

NOMINATIONS HELD FOR ALDERMEN AND BOARD OF EDUCATION

EIGHT IN FIRST WARD WHERE FIGHT IS KEEN

Three Sitting Aldermen Will Have Competition From Five Other Aspirants.

FIRE CHIEF THE ISSUE

Morley Avenue Sewage Plant and Don Incinerator Also Discussed by Candidates.

"What about a fire commissioner?" This question was hurled at every one of the eight candidates for aldermanic honors at the ward one nomination meeting in the Royal Canadian Bicycle Club last night. A number of aspirants were able to make satisfactory replies, but those who failed in this respect were subjected to a severe grilling by the audience. Two candidates were nominated for the board of education. W. F. Summerhayes acted as returning officer.

For Aldermen. D. Robbins, 593 Carlaw avenue, secretary, by Dr. H. W. Bullock and H. W. Parsons. Ald. Robert Maxfield Yeomans, 19 Fairview boulevard, contractor, by Thomas Greer and R. Bethune.

Ald. Albert E. Walton, 465 Broadview avenue, gentleman, by John E. Russell and T. P. Monypenny. George Daniels, 360 Pape avenue, coal merchant, by John Grady and T. M. Theobald. Albert H. Wagstaff, 302 Greenwood avenue, brickmaker, by Dr. H. W. Burgess and James Harris.

Walter Brown, 190 Cowxwell avenue, business secretary, by Thomas Stevenson and W. J. Storer. William Wesley Hiltz, 652 Broadview avenue, builder, by T. F. Monypenny and W. C. Charteris. Thomas Greig, 227 Withrow avenue, mechanical engineer, by George Daniels and John Grady.

Dr. Gilmour Johnston, 51 Fairview boulevard, manufacturer, by T. F. Monypenny and Dr. H. W. Burgess. James H. Jones, 75 Dagmar avenue, conductor, by W. H. Fenwick and Joseph Tomkins. Ald. W. D. Robbins referred to the expenditures incurred through the war. He maintained that the council and board of control had done everything possible to simplify matters and in his opinion the big expenditures for ammunition, hospital fees, soldiers' insurances and military bands should be sanctioned by the ratepayers.

The question of a fire commissioner when referred to by the aldermanic aspirants was answered satisfactorily. Mr. Robbins believed that the \$400,000 annual expenditure for apparatus for the department should be spent by a competent man.

Ald. E. M. Walton had promised economy last year, and with the exception of the expenditure for military affairs he had endeavored to follow a retrenchment policy. He was in favor of Canadian-made goods and a firm believer in Sir Adam Beck's radial bylaw.

SIX IN THE CONTEST FOR WARD TWO SEATS

Ald. Risk Decides at the Last Minute to Stay in the Field.

ALL FAVOR THE BYLAW

Each Candidate Expressed Himself as Being Behind Sir Adam Beck's Scheme.

Nominations of candidates aspiring to aldermanic honors in ward two, held in the Winchester Street School last evening, the returning officer being Geo. Brown.

Ald. Herbert H. Ball, journalist, 1817 Yonge street, by John Winnett and C. A. B. Jennings. Ald. Charles A. Risk, dentist, Yonge and Anne streets, by John A. Cooper and W. M. Weeks.

Thomas W. Barber, coal merchant, 31 Adelaide street, by F. Burroughs and Wm. J. Lowe. Charles Henry Beavis, contractor, 352 Gerrard street east, by Charles Meach and Hector McLean.

John R. Beamish, gentleman, 34 Roxborough street east, by C. A. Risk and W. G. Lumbers. Jeremiah Nelson, contractor, 291 St. Clair avenue, by W. W. Smith and H. H. Ball.

John Nole, physician, 219 Carlton street, by John Winnett and C. A. Risk. Richard Charles Brown, machinist, 15 Willow avenue, by Thomas Henry Colne and Morris Bronstein. Before the candidates were given a hearing, Major Atkinson, of the 124th Regiment, was afforded an opportunity to address the electors on behalf of the recruiting movement, the object being to bring the seriousness of the situation to the thinking men of the community.

Ald. C. A. Risk referred briefly to the late Ald. Wicket, and his work as an alderman. He told the electors to believe in the council and board of control, and what they heard about lobbying. He did not think council had done much since 1913 year, and in referring to the fire department matter he advocated a motion, but thought the board of control had not treated council fairly.

He favored the hydro radial bylaw. School trustee Dr. Noble favored yearly election for members of the board of education if the change would be made in a referendum. He said that he had been asked to give the children's health, and that he had been asked to give the children's health, and that he had been asked to give the children's health.

