4	SATURDAY MOI				
1	The Toronto Shoe Hustlers.	WARD ONE CONSERVATIVES			
A.	Hustling	Grand Meeting in Dingman's Hal Addressed by Prominent Men of the Party.			
	It's the get-up-and- hustle men who get the business nowadays. We are making a	ONTARIO ELECTIONS DUE SOON.			
George A slater \$3.50 Shoe.	record for March shoe selling.	Speakers All Condemn Free Trade Ideas and Stick to the Old National Policy.			
HUSTLERS WE ARE.	WATCH OUR ADS.	An enthusiastic meeting under the aus- pices of Ward 1 Liberal-Conservative As-			
Infants' Button Shoes Patent leather tips, spring heel, nice clean stock, sizes 3 to 7, 40c.	Children's) Hand-Made and Youths' Shoe; Solid leather, good for young kickers, sizes 8,9,10 and 11, 12, 13, 75 C.	sociation was held last night in Dingman's Hall. There was a large turnout. Presi dent Robert Defries occupied the chair On the platform were : Dr. Sproule, M.P. East Grey; Messrs. James Kendry, M.P. West Peterboro; W. B. (Northrup, M.P. East Hastings; Captain Robinson, M.L.A.			
Ladies' Spring Shoes New shapes, fine Dongola kid, turn soles, self tips or patent tips. \$1.25	Misses' School Shoes Lace and button, patent and self tips, spring heel or heel, 95 c.	 East Middlesex; George A. Clare, M.P., South Waterloo; A. E. Kemp, M.P., W. F. Maclean, M.P.; E. F. Clarke, M.P., Dr. Pyne, M.L.A., Ald. Hubbard, J. B. Leroy. Conservative Party Strong. 			
Men's Box Calf Shoes The J. D. King, The Geo. A. Slater, The W. A. Marsh, \$3.50	We Like to See You Coming to our stores with confi- dence, feeling sure you are going to be fairly treated.	Mr. W. F. Maciean explained that he had met with the Conservatives of Ward 1 to have an enjoyable evening. Regarding the Conservative party, they were as strong as ever and looking well after their inter- ests in Ottawa. In reference to the Cook			
St. Leger's Oil Po	lish Guaranteed.	 charges, Mr. Maclean was convinced that the charges made by Mr. Cook have al- 			
ST. LEGER SHOE	or Phone 377.	ready been proven. The Liberal party has been found guilty of trafficking in Senator- ships to raise money for political purposes. The Conservative party at Ottawa had made an attack re the tariff discussion, and had proven their case, while the Liberal speakers on this subject could not agree. An unusual spectracle had been presented in the House on Thursday, when Mr. Raiph			
	NNUAL REPORT	Smith, the labor representative, in an ad- dress, stated that the best thing for the country was free trade. "I take objection." said Mr. Maclean, "to Mr. Smith's state- ment. We want to keep our own labor for our own people, and our own markets for our own people." [Cheers.] Real Preferential Trade.			
Manufactur	rers Life	The speaker pointed out that Great Brit- ain to-day, with its free trade policy, was passing over its steel industry to the United States, whose people are protec- tionists. Canada is willing, said Mr. Mac-			
Insuranc	e Company	country gets one in return. This was 'o- day the nght between the two parties. The Conservative party does not believe in free trade. In conclusion, Mr. Maclean declared that, contrary to runors, he believed that the Provincial elections would be on now			
ogress made during the year, which has	olders and shareholders on the substantia a been the most satisfactory in the Com	any day. 'Toronto Members Work Hard. Dr. Sproule expressed pleasure at being present, the invitation being received from			
There were received during the year 177 \$3,055,089. The business actually tak ar amounted to \$2,486,703, and, leaving ou the premium collected thereon was \$115,78 s year and \$100,013,93 for 1898.	78 applications for assurances amounting ten up and paid for in cash during the it single payment policies, the first year's 22.01, as against \$107.100.86 for the previ 15.400,620, an increase of \$1,041,384 over	regarded as the banner city of the country. A city that sent such capable representa- tives to Ottawa was to be admired, and the people who sent them to Parliament			
previous year. The Premium Income was \$59),875.04. s .23. There were received for Interest an ne \$676,336.15, an increase 'of \$84,137.9 After paring the policy-holders for cla	howing the handsome increase of \$68, nd Rents \$87,461.11, making the Total In 22, nims, dividends and surrenders \$127,664,73	from Toronto and East and west York. The speaker was glad that the young men were joining the Conservative ranks and strengthening the party. In a short time the party will have to make an attack on "the windmill in Queen's Park."			
a moniding for all other expenditures, th	tded to Policy Reserves and \$67,268.35 to	bright address, which was frequently in- terrupted with applause. He was satisfied that at the coming provincial elections the			

