

BALLANTYNE MAKES PLEA FOR LABOR

Candidate for East York Gets Fair Hearing at Well-Attended Meeting.

"I ask you, whom I call the elite of East York, to give the labor man a chance to represent you in the Dominion Parliament," said James Ballantyne, labor candidate for the East York riding...

"No one can point the finger of blame at Dave Carey and that is more than can be said about Mr. Sheard," said Mr. Kennedy, adding that Dr. Sheard was a "discredited official of the City of Toronto..."

"We have been too busy running round the country with a flag in one hand and a dollar bill in the other," said Mr. Ballantyne...

"Demobilization Suggestions." Demobilization has to be prepared for in Canada. What are we doing in this regard?

ENDORSEMENT FOR CANDIDATE DENIED. Honorable Discharged Soldiers' Refute Claim Made by A. MacGregor.

"The World has received the following letter, dated 12th Sunday, from T. Whitwell Birkett, publicity agent of the Association of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, 2 Gerard street..."

JUMPED FROM BRIDGE. Dependent over private affairs it is thought Thomas Lewis, aged 35, living at 282 Sunnyside street, jumped off the Wilton avenue bridge yesterday...

When picked up by the ambulance he was rushed to St. Michael's hospital where he expired yesterday evening from fractures and internal injuries.

VILIFICATION PROMISE FORGOTTEN BY SPEAKERS

Supporters of Labor Candidate in South Toronto Use His Words Concerning Opponents.

Altho John H. Kennedy, chairman of the meeting held in Occident Hall last night in the interests of D. A. Carey, labor candidate in South Toronto, assured the audience at the beginning that there would be no vilification of the opposing candidates...

"So it is," broke in a woman in the audience. "Do they mean to say that these robbers can win the war?" asked Mr. Kennedy.

DENIES AFFILIATION WITH LAURIER PARTY

John Vick, East Toronto Candidate, Says He is Bound to No Leader.

Labor's side of the political issue was placed before a large audience at Winchester Hall, corner of Winchester street and York street, last night, where an enthusiastic meeting was held in the interests of John Vick, labor candidate for East Toronto...

"The candidate said he was pledged to the support of the Labor party, and to conscription in the event of the war, with no strings attached."

HIGHER PAY FOR SOLDIERS ADVOCATED

This is Chief Plank in Platform of Independent Candidate in Centre Toronto.

Dr. Norman Allen, E. W. J. Owens, M.L.A., and Thomas Hook, M.L.A., have made severe criticism at the candidate's Centre Toronto independent platform held at the Labor Temple...

SUFFOCATED BY GAS.

Jean Lorrie Found Dead in Bed and Gas Leaking.

Late yesterday morning Jean Lorrie, aged 27, single, of 140 Tecumseth street, was found dead in bed by a police officer who went to the spot after receiving a telephone call from some unknown person to the effect that a man had jumped from the bridge and was lying on the floor below.

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YORK COUNTY -AND- SUBURBS

MACLEAN FIRST IN WANTS MAJORITY LABOR'S INTERESTS BIG AS ENLISTMENT

Championed Cause in Parliament as Far Back as Year 1903.

Ald. H. H. Ball Calls on South York to Keep Up Its Good Record.

HAS GOOD MEETING. Enthusiastic Gathering in Speaker Says, if They Could Be Brought Back, They Would So Vote.

A large and enthusiastic meeting was held last night in Ratspey's Hall, Oakwood avenue, in the interests of Union government and W. F. Maclean, labor candidate in South York...

John Percy said it was incumbent on the Province of Quebec to do its share. He then from the front could be transferred back to Canada for the election they would vote as a united front.

LOYAL TRUE BLUES FOR UNION GOVERNMENT

Duchess of York Lodge Passes Resolution to That Effect at Annual Meeting.

The Duchess of York Lodge, No. 28, E. B. held its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. J. H. King, 100 St. George street, last night...

POLITICAL CONTROVERSY WARM IN NORTH YORK

Both Candidates Holding Nightly Meetings, and Expected to Be Heaviest Fought.

The riding of North York is in the throes of one of the most bitter contests in the history of the province...

POLICE CALLED TWICE AT FOSTER MEETING

Women's Vote the Most Powerful Leverage in Campaign, Says Mrs. Lindsay.

Interruptions by returned soldiers in favor of Major R. Cockburn's features the meeting held in the interests of Conservative candidate, Mrs. J. C. Lindsay...

SMITHBONE TO BE CANDIDATE.

It is confidently anticipated among the members of the citizens' committee of the Citizens' League that the organization, T. S. Smithbone, will be a candidate for the next election...

SMALL ORDERS COAL AVAILABLE.

