

that his car was left in his own garage on that day is under these circumstances, hard to explain.

Mr. Small was naturally of a nervous temperament, and for all most of the time he had been working long hours at the task of arranging the details of the many and varied phases of his business that had to be settled in order to bring about the theatrical amalgamation which he desired to effect. He was an exceedingly keen business man, and knew personally every detail of his affairs. Towards the end of the night, and had latterly complained of nervous exhaustion and loss of appetite. These facts are regarded by his family as pointing to the probability of his having suffered a complete nervous breakdown.

Conferences have been held between members of his family, his business associates and his friends, but no one has transpired to row a ray of light on the mystery. The last such gathering was held yesterday afternoon. Mr. Small retained a large block of stock in Trans-Canada Theatre, Ltd., and will be intimately concerned in the management, which may be taken as evidence that he would be extremely unlikely to voluntarily go away at this time.

Like most wealthy men, Mr. Small bore in some quarters the reputation of carrying money about with him, and in view of the epidemic of hold-ups such apprehension as to his safety is not surprising.

The hope is that the publicity started by this announcement will result in the discovery of Mr. Small's whereabouts. The photograph reproduced herewith is an old one. It is an excellent portrait of Mr. Small, and was taken when he was in his prime, and before he had worn his mustache shortly clipped. With the exception of that change it should greatly help in his identification.

Any information that may lead to the discovery of Mr. Small's whereabouts will gladly be received by The World.

MONTREAL TO HAVE WATER RESTORED

One Big Pump in Operation—Expect Full Pressure Today.

Montreal, Jan. 2.—Relief from the water famine which has afflicted Montreal since the outbreak of the New Year's day is now in sight. The big 20,000,000 gallon turbine pump is in full operation, and with the other pumps also working the city's normal consumption of 65,000,000 gallons is promised for tomorrow. Today there was almost as much danger and inconvenience as yesterday, no conditions gradually ameliorated through the day. Fortunately there were no fires of importance, for at one time the flames had almost to shovelling from the fire.

Holes were pierced in the ice of the St. Lawrence, the Lachine canal and lakes in the park and pumping engines placed near in readiness for emergencies.

Consure the Commission.

At a special meeting of the Montreal city council tonight to deal with the situation arising out of the strike of the city's waterworks employees, which has brought about a water famine for two days, the mayor and aldermen severely condemned the administrative commission of the city and its chairman, E. R. Decary.

Mayor Martineau and the aldermen present to declare that now was the time for the government at Quebec, which has imposed the administrative commission on the city, to take the heads of the council, to abolish it. The aldermen were not unanimous in this. However, a delegation of aldermen appeared before the council and a great effort was made to get Mr. Decary to appear also. This could not be done, but instead a letter from Mr. Decary was read in which he stated that the commission had done all in its power to satisfy the waterworks employees and had never refused to negotiate with them.

Normal Pressure Soon.

The letter concludes: "The city now has in its employment sufficient staff and the turbine pump is now running and beginning to work and unless there is an unforeseen accident, the water pressure will be normal tonight or tomorrow morning, and the return of the former employees at the present moment would not improve the situation."

Fourth Case of Smallpox Closes Two Kitchener Stores

Kitchener, Ont., Jan. 2.—(Special)—Kitchener's fourth case of smallpox was discovered today when Herman Lippert, one of Kitchener's prominent young merchants, was found to be suffering from the disease. Mr. Lippert, recently paid a business visit to Toronto and became ill as soon as he returned. Physicians here declare that Mr. Lippert was exposed to the disease while in Toronto. The two Sander and Lippert men's furnishings stores were ordered closed today by the health board.

For The Sick

Place One Level teaspoonful of GROVES' OPEN-THROAT SALVE in a hot tumbler in the sick room. The Anesthetic Vapor rises from the heated saline circulates in the air and soothes the throat, relieves the patient. It induces sleep and is a great comfort to all who suffer with Spasmodic Croup, Whooping Cough, Diphtheria or Pleurisy. The Healing Effect of the Vapor relieves the patient and is very comforting. Price 35c per box. If your Druggist does not stock it, send 25c in postage stamps to Paris Medicine Co., 103 Spadina Avenue, Toronto, and a full-size box will be mailed to you promptly.

A. Williamson of Pictou Dies of Sleeping Sickness

Bellefleur, Jan. 2.—(Special)—Mr. A. Williamson of Pictou has passed away, being a victim of sleeping sickness. Deceased, who was in his 47th year, was the elder son of Mr. R. T. Williamson. He has resided in Pictou for the last ten years, where he has conducted a livery business. He was well known to the traveling public and to the people of the country generally.