The Assets now amount to \$2,279,175,94 and the Policy Reserves to \$1,950,507.00 on the Company's standard. After making provision for all other liabilities the surplus on policy-holders' account is \$301,024.36, which would be considerably in-

THE TORONTO WORLD

MARCH 30 1901

An Unrivalled Display of

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"Canada's Greatest Carpet and Curtain House."

Our Spring Opening in Home Furnishings.

From a host of sources comes the verdict : "Nowhere else is such a gathering of Carpets and Home Furnishings attempted." Toronto's most particular shoppers, who know what is shown everywhere else-and scores of visitors from the largest centres of the Dominionhave said it. Those who are familiar with the trade in Canada have emphasized it.

Kay's position in the Carpet and Curtain World is unique. It has been so through many long years, but in an unparalleled degree it is so this year. This magnificent store, with its six large floors, all given up to the business of Home Furnishing-was never in such shape for the largest season's business as it is to-day. Our purchases in Carpets, Curtains, Furniture Coverings. Drapery Goods, Wall Papers and Bric-a-brac were never on such an extensive scale as regards size, quality and assortment. No one can go astray in making their purchases for the home in this store, and all can miss the mark if they neglect for any reason to know this store and its prices. Not only are the stocks superlatively in advance of anything that is shown anywhere else, but prices are an equal surprise, no matter what department is visited.

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e confidently assert that we are now wing a larger assortment of strictly h-Grade Furniture than has ever been wn in Canada. Reproductions of Old clish, Colonial, Sheraton and Chippen-b, Dining Tables, Sideboards, China inets and Dining Chairs, in oak and been and the strictly of the strictly of the strictly been as the strictly of the strictly of the strictly strictly of the strictly of the strictly of the strictly strictly of the strictly of the strictly of the strictly strictly of the strictly of the strictly of the strictly strictly of the strictly of the strictly of the strictly strictly of the strictly of the strictly of the strictly strictly of the strictly of the strictly of the strictly strictly of the strictly of the strictly of the strictly strictly of the strictly of the strictly of the strictly strictly of the strictly of the strictly of the strictly strictly of the strictly of the strictly of the strictly of the strictly strictly of the strictly of the strictly of the strictly of the strictly strictly of the strictly of the strictly of the strictly of the strictly strictly of the strict

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ars. nique designs in Hall Glasses, Scats and bles, in golden oak and Flemish ouk. library Chairs, Couches and Tables. Ve make a specialty of all Leather tirs and Couches, "our own make," ir own design." olid Mahogany Drawing Room Sets and d Pleces, Odd Chairs, Settees, Daven-ts, Writing and Tea Tables. ritistic and inexpensive novelities in Fur-ure and Foreign Manafacture suitable wedding presents, Cabinets, Tables, retarles, Curio Tables, Jardiniere Stands Chinese and Japanese Carved Furni-e.

edroom Furniture, in mahogany, oak, iseye maple, and many specialities of own make in White Enamel Dressing ies and Bureaus at moderate cost. pecial orders for any kind of Furniture receive our best attention. rass and Iron Bedsteads, Children's s and Cribs. Il Hair, Mixed and Felt Mattresses made order in a few hours; also Wire Mat-ises and Box Springs to fit any bedstead. eather, Down or Hair Pillows.

