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GIRLS IN CIVIL SERVICE.

Ottawa Liberal Executive Against Their Appointment.

Ottawa, March 13.—To encourage the employment of young men in the Government service, the Executive Committee of the Ottawa Reform Association has recommended to the Ottawa representatives in Parliament that, so far as possible, male applicants be given the preference when appointments are to be made. Only in exceptional cases well girls be assisted to obtain positions.

The resolution passed by the Liberals states that positions for girls should be confined to such work as stenography and typewriting. There is an understanding that very deserving cases, such as poor women or girls helping to support a home, will be given special consideration, but otherwise girls will not receive much encouragement from the local Liberal Executive.

—Rev. E. J. Etherington, rector of St. Thomas' Church, will preach in the Church of the Ascension on Sunday at morning service

To-morrow in City Churches

CENTENARY METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Richard Whiting, B. A., pastor, Residence, 177 James Street South.
11 a. m.—Rev. J. Murray, China.
7 p m.—The pastor. Subject, "On to Jerusalem and After."
Special musical service.
Morning—"Te Deum in F," (Dykes); solo and chorus, "O for a Closer Walk," (Foster). Evening—Anthem, 'Abide with Me," (King); chorus from Stainer's Crucifixion, "God So Loved the World"; solo and chorus, "O Blest Redeemer," (Newton), Miss Smith and choir; aria, "He Was Despised," Messiah, (Handel), Mrs. Allan. W. H. Hewlett, organist.

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Rev. W. H. Sedgewick, B. A., associate pastor. Residence, Mapleside Ave. 'Phone 3409.
11 a. m.—Dr. Lyle.
7 p.m.—Mr. Sedgewick.
Morning—Anthem, "Festival, Te Deum," (Frank); quartette, "The Billows Swell," (Shelley.)
Evening—Anthem, "He That Dwelleth," (Hadley); contralto solo, Mrs. Frank MacKelcan; hymn-anthem, "Softly the Dews," (Ward.)

CHARLTON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH. Corner of Charlton Avenue West and Hess Street. Rev. R. H. Bell, B. A., pastor. Parsonage 258 Hess Street South. Phone 456.
11 a. m.—"Isaiah's Apprenticeship."
7 p. m.—"Tears, Idle Tears."

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION, CORner of John and Forest Ave. Rector, Rev. Canon Wade. Rectory, 45 Charlton Avenue West.

CHURCH OF ST. THOMAS (ANGLICAN) corner of Main Street East and West Avenue. Rector, Rev. E. J. Etherington, B. A., 18 West Avenue South.
SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT.
11 a. m.—Holy Communion, service and sermon.
3 p. m.—Sunday School.
7 p. m.—Service and sermon.

CHRISTADELPHIANS MEETING IN C. O. O. F. Hall, 67 James Street North. Every Sunday.
10 a. m.—Sunday School.
11 a. m.—Memorial service.
7 p. m.—A free public address. Subject tomorrow evening, "Equal Unto the Angels."

CHRIST'S CHURCH CATHEDRAL, James Street North, between Robert and Barton.
Rector, Rev. Canon Almon Abbott, M. A. 218 MacNab Street North.
Communion services every Sunday at 8 a. m., and the first and third Sundays at 11 a. m.
Matins first Sunday at 10.15 a. m., and the second, third and fourth Sundays at 11 a. m. Evensong at 7 p. m. Sunday School at 3 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL, (FIRST), CORNER Cannon and Hughson. Rev. J. K. Unsworth, pastor 70 Herkimer Street.
The pastor at both services.
Evening subject—"Intellectual Difficulties About Becoming a Christian. Must a Man Believe All the Church's Creed and All the Bible Before He Can Become a Christian?"
You are welcome.

EMERALD STREET METHODIST, CORner of Wilson. Rev. Dr. Williamson, pastor. Residence, 71 Emerald Street North.
11 a. m.—Rev. Wm. N. Vollick, of Bartonville.
7 p. m.—Messrs. McIlroy and Calbick, singing evangelists.

