## EARLIER CIVIC ELECTIONS

Moving of Date From Januar y 1 to Late in November or Early in December Sancti oned by Board-Further Election Reforms Advocated - Refusal of Responsibility in Storm Sewers Construction Officially Announced at the Inaugural Meeting.



emebr would be a good di Petitions for Nomination.

board of control agreed to that.

Baker. Some of the controllers did not think

A clause will be inserted in the city of London bill recommending that the data of the little were named as good roads com-

rrly in the holiday season.

Clerk Baker, when asked, extended by the season of the service, and the service of the service of

Controller Moore had a suggesting mombals of about nominations. He—thought will be called for the present system to a meeting. Ment the time-limit for receiving nominations should be extended over a finations should only the system of the present system of the present

HERTLING POSTPONES Controller Little stated that he had been informed that the plan had been most successful in other cities, and he did not see why it would not work here.

"I think also that people should be allowed to keep pigs within the city limits." said Controller Moore. "The board of health should allow this within certain timits. I know of any number of seople would do so if permission were given."

A DOUBLE TRIUMPH It was a rare triumph in musical art that of the Paulist Choristers at the Princess Winter Garden last night. The hure auditorium was crowded with music lovers, who recalled both soloiss and choir again and again.

In the rendition of Schuetsky's

Clary Company has taken out a permit to alter the King Edward HHoHtel, recost being estimated at \$2,500.

St. Anlrew's Presbyterian Church contributed \$7,725 to the mission schemes alone of the church for 117 and not \$6,348 as was stated in the report of the annual meeting held Wednesday

## LIVELY SESSION WHEN DIRECTORS POWER CONTROL OF FAIR MEET

Proposals to Change Bylaws Sir Adam Beck Reads This Finally Left to Incoming Board.

MANAGER IDEA DEFEATED PROSPECTS ARE GLOOMY

Recommendation to Pay Directors Caused Fur to Fly Thursday.

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hands of Chipman & Power. The firm can do what it thinks best. The board is acting under legal advice in the case.

The reports of the committees were passed with practically no amendarily because the chief depots are snow-

bound. The daily bread ration is 54 ounces, which is said to be insufficient, and potatoes are selling at one ruole a pound.

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TRYING TO FORCE ONTO DOMINION

Meaning in Slowness of Meredith Commission Report.

Serious Loss Through Expected Breakdowns in Next Two Months Is Anticipated.

Inaugural Meeting.

A chase with he public sections. However, Mr. of the commendation hill recommendation has the charge dark of critical and the commendation of the

Dealers who shared in today's big shipment are being besieged with orders. They are doing their best to fill them, and are sending out their rigs with half and quarter ton iots. No big deliveries are being made. The dealers are hurrying out the small lots to relieve the shortage in many homes as expeditiously as possible.

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Not a few people are calling with their own wagons or sleighs. It is realized that it will, take the dealers some time

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Chapman's January Sale

Clearing Up Odd Lots Before Stocktaking

SEASONABLE GOODS ON



This Is Your Chance to Save Some Cash SEASONABLE GOODS ON

belt trimmed, extra wearing and a stylish coat. \$15.00 value, \$12.95 \$17.50 value, \$14.95. \$20.00 value, \$16.95 SPECIAL COLLECTION OF NEW STYLE PLUSH COATS. First quality plush, rich color. Your choice for ..... \$25.00 Cheviot Suit Special, in navy, copen blue and black, new swagger styles. Special value ......\$14.95

One-piece Lister's Silk Plush, 50-inch, popular material for a fashionable coat at a bargain; present value \$10.00 a yard. and cashmere; this lot to clear before stocktaking. Satur-On sale while it lasts at, per yard ......\$5.75

WINTER COATINGS.

Balance to clear, consisting of chinchillas, velours and tweeds, all excellent quality, especially adapted for a stylish swagger coat, 54 to 56 inches wide; present value \$5.50 per yard. While they last at, per yard ......\$298 Three pieces only Scotch Tweed Dress Goods, 45 inches wide; value today \$1.50 per yard. Sale price, per yard.......95c One piece Black Whipcord Dress Goods, 44 inches wide; value \$1.50 per yard. Sale price Saturday, per yard.......89c

SILK HABUTAI WAIST.

New style collar and sleeves, in white, all sizes. Sale price. \$3.00 and \$3.50 Broken lines in Wool Underskirts, ladies' and children's sizes Moire Underskirts, English cloth, silk and wool material, outside sizes. At, each .....\$1.75 to \$3.00 UNDERWEAR AND CORSETS.

