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Day's Doings in West Toronto YORK COUNTY North Toronto East Toronto

YORK TOWNSHIP CONS. FORM NEW ASSOCIATION

Elect Strong Executive Covering Every Sub-Division - Markham Fair Finances.

The second annual meeting of the York Township Conservative Association, held in the council chamber on Saturday afternoon, was a great success not alone in point of numbers, but in the enthusiasm and interest generally manifested.

President C. T. Lyon was in the chair, and among those present were Messrs. George S. Henry, J. W. Jackson, W. G. Carter, H. H. Ball, A. J. Barr, George Syme Jr., J. A. Macdonald, C. B. Jennings, Mr. Porter, W. H. Pugsley, T. Jackson, James McGee and many others.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary presidents, W. F. Maclean, M.P.; Alex. McCowan, M.L.A.; Dr. Godfrey, M.L.A. and George Syme, M.P.; president, Jerry Nelson; first vice-president, W. G. Carter; secretary, John Hinds, Norway.

"I've always been in the thick of political fights in York Township," said President Nelson in accepting office, "and I suppose I always will be."

A splendid list of executive officers, covering in detail every district in the township, and embracing every voting sub-division, was appointed, and will arrange for the calling of a meeting in their respective districts at time and place to be determined later. The executive officers are:

- Nos. 1, 2 and 3 - J. W. Jackson.
- Nos. 3, 4 and 5 - J. A. Macdonald.
- Nos. 12, 13 and 14 - John Burns.
- Nos. 6, 7, 8 and 9 - B. Jennings.
- Nos. 14, 15 and 16 - George Syme Jr.
- Nos. 17 - A. Watts.
- Nos. 18 and 19 - John Buchanan.
- Nos. 20 and 21 - William Carson.
- Nos. 8 and 9 - Reeve George S. Henry.
- W. H. Pugsley, M. Hutchison, M. Porter, W. G. Carter and George Syme, W. Jackson and others spoke briefly but effectively, and everything tends to show that the York Township Conservative Association, with the splendid executive selected, will be a powerful factor in disseminating and perpetuating Conservative principles.

WEST TORONTO.

Did Not Reach Usset Price and Sale Was Declared Off.

WEST TORONTO, Jan. 24. - Seven hundred dollars was the highest bid offered on Saturday at the auction sale of the Leader and Recorder, one of the influential York County newspapers. Several efforts have been made of late to sell the plant and office in West Toronto, but buyers were few and far between. The \$700 offer was not accepted and no sale took place. The newspaper was formerly located on Adelaide-street, Toronto. The Leader and Recorder has had a chequered career, sailing, for the most part, in troubled waters, and has in the course of its comparatively short-lived career passed through a number of hands. A Conservative organ, it at one time wielded not a little influence in political matters in the historic old riding of West York.

Greta May, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McNellis, 51 Westminster-avenue, died yesterday.

There are five cases of scarlet fever and two of diphtheria in the city at present. All are quarantined.

There are fifty-two cars of stock in the Union Yards for to-morrow's market.

The property and management committees of the school board met on Saturday evening. Passing of current accounts was the chief business done. The regular meeting of the school board will be held on Tuesday evening.

W. A. McMaster occupied the chair at the gospel temperance meeting to-night in Joy's Theatre, and singing dresses were given by Leo McCauley of Toronto and Stanley Harrison of Drayton, Ont. The male quartet of Victoria Presbyterian Church choir gave a solo.

Meetings of the board of works and board of health will be held to-morrow evening. Dr. C. H. Gilmour will probably be re-elected medical health officer for 1909.

For disorderly conduct, Neil Campbell of Western-avenue was locked in the police station last night.

The annual banquet of Davenport Lodge, I.O.O.F., will be held in St. James' Hall on Tuesday evening.

Dr. R. R. Hopkins, for the past year master of Loyal Orange Lodge No. 900, has been presented by the lodge with a past-master's jewel.

Rev. Dr. Gould of Palestine will lecture on his work in the holy land in St. John's Episcopal Church to-morrow evening. The lecture will be held

under the auspices of the Young People's Association.