ONE NEW MAN IS OUT IN THE THIRD WARD

McBride the Only Aldermanic Candidate in Toronto Opposing Radial Bylaw

FREE FIGHT AT MEETING

James Simpson's Brother Called McBride a Liar, and the Fight Was On.

At Victoria Hall last night four candidates were nominated to contest for three aldermanic vacancies in ward three. The three representatives in last year's council were all re-nominators, and one new candidate making a bid for the honors. Nobody retired.

The only nominee for the board of education was William Houston of The Globe, who goes in by acclamation. For Aldermen.

Ald. Charles Alfred Maguire, insurance broker, 74 Oriole road, by William C. Miller and Jas. Monro. Ald. Samuel J. McBride, wholesaler lumber merchant, 411 Palmerston boulevard, by Jas. Pearson and William C. Miller.

Joseph George Ramsden, commission broker, 23 Scott street, by Richard Knowles and W. J. Pickard. Thomas George Vance, gentleman, 55 Midland street, by David Hunter and Robert Edgar.

William Houston (re-elected by acclamation), journalist, Jarvis street. Speeches following the nominations were marked by continual interruptions and disorder. Major Atkinson, of the 124th Regiment, was afforded an opportunity to address the electors on behalf of the recruiting movement, the object being to bring the seriousness of the situation to the thinking men of the community.

Ald. James Simpson was the last of the candidates to get the floor. Up to that time all the speakers had had trouble thru the presence of intoxicated persons in the audience who did their best to create an uproar. McBride began with an explanation of why he was opposed to the hydro radial bylaw and then launched into a series of attacks on James Simpson's candidature.

He proceeded to try to prove his assertions by references to speeches made by James Simpson and to his public record. He declared the candidate's socialistic propaganda to be of the most dangerous kind and he instanced speeches at the Labor Temple, Toronto, the Lyric Theatre and the Labor Union in Rochester as significant.

FIVE WARD FOUR WOULD BE ALDERMEN

Six Were Nominated, But One Withdrew and Contest is Keen.

FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION

Miles Vokes, Running Again, is Opposed by Isaac Bainbridge.

Six candidates seeking election to the city council and to the board of education as representatives of Ward Four were announced at the nomination meeting held in Broadway Hall, Spadina avenue, last evening by Returning Officer David W. Clark. Of the aldermanic candidates one withdrew, leaving five in the field.

For Aldermen. Ald. J. A. Cowan, 100 Willcocks street, by W. D. McPherson, M.L.A., and R. E. A. Land. Ald. Louis A. Miller, lawyer, 432 Palmerston avenue, by J. A. Cowan and E. Stone.

Arthur Russell Nesbitt, barrister-at-law, 535 Markham street, by E. A. Donovan, M.L.A., and Harry Lovelock. Ald. W. M. W. General Director, 396 College street, by Albert G. Ball and William R. Black.

W. R. Black, gentleman, 76 Walmer rd., by A. W. Miles and H. G. Peell. Miles Vokes, hardware merchant, 102 St. George street, by George Weston and Isaac Bainbridge, stone cutter, 64 Pears avenue, by Charles F. Hill and H. S. Cavan.

Ald. Cowan was the first candidate to speak. He pointed to the fact that he had carried out his promise made a year ago, and if re-elected would continue to carry out the duties of the very best of his ability. William R. Black assured the audience that if elected as alderman he would give his best judgment in the interests of the city.

Ald. Singer received a warm welcome and utilized his time in discussing a number of public matters. He touched upon that of the fire department, about which he had been not ashamed to say he had opposed every nomination. Whether organization was to be chosen to clear any suspicion of the fire department.

He held a waste time to name Col. Langton so often. Again, when Wm. R. Black was speaking, he was interrupted by a speaker who declared that he would remain in the city for next year there should be a civil service commission, and if elected record would be made in favor of such a scheme.

NINE CANDIDATES OUT FOR SEATS IN FIVE

Plenty of New Men Aspire to Sit in With Ald. J. M. Warren

MEREDITH IS CONFIDENT

G. A. Archibald Also Has Very Good Chance to Be Given One of the Seats.

Nine candidates are in the field seeking election as aldermen of ward five; twelve names were proposed and seconded at the nomination meeting in Orange Hall last evening, but three of them withdrew. N. G. Stevenson was returning officer.