COSMOPOLITAN LODGE, A.O.F.

Gemopolitan Lodge, Ancient Order of Foresters, held their regular meeting last night at St. George's. They for the installation of officers for the ensuing year. The following officers were installed by High Chief Ranger A. Martin: W. B. Clarke, H.O.R.; S. R. Davies, S.C.R.; Henry Chalk, secretary; Robert Moffatt, treasurer; Alderman S. W. D. N. Smith, J.W.R.; Roy Hart, S.W.; W. Gray, J.B.; N. R. Taylor, P.S. Following the installation, a banquet was held, and later the lodge was entertained by Jules Brelvi.

YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

EARLSCOURT JUBILANT

Ward Six Pleaded to Have Helped Mayor Church by the Highest Vote in Any Ward.

Earlscourt is jubilant over the fact that ward six gave Mayor Church the highest vote in all of the eight wards at Thursday's municipal elections. A total of 2938 was the actual number of votes recorded for Church, a fine testimony to his work for the past five years and of his policies generally. Added to this was the fact that 4128 in favor of the million-dollar arena, 4576 for acquisition of the Toronto Street Railway, 4292 for the purpose of the transportation commission, 5124 for the bylaw to take over all the real personal property of the T. S. R., and 5383 votes in favor of the eastern Hydro radial bylaw. Ward six, and especially Earlscourt, appears to take a more lively interest in all these matters of public ownership than the other seven wards of the city. Some surprise is expressed in returning ward circles that such a poor vote was recorded for the soldier candidates. According to one well-known Earlscourt returned man, speaking to The World, "all the boys were for Jesse Wright, at least I thought so before election, but the boys must have caught cold in both feet and nursed them in hospital, thus preventing them from supporting their comrades at the very moment they most needed it."

REEVE FRED H. MILLER PROPHESES PROGRESS

The township of York voters in returning Reeve Fred H. Miller for a second term as reeve of the township are satisfied with his past year's work. Reeve Miller has made a personal inspection of the township several times during 1919, so that he could see for himself the absolute needs of the township, which he claims, is far better than accepting the reports of officials. A few months ago he visited New York, Chicago and Pittsburg for the sole purpose of interesting big manufacturers in establishing in York township and especially in the splendidly situated open spaces for manufacturing purposes in the neighborhood of the Belt line, north of Eglington and Fairbank. Speaking to The World, Mr. Miller said: "Here is territory better suited for building factories than any other part of Toronto and if we can only bring American capital to here we shall soon have a thriving industrial population that will make a fine addition to the working classes. I do not despair of getting the American firms to locate here and also some Canadian concerns. Since this district has been opened up new stores have been built, a new bank is in course of construction and many new homes have been erected and families living here."

POULTRY FANCIERS EXHIBIT

Despite the intense cold prevailing on St. Clair avenue and farther north last night, a crowd assembled in the basement of the Harris store on West St. Clair avenue, at the regular monthly meeting of the Earlscourt Poultry and Pet Stock Association. A large show of birds was exhibited, and after the judging, members were served with hot coffee and sandwiches. R. R. Harris is president and W. G. Sanderson, secretary-treasurer.

HODGSON WILL TRY AGAIN

Earl Hodgson, aldermanic candidate for ward six, who polled over 1100 votes at Thursday's elections, is by no means discouraged at his defeat, but says he will make the running again next year. To The World, Mr. Hodgson said: "I realized that I was up against a strong trio in Birdsal, Macgregor and Sykes, but I was satisfied with the vote for the year. I will make my candidature at all the meetings I attended."

REFORM ASSOCIATION PLEASED

Nine of the candidates for the board of education favored by the Educational Reform Association were present upon their slate were elected on Jan. 1, according to the statement of a prominent member of the executive committee. The organization is pleased with its efforts and a note of optimism has been struck and a good measure of the publicity given to the cause among the parents of children regarding matters educational and which is to be accounted for in a large measure, that the publicity given to the board of education and its personnel by the new organization, which will keep watch the work of the new board during the year 1920.

SECTION 15 RE-ELECTS PITTS.