A local firm of coal merchants in the district John Walsh of the citizens' committee in a position to supply the needs of coal, from the large quantities of half-ton and one-ton lots.

cause they were afraid of losing their jobs at the city hall.

The chairman asked for a standing ovation to Mr. Maclean, who was in the hall, and the people present rose to their feet.

ORANGE INSTALLATION.

The annual installation ceremony of McCormack Lodge, No. 2142 was directed by Mr. J. C. Wootton.

BEDFORD PARK MASQUERADE.

Robin Hood Lodge, S.O.E., held a very successful masquerade ball at the home of Mrs. J. H. King, 100 St. George street, last night.

BOWLING CLUB EUCHE.

The first of a series of euche parties to be conducted during the winter months by the West Toronto Bowling Club...

TENNIS CLUB EUCHE.

Members of the Riverside Tennis Club spent a very enjoyable social evening last night at the home of Miss Ethel Smith...

SEES TERRIBLE BLOW IN UNIONIST DEFEAT

Men at Front Will Feel Badly Any Lack of Home Support.

Canadian Associated Press Cable. London, Dec. 13.—Rev. Dr. John Neil, Toronto, moderator of the Canadian Presbyterian Church, has arrived to visit the troops in England and France.

"I have not had an opportunity of meeting the general," said Dr. Neil, "but even in the few days I have been here I have met many men from the front, and also chaplains. The consensus of opinion is absolute that it will be a terrible blow to our men at the front if anything is done to deprive them of their homes in this crisis, and not standing behind the men, or will not give all the support possible."

PLEADS FOR ANIMALS

Toronto Humane Society to Help Fund for Halifax.

The Nova Scotia Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has written to the Toronto society asking for the animals freed in Halifax for use of shelter...

ON CHARGE OF FRAUD.

Lewis Ellis, 40 Wellesley street, former ticket agent for the Canadian Pacific Railway at Camp Borden, was taken in charge by the police yesterday evening on a charge of fraud.

ARM WAS MANGLED.

While working at a paper baler at Mr. Granatstein & Son's plant yesterday David Heller, aged 35, living at 488 Wellington street, had his arm so badly mangled that its amputation was necessary.

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John Ronanu, no address, was picked up yesterday evening by Detectives Guthrie and Nurey on a charge of theft of \$68, and it is alleged he signed his name to a postoffice order made out to another man in Port Colborne. He is an Austrian.

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W.F. Maclean

ENDORSED BY Sir Robt. Borden AND THE UNIONIST GOVT AS THE UNIONIST-WIN-THE-WAR CANDIDATE FOR SOUTH YORK

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252 Danforth Ave. TELEPHONE GERRARD 1116

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1245 St. Clair Ave. TELEPHONE JCT. 7939

Fairbank District 2 EVERSFIELD RD. (COR. DUFFERIN)

Oakwood District OAKWOOD AND VAUGHAN ROAD

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RECOMMEND PENSION TO RETIRING FOREMAN

Not Much of Contentious Nature, However, for City Council Today.

Few contentious items are on the order sheet for the city council this afternoon, but there are a number of seemingly unimportant recommendations in the report of the board of control that are sure to cause much discussion.

The recommendation of the board that a pension of \$9 a week be paid to James Richardson, a retiring foreman in the street cleaning department for the next three months, will bring up the old question of pensions, which the aldermen predict is bound to "break" one way or another.

Works Commissioner Harris is asking for authority to spend \$50,000 in installing air-chambers in the John street pumping station. The board has recommended a grant of \$32,000 to the Women's College Hospital, and this was refused by council a few weeks ago; and also a grant of \$17,000 to St. Michael's Hospital.

Four clerks in the city clerk's office, who are gaining ground in salary, are recommended for increases, and also the debate on this question promises to be keen.

MOBILIZE SERBIANS

Those Resent in United States to Be Sent on to Toronto.

Word was received last night that the Serbians in the United States are to be recruited by the British military to Toronto for mobilization, and a detachment to forestry and construction units of the Canadian army.

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CHAPLAINS OFF FOR FRONT.

London, Dec. 13.—The following chaplains have gone overseas: S. E. Ralston, W. J. Hamilton, J. C. Ralston, P. W. White, J. K. Tibbitts, J. Paquin, Hawkes.

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Judge Coat Appeals, Must Ha

In the afternoon before Judge Coat appeals, must have been accompanied at that his secretary was making a statement.

Paper Pater, who was blind and lame, was taken to the hospital in the ambulance, and was placed in the ambulance, and was taken to the hospital.

On the 13th of the month, the city council will meet, and it is expected that the city clerk will report on the board of control's recommendations.

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