

1888. TORONTO MAYORALTY. 1888.

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE ARE RESPECTFULLY REQUESTED FOR

ELIAS ROGERS THE CITIZENS' CANDIDATE.

In the interests of "Municipal Reform, Progressive Moral Legislation and Honest Enforcement of Law."

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1888. ST. THOMAS' WARD. 1888.

YOU ARE RESPECTFULLY REQUESTED TO SUPPORT

ROBT. J. FLEMING

FOR RE-ELECTION AS ALDERMAN.

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'88 ST. JOHN'S WARD '88

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE ARE RESPECTFULLY REQUESTED FOR

FRANK MOSES

Independent Candidate for Alderman.

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'88. ST. PATRICK'S WARD. '88.

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE ARE RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED FOR THE RE-ELECTION OF

GEORGE J. ST. LEGER

AS ALDERMAN FOR 1888.

ELECTION TAKES PLACE ON MONDAY, JANUARY 2nd, 1888.

ST. THOMAS' WARD.

GIVE YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE FOR

EDWARD HEWITT

AS ALDERMAN FOR 1888.

MONDAY, JANUARY 2, ELECTION DAY.

1888. ST. ANDREW'S WARD. 1888.

Your Vote and Influence are respectfully solicited for the Election of

JAS. BOND

AS ALDERMAN FOR 1888.

Election takes place on Monday, January 2nd, 1888.

CIVIC AND MORAL REFORM.

St. Mark's Ward Citizens Electoral Ticket. For Aldermen for 1888.

JOHN RONEY

D. D. CHRISTIE

and the Homes, Health and Prosperity of the Citizens.

ELECTORS OF ST. STEPHEN'S WARD.

Your Vote and Influence are Respectfully Solicited for the Re-election of

R.H. GRAHAM

AS ALDERMAN FOR 1888.

Election will Take Place on Monday, January 2nd, 1888.

TO THE ELECTORS OF

ST. JOHN'S WARD.

Your Vote and Influence Respectfully solicited for the election of

A. H. GILBERT

As Alderman for 1888. Election will take place on Monday, January 2, 1888.

Primitive Methodist Colonization Co. TORONTO ONTARIO

Notice is hereby given that the yearly meeting of this Company will be held in Room 3, Temperance Hall, on Thursday, January 13th, 1888, to elect directors and transact other necessary business. W. H. K. SECRETARY.

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"Have you anything to offer the court before the sentence is passed?" asked the judge.

"No your honor," replied the prisoner, "my lawyer took the last cent I had Central Good Templar."

A TRACIKER observed a huge blot of ink on a boy's copy book. "What is that?" he demanded. "Sure I think it's a tear, sir." A tear! how could a tear be black? "Sure I think, wan of the colored boys dropped it sir."—The Earth.

Onuka Danu—"Your baby seems very bright for his age." Kanas Mother—"Oh, he's just as smart as they make them." On-ka Nams.—"Can he say 'papa' and 'mamma' yet?"—Kanas Mother—"No, he aint learned that, but you just ought to hear him lisp 'woal catate'."

Abraham Lincoln on Temperance!

"ALTHOUGH the temperance cause has been in progress many years, it is apparent to all that it is just now being crowned with a degree of success hitherto unparalleled.

"The list of friends is daily swelled by the addition of fifties, of hundreds, and of thousands. The cause itself seems suddenly transformed from a cold, abstract theory, to a living, breathing, active, and powerful chieftain, going forth 'conquering and to conquer.' The citadels of his great adversary are daily being stormed and dismantled; his temples and his altars, where the rites of his idolatrous worship have long been performed, and where human sacrifice has long been wont to be made, are daily desecrated and deserted. What one of us but can call to mind some relative, more promising in youth than all his fellows, who has fallen a sacrifice to his rapacity? He over seems to have gone forth like the Egyptian angel of death, commissioned to slay, if not the first, the fairest born of every family. Shall he now be arrested in his desolating career? In that arrest, all can give aid that will; and who shall be accused that can and will not? Far around as human breath has ever blown, he keeps our fathers, our brothers, our sons, and our friends prostrate in the chains of moral death. To all the living, everywhere, we cry, 'Come, sound the moral trumpet, that they may rise and stand up an exceeding great army'; 'Come from the four winds, O breath! and breathe upon these slain that they may live.' If the relative grandeur of revolutions shall be estimated by the great amount of human misery they alleviate, and the small amount they inflict, then, indeed, will this be the grandest the world shall ever have seen.

