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### JURY EMPANELED IN THE BLYTHE INQUEST

TUESDAY MORNING

T. N. Phelan Retained to Defend Accused - York County Sustains Local Option.

AGINCOURT, Jan. 4 .- (Special.)-The whole neighborhood is shocked at the brutality of Walter Blythe, now in Toronto jail, charged with wife-murday, representing the prisoner, and Dr. Sisley attended the post-mortem examination on his behalf. Reggie, the five-year-old son, to-day

gave an insight into the manner in which death was caused .. "I heard a noise," he said. "It was just daddy hitting her. He often did that with a poker and a hammer."

earning \$40 a month as a section man. The furnishings of the plain frame While the sentiment generally was house show that the family were in favorable to the bylaw, the big vote in poor circumstances, but there is



HARRY BLYTHE The C.P.R. Section Man Charged With Murder.

plentiful supply of food. Also, there are odds and Ends of News Picked Up 75 gallons of hard cider in barrels in Around the New City. 75 gallons of hard cider in barrels in the cellar. Two empty quart bottles on a shelf, a half emptied bottle on a

they say.

Little Reggie says that his father was abusing his mother all day. He had gone to bed before the end came, but saw his mother, earlier in the evening, jump thru the window and make a dash for the neighbors' houses. Later the exceeded the Longboat-Dorando race at Buffalo were: Dr. Mooney. Bob Paterson, F. B. Hartney and William she escaped thru the door. On both occasions, he says, his father caught The funeral of Robert Dixon Ovens, her and dragged her back to the house. 1164 Davenport-road, which was to take After the tragedy, about 8.30 p.m., place this afternoon to Prospect Ceme-



THE DEAD WOMAN.

a neighbor, and asked him to go over to the house. On the way he said: "I think I've killed my wife." They found her dead, the boy asleep in his cot and

Constable Hobbs says Blythe showed him a bent poker which he said he had used in hitting her.

There mainder of S. S. No. 10, Deer Park, will hold a public meeting in the school-house on Friday evening next, to

The Blythes come from Cranswicke, school board of three as well, namely,

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Yorkshire, England. The wife's maiden name was Millie Consitt, and her parents' address is The Grange, Cranswicke, Yorkshire, England. Blythe's parents' address is Harvey Cottage, Cranswicke, Yorkshire.

Constable Hobbs was the only witness at to-day's opening of the inquest, which was adjourned to Friday. Blythe will appear before Magistrate Clay at East Toronto. East Toronto on Saturday, and the case may come up at the criminal assizes next week. T. N. Phelan of Robinette, Godfrey & Phelan was here to-

MARKHAM TOWNSHIP ..

Banner Township Votes to Retain Local Option.

UNIONVILLE, Jan. 4 .- (Special.)-The woman's body is covered with bruises and wounds and the legs are described as being one huge bruise.

The Blythe family have been living on a 40-acre farm, while he has been with the big majority vote cast in its

> its favor came as a surprise.
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> The figures are: For repeal, 530; against 669, a majority in favor of local option of 139. Reeve Lapp and First Deputy Reeve Jonathan High were returned by ac-clamation and for council the vote today was: Padget 632, Kirk 519, Ormerod 428, Wideman 364, Morrison 317, Moyer 318, Hagerman 282.

> > MARKHAM VILLAGE.

Townspeople Gave no Uncertain Sound Re Woolen Mills Bylaw.

MARKHAM VILLAGE, Jan.4.-(Special.)—The bylaw for a fixed assessment of \$1000 on the woolen mills for ten years, was carried here to-day by an overwhelming majority, the vote standing 143 for and 7 against. Reeve Speight and the members of the council, as well as the school trustees, were all elected by acclamation, and the vote brought out for the wool-

en mills bylaw was a big one under the circumstances. Every movement inaugurated by the reeve and council during the year has been thoroly endorsed by the ratepayers, and the improvements inaugurated have been carried out efficiently and economically.

WEST TORONTO.

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It is known that the couple have quarmorning it will be only "the shadow of the stealing of furs, etc., from H. N. especially active, and in some cases those who had carriages drove their morning it will be only "the shadow of the standard of It is known that the couple have quarreled for a long time and a month ago Mrs. Blythe told a constable that he had beaten her so badly in England that her first child was stillborn.

