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Our White Goods Sale in January!

Our Annual White Goods Sale in January needs no introduction to the ladies of Toronto, who in former years, have taken advantage of our special prices during the month. Each succeeding year this event has become more popular, and is eagerly looked forward to as the time approaches. For this January we are prepared as never before, both as to qua ity and variety of goods. As for value-giving we are determined to exceed all previous efforts, so as to make this safety, therefore, demands it. the most successful sale of its kind we ever attempted. We submit these items in Ladies' Underwear as fair samples of what we are going to do. These represent scores of others equally as good and as important. On Tuesday morning you

































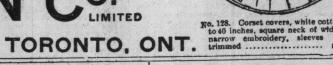






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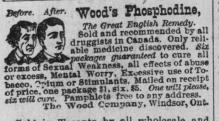
FEARFUL EXPLOSION AND FIRE.

Natural Gas Plant at Red Key, Indiana, Wrecked. Portland, Ind., Dec. 31.—A 12-inch line leading from the Ohio and Indiana Pipe Line Company's immense gas station, one mile south of Red Key, Ind., burst to-day. A few seconds later the entire structure was in flames, and the fire raged until the building was destroyed. Loss over \$100,000. Three years ago the same station was wrecked by an explosion of natural gas, when two men were killed and the loss was close to \$100,000.

E. A. Macdonald for Mayor ITALY WANTS THE CASH,

And Will Also Demand Satisfaction London, Jan. 1.—A special despatch from Rome says an Italian squadron is now enroute to Cartagena, Colombia, to enforce President Cleveland's award of indemnity to the Cerruit creditors. Admiral Di Brochetti, who commends the squadron, has been instructed to insist upon satisfaction for fine insuits to Italy, which occurred during the debates in the Colombian Chamber.

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HAPPENINGS OF A DAY. Items of Passing Interest Cathered in and Around this Busy City. Alive Bollard seeks your vote as aider

There was a well-attended sacred concert at the Bijou last night.

F. A. Belcher lectured last night before the Theosophical Society upon "Mesmer-ism." The Victoria Rink, Huron-street, will open for skaters to-night, with first-class band in attendance.

W. Rupert of D. McCall & Co. was given on Friday night a gold watch by the firm, on the occasion of his leaving their employ.

Detective McGrath arrested John Hand last evening on the charge of housebreaking preferred by Charles Birtch. The prisoner gave his address as "no home." Rev. Dr. S. Banks Nelson of Woonsocket, Rhode Island, who is a graduate of Belfast and Princeton Colleges, preached two sermens at East Presbyterian Church yester-

ady.

P. C. Crowe arrested John Canavan yesterday on a warrant charging him with being an inmate of a disorderly house at 96 Richmond-street west, kept by Margaret

Pennington.

Yesterday was educational Sunday in Mecaul-street Methodist Church, and the congregation were treated to fine discourses, Dr. Badgeley being the preacher in the morning and Dr. Potts in the evening.

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Mr. G. B. Reeve, general traffic manager of the Grand Trunk, has issued a neat Christmas and New Year's card, showing the radiway and steamship business on either side of an entwined Union Jack and Stars and Stripes.

On Saturday afternoon last the travelers and employes of Badgerow, Scott & Co, vinegar and pickle manufacturers, Jarvisstreet, assembled at the offices of the company, and presented the pariners, Mr. Eadgerow and Mr. Scott, ach with an ivory and silver-handled silk umoreda. Both gentlemen were taken by surprise.

E. A. Macdonald for Mayor

COLLEGIATE INSTITUTES RE-OPEN On Jan. 3, 1899-Parents' Attention Called to the New Scale

of Fees. The Collegiate Institutes will re-open at 9.30 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 3, 1890. The trustees destre to call the attention of the parents and guardians of all pupils who have passed the entrance examination or the public school leaving examination to the fact that they may attend the Collegiate Institutes and have the option in the 1st, 2nd and 3rd grades of taking English, mathematics, commercial work, etc., and science, with or without the languages at a fee so small as to be within the reach of all who may wish to embrace the opportunity.

New Scale of Fees. The new scale of fees, is as follows:

-First.-

(a) Pupils in 1st and 2nd Grades taking English, Mathematics, Commercial Work, etc., and also

be present on the first and second day of the re-opening.