Rev. T. G. McConigle, rector of St. George's Church, Islington, and E. B. Cooper, his warden, will try and settle their disputes of the past year before Magistrate Ellis in the police court to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock. Mr. Cooper has brought a charge of attempted assault against the rector.

NORTH TORONTO.

Friends of Annexation Attribute Defeat to Various Causes.

NORTH TORONTO, Jan. 24. - That the electors of North Toronto desire to remain a separate municipality for the present time was demonstrated at the poll on Saturday. A slim vote of 393 was cast, which no doubt was caused by the rainy weather, as the non-resident vote and the luke-warm resident vote did not come out to mark their ballots.

The by-law was defeated by 75 votes, made up as follows over the different polling sub-divisions:

Sub-div.	For.	Against.	Majority.	Total.
Sub-div. 1.....	21	65	0	86
Sub-div. 2.....	42	82	0	124
Sub-div. 3.....	42	37	5	79
Sub-div. 4.....	54	50	4	104
Totals.....	159	234	75	393

The smallness of the poll was attributed to the fact that the voting was held on a different day to that of the municipal elections. In the two wards where the small holders predominate the vote was favorable to annexation and the annexationists claim that many of the working men were deterred from voting because of the difficulty of getting to the poll.

The anti-put up a strong fight and had a good organization, whereas the other side left the question entirely to the will of the ratpayers.

The annexationists intend keeping up the agitation despite Saturday's reverse and will likely ask for another vote at the next municipal election, when it is believed the tables will be easily turned.

The rector of St. Clement's Church, Rev. T. W. Powell, preached at Kings-ton to-day, his place being occupied by Prof. Young of Trinity University.

The town will get a hearing before the Ontario Municipal and Railway Commission re the grievances against the Metropolitan Railway, on Tuesday at 2.30 p.m.

NORTH DOVERCOURT.

Presbytery Assigns Rev. Dr. Abraham Wide District.

The district within the bounds of which the work of the Davenport-road Church (Presbyterian) must be performed extends from Hallam-street to St. Clair-avenue, and from Christie-street to Lansdowne-avenue. The presbytery of Toronto has deputed the oversight to Rev. Dr. Abraham, and all alike, whether in his ministrations and are, without distinction, committed to his spiritual care. His telephone number is North 3905.

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AUCTION SALE

CON. 3, LOT 24, SCARBOROUGH
The Effects of
WALTER BLYTHE, AGINCOURT
will be sold by public auction on
TUESDAY, JAN. 26, AT 1 P.M.
Consisting of
3 Cows, 1 Fat Calf and Household Effects.

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Our Whitewear Sales Grow as the Years Roll Round



WHEN we first advertised a Whitewear Sale for January people thought it was "rushing the season." We took the ground that when it was wise to "seize time by the forelock" the public would appreciate the savings effected.

Since that time this January event has grown like the little ball of snow that a boy starts to roll. It is big enough now to employ an army of people to keep it rolling.

Do not let January glide away without making sure of your share. Aprons are emphasized in no uncertain way for to-morrow. Take wise little Peggy's advice and "Just you be sure o' yourn."

You know how useful aprons will be before summer comes again.

- 50c Maida's Aprons, Tuesday Sale price 40c, fine white lawn, plain lawn bib, hemstitched hem on bib and neck, wide sashes, size 40 inches long by 33 wide.
- 25c Aprons, Tuesday Sale price 15c, heavy blue chambray, with fancy border, large size.
- 30c Aprons, Tuesday Sale price 19c, fine white lawn, plain deep hem, wide sashes.
- 65c Maida's Aprons, Tuesday Sale price 50c, white lawn, fine embroidery bib and bretelles, wide sashes, deep hem, pocket, zoned on hips.
- 50c Night Dresses, Tuesday Sale price 45c, fine cotton, Mother Hubbard style, hemstitched neck and hemstitched ruffles, lengths 56, 58, 60 inches.
- 10c Night Dresses, Tuesday Sale price 8c, good cotton, semi slip-over neck, with one button in front, open 5 inches down, long sleeves, neck and cuffs trimmed with embroidery, lengths 56, 58, 60 inches.
- 10c Night Dresses, Tuesday Sale price 8c, nainsook, slip-over style, 2-3 sleeves, 1-2-in. silk ribbon run through lace on neck and cuffs, lengths 56, 58, with row insertion and ruffe of beautiful, very dainty.
- 50c Petticoats, Tuesday Sale price 45c, fine cotton, small tucks, insertion and ruffe of fine, heavy skirting embroidery, lengths 38, 40, 42, 44 in.
- 50c Petticoats, Tuesday Sale price 45c, fine cotton, 4 clusters small tucks, 2 extra wide rows of heavy Cluny lace insertion, wide ruffe of heavy lace to match, lengths 38, 40, 42, 44 inches.