Constable Hobbs warned Blythe to quit it, and the man denied that he had been misconducting. Neighbors have frequently heard the woman's screams, they say.

Police Magistrate Ellis to-morrow the shadow of a crime." John Kractic, the principal actor in the little stealling episode, tho badly wanted, managed to get away last Friday, aitho he was in the custody of a Toronto policeman. He has not been re-captured. The case against Israel Boernstein, the young Pole who frequently heard the woman's screams, they say.

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There was no vote for council, Reeve R. P. Coulson, and Councillors Levi Israel Boernstein, the young Pole who is charged with obstructing the police.

Blythe went over to Malcolm Walker, tery, has been postponed till to-mor-

row at 2 p.m./ Ald. J. W. Bengough gave an interesting lecture on the subject of single taxation at Victoria Church to-night.

The first class in the new night school

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Public

Cobourg. esting lecture on the subject of single opened in St. Clair-avenue Public School for the benefit of the Jewish residents in that neighborhood com-

WHITCHURCH TOWNSHIP. Reeve Baker Goes Down to Defeat, But Local Option Carries.

BALLANTRAE, Jan. 4.—(Special)
Reeve Seneca Baker and First Deputy
Sam Foote to-day fought cut a keen les, which are largely to his shoulder, are not considered serious. BALLANTRAE, Jan. 4.—(Special.) contest for the coveted position of reeve of the township, Foote winning by a narrow margin of five. For first deputy, W. H. Clark won by 204 of a majority. The council will ecnsist of J. W. Grose, C. W. Playter and W. Local option was carried by a mapor-

DEER PARK. Townspeople Are Airendy Enjoying Benefits of City Life.

DEER PARK, Jan. 4.—There was a full attendance of pupils at the Deer follows. Park Public School at the opening this

Deer Parkers enjoy some city con- Ward 2 ..... think I've killed my wife." They found her dead, the boy asleep in his cot and the two-year-old girl on a couch in the kitchen.

Deer Parkers enjoy some city conveniences already, as the scavengers are busy collecting and disposing of the garbage, after being part of the city for only two weeks.

Ward 3 2,647

Ward 4 3,406

Ward 5 4,009

Ward 6 3,959

Those who know Blythe say he is see what school arrangements can be pleasant enough to talk to, but has a made since the public school building bad temper. He has been a good steady has been annexed to the city. This worker. will necessitate the election of a full one for one year, one for two years and one for three years.

NORTH TORONTO.

endance at the Eglinton School was 85

were in attendance at the opening. Eglinton Lodge, A.O.U.W., No. 112, installed their officers to-night, after which function they adjourned to the banquet room, where a splendid supper was served by mine host Harry Ruthven. Speech-making and the rendering of a musical program was the order of the evening after the inner man was satisfied.

eral roadmaster at St. Thomas; E. Stitson of Sarnia Tunnel succeeds Grells; G. H. Allen of Ingersoll goes to Sarnia.

ETOBICOKE TOWNSHIP. Feeling Ran High and Big Vote Was Recorded.

ISLINGTON, Jan. 4 .- (Special.)-The fight for reeveship in Etobicoke Township to-day was one of the keepest fr

UNEMPLOYED AT CITY HALL.

Reeve Gardhouse was opposed by ex-Deputy Reeve Warner, and the reversal of opinion from last year, when Gard-house defeated Warner, was most marked. The vote cast to-day was: For reeve-Mr. Warner 536 and John Gardhouse 499, a majority for the former of 37. For deputy reeve, W. H. Grubble polled 558 and Mr. Stubbs 407 votes. For council W. F. Kay 439, J. M. Gardhouse 354, J. Dandridge 296, and Mr. Shaver 288 are elected.

Ratepayers Yesterday Voted to Retain Local Option.

Blythe is fairly well educated, and, it is said, comes of a good family. It is said that he married his wife against his parents' wishes and had to leave home as a result. The couple came to Canada a little over five years ago.

Constable Hobbs was the only with couple will consist of Decree.

FIRE ON REID AVENUE. Second Time in Forty-Eight Hours for East End District.

Two houses totally consumed by fire, and a third and adjoining one pulled down to avoid the progress of the flames is the story in brief of a sharp blaze on Reld-avenue, north of

Sharp blaze on Reid-avenue, north of Gerrard-street, last night.