E. A. Macdonald for Mayor

Mayoralty Election-Goldwin Smith and the Hebrew Race

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Editor World: On behalf of a large number of the members of the Jewish community, I desire to express extreme regret at the unwarrantable manner in which Prof. Goldwin Smith's name has been dragged into the discussion as to the merits of the rival aspirants to the mayoralty. We contend, and in doing so feet sure that we voice the sentiments of the vast majority of our brethren-in-faith, that, in a purely municipal question of this character, we ought not to be appealed to, nor should we vote, as Jews; but altogether as citizens of Toronto—proud of our privileges as such, and eager to show ourselves worthy of it. We unhesitatingly recognize that it is our sacred duty to take a broad, unblassed view of the situation, when exercising the franchise, and to scorn to allow ourselves to be actuated by narrow-minded sectardanism. The election of Mayor cannot, by any ingenuity, be distorted into a religious issue. Therefore, it is very wrong indeed to attempt to catch votes of Jews by exciting their religious prejudices. In justice to Prof. Smith, we beg to enter an indignant protest against the mean assertion that his gift of \$50 was a "campaign dodge." He generously donated us this amount eighteen months ago, and not "on the eve of the election." as erroneously stated by Mr. Gurofsky, in his letter to you.

Alfred, D. Benjamin.

E. A. Macdonald for Mayor

For School Trustee for No. 3. Dr. E. H. Adams, who served on the Col-Dr. E. H. Adams, who served on the Collegiate Board a year ago, is running for Public School trustee in Ward No. 3. Dr. Adams has lived for many years in Ward No. 3, is known to nearly everyone, and will make an excellent member of the board. He favors a program of economy, and that the teaching in the schools ought to be on the lines of fitting the child for the actual work of life.

ONE CENT MORNING PAPER

No. 83 TONGE-STREET. Toronto.

Freeholders should support the three money bylaws submitted to-day. They inat Queen-street. This will return no revenue, but the city's engineering advisers say it is imperatively necessary and public

The other two bylaws are safe business speculations. The one, involving an expenditure of \$40,000, to crib Harbor-square, a block on the Bay front between Bay and Lorne-streets, extending out to the new Windmill Line, provides a central city dump for five years; after that it will provide extensive new dock accom In its first capacity, it means a saving in cest of haulage of garbage of \$7000 a year or of \$35,000 during the whole filling-in period. The interest on the remaining \$5000 will be overwhelmingly counterbalanced by the rentals from the 1300 feet of which the city must have, since we have

ably the most profitable speculation will be a greater area. If the people get cheaper the \$150,000 which it is proposed to spend goods in the one case the city loses in popu in improving St. Lawrence Market. The lation, and real estate values are adversely only argument used against it is that "the affected in the other. It is only when the end is not in sight." The new City Hall is departmental store gets beyond a purely held up as a warning against thrusting in local trade that its business becomes a the thin edge of a wedge of expenditure. distinct gain to the city. Every dollar that It has been said: "You ask us for \$150,000 now, but we will have to vote twice that adds to the material prosperity and to the much more before your plans are an accom- population of the city. The business dor olished fact." This is a bugaboo pure and by our magnificent stores, in which we inthe fact is this, that the plans and speci- but the scores of special stores that sine cations are to be made to fit the expenditure, not the expenditure the plans. You represents their real vulue to the city. This are asked to vote to carry out such plans as have already been made. You are asked to spend \$150,000, and if this sum will not suffice to put into execution Ald. Denison's and Architect Symons' ideas, then architects are to be asked to tender plans which that \$150,000 would not do the thing justice. You have the authority of two architects. and you have that of Architect Sheard to city than its direct advantages. The fact say that it will not. Two architects should that immense quantities of goods are distrie more authoritative than one, especially and pains on their calculation as did he city as the most favorable location for their power for all purposes. The introduction ders from responsible and largely experi-enced contractors to carry out their vari-and those who manufacture in outside cenous specialty allotments at a total cost of trees find themselves at a disadvantage from the large volume of total The market bylaw deserves support for a postal, freight und shipping facilities gen-

vote for it. first, because the improve- ronto is attracting new factories and ex- hotel becomes a prominent issue in offered, if allowed, to instal a cold storage would be hurt by the departmentals, are hotel. plant, to pay for this franchise, 10 per now doing a larger business than ever. The Among visible causes of imm