Sheet Music Reduced

Four Copies for 10c, Fifteen for 25c.
"Ambassador March," "Bells of Coontown," "Carroll Waltz," "Christmas '98," "Gay Tally-Ho," "Christina Waltz," "I Got to See the Minister Show," "I'm Looking for Home, Sweet Home," "My Wagon," "La Lu and Her La La La," "Ghost of Rastus," "When Other Lips," "When Love is Young," "Only a Mother," "My Old Kentucky Home," "Death at the Post," "Baby Mine," "Honeyuckle and the Bee," "Miss Phoebe Johnson," "Smoky Topaz," "Beardless Sea," "Wandering Card," "United Emblem," "Diamond Sculls," "Maiden Fair Waltz," "La La La" (2-step), "Melinda on Parade," "Island City" (2-step), "Yranhoe" (schottische), "White Sailing in My Aeroplane."

Linens, Cottons, Towelings, Cloths and Quilts

Reduced for stock-clearing reasons and on sale to-morrow. Don't wonder as to quality—Simpson prices are low, but there is nothing inferior or questionable in stock. So accept these savings wholeheartedly.

- 450 yards good, heavy, plain English Cotton, free from dressing, close weave, 46 or 48 inches wide. Regular 18c and 19c per yard. Tuesday 12c.
- 300 yards 72-inch Heavy Plain Bleached Linen, all pure linen, a splendid weight for linen coats, skirts, etc., and being a wide width cuts to an exceptionally good advantage. Regular 70c per yard, Tuesday 53c.
- 600 yards Checked Glass or Tea Toweling, firm, close weave, best Irish make, some all pure linen, good weight, 24 to 27 inches wide. Regular 15c to 18c per yard, Tuesday 11c.
- 100 only extra good quality Bleached Damask Table Cloths, every thread fine selected linen, close, even weave, beautiful designs, with border all around, 22 1/2 yards. Regular \$2.50 to \$2.68 each, Tuesday \$1.97.
- 48 only best quality Bleached English Honeycomb Quilts, good weight, splendid designs, heavy knotted fringe selected for linen coats, skirts, etc., and being a wide width cuts to an exceptionally good advantage. Regular \$1.25 each, Tuesday 83c.
- 320 yards Heavy Unbleached Builders' Duck, 8 oz., best Canadian make, 20 inches wide, perfect lot, but soiled. Regular 15c per yard, Tuesday 10c.

Groceries Tuesday

- Redpath's Standard-Granulated Sugar, 21 lbs., \$1.00.
- One car Navel Oranges, sweet and seedless, good size, per dozen, 20c.
- Lake of the Woods Five Roses Flour, 1-4 bag, in cotton, 5c.
- Fancy Japan Rice, 4 lbs., 25c.
- Finest White Sage, 3 1/2 lbs., 25c.
- Choice Picnic Hams, 6 to 8 lbs., each, per lb., 12c.
- Choice Appricots, 2 lbs., 25c.
- Imported Pickles, Rowatt's, assorted, extra special, per bottle, 10c.
- Sherriff's Marmalade, 2-lb jar, 25c.
- Cross Fish Brand Sardines, 2 tins, 25c.
- Finest Canned Tomatoes, 3 tins, 25c.
- Canned Corn or Peas, 3 tins, 25c.

