To the Trade
Dec. 17th.

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YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

Public Meeting Called to Discuss Proposed Waterworks Extension in North Toronto.

SUBURBAN COUNCILS IN SESSION.

York Township Shows a Most Satisfactory Financial Statement—Polling Places and Officers.

Toronto Junction, Dec. 16.—The last meeting of the Town Council in the present century was held in the council chamber yesterday morning with the mayor, P. Laughton, presiding. The Board of Health instructed the Town Solicitor some time ago to collect the board bill from those persons isolated at Mrs. Taylor's and Mrs. Adams' during the smallpox epidemic. The solicitor was also instructed to charge those patients treated in the smallpox hospital for attendance. The solicitor made a test case in the suit against Walker and got judgment, but at yesterday's meeting of the council it was decided that, in view of the town having paid $500 already, to meet these expenses, it was not advisable for the town to go to the trouble and annoyance of collecting this amount from the individual. Reserving the right to collect the amounts if they chose, the council instructed the solicitor to abandon all proceedings in the matter. A resolution was passed thanking Bandmaster J. Wiggins and his assistants for the open air concerts given during the summer, and the men employed to screen gravel will in future be allowed 50c per load. The financial statement presented by the town treasurer showed that there is a rest account of $3000, which he urges should be added to in the next two years in order to meet the increased interest on debentures, which will come due then.

Court Davenport, I.O.F., has elected officers for the year as follows: C.R., C. Richardson; V.C.R., J. Shoulin; Secretary, D. Jones; Financial Secretary, I. L. Beattie; Treasurer, D. Mason; Chaplain, R. Harper; P.C.R., W. Thomas; Court Deputy, J. T. McGlenning; Woodwards, Bros. Hand and Irwin; Beadles, Bros. Shrigley and Smith; Physician, Dr. Perfect.

The annual meeting of the Toronto Junction Conservative Association will be held in the Campbell Block to-morrow evening, when, in addition to speeches by Hon. N. Clarke Wallace and J. W. St. John, there will be given addresses by other well-known politicians.

The Reformers met in Thompson Hall last night and elected delegates to the Liberal Convention to be held at Weston next Wednesday. Mr. A. B. Rice tried to cheer up their despondent spirits in an encouraging address, in which he told them not to be scared and that they were sure to win in the next provincial campaign. Next Saturday they will hold their annual meeting and elect officers.

Walter Pooler of McMurray-avenue was struck across the forehead with a heavy sledgehammer in the hands of a workman with whom he was working in the C.P.R. shops. The blow was an accidental one, but caused Mr. Pooler to have several stitches put in.

East Toronto.

The last regular meeting of the East Toronto Council for 1900 was held on Saturday evening. The councillors present were: Brown, Faircloth, Dudley and McElroy. In the absence of the Reeve, Councillor Brown presided. The principal business was the receiving of Treasurer McCulloch's statement. It was ordered to be printed in The Tribune forthwith, so as to enable the ratepayers to look fully into the statement prior to nomination.

Medical Health Officer W. R. Walters' resignation from the Health Board was accepted. In the absence of the Reeve, the accounts and third reading of electric by-law regulating the schedule of rates, were left over for an adjourned meeting.

One of the finest concerts ever held in East Toronto will be given in the Y.M.C.A. Hall this evening, under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A. Among the many artists who will take part are: Miss Emma Scott-Ruff, Miss Dora McMurtry, Miss Jessie C. Perry and W. J. A. Carnahan.

The funeral of the late F. Richardson, the G.T.R. engineer, who was accidentally killed on Thursday, took place on Saturday afternoon to Norway Cemetery. There was a large attendance of friends, and also of members of the S.O.E.B.S. and B. of L.F., to which societies the deceased belonged. The services at the house were conducted by the Rev. T. H. Rogers, and at the grave by the Rev. W. L. Baynes-Reed.

North Toronto.

A conference between the York Township Council and other interested parties will take place to-night at the Rosedale Lacrosse Clubhouse, in reference to the Glenavenue steel bridge.