We have secured the agency for the sale of Old Hickory Furniture, most artistic, durable and comfortable, for outdoor use. We will show about 40 designs, Chafrs, Settees and Tables. Prices of this chair, No. 24, as cut F, \$1.75. Price of this chair, No. 32, 4s cut G, \$2.75.





for half a century-and "Kay's carpets" always stand first. Carpets are the foundation of home furnishings. First the carpets, then everything else needed for the complete and perfect furnishing of the home. Some suggestions:

- -Axminster Carpets, a beautiful showing of light colored mohair, worsted, Crompton and Victorian, colors that will stand owing to the quality of material used, suitable for drawing and reception rooms.
- -Special Quality Heavy English Axminster, with wool back, Oriental de-signs and colorings, also light colors, new blues, greens, rose, etc., for drawing and dining rooms-price 2.25, 1.50 and 1.264 per yard. -Axine Wiltons for hard wear, such as is necessary in halls, librariesprice 1.50 per yard.

-The Celebrated "Teprak" Wilton Carpet, a very close weave and most durable-price 1.75 per yard. Eminently suitable for making into rugs.

-Self Color Wiltons, 4 feet 6 inches wide, with 27-inch borders to match-the drawing room carpet "par excellence." -Brussels Carpets, the largest stock of best quality that we have ever shown, many of them made expressly for this house. A special lot of best goods at 1.00 net per yard.

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-English Wool Carpets, superior to all other makes, and have stood the test of 20 years' wear. This season the de-signs and colorings are far ahead of anything yet made. Price 1.00 per yard. A few specials same quality at 75c per yard.

MATTINGS AND LINOLEUMS -- The assortment is of a size that makes shopping here a pleasure. No order is so large but that it can be covered in

of these lines out of our extensive stocks. -Chinese and Japanese Mattings. We show for the first time plain color Damasks in rose, blue and green. These have all the appearance of carpets, 36 inches wide, 35c per yard. Extra heavy white, 35c per yard.
-Linoleums: Sole agents for Staine's celebrated inlaids, in Pompeian Mosaics, floral style designs-prices 75c, 1.10 and 1.35 per yard. Best Scotch Printed Lincleums, 2 yards and 4 yards wide, at 40c, 75c and 1.00 per

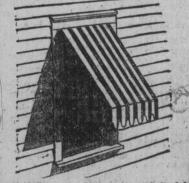
-Plain Cork Carpets, noiseless, for offices, etc., in browns, terra cottas and blue, 65c and 1.00 per yard.

Awnings. We have secured the agency for Hetter ick's Celebrated Adjustable Awnings; only

Window Shades and

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two sizes are required to fit, also, any size window, and they can be put up in a few minutes by an inexperienced person. We have them in brown, gold and white, dark blue and white, and can make them in any color or combination of colors.



to 4 ft. wide-\$4.00 each.

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Holland. Window Shades in white and cream, with Laces and Fringes to match; also in dark green and olive for darkening purposes; also hand-made striped linen shades in blue and white, yellow and white, pink and white and green and white, for special

olor rooms. Close estimates given on these, and also on any kind of hand-made opaque shades, in one or two colors.

erandah Chairs and Bamboo Blinds.

The Member for East Toronto.

GEORGE GOOI	DERHAM.		
	President.	М	lanaging Director,
	STATEMENT FOR THE YE. INCOME.	AR ENDING D	EC. 31st, 1900.
teceived for New Pr teceived for Single a	remiums and Renewal Premiums		\$ \$115.782 01 475.093 03

From all other sources 203,749 11 \$794.624 15

DISBURSEMENTS.

Surplus of Income over Expenditure 487,256 62

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LIABILITIES.

.....\$1,914,174 00 Liability for Policy Reserves, Government Standard . 36,333 00 27.644 58 Surplus on Policyholders' Account. 301,117 06

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Dr. James Mills of Guelph moved the adoption of the report in an excellent ad-dress from which the following is a short extract:

At a meeting of this nature it is always a pleasure to be in a position to con-gratulate those interested, and on this loccasion I can do so most heartily.

We have really a most satisfactory statement to present to the shareholders and policy-holders of the Company, a statement which will bear the closest inspec-tion. We can speak with more definiteness than ever in the past, in regard to four investments and our standing, for we have more information at our disposal, fur-nished as in the spleadid report of our consulting actuary. There has been pro-gress all along the line. gress all along the line.

A comparison of 1900 and 1890 is in the report, so I need not refer to that I would, however, refer to one other point: The question of our progress during a longer period, 1894 fo 1900, being that or the present management.