The annual school meeting for school section No. 15, Scarborough, was held last evening in the school. W. Graham was in the chair. A very satisfactory report was presented by the trustees. T. Allen was elected alderman and auditor for 1920. A. E. Pitts, the retiring trustee, was re-elected for another three-year term. The trustees decided to give free text books and decided to organize a home and school club. An average attendance for last term of 90 per cent was considered to be a record for the county. The four new rooms nearing completion will relieve the overcrowding that has prevailed for some time.

FAMILY NEARLY ASPHYXIATED

The Foden family, 629 Merton street, who were partly asphyxiated last night by a gas leak, are now almost recovered. The family, consisting of Mrs. Foden, her four-year-old child and the mother of Mr. Foden, were for the night, leaving the dampers of the stove closed after banking up the fire. Mrs. Foden and her child awoke in the night choking and child from the gas fumes. Dr. Pringle was hastily summoned and rendered medical attention.

WEST-HILL DANCE

One of the most successful dances of the season was held on New Year's Eve at West Hill Hotel under the auspices of the West Hill Social Club, about 200 numbers and fifty being present and enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent until about 4 o'clock in the morning. All the old-time country dances, well as the most modern ones, were indulged in. The committee in charge were J. Lennox, J. Skilton, E. Keefer, J. Galloway, T. Ormerod, E. Hewlett.

N. Broadview Presbyterian S. S. Hold Annual Entertainment

North Broadview Presbyterian Sunday School held their annual entertainment in the Sunday school room recently, when over 300 children, with their parents, enjoyed the excellent treat and the varied musical program. Many clever sketches and tableaux were staged and the proceedings were under the supervision of W. R. Moffatt and G. F. Smith, associate superintendents. Rev. W. M. Kannawin, pastor, presided.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS MARRIED

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson, 47 East Avenue, was held at their home on New Year's night. A large gathering of the relatives and friends of the happy couple were present. The table was decorated with red and white roses, ferns and asparagus. In the centre a huge wedding cake. Among the guests were the four children of Mr. and Mrs. Watson, the mother and four sisters of Mr. Watson, and two brothers of Mr. Watson, also Rev. A. A. Kelley and Mrs. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Watson were the recipients of many presents.

G.W.V.A. MASQUERADE

A well-attended masquerade ball was held last night in Fayer's hall, Danforth avenue, under the auspices of the Riverdale branch of the G.W.V.A. in aid of a Christmas tree for the widows, orphans and dependents of soldiers. The costumes of the 300 dancers were varied and unique, representing Canada, Great Britain and other countries, and including Indians, gypsies, sprites and comical characters. The judges were Messrs. Jennings, Kinross and Hanson of the Allon's Danforth theatre, and twelve prizes were awarded.

EXPECT BIG ATTENDANCE

The Riverdale branch, G.W.V.A. anticipate an attendance of 1500 children with the wives and dependents of soldiers at their annual Christmas tree and entertainment to be held in St. Babara's parish hall, Danforth avenue, last night.

SONS OF SCOTLAND

Installation of officers took place at a well-attended meeting of the Sons of Scotland, held at the G.W.V.A. hall, Danforth avenue, last night. The new officers were: President, J. R. Ferguson; Vice-President, J. P. Noonan; J. N. Scott, H. E. Yeoman, J. H. St. John, J. J. Jones, A. E. Gibson (acclamation), Commissioner—George Ernst (acclamation).

G.W.V.A. MASQUERADE BALL

A masquerade ball will be held at Belmont assembly hall, 1219A West St. Clair avenue, under the auspices of the ladies' auxiliary of the G.W.V.A. Earlscourt branch, on Jan. 5. Dancing will take place from 8 to 12 midnight. Prizes will be awarded for the most original costume. The meeting will be held in Belmont Hall, 239 St. George Street, on Jan. 5.

HAMILTON

Hamilton, Jan. 2.—City hall officials expressed approval today of the idea of changing the date of civic elections to some other day, New Year's being seemingly causing a light vote to be polled.

A new salary schedule for women school teachers, fixing the minimum at \$539 a year, was recommended today by the management committee of the board of education.

Mayor Booker states he expected all along he would be returned to the office of mayor, but his win was no surprise. The Liberals have a majority in the new council.

Charles Bird was elected reeve of Barton township by 127. A Daker and E. King had a vote for the council. The seat was awarded in favor of King.

A strike of about 75 pressmen occurred today, tying up all the union job printing plants in the city.

Seven of the eight members of the separate school board were elected by acclamation.

Interviewed today, Harry J. Halford, defeated candidate for mayor, declared he would come back again next year.

PROTEST BY T. MOORE

Says Canadian Employers Should Not Await U. S. Action.