It will reverse a depreciation of 25 per business during the recent holiday season talists and the mineral interest and on the contrary, appreciate it at least 10 per cent. This means a saying of \$700. 10 per cent. This means a saving of \$700. the increase in Toronto's population and benefit of this connection, and the public at

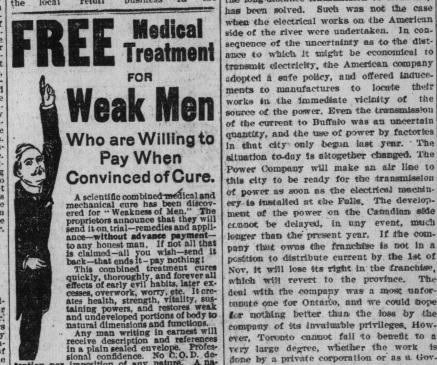
It will preserve the balance in city pros- year has been a notable one in the history vesting in the unque perity. It will enable the east to keep pace of this city. For the ci tural products in the province within a radius of sixty miles. It will make To-ronto the shipping centre for this province.

It will encourage the hubbing of radial railways in this city. The electric railway foot waterway which is promised by the foot

the times, for other cities are in the mar-

Finally, it will help Toronto to realize its possibilities under the new era of deeper canals to the seaboard.

has transpired in Toronto, is indicative of ronto's suburban lines are not extended this city's supremacy as a centre of dis- during 1899 by at least 50 miles. An extentribution and of the great future that is in sion of considerable importance is under store for it through its enjoyment of this way up Yenge-street, and a profitable busithese mammoth bazaurs. The local retail two cities brought closer together. stress of any city is a matter of little to the community, as far as population is for transmitting electrical energy from concerned, whether a few big stores do Niagara Falls to the city. The problem of retuil business in the the long-distance transmission of electricity



THE TORONTO WORLD Heartiest New Year's Greetings

To Company's Agents and Policy Holders on Its Best Year's Work.



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probably be the completion of the project

works in the immediate vicinity of the

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of the current to Buffalo was an uncertain

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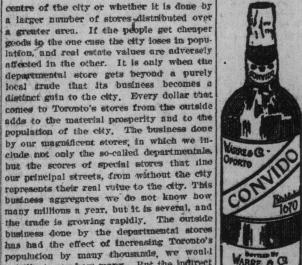
(2) Largest increase in Company's cash assets, premium and interest cash

(3) Stability of business shown by the greatest addition to Company's insuran-

(4) Matured investment policies paid during the year compare favorably with

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buted from Toronto is the real reason why polized by any local corporation, Toronto manufacturers have their eyes upon this uses annually about twenty thou The stores themselves have of cheap electric power ought to double

business. The stores themselves have the consump only \$138,000. The two architects spent with their rivals in Toronto, who have the gravitated here. This business is a someabout two months at their work, the one labored for less than five days.

The market bylar decorate the days. hundred reasons. There is no valid reason erally. It is to the national character of the why it should be condemned. You should business done by its retail stores that Toments will pay for themselves. For the tending old ones. The departmental stores policy of municipal advancement, A spiens truth of this the experience of other cities have already done so much to develop Toimilar to Toronto visited by the Market ronto and increase its retail business that runs between Toronto and Montreal, but Commission proves. That it is a good we venture to say that the large down-town even it will fail to bring the visitors it culation was proved when a syndicate retail stores, which it, was anticipated should until we have a modern, up-to-date

cent. dividend on the total cost, or \$15,000 universal verdict of Toronto's merchants perity for this city is the connection that is that they have done a great deal more has been established between Te the expansion of its retail trude. The past large ought to benefit cons with the west, without retarding the west. 10th centry we prophesy the greatest de. worthy citizens. In different ways large velopment in its history. Confidence in the sums of money will be made by Toronto pot for the fruit, dairy, meat and agricul-tural products in the province within a product of sixty miles Is with make 1899 mining districts, but investors ought to

companies are but awaiting a favorable vote to expand into the country in all directions. It will hurt no vested interests. It is to be essentially a wholesale market. Retail merchants are, therefore, its warmest supporters.