One of the houses was owned and occupied by J. Bourne, and the other occupied by Mr. Poulter, belonged to Mr. Hooper. A bucket brigade was organized, and when it was seen that the two houses were doomed, the effects of the workers was directed to forts of the workers was directed to saving the furniture, and the pulling down of another house in order to save a row of five.

Fortunately) there was little wind, and to this fact, coupled with the efforts of the Kew Beach and Bolton avenue firemen, together with the neighbors, the arrest of the flames can be attributed.

The two houses saved were owned by J. Soper and P. Pollett. The origin of the fire is not known. Mr. Bourne loss will amount to fully \$1000, while Mr. Poulter on his household furniture will lose at least \$500. Coming so soon after Saturday night's blaze the residents of this district are greatly roused over the dangerous situation, and are now unanimous in asking for annexation.

The Kew Beach and Bolton-avenue firemen were warmly thanked for their self imposed task. UXBRIDGE TOWNSHIP. GOODWOOD, Jan. 4.—(Special.)—Mr. Forsythe was to-day elected reeve of

STOUFFVILLE.

Efforts Made to Repeal Local Option Measure Frowned Down. STOUFFVILLE, Jan. 4 .- (Special.)-

The hottest fight in the history of the town was that which culminated to-night in sustaining by a majority of 80 the local option measure. Practically every available vote was polled on either side, and the sub-stantial endorsation of the bylaw was greeted with enthusiasm people generally. The lady voters were

HOLLAND LANDING.

Election Caused Lively Time in the Town of North Toronto

HOLLAND LANDING, Jan. 4.-(Special.)-Election returns for the village were awaited with great interest to-night, the contest to-day being especially keen. For reeve, G. B. Thompcouncillors, S. S. Maddill, H. McDonald, D. Pegg and W. Tate. School trustees, F. Bowley, Robert Longhurst, E. G. R. Tate.

EAST TORONTO, Jan. 4.-Harry Moore, a G.T.R. fireman, living on Malvern-avenue, was injured yesterday at Cobourg by falling from the tender of his engine. Moore was placed on the International Limited and rushed to his home here, where Dr. Walters, the

CASE WAS REMANDED. Frank Miller of Stouffville, remanded

for selling liquor without license till next Thursday at 2 p.m. 846 FOR REDUCTION,

Official Figures of the Result of Friday's Vote.

The official returns give a majority for license reduction of only 846, as

Ward 1..... 2,750 Majority, 846.

The hospital bylaw carried by 4934, and the Wilton-avenue bridge bylaw

A Great Symphony. Dr. Ham, conductor of the National Chorus, yesterday received a telegram from Walter Damrosch, conductor of the great Symphony Orchestra, say

ing:
"First American production Elgar's enormous NORTH TORONTO, Jan. 4.—The public schools opened this morning after the Christmas holidays and the at-The next performance of the symper cent. of the pupils on the roll and phony will be heard in connection with of the Davisville School 320 of the 412 the National Chorus concerts this

> New Roadmasters These changes in the G.T.R. roadmasters' department have been made A. Grells of Hamilton becomes gen-

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years, and the vote polled was a heavy

Charles Lestor of Huddersfield, Eng land, and speakers for the Socialis party of Canada, have invited the united employed to meet on the city hall steps at 9.30 this morning.

at 9.30 this morning.

The invitation was given at an impromptu meeting at Bay and Melindastreets yesterday afternoon, during which Lestor, who is on his way to Australia, told the crowd that they would meet to-day at the city hall, "and if we cannot mend our condition was the cannot mend our condition." He shut up when P. C. Irwin tappe

long this line: "They talk of the days of slavery. Why, you are worse off to-day, men than the slaves were then. At that time the men looked after the wellbeing of their slaves because they own-

His previous harangue proceeded

yet it doesn't pay him to look after you, because he can get others easily." Ernest Drury likewise urged a full attendance at the city hall this morning. P. C. Irwin closed the show by ordering him to move on, which he

A few milkers and springers sold at \$30 to \$51 each.

Veal Calves.

Sheep and lambs sold at firmer prices. Export ewes sold at \$3.25 to \$3.60; lambs. \$5.50 to \$6.15 per cwt.

Hogs.

Gunns, Limited, report hogs firmer, at \$6.25 for selects, fed and watered, and country points, f.o.b. Cars.