Brookville, Jan. 2.—Addressing a mass meeting of Brookville citizens in the opera house tonight, Tom Moore, president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, endorsed a protest against the plea of the Canadian employers that it will be impossible to put an eight-hour day into effect in Canada until the United States have done their share.

"On behalf of Canadian labor," said Mr. Moore, "I would like to say publicly that when civilization was threatened there was no question of waiting for the United States. I protest against this delay. We should be just as willing to enter the fight for social betterment and shorter working hours as we were willing to enter the fight for democracy."

Shorter hours, he said, were desired to enable the workers to take proper part in social and political life and to realize the fundamental necessities for education, the maintenance of modern machinery, the conditions will come to farm workers.

PETERBORO MAYOR HAS ONE MAJORITY

C. E. Harper Whitty Mayor by Acclamation—Error in Kitchener Count.

Peterboro, Jan. 2.—Official returns made today at noon gave W. H. Taylor the majority by the narrow margin of one vote. His opponent, A. A. McIntyre, who ran on the Labor ticket, may ask for a recount. It is one of the closest election results recorded here in thirty years.

Kitchener, Ont., Jan. 2.—(Special)—Owing to an error in compiling election returns here last night, it was discovered that C. E. Harper was elected to the council instead of W. D. Ier. Last night's announcement placed Ald. H. M. Bowman fourteenth on the list and Mr. Ier last. The corrected returns showed Bowman to be in last place on the list of those elected.

Three voters separated Ald. Bowman and Ald. Ier. Ald. Bowman was the third voter who escaped from the clutches of the mob on December 1. There was talk here today of a recount in the case of Bowman and Ier.

Whitty, Ont., Jan. 2.—(Special)—C. E. Harper is elected mayor by acclamation. Mayor W. H. Taylor is withdrawing from the contest. This makes a second term by acclamation for Mr. Harper. There are 11 candidates for council. Mr. S. J. Powell, rector, of the Holy Trinity church, was mayor last year. W. F. Disney and R. J. Goldring. Eleven are contesting for the six seats as councillors.

Mont Forest, Jan. 2.—(Special)—At the nomination meeting for separate school board, all trustees—Rev. Father Poole, L. L. Lang, E. J. Sullivan, A. J. H. St. John, Dr. Charles Taylor, and J. J. Jones—were elected to office for the next two years by acclamation.

Mount Forest, Jan. 2.—Mount Forest residents, Mayor W. H. Taylor, H. Huxton (acclamation), Reeve—John Campbell (acclamation), Councillors—J. P. Noonan, J. N. Scott, H. E. Yeoman, J. H. St. John, J. J. Jones, A. E. Gibson (acclamation), Commissioner—George Ernst (acclamation).

ARGONAUTS HOLD PITTSBURG TO TIE

Only Second Time in History U. S. Team Failed to Win—Game Was Rough.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 2.—(Special)—For the second time in their history, the famous hockey team of the city failed to return the visitors in a game when they opposed the Argonauts of the city.

The Argonauts led the score after the first period, 1 to 0. The U.S. team led two extras of fifteen minutes in the second period, 2 to 1. In the third period, the Argonauts led 3 to 1. The game was the most uniformly played in the history of the city.

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Early in the game, the visitors protested frequently against the off-side rulings of the referee, and twice gave vent to their disgust by swinging their sticks at the referee. However, they realized later that they were receiving as good as they were giving.

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DINEEN'S JANUARY SALE

Of Men's Winter Overcoats Starts in Earnest TODAY



This sale will be the selling event in Men's Heavy Cloth Overcoats or Fur or Fur-Lined Coats, at prices lower than they have been since the war.

NOTE THE PRICES

Men's Heavy Tweed Ulsters, with belt, in grey checks and heather mixtures. Splendidly tailored. Regular prices \$27.50 and \$28.50. Sale price, \$18.75.

All-Wool Usterettes, made from heavy brown check tweeds and camel-hair and dark grey Melton. Regular price \$45.00. Sale price, \$28.75.

\$50.00 Extra Quality High-Class Overcoats reduced to \$38.75.

\$135.00 Fur-Lined Overcoats. Sale price, \$90.00.

\$175.00 Coon Skin Coats. Sale price, \$147.50.

\$50.00 China Bear Fur Coats (sheared goat). Sale price, \$41.75.

\$47.50 Black Siberian Dog Coats. Sale price, \$41.50.

\$35.00 Rocky Bear Motor Robes. Sale price, \$25.00.