Ladies' fine soft velvet-finish Vests, long and short sleeves. Special at ......69c Children's Vests and Drawers, heavy ribbed in natural, Dozen Corsets, long skirt, medium bust, strong steel filling, Misses' and Small Ladies' White Flannelette Gowns, good Boys' Coat Sweaters and Jerseys, for boys up to 12 years. heavy material; extra value. While they last, each....\$100 | This lot for Saturday at ........................\$125

Plain heavy cloth, in navy and grey, new style pointed collar, All wool, fine soft thread. Today's prices on cashmere goods some time ago at a bargain. On sale for January at, per Cashmerette Hose (some advertise this as cashmere), 81/2 to 10, good heavy thread, good color. Price for Saturday, per

Ladies' and Children's sizes; regular 35c to 75c value, in lisle day only, per pair ......19c

SOCKS FOR MEN.

Heavy union, light and dark grey, tan and mixed colors, Penman make, first-class socks. Four pairs for ......\$1.00

GLOVE SPECIALS.

Chamoisette Gloves, good washable quality, neat shape, white, black, grey, natural and mastic shades, point and plain Wool Gloves and Mitts in men's, ladies and children's sizes, red, black, grey, khaki, brown and white, long and short

SPECIALS IN SWEATERS. Ladies' heavy, all wool, large collar, sash trimmed, cardinal, Kelly green, copen blue, brush wool weave. Sale price, each. .....\$7.00 Brush Wool Sweaters, ladies' size, green, canary, copen and

saxe blue, large collar and belt in white. Sale price for Saturday .....\$11.00 Men's Heavy Wool Ribbed Sweaters, high and roll collar styles, khaki, grey, brown, Oxford and navy; \$4.00 values. Sale price ......\$2 98

Chapman's STAMPED LINEN SAMPLES. Consisting of Runners,

THE STORE WITH THE RECORD.

PIQUE SAILOR COL-LARS. New York styles. Special

Clearing price .....50c FEATHER BOAS. Black, brown, grey and

white; \$8.50. Clearing

**VOLUNTEERS OF** W.O.R. LEAVING FOR NEW CAMP

Doilies, Cushions, Cosies,

One-third less than Regular Price

Linen Rolls, etc., etc.

200 Strong, Draft Moves From London for Training Elsewhere.

GIVEN A GOOD SENDOFF

Comrades of Depot Battalion and Friends See Boys in Khaki Away.

Company of the 1st Depot Battalion, Western Ontario Regiment, left for an ALTERING BUILDING.—The McClary Company has taken out a permit
to alter the King Edward HHoHtel, recently purchased by the company, the
cost being estimated at \$2,500.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.
Thomson & McKinhon, brokers, Royal
Bank Building, report fluctuations in
New York stocks for The Advertiser as
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follows:
New York, Jan. 18.

Trunk Lines and
Open. High. Low. 1:30.

PLAYLET SCORES.—Last evening
All Saints' Ar Y. P. A. put on the
playlet entitled "A Day and a Night"
to the delight of a crowded schoolroom Much credit is given to the

St. Paul. 43

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BLOCKADE BUSTER "ROPES" MOST HUMAN ILLS FUEL SUPPLY FOR LONDON

has the "pep" to get out and hustle to relieve a serious fuel situation in the face of a howling continent that clamored for coal, and while American industries were being shut down in order to conbeing shut down in order to con-serve fuel.

That man is Billy or W. A. Mar-tin, native Londoner, boss Rotar-



Coal Company. It is understood that the "A" in his initials stands

MAY MAKE CHANGE IN PASTORATE OF S. LONDON CHURCH

and a much more youthful look than his years entitle him to. And

Church this evening of making Rev. J my heart made me so weak at times felt like I wast fainting away, and n G. Stuart, pastor-emeritus of the church, according to a statement made to The Advertiser today. Mr. Stuart has been minister of Knox Church for nearly twenty-three years, and since the resignation of Very Rev. Dean Davis from the rectorate of St. James' Angilcan Church some months ago, no other clergyman of any denomination holds solong a record of continuous service in that the "A in instruction in the instruction in the plays it hard.

And so far as London is concerned he has put the "cite" in that mystic word for the Forest City during two cold, almost cheerless winters. That is, he gave London a "sight" that nut a sparkle in its record of continuous service in were shattered. "sight" that put a sparkle in its saddened eyes by having coal rush-ed through to the city at a critical

Tax Rate Earlier FURCED TO INVOKE POLICE AID TO STEM RUSH OF FUEL SEEKERS BESIEGING YARD OFFICES TODAY

which, as everyone knows, has failed to materialize."