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What Milner Did. LONDON, Jan. 4.—The Sunday Ob-server thinks Lord Milner found imperial sentiment weakening in Canada and arrested its decline.

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The quality of cattle was fair to good, generally. Trade was moderately good, but prices were not any better, dealers stated, than those paid last week.

Exporters.

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Exporters soid at \$5 to \$5,25, and one load was reported at \$5,30; bulls, \$3.75 to \$4.20. A few light exporters were bought for butcher purposes at \$5 to \$5.25.

Butchers.

Prime picked lots were reported at \$4.80 to \$5; loads of good, \$4.50 to \$4.75; medium, \$4 to \$4.25; common, \$3.50 to \$3.80; canners, \$1,50 to \$2.

Milkers and Springers.

A few milkers and springers sold at

\$6 to drovers at country points, f.o.b. cars.

\*\*Representative Sales.\*\*

Messrs. Dunn & Levack sold: 24 exporters, 1280 lbs. each, at \$5.25; 15 exportivers, 1280 lbs. each, at \$4.52; 1 export bull, 1490 lbs. at \$4.10; 1 export bull, 1620 lbs., at \$4; 5 butchers, 1185 lbs. each, at \$4.50; 15 butchers, 1020 lbs. each, at \$4.50; 11 butchers, 1095 lbs. each, at \$4.50; 16 butchers, 1095 lbs. each, at \$4.50; 16 butchers, 1970 lbs. each, at \$3.75; 5 butchers, 975 lbs. each, at \$3.75; 19 butchers, 1220 lbs. each, at \$3.70; 1 butcher, 1150 lbs., at \$3.50; 6 butchers, 1120 lbs. each, at \$3.50; 1 butcher, 1280 lbs., at \$3.50; 1 butl, 1330 lbs. at \$3.40; 2 butchers, 1010 lbs. each, at \$2.75; 3 canners, 990 lbs. each, at \$1.50; 3 canners, 1000 lbs. each, at \$1.50; 3 canners, 1000 lbs. each, at \$4.25; 11 butchers, 1000 lbs. each, at \$4.25; 11 butchers, 1000 lbs. each, at \$4.25; 11 butchers, 1000 lbs. each, at \$4.20; 19 butchers, 1940 lbs. each, at \$4.20; 16 butchers, 1920 lbs. each, at \$4.20; 12 calves, 20 lbs. each, at \$6.10; 2 cal

McDonald & Halligan sold: 20 butchers, 1265 lbs. each, at \$5.20; 19 butchers, 1240 lbs. each, at \$5.12\%; 26 butchers, 1080 lbs. each, at \$4.60; 21 butchers, 1040 lbs. each, at \$4.25; 22 butchers, 925 lbs. each, at \$4.35; 24 butchers, 1080 lbs. each, at \$4.35; 5 butchers, 1080 lbs. each, at \$4.5; 5 butchers, 1080 lbs. each, at \$4.15; 5 butchers, 1050 lbs. each, at \$4.5; 5 butchers, 840 lbs. each, at \$4.5; 20 butchers, 1000 lbs. each, at \$4.70; 5 butchers, 1250 lbs. each, at \$3.80; 5 butchers, 1250 lbs. each, at \$3.80; 5 butchers, 1250 lbs. each, at \$3.65; 10 butchers, 1250 lbs. each, at \$3.65; 10 butchers, 250 lbs. each, at \$3.60; 3 cows, 1020 lbs. each, at \$5.60; 1 butl, 1550 lbs., at \$3.87\%; 28 lambs, \$2.10; 1 bull, 1550 lbs., at \$3.87\%; 28 lambs, each, at \$3.60; 3 cows, 10.20 bs. each, at \$2.10; 1 bull, 1550 lbs., at \$3.67½; 39 lambs, 92 lbs. each, at \$6.15; 21 sheep, 150 lbs, each, at \$3.65; 2 calves, 185 bs, each, at \$6. Wesley Dunn bought 100 sheep at \$3.40 per cwt.; 220 lambs at \$6 per cwt.; 12 calves at \$7.50 each.

Fred Rowntree bought four milkers and springers at \$42 to \$51 each.

J. L. Rowntree bought 22 exporters, 1350 lbs. each, at \$5.20; 27 cows, 1140 lbs, each, at \$3.60; 10 cows, 1000 lbs. each, at \$2.50; 1 springer, \$47.



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