The statutory meeting of the Town Council was held on Saturday night at the Town Hall. Mayor Davis and Councillors Brown, Brownlow and Armstrong were the only members present. J. K. Harris presented a similar petition to that presented to the York Township Council, asking for the secession of a portion of the town, or, in default, that special legislation be procured, similar to that obtained in other towns, by which the tax rate on farm lands remains at a set rate. The Mayor promised to deal with the subject in the best interests of the town. Mr. Klinck, a resident of Sherwood-avenue, pointed out the inconveniences now suffered by the residents of that street by reason of the laying of a water main, and temporary entrances to premises were suggested. The Board of Works will remedy the trouble if possible. The Treasurer's financial statement and the committee's reports were concurred in, and the Council adjourned till Wednesday, Dec. 26.

Mayor Davis has called a public meeting to discuss the proposed expenditure of $10,000 on waterworks extension, at the Town Hall on Thursday, Dec. 27.

York Township Council.

In company with other Councils, York Township representatives met Saturday, with Reeve Duncan in the chair. This meeting was a record one in the financial history of the municipality, for never before, during the terms of the present officials, has such a cash balance stood to the credit of the township at this period of the year. The cash on hand on Dec. 15 was $17,478.30, and is a remarkable showing, when it is considered that only seven years ago the bank account showed a balance on the wrong side of nearly $60,000. Careful husbanding of the township's resources during the past few years is mainly responsible for this satisfactory state of affairs.

A communication was received from the village of East Toronto, offering to supply electric lights to Little York at 17½ cents a light a night. Councillor Sylvester objected to making a contract at the price offered, and a comparison with the city company's charges at Moore Park and Rosedale, elicited by Councillor Miller, showed that 20½ and 23½ cents, respectively, were paid a night. The latter figure, however, included lamp attendance, not stipulated by East Toronto village. Councillor Miller favored some definite action, and, failing the acceptance of the electric lights, had the Reeve and Councillor Sylvester appointed to secure prices for a supply of gas lamps.

The movement started in North Toronto for the opening of streets thru to the city, east and west of Yonge-street, was brought before this Council. Mayor Davis and Councillors Armstrong and Brownlow, and Mr. W. G. Ellis were a delegation for that purpose. The urgency of an outlet thru Mount Pleasant Cemetery was pointed out by the first three speakers, and Mr. Ellis dwelt at considerable length on the advisability of starting the movement on a well-devised plan, without reference to any particular thoroughfare. The Reeve and Councillor Miller acknowledged the force of the arguments presented, and a motion was passed, naming the Reeve to assist the present committee in proceeding in the steps indicated.

The residents of Sammon-avenue and Mortimer-road secured a grant of $50 for improving each road, at the last meeting of the Council, but, finding this insufficient to do the necessary work, came again for a further sum of $25 each. The applicants agreed to supplement the grant by an equal expenditure contributed by themselves, and on this basis the grant was passed.

Mr. J. K. Harris presented a petition, signed by most of the property owners on Yonge-street, north of Glengrove Park, to Bedford Park, at present part of the Town of North Toronto, praying to be taken into the boundaries of the township. Reeve Duncan remarked that it was late in the year to take up the question, but it might require legislation, and, in that event, immediate action should be commenced after the first of the year. As far as he could say at present, he had no objection to the request made by the petitioners, but the question would have to be thoroly considered. The section should not have gone into the town in the first place.

Mr. Harris: We never asked to go in.

Mr. Goulding: Sometimes our friends take us in. [Laughter.]

The Clerk was asked to furnish the Council with the assessment of the proposed addition before the matter is again taken up.

The reading of the Treasurer's financial statement occupied considerable time. The statement showed that the recent tax sale had created a premium of $1729.11 on a total sale of $13,878.

Mrs. Stephens of Toronto Junction was recently sent a cheque for $25, as a grant to her son, Seath, who volunteered for South African service, and sent in return the following patriotic reply:

"Your favor of the 4th inst. to hand, with inclosed cheque for the sum of $25, for which accept my heartiest thanks. I take great pleasure in acknowledging the same. I will convey to my son, serving in South Africa, the congratulations and good wishes of the Council and officers of the Township of York. Seath is only doing in South Africa what his maternal great-grandfather did at Queenston Heights and Lundy's Lane. In upholding the prestige of our Queen and country's flag, I trust my sons will ever, in the future, do as our family has done in the past."