After a lapse of six years we find many points which are alike creditable to the management and gratifying to the persons most interested in the success of the Company, the shareholders and policy-holders.

The following figures will illustrate the vigorous growth of the Company: Net Income Gross Assur-

		1st Year's	from	ance
Year.	Assets.	Premiums.	Proms & Int. \$296,468	in force. \$ 9.555.300
1894		\$ 61,685 115,782	666,717	15,409,629
mit and an available 41			six vears ago.	Amount of

income from new business shows 100 per cent. increase. Net income from Premiums and Interest has increased over 100 per cent. The assurance in force has grown from 91% to 151% millions.

I want also to refer to the character of our assets and the expense ratio, both being important items in a concern of this kind. Our securities were never before in the splendid condition they are to-day, 1 doubt if any. Company can show such a record of invested assets of over \$2,000,000 and only \$501.30 overdue interest.

In new companies the expense ratio is always large. These expenses should adually decrease, and our record is as it should be in this respect.

The ratio is about 14 per cent. less than it was two years ago. I think that is one of the most satisfactory features in our business. The ratio is decreasing rapidly

I thank our manager, his staff and the field force for the results we are to report to day, and I do so most sincerely, and I must congratulate the policy-holders and sharcholders on the position we have attained. Mr. J. F. Junkin, the Managing Director, in seconding the adoption of the report,

remarked

If we look back over two years we find that the premium income for 1900 was almost \$140.000 more than for 1898, or an increase of 31 per cent. while our expenses for 1990, as compared with 1898, only show an increase of about \$2000, or $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. The result is that we have now, not only the lowest expense ratio of any acfive company of our own or a similar age on the continent, but we compare very favorably in this respect with even the oldest and largest Canadian and American

It is a comparatively easy matter to exercise economy if one is satisfied with a comparatively small volume of new business, since it costs little to take care of the old; and on the other hand, it is not so very difficult to secure a large volume of new business, if willing to make the sacrifice of paying any price for it; but it is not so easy to exercise judicious economy and at the same time maintain a healthy, vigorous growth. This is what the Manufacturers Life is accomplishing, and this is giving it an increasingly large earning power when coupled, as it is, with a ely low death rate and a careful and safe investment for the Company's.

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Sell them, return the money, and we send, postpaid, in a handsome box, this Solid Gold King, set with real gens. Write to-day Art Supply Co., Box 1900, Toronto, Canada St. Georges Society.

St. Georges Society.
Boy Hurt by Milk Wagon.
Fourteen-year-old Claude Brownscombe was run down by a milk wagon at Queen-street and Sapdina-avenue last night, and received a severe injury to his head. Dr. Harley Smith dressed the wound, after which the lad was taken to his home at 494 West Queen-street, by P.C. McCarron.
St. Georges Society.
The monthly meeting of St. George's Society.
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Loud applance greeted Mr. A. E. Kemp. round film were seated several veterans if the Conservative party, and they were, e said, a fair sample of the party at Ot-awa. Since going to Parliament he had be-eme more convinced that the policy of the ionservative party was the best one for he country. Mr. Kemp strongly protested gainst the discrimination against Canada y the German Empire, and declared that he Government should do something to rotect Canadian farmers and manufactur-rs against this in[gail_Sroc. Good Old National Policy.

Great Oild National Policy. Great Oild National Policy. Mr. James Kendry spoke along the line of trade matters. The Government was to day working upder the old National Policy in making laws for the Dominion. Nearly the whole Liberal party was in fa-yor of free trade. The speaker maintained that if any preference was to be given Great Britain should get it. Speaking of the immigration policy, Mr. Kendry said the Douknobors were not, it to associate with the people of Canada. Mr. Chare of Waterloo said: "I have worked for the National Policy, and it is the National Policy that has built up my business." As an employer of labor, the speaker had never had a strike in his manufactory; he was on intimate terms with his employes, a state of affairs which should exist between employer and em-ploye.