Boots, Gaiters and Rubbers

STOCK-TAKING clearances of which it will prove worth while taking due advantage. Fortunate the lady who can wear size four! There seems a likelihood that these rubbers will disappear early.

- BOOTS AT LESS THAN HALF PRICE. For the Lady Who Wears Size 4. \$5.00 VALUE FOR \$1.99.
- 275 pairs of Ladies' Boots, high-grade American make, travellers' samples, all popular styles, lasts, toes and heels, patent colt, with creased vamp, and dull Blucher tops, fine vict kid with patent toe-caps, and dull face and Blucher tops, tan calf and kid, chocolate kid, velours calf, gummetal cloth tops, and the new wine red calf, size 4 only. Regular \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00, on sale Tuesday \$1.99. (Mail orders filled).
- LADIES' OUBAN REEB RUBBERS. Ladies' Ouban Reeb Rubbers, the most popular style now, light weight, very best quality made, all sizes, 2-1 1/2 to 7-1/2, packed in card boxes, Tuesday 59c. Heavier rubber, same style, Tuesday 69c. (Phone orders filled).
- MEN'S LEATHER-LINED BOOTS. 60 pairs only of Men's Leather-lined Boots, box calf, Blucher style, heavy Goodyear welted soles, all sizes, 4 to 11. Worth \$3.00. Tuesday \$2.00.
- Women's Overgaiters, the new color "London grey smoke," fine, even, washed broadcloth, best workmanship, American make, all sizes. Regular \$1.00, on sale Tuesday 50c. (Phone orders filled).
- Lamb's Wool Slipper Socks, extra fine soft white wool, leather soles, all sizes. Special price Tuesday. Men's 25c, women's 19c, misses' 17c, children's 15c.
- Youths' Shoe Packs, all tanned, waterproof, sizes 11, 12 and 13. Special Tuesday 99c.
- Men's Horsehide Moccasins, all sizes. Regular \$1.95. Tuesday \$1.35.
- Men's Shoe Packs, 10-inch leg, all tanned. Regular \$2.50. Tuesday \$1.49.
- Women's Boots, strong Dongola goatskin, winter weight soles, Cuban and military heels, all sizes. Regular \$1.99. Tuesday \$1.49.

Men's Furs Reduced

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One-yard-wide Black Chiffon Taffeta Dress Silk, all pure silk, mouseline finish, rich, lustrous black. Regular \$1.10, sale price 87c yard.
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One-yard-wide Ivory Habutai Silk, extra fine quality, bright, lustrous weave, washes well, makes dainty evening dresses, waists, etc. Regular 69c. Sale price 47c yard.

Fashionable Dress Goods

New shipments of French "Satin" Venetians, French "Satin" Cloths, French Stripe "Satin" Cloths. Fashion's favorites for Early Spring Gowns and Suits, rich, soft fabrics, with a brilliant finish, qualities that drape perfectly, and are especially adapted for the new styles in Gowns and Suits. A rich choice of shades, including the new Taupes, Canard, Amethyst, Peacock, Browns, Mole, Greys, etc., 46 to 52 inches wide, selling \$1.00 per yard.

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- Handsome Tailored Waists, in white lawn, front of wide pleats, tucked back, laundered collar and link cuffs, a \$1.25 waist for 85c.
- A beautiful quality Lawn Waist, made with new long sleeve and high collar, front of fine tucks, front and sleeves trimmed with Cluny lace. Special Tuesday \$1.35.

Buy Paper Now for Spring Cleaning

- 2400 rolls Bedroom and Sitting Room Papers, in plain and floral stripes, and all-over designs, assortment of colors. Regular to 25c, Tuesday 2c.
- 1950 rolls, clear up Imported Papers, for dining rooms and halls, good colors. Regular to 50c, Tuesday 21c.
- 1675 rolls Foreign Parlor and Hall Papers, in pretty silk or dull effects, in green, fawn, blue, grey, red or light effects. Regular to 40c, Tuesday 21c.

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