The by-law appointing polling places and deputy returning officers was filled as follows: 1, Chegiers house, Norway; Robert Burns; 2, Fire Hall, Little York, Robert Patterson; 3, Bater's Hall, Todmorden, F. De La Vigne; 4, Gay's store, Deer Park, C. V. Michell; 5, Bestard's shop, Lansing, Jos. Boles; 6, schoolhouse, Independent-road, R. Milne; 7, Summers' house, Clarke's Corners, F. Clarke; 8, Falvey's house, St. Clair-avenue, Ed. Grainger; 9, Turner's Hall, Bracondale, William McNabb; 10, Hollis' house, Davenport-road, William Carter; 11, Stephen's house, Jane-street, James Ashman; 12, schoolhouse, Mt. Dennis, G. Piggott; 13, Fairbank Postoffice, G. Anderson; 14, Purdy's house, H. Jackson; 15, G. Carruthers' house, J. H. Snider; 16, Brennan's house, York Mills, William Boucock.

BOWMANVILLE FIREBUGS

Destroyed the Coach House and Other Buildings Belonging to Dr. McLaughlin.

Bowmanville, Ont., Dec. 16.—Rathskamery, the family residence of Dr. J. W. McLaughlin, Registrar, was the scene of another incendiary fire early this morning. About 4 o'clock the stableman was awakened by crackling of flames, and, going to the window of his bedroom, discovered that the coach house, a large frame building, was on fire. He immediately aroused the family, and a telephone message was sent to ring the fire bell, but such headway had been made that the building was well consumed before the brigade got down to effective work. The coach house contained all the summer and winter vehicles, robes, garden tools, etc. The wood house, containing $40 worth of wood and many other things, and several other outhouses, were destroyed. The loss is only partially covered by insurance. No doubt exists as to its being another case of incendiarism, as parties were seen running from that direction a few minutes before the alarm was given.

AN ENJOYABLE EVENING MAY BE Spent this week at the Mason & Risch piano warerooms, 32 King-street west, by anyone, no matter how remote their intention of making a purchase.

Pianos of the firm's own manufacture, in addition to a special importation of Chickering grands and uprights, in rare natural woods, are on exhibition, and in themselves will repay a visit. Then those wonderful instruments, the Pianola and Aeolian Orchestrelle, which have during the past 18 months made such a sensation in the musical world, may be seen and heard. The Mason & Risch warerooms will be open every evening this week, and everyone is extended a cordial invitation to be present.

Come and spend a pleasant hour; you will come again.

Canada's Great Band Saturday.

On Saturday, the 48th Highlanders' Band will return from their triumphant tour of the United States, which has been a series of the most unqualified successes. The band is now in such demand that it will make a trip to the Eastern States, leaving for the East on Dec. 27. A great reception and ovation concert will be tendered them at Massey Hall on Saturday evening, when the full program, as given on tour, will be presented, with several additional features. The sale of reserved seats will begin on Wednesday morning.

Westman Broke His Leg.

James Westman, who lives at 9 Portland-street, fell on Front-street on Saturday night and broke his right leg. He was taken to the General Hospital in the police ambulance.

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Dr. Jennison, in an interesting article on indigestion and dyspepsia, says: "Nine-tenths of all people who apply to me for advice and treatment think they have this ailment or that ailment, but I find, on close examination, that their whole trouble arises from poor digestion.

"They have little appetite, and if they do have an appetite the food they eat does them no good. Why? Because it is but half digested, causing thin blood, weak nerves, sleeplessness, aching bones, pains in chest, formation of gases, belching, etc. They tell me they believe they have consumption, or heart disease, rheumatism, nervous prostration, in fact, most every disease but the right one.

"In reality, the whole trouble is in the stomach, and nowhere else. Now, what do I do with such people? I don't feed them on pre-digested foods, like babies, nor 'stomach bitters,' nor patent nostrums, which I know nothing about. No honorable physician will prescribe a remedy unless he knows what it contains and its probable effects.