ERSKINE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Pearl Street, near King. Rev. S. B. Russell, pastor, residence 40 Ray Street South. Telephone 514.
Services conducted by Rev. S. Burnside Russell.
Morning—"The Conditions of Successful Work."
Sabbath School and Bible Class 2.30.
Evening—An address to the Irish Protestant Benevolent Society.
"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethern, ye have done it unto Me."
Strangers welcome.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, CORNER King and Wellington Streets. Rev. R. J. Treleaven, pastor. Residence, 275 Main Street East. 'Phone 1241.
Fellowship and consecration service at 10 a. m., led by Dr. Wickett.
The pastor will preach morning and evening.

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Reading room open daily from 3 to 5 p. m. Literature to loan and for sale. All are welcome.

GORE STREET METHODIST CHURCH. (Cor. John and Gore Streets.) Rev. Isaac Couch, M. A., B. D., pastor.
11 a. m.—"The Gospel for the People."
7 p. m.—"The Grandeur of Adornment." Attractive singing. Strangers welcome.

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JAMES STREET BAPTIST CHURCH. S. W. corner James and Jackson Streets. Rev. J. C. Sycamore, M. A., minister. Residence, 221 Main Street West.
The pastor will preach morning and evening.
11 a. m.—Subject, "The Habit of Holiness Illustrated."
3 p. m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
7 p. m.—Subject; Sermons on fundamental questions. No. 6. "What is the Character and Purpose of the Law."
8.15 p. m.—Pleasant closing moments.

KNOX CHURCH, CORNER OF JAMES and Cannon Streets.
Rev. James Russell, of Wolsley, Sask., will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Sabbath Schools and Bible Classes at 3 p. m.
H. R. Pickup, B. A., will conduct services in the mission.

MACNAB STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Corner of MacNab and Hunter Streets. Rev. Beverly Ketchen, M. A., pastor. Residence, The Manse, 116 MacNab Street South.
11 a. m.—"Hope."
7 p. m.—"Jacob and Esau."

ST. PAUL'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, N. W. corner James and Jackson Streets. Rev. D. R. Drummond, B. D., 41 Duke Street, pastor. 'Phone 2018.
11 a. m.—Holy Communion.
2 p. m.—Sunday Schools.
7 p. m.—Preacher, Rev. D. R. Drummond. A cordial welcome to strangers in the city or any not having a stated church home. "What think ye of Christ?"

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Corner of Barton and Smith Avenue. Pastor, Rev. J. A. Wilson, B. A. Residence, 96 Smith Avenue.
11 a. m. and 7 p. m.—The pastor. Communion at evening service.
Sabbath School and Bible Classes at 3 p. m.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH. Corner Tom and Sophia Streets. F. E. Howitt, Rector.

ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, (formerly Locke Street), S. W. corner Locke and Herkimer.
11 a. m.—"Who Cares."
3 p. m.—Sabbath School and Bible Classes.
7 p. m.—"Sons of God."

ST. JOHN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner King and Emerald. Rev. John Young, M. A., pastor. Residence, 7 Emerald South.
11 a. m.—"Better in the End."
7 p. m.—"Jeremiah."
3 p. m.—Sunday School and pastor's Bible Class.
All welcome.

SHERMAN AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Rev. J. Roy Van Wyck, Pastor, 518 Wilson Street. 'Phone 3465.
11 a. m.—"The Parable of the Sower."
7 p. m.—"The Voice from China."
3 p. m.—An address to men by pastor. "The Apparent Failure of Christianity."

SIMCOE STREET METHODIST CHURCH, corner of Simcoe and John Streets. Rev. H. B. Christle, pastor. Parsonage, 385 John Street North.
The pastor at both services.
11 a. m.—"The True Inspiration of Life."
3 p. m.—Bible Classes and Sunday School.
7 p. m.—Ten minute social address. "The Wastes of Social Strife and Wrong."
Series in the prodigal son—No. 3, "Memories of the Homeland." Mr. Murphy will sing.
All cordially welcome.

UNITY CHURCH, (UNITARIAN), MAIN Street, near Walnut. Rev. W. Delos Smith, minister. Residence, 167 Main Street East.
10.30 a. m.—Sunday School.
7 p. m.—Church. "The Development of the Divine."
Unitarian literature free. Address, the minister.