The opening of mavigation. The opening up of this great inland system of transportation to ontario five million dollars would transfer to ought to direct our attention towards the trade of the Northwest, which is heading for the Georgian Bay, which is Toronto's through our short-sighted policy. As soon back doze the carnel system here front as an export duty is placed on nickel matter. back door, the canal system being her front as an export duty is placed on nickel matter than the times, for other cities are in the mar-The entergement of St. Lawrence market, than the City of Toronto.

which, we trust, will be sanctioned by the ratepayers to-day, is in line with the genbut we think we have referred to sufficent eral policy that lies at the basis of our pros- to warrant our estimate that the year 1800 perity. Improved facilities at the market will prove Toronto's record year.

A reference to the dinner given by the T. will enlarge our trade with the outside. We The World extends its compliments Eaton Company on New Year's Eve to its will receive more produce from all over the 200,000 people who have the good formore than two thousand employes might Ontario, and will ship a much larger volume tune to be residents of this promising city. very appropriately form an introduction to a goods all over the Dominion. A natural a few remarks on Toronto's prospects for sequence of the enlargement of the marthe year upon which we have just entered, ket will be the extension of the electric. This event, more than anything else that

supremacy. Up to a certain point we agree with those who contend that the departmental stores have sinjured Toronto. As far as their business is local in its character Toronto reups little or no advantage from these mammoth bazaurs. The local retail two cittes have been connected with those who contend that the departmental stores have sinjured Toronto. As far as their business is local in its character to the connected with Toronto by trolley years ago. This year will probably see the local retail two cittes have all probably see the local retail two cittes have all probably see the local retail two cittes have all profitable business. The local retail two cittes have been connected with Toronto by trolley and the United States." Another feature of the current year will

VOTE FOR COX.

Shockingly Sudden Decease. when the electrical works on the American side of the river were undertaken. In consequence of the uncertainty as to the distance to which it might be economical to transmit electricity, the American company adopted a safe policy, and offered inducements to manufactures to locate their meets to manufactures to locate their the immediate violatity of the

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quantity, and the use of power by factories in that city only begun last year. The Demon Dyspepsia—In olden times it was a popular belief that demons moved situation to-day is altogether changed. The bear of Company will make an air line to enter into men and trouble them. At the Power Company will make an air line to this city to be ready for the transmission of power as soon as the electrical mechanery is installed at the Falis. The development of the power on the Canadian side cannot be delayed, in any event, much lenger than the present year. If the company that owns the franchise is not in a

deal with the company was a most unfortunite one for Ontario, and we could hope for nothing better than the loss by the company of its invaluable privileges, However, Toronto cannot fail to benefit to a very large degree, whether the work is done by a private corporation or as a Gov.

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Erie Medical Co., Buffalo, N.Y.

done by a private corporation or as a Govtrument undertaking. Undoubtedly we shall
have cheap power in Toronto, but we must
take care that its distribution is not monoin a marvelous manner to the little one, ed

At the Mammoth Ba Eaton on Sa

FELICITY FOLLOWED

Many Speeches Made ative Character-

Two thousand seven four hundred knives havoc with more turkey fore been congregated in million, in all, pieces o on snowy cloths, at the Mr. Timothy Eaton on o'clock to his employes, man himself prefers to been laid with tables, an had been seated the op down to business Jound wondered if a populat would suddenly appear t of all, for how else could

Dervish-Like However, Dervish-like, appeared from every

"Selling drygoods is hat some suppose; we over, and two of our round the world, search

like the Queen of Sheba i pecting large things, but whelmed with the mag gathering, and Mr. Eaton ever came to me in the closing, begging me to 10 so. I only recently came script of the sermon I street Church, from the the merciful for they shi It has not been a failur street."

He saw before him may the future merchants of the wives of merchants, mend himself for any and would not mind enterly with the T. Haton Comp ILaughter. He closed blessings of Providence, an one to endeavor to make sity to the company.

Got Ahead of Rey Mr. Patterson sale

Rev. Mr. Patterson sale thing to get nhead of D would do so that night. to marry a couple from Faton "he said, "has the Canada. If not on this cannot run it alone; by the

JOHN CATTO

Organdie ! Party Dre We have open shipment of

white organdie n present so fashi evening wear, n white or color. White French Silk, 46 at 35c, 50c, 60c, 75c, 0 Plain, 70 inches wide, \$1.60 per yard. Colors, 32 inches, at \$5 yard.

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Blanke Everything in greyl Best Can English makes. from cot to do Warm, close fin

border. A Special in a large and \$2.50 per pair. A lot of White English ed), clearing out. Crib and Cot, in fine Fr to 2 yards long, from per pair.

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