"For all such patients I have but one prescription; I advise them to go to the nearest drug store and get a 50-cent box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I use them with remarkable success in all cases of indigestion and stomach trouble, because I know what Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets consist of, and what they will do. They contain the vegetable essences, diastase and government-test pepsin, which are the things every weak stomach lacks to restore natural digestive vigor, and if I had dyspepsia myself it is the one remedy I should take."

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TREASURER AN EMBEZZLER

Confessed Crime on Deathbed and U.S. Order of Chosen Friends is Wiped Out.

A RECEIVER IS PUT IN CHARGE,

But With Assets About $54,000 and Liabilities Nearly $300,000 Recovery is Hopeless.

New York, Dec. 16.—The Attorney-General of Indiana filed suit Friday morning in Indianapolis for the appointment of a receiver for the Order of Chosen Friends, a fraternal insurance association, which was incorporated in that state 22 years ago, and which has its national headquarters there. The Attorney-General's application was granted and Cyrus J. Clark was made receiver.

The Supreme Councillor of the organization is Howard H. Morse, a lawyer of 10 Wall-street, this city. Its Supreme Treasurer was William B. Wilson, who died in Newark on Oct. 31, after stealing $34,600 of the funds of the order.

Stealings Were Hidden.

The fact of Wilson's defalcation was not made public until Friday, when the news came from Indiana about the action of the Attorney-General of that State. His shortage was known to the officers of the order, however, five days before his death, when he confessed that he had used the money to invest in mining stocks. Supreme Councillor Morse admitted that the Order of Chosen Friends was practically wiped out already and that the 25,000 members would not get a cent for all they had paid in. "Why," said Mr. Morse, "they won't find enough assets to pay the receivership fees," and then he explained how the organization had been ruined.

Too Much for Too Little.

The primary cause of the failure, he said, was in the stupidity of the founder of the order in promising too much for too little. The immediate causes of the failure, he added, were the stealings of the late Supreme Treasurer, William B. Wilson, and the demands for death benefits amounting to $600,000 resulting from the Galveston flood. This loss of about $100,000 in a lump was too much for the order in spite of the fact that it had 22,000 members and had been doing business 22 years. There was no surplus.

Tried to Stave it Off.

Soon after learning the full extent of Wilson's defalcation Supreme Councillor Morse tried to stave off the crash by frightening all the old members into getting new ones to join so as to increase the funds and create a reserve. He sent an appeal to each of the 22,000 members, both men and women, two weeks ago, in which he said: "The average age of members is too high. The annual death rate because of age is excessive. The monthly revenue is insufficient. This must be remedied at once."

Liabilities $300,000.

The actual assets of the order to-day are $54,000. This sum includes $30,000 in bonds of the Fidelity Deposit Company of Maryland that furnished surety for the defaulting treasurer. This month's dues would amount to $45,000 more, but Mr. Morse does not expect that any of them will be paid in now, because of the legal proceedings against the order. The liabilities, which consist principally of death, disability and old age claims, are about $300,000.

To Organize a New Order.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 15.—Telegrams were sent out from the supreme headquarters of the Order of Chosen Friends in this country yesterday, calling a meeting of members of the Supreme Council, supreme trustees and past supreme councillors in this city next Thursday to organize a new fraternal beneficiary association. The object of the new organization will be to reinsure members of the Order of Chosen Friends, which, by order of the court yesterday was placed in the hands of Cyrus J. Clark, as receiver. Mr. Clark, with J. B. Linn, supreme recorder, has gone to New York to investigate the affairs of the order there.

Plans Made Public.

Plans of the Standard Fraternal Association, which it is intended shall reinsure the members of the Chosen Friends, so far as possible, were made public to-day by those who are at the head of the new organization, which is designed to be the successor of the defunct fraternity. The table of rates has been decided upon for members of the order, no matter whether former Chosen Friends or not. They provide for level and steep rates.

For persons over 54 and under 74, the schedule of rates will be the average rates per thousand contained in the table approved by the National Fraternal Congress, English friendly societies, Canada Life experience, Manchester Unity, I.O.F. actuaries' tables and American experience table.