Invincible in Toronio. Mr. Clarke was greeted with cheers. He accepted the opportunity to congratulate the cleectors of Ward 1 on their victory last. November In electing Mr. Kemp. The-conservative party, ne said, is invincible in all the Torontos and the two Yorks. This was more than demonstrated, said Mr. Clarke, at the last Dominion election. The speaker paid a high tribute to Dr. Sproule on his abilities as a parlamentari-an. Mr. Clarke spoke strongly against the Laberal policy of free trade. He want-ed to see a preferential tariff between Canada and the Mother Country, and not a restricted reciprocity policy with the United States. He scored the Government for their immigration policy and Hon. Clifford Sifton for bringing out herds of Invincible in Toronto.

Bamboo Verandah Blinds, complete, with cord and pulley.

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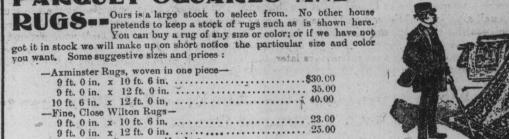
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Art Pottery and Glass-

ware.

Unique collection of Art Pottery and Glassware, including some fine examples of Teplitz ware, Flemish, Majolica, Mo-ravian, Cantagalli, Della-Robia, Pergamon, etc., and Tiffany and Liberty Glassware. fact that Ontario as to be developed. As to the elections they were coming on at a near date, despite Mr. Ross' hint thrown out the other day that there would be an-other session before prorogation. The Eib-eral machine, said Dr. Pyne, was not yet relegated to the rear. It would make its supresent addu.





9 ft. 0 in. x 13 ft. 6 in. 20,00 -A large assortment of mats, small squares and runners, suitable for halls, etc.

PARQUET SQUARES AND

LACE CURTAINS The size of our Curtain stock is one of the surprises of everyone who visits this store. One sometimes hears of large stocks of cur-tains, but what largeness means is not known until you tains, but what largeness means is not known until you be have special offerings in Point Renaissance, Point Arab, Brussels, Point Shiffle, Tambour, Irish Point, Point Colbert and English and Swiss Lace Cur-tains of every description. Sash Curtains and Bed Spreads in Brussels, Point Renaissance and Point Arab. Spread sizes and designs made to order. Arab. Special sizes and designs made to order.

- -New Renaissance Curtains, 3½ yards long, with insertion and edging, 4.50 per pair. -Dainty English Lace Curtains for bedroom and sitting-room, 31 y ds. long, 2.25 and 2.50 per pair.
- 12m -White/Muslin Curtains with frills, 3 yards long. -Real Brussels Curtains for parlors and drawing rooms, Louis XV. and Marie Antoinette designs,
- -Real Brussels Curtains for partors and drawing rooms, Louis AV, and Marie Antoinette designs, 6/4 x 3) yards long, price 3.50 and 4.50 per pair. -Tambour Curtains, most suitable Swiss Curtain known, new designs, 3½ yards long, 3.25, 4.00,
- 4.50 per pair. -Real Point Arab Curtains, 31/2 and 4 yards long, prices from 13.50 to 70.00 per pair.
- -We invite all lovers of beautiful laces to ask to see our finest Lace Curtains, real lace on cream silk, price \$1.50 per pr. -An immense assortment of Muslins and Laces by the yard for sash curtains, bed draperies, etc. Samples sent any-
- where.
- -Plain White Muslin with frills, 30-in., 121/2c and 15c per yard. -Plain White Muslin with frills, 50-in., 20c and 22c per yard.
- -Spotted White Muslin with frills, 30-in., 20c and 25c per yard.
- -Spotted White Muslin with frills, 50-in., 30c per yard.
- -Coin Dot Muslin with frills, 30-in., 28c per yard.
- -Coin Dot Muslin with frills, 48-in., 45c per yard.

FURNITURE COVERINGS AND DRAPERY GOODS .- Ladies take a

ight in visiting this section of the store. for we show such a variety of really artistic lines. The work of some of the best artists, as Voysey, Crane, Fletcher and others, is shown in these goods. Some particulars : -New Verdure Tapestries, for wall coverings, furniture covering and curtains, 50 inches wide, 1.00 and Special designs in Folding and Mantel Beds, in oak and mahogany—prices 35.00 to 68.00 each. Combination Ward-robe and Folding Bed, in selected oak, same as out.