YOUNG C. T. R. BRAKEMAN

Kitchener, Jan. 18.—William Ella, a young G. T. R. brakeman, whose home is in Stratford was the victim of a fatal accident at Petersburg last night. While riding on the side of a freight car, he was thrown off passing through a deep cut and fell under the wheels, which severed his left low.

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The estimates will be ready a month earlier than last year, City Clerk S. Baker reports and will be considered by the board of control and other spending bodies during February, or early in March at the latest.

All bodies obtaining funds from taxes and it is necessary to get by this time, as it is necessary to get by the dealers who received Anglo-French 5's. 89 89 88% 89

STANDARD STOCK AND MINING
EXCHANGE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Toronto. Jan. 18.—Morning sales:
Apex, 1500 at 4%; Dome Lake, 500 at 14½; McIntyre, 1000 at 138, 1200 at 131, 130, 200 at 14½; McIntyre, 1000 at 138, 1000

TRACED BY SCIENCE TO COMMON SOURCE gee, ain't it great to meet someone from your old home town, when that little old furnace is just naturfrom your our data in the that little old furnace is just naturally going out for a long stay!

Billy Martin has thrown his lariat to Buffalo on two different occasions this week. Each time when he hauled in the slack he had a coal train loaded with black diamonds on the end. And he didn't pick his prize from the coal corral before he had gone up against some tall buck-jumping and cork-screw twisting. Those coal trains, which a thousand other coal punchers were trying to lassoo, just refused Remarkable Demonstration of This Theory Found In Toronto Woman's Case.

Science has discovered that most of the many ills tha afflict humanity are traceable to a disordered condition the stomach and intestines. Keep the a thousand other coal punchers were trying to lassoo, just refused to budge for a long time. It took a lot of persuasion, tolephonic and otherwise, before they could be lifted and tied and branded. But when the brand was on them it just read, "London, Ontaric, Fast Freight," and despite tieups and snow cliffs and would be coal rust-lers along the line, those old steam drags came right through, snortin'. And so we are asking Mrs. Martin for his picture. She doesn't want to give it up, because she does not like fussing, but we have threatened to print a picture of her husband in which he wears one of those "four-in-hand" neckties, and a much more youthful look organs healthy and active and you wi remain strong, sturdy and well, as nature intended you should be. Then if you are a victim of stomach trouble or any of the numerous dis agreeable symptoms resulting from

the experience of others in your ow ity or community, who have testified o the benefits they have derived from the use of Tanlac, should appeal very forcibly to you.

Among the many strong indersements recently given the "Premier Prepara-tion" is the following from Mrs. Kate a highly esteemed resident Lucas, a highly esteemed resident of the United States of the United Sta "For the past six years I have hard sour almost as soon as it reached n stomach and fill me with gas and mis ery. I never knew what it was to

of the more nourishing foods; just he confine my diet to the very light nnual meeting of Knox Presbyterian almost unbearable. The gas pressing

I read about Tanlac and decided to C. Moore, missionary to British Guiana, down completely, But I am feeling a gave an illustrated missionary address in the Gospel Hall, Hamilton road, Thursday evening. Mrs. A. C. Moore held a missionary meeting for women in the same hall on Thursday afternoon. not bothered with the gas like I was my food digests better, and I relied my meals more. I don't have weak, fainty spels like I did, and an just getting along splendidly. Of course

the maniy I have tried that has even Tanlac is sold in London by Standard Drug, Limited, under the direction of a special representative, and by an established agency in every town.

Ointment will help you realize this ambition. Sampled of each free with GOOD HAIR? 32-page book. Address "Cuticura," Dept. S. Boston.

OF STOVES AND HEATERS Derby Oak Heaters, regular \$16.00

JANUARY CLEARING SALE

Morrat Oak Heater, regular \$26.00 odern Jewel Baseburner, with oven, regular \$48.00, for ..\$41.00 Alta Steel Range, regular \$21.00. Nelson Steel Range, regular \$20.00, Laundry Stoves, regular \$6.90, ter \$5.00 Wood Hesters, several styles, also many other Stoves not mentioned

**AUTO SUPPLIES** 

Polarine Motor On for winter use Blow-Out Patches .....60c to \$1.00 Columbia Batteries ......40c Conaphore and Legalite approved Headlight Lenses .....\$3.60 pr. up Tires, Tubes, Fan Belts, Valves, Grinding Outfits, etc.

here, at special prices. 20 per cent off regular prices of Hand Sleighs. 25 per cent off Brass Goods and Wooden Toys. Hockey Sticks, 15c to 75c. Skates, 90c to \$6.00. Pucks, 15c.

WESTMAN'S HARDWARE Ltd.