-enters civic life ahead of Ald. Saunderson, who defeat-In the Fourth Ward Mr. Gibbard, the

druggist, made a most creditable run for his first attempt.

The weather was of the best and materially aided in bringing out the big vote. Many cabs and autos were in commission and it was one of the liveliest days in the history of civic elections in Toronto.

TACES VOKES.

FACES VOKES.

FIRST WARD.

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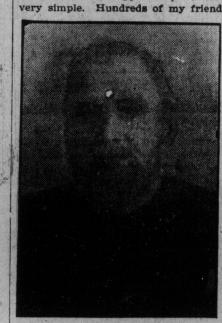
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His Vanished Support Helped to De-

very simple. Hundreds of my friends,



ALD. WHYTOCK Re-Elected in the Fifth Ward.

as I know personally, were afraid to vote for me because they feared that they would help to elect Dr. Beattie Nesbitt. I consider that the citizens 

SOCIALISTS SATISFIED.

that has been cast for me," said Socialist Jimmy Simpson. "The fear that Miss Clara Brett Martin is Returned Dr. Nesbitt might be elected militated against a larger vote for me. Hun-

"As a Socialist candidate I have great cause for satisfaction, and believe that before many years Toronto will give a very respectable vote for Socialist can-



ALD. JAMES HALES. Re-Elected in Second Ward. tirely free from personal attacks and we depended almost entirely on the distribution of literature. In my vote there is a fair representation of trades "I shall continue to adhere to the principles I have espoused, believing that they will ultimately triumph."

Dr. Noble's Comment. "Nesbitt is licked anyway," said ex-Ald. John Noble, when he heard the result of the contest at Mr. Geary's committee-room last night.

This remark illustrates the feeling of many Conservatives in the city and was the general trend of opinion expressed by many prominent Conservatives who visited Mr. Geary's committee-room during the evening.

"Nesbitt butted in like a bull in china shop," said one. "Now, with the power bylaw passed, we should Hats off to Ald. Church—re-elected for his third term in the Second Ward at the head of the poll. There is no more earnest, hardworking member of Seasonable.

feat the Doctor.

CHURCH 2676
HALES, JAS. 2323
"No, I am not discouraged by the re-night. "How do I account for the falling away of my support? Well, that's Rogers THIRD WARD. BENGOUGH 2550 BREDIN 2114 MeBRIDE 2094 FOURTH WARD.

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> May
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> Carlyle
> Stewart
> Gillies
> Jenkins
> King

Gibbard ..... 2299

FIFTH WARD.

SIXTH WARD.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Head of Poll. against a larger vote for me. Hundreds were induced at the last moment to vote for Mr. Oliver for this reason.

In the election for the board of education the electors said "ladies first," and Miss Clara Brett Martin is at the

KENT. 12,194 BROWN. 10,730 HOUSTON. Smallpeice... .. ...... Smith... ..

### EMPHATIC APPROVAL Continued From Page 1.

are being sent over a line 87 miles, long, or a mile further than the Toronto-Niagara one.

Building of Transmission Line. It will take from 15 to 18 months to build the transmission line and con-struct the transmission plant. The bylaw debentures are for issue in July, so that ample time remains to com-plete arrangements before any expense is incurred. In the meantime the com-mission will build its transformer sta-

"Expropriation under the circumstances is a mistake—a rotten plan," was the frank remark of one critic of

the situation.
"Toronto is undertaking a publico ownership scheme. If it is loaded up to start with, overcapitalized with the expense of buying out an obsolete plant at several times it value, and further handicapped with the extra cost of operating such a plant, which is far greater than the operating cost of a modern equipment, it cannot be said to be doing justice to the principle of public ownership.".
These remarks are commended to the

The Water Situation. The men who have exhibited so much anxiety over the condition of the water supply will be glad to hear that the passage of the bylaw having assured. cheap electricity for the city will enable the water to be entirely freed from disease germs at an inappreciable cost. The new process of electro-sterilization is really one of ozonizing the water, by passing an electric current thru it. As: a result all germs, microbes and bacilli, Poe was writing his "descent Into the yield to circumstances and go out of Maelstrom."

"A good timely title," quoth he. the city will have at its disposal, there will be no excuse for an epidemic of anything but health.

# How Local Option Hurts Owen Sound

Creates Discord Increases Drunkenness Harms Business Promotes Disorder

T CONSIDER Local Option detrimental to the best interests of the town from a business point of view, as it has created discord. and set up one portion of the town against the other. From a moral

or temperance standpoint, I consider it the worst blow the temperance cause ever had in the town. I believe it will take a great many years before the sympathy of the people as a whole can again be secured through temperance movements, such as we had before Local Option was carried. It has created more drinking among young men than there ever was in town under a good license system. The arguments advanced when Local Option was advocated that the working classes would have more money to spend in foodstuffs have been proven to be absolutely wrong, as it has not been the case at all."

J. R. BROWN

Secretary of the Owen Sound Board of Trade Why Would It Do Otherwise In Your Town?