"Of our political revolution of '78 we are justly proud. It has given us a degree of political freedom far exceeding that of any other nation of the earth. In it the world has found a solution of the long-mooted problem as to the capability of man to govern himself. In it was the germ which has vegetated, and still is to grow and expand into the universal liberty of mankind.

"But with all these glorious results, past, present, and to come, it has its evils too. It breathed forth famine, swam in blood, and rode in fire; and long, long after, the orphans' cry and the widows' wail continued to break the sad silence that ensued. Those were the price, the inevitable price, paid for the blessings it brought.

"Turn now to the temperance revolution. In it we shall find a stronger bondage broken, a viler slavery unannounced, a greater tyrant deposed. In it, more of want supplied, more disease healed, more sorrow assuaged. By it, no orphans starving, no widows weeping, by it, none wounded in feeling, none injured in interest, even the dram-maker and dram seller will have glided into other occupations so gradually as never to have felt the change, and will stand ready to join all others in the universal song of gladness. And what a noble ally this to the cause of political freedom! With such an aid, its march cannot fail to be on and on, till every son of earth shall drink in rich fruition the sorrow-quenching draughts of perfect liberty. Happy day, when all appetites controlled, all passions subdued, all matter subjected; mind, all-conquering mind, shall live and move the monarch of the world! Glorious consummation! Hail, fall of fury! Reign of reason, all hail!

"And when the victory shall be complete—when there shall be neither slave nor drunkard on the earth—how proud the title of that land which may truly claim to be the birthplace and the cradle of both those revolutions that shall have ended in that victory! How nobly distinguished that people who shall have planted and nurtured to maturity both the political and moral freedom of their species!"—Abraham Lincoln.

The "Liberty" party, made up mostly of German societies, want a law passed at Albany allowing saloons to open Sunday afternoons at twelve o'clock and remain open till midnight. The convention which recently met at Albany claims to represent 75,000 votes, and includes all the brewers, distillers and saloon-keepers.

The Jewish World says "that the negroes in Africa are fast becoming Mahomedan, and that they may be counted in thousands to the tens of Christians. It seems not to be disputed also, that the failure in securing the thousands for the Christian mission is due to what has now become a recognized and much deplored fact, that with the Gospel went the gin devil, with the message of peace and good will went the emissaries of commerce and civilization with their poisonous wares in their hands."

Our Gasket.

BITS OF TINSEL.

"I can give you a good point," said the mosquito, softly, in the ear of the sleeping editor, "for insertion on your outside."

"Don't you suppose," said a member of the police force, "that a policeman knows a rogue when he sees him?" "No doubt," was the reply, "but the trouble is, that he does not seize a rogue when he knows him."—N.Y. Evening Post.

An old couple was walking down the street the other day, reading signs, when they came across one which the old man read thus: 'Johnson's Shirt Store.' 'Well, I declare,' exclaimed the old lady, 'I wonder how he tore it.'—The Clarion.

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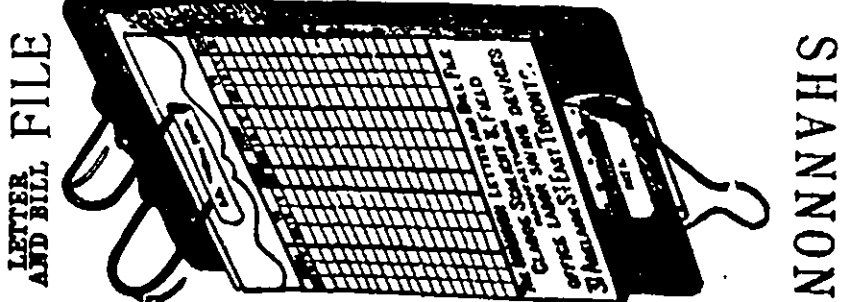
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