Over 74 the new organization will not take members, and all Chosen Friends over 74 are shut out without insurance. The Order of Chosen Friends is dead.

"Our Unknown North."

There was a large attendance at the lecture of Mr. L. O. Armstrong before the Y.M.C.A. on Saturday evening. By word paintings and photographic transparencies, the lecturer gave a most instructive description of the northern slope of the Laurentians from Quebec to the great Saskatchewan country at Fort Cumberland. Having visited that portion of the country himself, Mr. Armstrong was able to give his personal experiences, and he also quoted the opinions of Tyrrell, Macoun, Bell, McDonald, of the Hudson Bay Company, as to the greatness of this unknown land. Mr. Armstrong also described the origin of the drama of "Hiawatha," which was presented at Desbarats by the Ojibway Indians, in the presence of the family of Longfellow, the great poet, and which is likely to become an annual affair in our New Ontario. Illustrations were also presented of the ice-breaker Ermack, and the possibilities of winter navigation of the Great Lakes and the St. Lawrence were forcibly shown. All of the views were new to a Toronto audience, and were selected more for instruction than for amusement, but they held the unflagging attention of the audience from beginning to end. Mr. Armstrong's appeal for the colonization of our Northern districts was an earnest and patriotic one, and, altogether, the entertainment was most instructive, interesting and calculated to do good to Canada.

Runaway Horse Killed.

A horse, the property of the Dominion Steam Laundry Company, 305 West Queen-street, became unmanageable near the corner of Spadina-avenue and College-street on Saturday night, and ran south on the former thoroughfare. After the horse had succeeded in tearing itself loose from the wagon it crashed into a north-bound trolley car and was instantly killed. The vestibule of the car was badly damaged and the motorman narrowly escaped serious injury.

Donaldson Had a Gun.

John Donaldson, a middle-aged man, applied for lodgings at the House of Industry last night, and after he had been given accommodation the officials found a loaded revolver and a box of cartridges in his pockets. He was promptly handed over to P.C. Taylor, who locked him up at the Agnes-street Station on a charge of carrying a concealed weapon.

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Fur Caps and Gauntlets.

Two seasonably appropriate items for Xmas gifts, moderately priced:

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The Better Kind of Furnishings for Men.

This list for Tuesday should please the most fastidious, and they can be bought for considerably less than you'll pay outside this store. Read the following details carefully:

Men's Imported Silk and Wool Underwear, blue grey shade, medium winter weight, all woven seams, fine cashmere and silk trimmings, pearl buttons, drawers trouser finished, double-breasted, rib skirt, cuffs and ankles, full fashioned garments and unshrinkable, sizes 40 to 44, 3.50; 34 to 38, per garment **3.00**

Men's Heavy Scotch Wool Underwear, Shetland shade, rib skirt, cuffs and ankles, sateen facings, small, medium and large sizes, regular 90c per garment, Tuesday **.75**

Men's Fine Satin and Silk Suspenders, plain satin and embroidered and fancy woven silk, in fancy patterns and stripes, best American make, light and medium shades, silk elastic and rolled kid ends, Xmas special, per pair, 1.75, 1.50, 1.25, 1.00, **.75**

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Ladies' $2.50 Boots, Tuesday $1.95. Best Dongola Kidskin Button Boots, with heavy extension edge soles, also some with light flexible soles, beautifully finished in every respect, bright new stock, sizes 2½ to 7, never sold less than $2.50, Tuesday, Xmas sale price **1.95**

Ladies' $1.25 Slippers, Tuesday 95c. Newest Style French Felt Slippers, colored navy, green and cardinal, thick plaid fleece linings, combination felt and leather soles, very popular for Xmas gifts, regular $1.25 value, Tuesday, Xmas sale price **.95**

Ladies' Shoe Department—First Floor, Yonge and Queen Sts.

Hand Mirrors at Half Price.

50c Ones for 25c.

These are very heavy plate glass with fancy notched edges. They are set in novel oxidized metal standing frames, and while they are a splendid ladies' hand mirror, they make an ideal shaving glass for a gentleman, our regular price all season has been 50c. We have 308 of them left—they will be sold Tuesday at the Drug Department, at **.25**

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