For Aldermen. Ald. John Wesley Meredith, bank manager, 713 Palmerston avenue, by Clifford E. Blackburn, J.P., and George R. Ellis. Ald. John Macdonald Warren, financial agent, 642 Christie street, by George R. Ellis and James Gillespie.

Joseph T. V. May, builder, 22 Shand street, by John Dunn and J. R. L. Starr. Wm. R. Plewman, journalist, 64 Hillton avenue, by J. R. L. Starr and A. J. Keelless.

James Albert Thompson, druggist, 515 Devercourt road, by John Dunn and Thomas Gillespie. Garnet Aikens Archibald, barrister, 28 St. George street, by Robert S. Martin and W. P. Graham.

Robert H. Graham, merchant, 104 Wells Hill avenue, by Hon. Wm. H. Hoyle and C. E. Blackburn, J.P. George H. Hager, lumber dealer, 60 Vermont avenue, by Alex. Mackay and J. W. Benson.

For Board of Education. Wm. M. Delaware, estate broker, 102 Delaware avenue, by George Eppall and C. C. Boyd. John Fletcher Thompson, ex-school teacher, 422 Bloor street, by E. H. Wooley and H. A. Smith.

Ald. Meredith, the first speaker, said he had been persecuted because he had voted for promotion in the fire department as against a colonel in the army. This advocacy, he said, he would continue to the last and in spite of the persecution of the year, he would remain until the end of the year. "And from the reports I receive from my constituents, I feel again to be sent back to the city hall for another term," he said.

FIVE CANDIDATES OUT IN THE SIXTH WARD

Each Spoke Strongly in Favor of the Hydro Radial Bylaw.

HODGSON'S ACCLAMATION

Chairman of Board of Education Was Returned Without Opposition.

Five aldermanic candidates will have their names placed before the voters of ward six on New Year's Day. Ten were nominated at last night's meeting in the Annetie Street Public Library last night. W. J. Conroy acted as returning officer for the 21st successive year. While there were seven candidates, only the present sitting alderman and last year's defeated candidates remain in the field, which gives it the appearance of a close fight.

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ONLY THREE WILL RUN IN THE SEVENTH WARD

F. G. Whetter, Defeated Last Election, Will Try to Regain His Lost Seat

HYDRO BYLAW FAVORED

Ald. Ryding Thinks Commission Should Be Appointed to Control It.

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CANADIAN CASUALTIES

First Battalion. Died—Thomas Plumridge, England. Seriously wounded—William N. Allen, England.

Second Battalion. Wounded (fractured leg)—W. H. Waller, Ottawa.

Wounded—Leo Clarke, Winnipeg.

Suffering from shock—Arthur J. Fricker, England.

Fifth Battalion. Wounded—Charles T. Mann, England.

Seventh Battalion. Wounded—James W. O'Neill, Scotland.

Killed in action—John Campbell, Scotland.

Seriously wounded—Arthur C. N. Roy, St. Albans.

Died of wounds—J. H. Roy, Inverurie, Alb.

Died of tuberculosis—Alex. Urwin, Fairbank P. O., Ont.

Killed in action—Corp. Charles O'Brien, St. John, N.B.

Fifteenth Battalion. Wounded—Wm. High German, Waterville, Me.; Ezra Everett, Kimberley, Ont.

Seventeenth Battalion. Suffering from loss of memory—James J. Lambier, Roxbury, Mass.

Slightly wounded by shell—John McCord, Scotland.

Third Canadian Mounted Rifles. Suffering from loss of memory—Frank T. Harrop, Medicine Hat, Alta.

Fourth Canadian Mounted Rifles. Killed in action—Lieut. James Sear, 113 Spence avenue, Toronto.

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Second Field Company. Canadian Engineers. Wounded—Sapper Robert Vaughn, Maple Creek, Sask.

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Browned potatoes Boiled potatoes Asparagus tips Herbsaints Brussels sprouts

Pium Pudding Brandy sauce Hot mince pie Vanilla ice cream Assorted cakes Demi Tasse

BRAKEMAN IS JAMMED BETWEEN TWO CARS

Roy Gartley, Injured at Milton, Brought to Toronto in Serious Condition.

While engaged in shunting operations at Milton, Ont., at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Roy Gartley of Streetville, a brakeman in the employ of the C.P.R., was jammed between two cars and sustained a compound fracture of the left leg. He was placed on a train coming to Toronto, and on arrival at the Union Station was taken by the police ambulance to the Western Hospital. His condition is reported as serious. He has relatives living at 88 1/2 Bellwoods avenue.

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