- 1.15 per yard.
 - -Oriental Striped Brocades, for dens, cushions, etc., 85c and 1.00 per yard. --Fine Linen Brocades, in rose and ivory, reseda and ivory, etc., for wall coverings and drawing room
 - -Fine Linen Brocades, designed by Voysey, Crane and Fletcher, 50 inches wide, 1.10 and 1.15 per yard. The most artistic we have ever shown. -Special lot of English Drapery Materials, plain and fancy, in green, pink, terra cotta, blue, etc., 50-in. wide, reg. 90c, for 50c per yard.

 - whee, reg. suc, for due per yard. --New Art Serges, in blue, reseda, green, crimson and terra cotta, 50 in. wide, 40c per yard. --Artistic Burlaps, plain or figured, for walls, screens, curtains, etc., 36 in. wide, 25c per yard. --Full assortment of Plain Art Denims, 36 in. wide, 25c per yard, colors blue, reseda, vert, red, gold,
 - pink, etc. -New Velours for coverings and curtains, gold, rose, light blue, terra cotta, reseda, vert, etc., special
 - quality, 50-in. wide, 1.00 per yard. -Liberty's Artistic Cretonnes, Art Muslins.
 - -French Taffetas and Cretonnes. Art Muslins and Old English Glazed Chintzes.
 - -Loose Covers made to fit any furniture.
 - -- Special Fast Color French Cretonnes, in dainty stripe effects, 32-in. wide, 25c per yard. -- Linen Taffetas, artistic designs, 50-in. and 60-in. wide, colors cream and blue, pink, green, gold, etc.
 - 85c, 1.15 and 1.50 per yard.

TURCOMAN CURTAINS AND PORTIERES-

These are goods found in rich assortment on the second floor-lines that are exclusive to our own business-goods that are bought special and are special in

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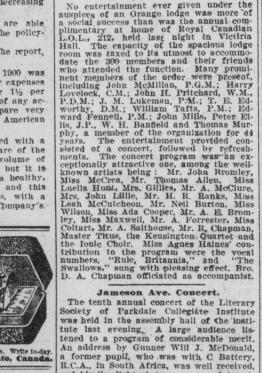
- -Silk Turcoman Curtains, plain, with handsome borders and dados; also figured all over in blue, old red, green, etc., 4 feet 6 inches wide x 10 feet 6 inches long. Special, 16.50 per pair. -Oriental Tapestry Curtains—a beautiful assortment. -Bagdad Portieres, with heavy fringe top and bottom—5.50 and 6.50 per
- pair. --Couch Covers (to match above) fringed -4.25 and 6.50 each.
- JOHN KAY, SON & CO., LIMITED, 36-38 King St. W., Toronto, Can.











and his limelight views were very interest-ing. The play, "A Blind Trail," was also very well acted.

for their inmigration policy and Hon. Clifford Sifton for bringing out herds of Doukhobors. He concluded with express-ing the wish that at the next provincial election Conservatives would be returned o powe Ross is Waking Up. Dr. Pyne was sure that had Canadas a preferential tariff it would depopulate the west of people whom the country do not want, and bring in good citizens. Premier Ross, he said, was just awakening to the fact that Ontario is to be developed. As

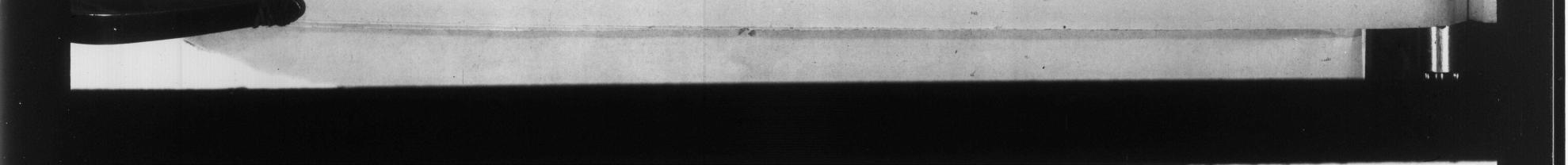
Ald. Hubbard hoped the Ontario elections

The proceedings were enlivened with se-lections by Mr. Tlerney, Mr. Haney, Capt. Robinson and Mr. Stott.

Royal Canadian Orangemen.

No entertainment ever given under the uspices of an Orange lodge was more of

and Hubbard noped the Ontario electrons wernment was tied up body and soul in rporations. The Legislature was over-wided with representatives of corpora-



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