

NEW CANDIDATES FOR SCHOOL BOARD AND ALDERMANIC HONORS

Something About the Men Who Are Seeking the Support of the Electors.

The majority, if not all, of the new aspirants for aldermanic and school board honors are well known to many Londoners.

Mr. George W. Armstrong is an ex-alderman and a prominent businessman. He is the head of the firm known as the London Brass Manufacturing Company.

JUVENILES GOT A HOLIDAY JAG

And Magistrate Love Promises to Punish Party Who Sold Liquor to Them.

The strenuous Yuletide season did not produce as many drunks as was expected. Only five were in the police court cage this morning, and three of them were under age.

SMALL CIVIC POTATOES

Petty Complaints Against Alderman Stevely by the Free Press.

All the Free Press can find against Ald. Stevely is that his firm sold a few paltry articles—about \$100 worth—to different civic bodies this year.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Mr. A. J. Brenton, Winnipeg, spent Christmas at his home in this city. Mr. H. G. Kerrigan, of North Bay, and Ernest Kerrigan, are spending the Christmas holidays here.

HAPPENINGS IN FRENCH CAPITAL

Loubet Sends Gift to Amelia of Portugal. FRENCH CLERGY IS ANXIOUS. Contemplate With Terror the Pillage of Which They Say They Are the Victims.

JURORS BEING SELECTED

County Judges Macbeth and Elliott and Sheriff Cameron, Warden Piper, County Treasurer McEvoy, Mayor Campbell, City Treasurer Pope, and Crown Attorney McKillop, are making the selection of jurors for 1906, at the courthouse.

ORDERLY ON HOLIDAY

The Christmas holidays were the most orderly in recent years. So say the police of the city. There were few drunks run in, and petty thieving about hotels and other places was very small.

SCHOOL REPORT FOR DECEMBER

The following is the standing of the pupils of school section No. 7, West Nissouri, for December. The names are arranged in order of merit: Class V.—Marla Hueston, Adella Hueston, Madge Gibson, Wilfred Hueston, Arnold Nicholson.

BEER IN THE WRONG PLACE

Ladies of W. C. T. U Victims of a Misunderstanding. Some of the members of the W. C. T. U. feel rather crestfallen today. The other day a certain Jewish gentleman asked to rent Somerset Hall for a benefit concert.

Keep the Skin Oomfortable

BALM-ZOIN

It makes and keeps the skin soft, smooth and comfortable. It is not greasy and does not clog the pores.

Strong's Drug Store

184 DUNDAS STREET.

Permanent School of Ladies' Garment Cutting

Private lessons, not classes. Each pupil taught individually, and with every privilege of free assistance after course is completed.

Christmas Bargains For You.

Raisin Seeders, each \$1.50. Meat Choppers, each \$1.25. Cobble Outfits, each \$1.50.

COWAN'S HARDWARE

127 Dundas Street.

Eyes Tested and Glasses Fitted.

To suit any condition of eye. To relieve eye strain completely. To straighten cross eyes.

Your Vote and Influence solicited for the re-election of

Thos. Gillean AS ALDERMAN.

New York, Dec. 26. — Noon. — Today's market opened excited, and in most cases very strong.

And now as to Diamonds!

It is not without reason that Canada's largest Jewellery house should be known as Diamond Hall.

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A Happy New Year To All.

J. A. BROWNLEE

385 and 387 Talbot Street Successor to Wm. Wyatt

The Bank of Toronto

IN BUSINESS FIFTY YEARS RECORD

For business year ending 30th November, 1905. Capital, \$3,549,585

Rest, \$3,859,585. Deposits, \$21,367,075. Loans and Investments, \$27,433,324.

Total Assets, \$32,806,741. Increase for year, \$5,617,235.

We Have a Separate Banking Room For Women. JOHN PRINGLE, Manager

CHICAGO EXCHANGE

Table with columns: Wheat, Open, High, Low, Close. Rows include December, May, July, etc.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

Table with columns: Chicago, Dec. 26. Rows include Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, etc.

STOCK MARKETS

Table with columns: Canadian Pacific, Montreal Railway, etc.

Drink-Maddened Cossacks

7 o'clock in the evening. It is impossible to move about the city in consequence of the frequency of stray bullets.

Wise Talks by the Printer's Devil

A little while ago I was taking the forms down on the elevator to wash 'em off when the blame thing stuck and I couldn't get up or down.

A Family Row

Schenectady, Dec. 25. — In the course of a heated family row tonight, Mrs. Maria Gomora, 40 years old, was slashed on the face and head with a razor by her brother-in-law, Joseph Franz.

Twenty Inches of Snow

Waterbury, N. Y., Dec. 25. Twenty inches of snow has fallen during a storm that continued incessantly for fourteen hours, ending last night.