Reduced prices in Men's Fur Caps, Fur Collars, Fur Gauntlets, and correspondingly low prices on all Ladies' Furs.

We want every man and woman to attend this sale, and tell your friends the whole stock amounting to thousands of dollars to be cleared out by the end of the month.

The W. & D. DINEEN CO., LTD.,
140 Yonge Street, Cor. Temperance, Toronto

WHOLESALE MERCHANTS AGAINST RADICALS

(Continued From Page 1).

round-up of radicals ever known in this country began at 9 o'clock tonight, when an army of agents of the department of justice, armed with 4,000 warrants, simultaneously raided every known "red" headquarters in the great city of New York.

The raid was the personal supervision of Chief F. L. Nichols, who has the department of justice secret service, an \$80,000 warrant issued for the arrest of radicals in the metropolis.

Between 700 and 800 were arrested in Greater New York. From 9 p.m. until long after midnight an army of federal agents, reinforced by hundreds of city policemen and soldiers, raided the various places of men who have refused the hospitality of their adopted country by plotting to destroy its government and institutions with violence.

At the very hour that the raids were ordered the men against whom they were directed were gathering in scores of meeting places throughout the greater city.

No less than 17 such places were raided, each yielding a list of from 20 to 50 followers of revolution and anarchy.

The great majority of those arrested were Russians or persons of Russian birth and descent all were workingmen or clerks, and many were known to the English language or the institutions of the country. They plotted against the government and the institutions of the country.

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NO CANNED WHISKEY FOR MINTO MINERS

Prominent Officials Arrested—Charge Them With Liquor Combine.

Fredericton, N.B., Jan. 2.—An important step towards breaking up liquor-selling combine that has been illicitly peddling in the Grand Lake coal mining district is announced by Assistant Chief Inspector Fraser Saunders today.

This week D. J. Foubey of Norton, King's county, was arrested for handling two trunks filled with liquor from Norton to Minto, and has been released on bail of \$200 for his appearance before Magistrate Charles Baird at Chipman on Monday, Jan. 5.

Inspector Saunders has also issued papers on Provincial Constable Michael Breen of Minto, who is charged with being implicated in the sale of liquor during the Christmas season at Minto, while papers have been issued for Arthur Galbraith of St. John, who is alleged to be the third member of the combine. It is said that Galbraith supplied the coal, Foubey hauled it into the mining district, and Breen sold it.

North Sydney, N.S., Jan. 2.—The Canadian government steamer Montcalm sailed at 6 o'clock this morning on another attempt to reach Belle Isle with supplies for the light keeper. The government attempts to land supplies for the government station on this desolate coast ended in the stranding of the steamer Aramora and the driving back of the Montcalm by drift ice.

MAKE NEW ATTEMPT TO REACH BELLE ISLE

Prediction of End of World Scared Turkey Into Fit

Constantinople, Jan. 2.—There was widespread terror through Turkey Dec. 17 because of reports reaching this country that the end of the world was predicted for that day. Children were sent to school, large numbers of people were afraid to leave their homes, and many Armenian and Turkish women went insane.

Forty Armature Winders On Strike in Peterboro

Peterboro, Jan. 2.—(Special)—The C. G. E. Company was confronted with a serious strike today, when the armature winders, 40 in number, walked out. Should the men remain on strike, the whole plant, employing 180 men, will be affected. The men are demanding 20 per cent increase, and time and one-half for overtime and double time on Sundays.

Galt Reports Best Year For Building Activity

Galt, Jan. 2.—(Special)—The year 1919 proved a most successful one for building activities. The annual report on building shows that 126 permits were issued in 1919 for the value of \$32,210, including 44 houses, valued at \$30,000, and eight factory additions, valued at \$2,210. The previous record was set in 1912 when there were 666 permits for a total of \$1,148,106. Since 1912 closed two permits for factory buildings have been issued by the Wm. Patterson and Sons Company, brick exporters, forty thousand; Brantford Cordage Company, warehouse, to cost \$250,000, replacing the one blown down in the recent wind storm.

LOSE TWENTY CASES

Kingston, Ont., Jan. 2.—(Special)—Twenty cases of a consignment of liquor being shipped to the government ventur here mysteriously disappeared while on its way here. It was shipped by express over the Canadian National Railway, and the company has asked the police to try and locate it.

WITH 4000 WARRANTS

Army of Agents Starts Out to Rid U. S. of Undesirable Aliens

New York, Jan. 2.—