VICTORIA AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, corner Evans Street. Rev. C. J. Trigerson, M. A., pastor. Residence, 92 Grant Avenue.
Regular services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Bible School 2.45 p. m. Men's Own Class 3 p. m.
Strangers always welcome.

WESLEY CHURCH, CORNER JOHN AND Rebecca Streets. Rev. Dr. Tovell, pastor. Residence 137 Catharine Street North.
11 a. m. and 7 p. m.—Sermons by the pastor. Bright services of praise.
Old friends and new, and strangers, are all welcome.

ZION TABERNACLE (METHODIST), CORner Pearl and Napier Streets.
Pastor—Rev. F. W. Hollinrake, B. A., B. D. Parsonage, 55 Pearl Street North.
11 a. m.—"66, yet 1, or, the Marvellous Unity of the Book."
7 p. m.—Song service. "The Triumphs of Music.

SPIRITUALISM

The First Spiritual Society, A. O. F. Hall, James Street.
Speaker, Mrs. Birks, of Toronto, the brilliant trance medium and clairvoyant. Services based on subjects from the congregation followed by spirit messages from the loved ones. Morning service at 11 a. m., evening at 7. p. m. Children's lyceum at 10 a. m. All investigators of the truth are cordially invited. Collection taken at the door.

SPIRITUALISM

S. O. E. Hall, corner of Charles and King. Spiritualist service to-morrow evening 7.15, speaker, Mr. T. Sterratt. Spirit messages by Mrs. Heckingbottom, the renowned Clairvoyant Medium. After circle 8.15. Old friends and new welcome.

DELAY CAUSING SOME ANXIETY.

POWER CONTRACT NOT RECEIVED AND NO WORD FROM BECK.

Legislation Committee of City Council is Also Anxious—May Be Too Late for This Session.

The Legislation Committee appointed to look after the city's interest in connection with the proposed Board of Contral and other legislation had a session at noon to-day. City Solicitor Waddell and a deputation will likely go to Toronto next week in connection with these matters as it is feared that if they are delayed any longer it will be impossible to have anything done this session.

The Mayor's denouncement of civic employees, who, he says, have been butting into business that concerns the aldermen only, has caused consternation in the City Hall. It has been suggested that Secretary James, of the Fire and Water Committee, be given quarters in City Messenger Smith's office. The latter protests vigorously against any such move.

It was expected that the city would have received the Street Railway Company's answers to its proposition to-day, but Colonel Gibson said this morning that it would be impossible to give a definite reply before next week, as General Manager Hawkins is in New York.

The city is not pleased with the tardiness of the Hydro-Electric Commission in sending the information wanted about the power question. It was intimated long ago that as soon as application was made for power the form of contract would be sent on. Hamilton made application several weeks ago, but the contract has not arrived yet. Hon. Adam Beck sent the city a letter some weeks ago, promising to come to Hamilton within a few days with one of the engineers and go into the matter thoroughly. Mr. Beck has not arrived yet. Yesterday Secretary Brennan, of the Board of Works, wrote him, asking that the contract and other information asked for be sent on at once.

Architect A. W. Peene was granted a permit this morning for the new three-storey brick store building to be erected at the corner of King and Jarvis streets for C. J. Myles, and which will be occupied as a bowling alley and billiard academy. The contractor is George F. Webb, and the permit calls for a building to cost $12,000.

Permits were also issued to-day to E. B. Patterson for a brick house on Aberdeen avenue for Miss McGrath, to cost $2,300, and to W. A. Noble for two brick houses on Leeming street, between Cannon and Barton streets, to cost $3,000.

The health report for the week shows eleven cases of mumps, three each of measles and scarlet fever, and one each of erysipelas and German measles.

IS HE A BIGAMIST?

Thorold Man In Jail Charged With Having Two Wives.

St. Catharines, Ont., March 14.—(Special)—Thorold has another sensation. This time it is a case of bigamy, and the offender, at the instance of wife No. 1, is now lying in Welland Jail, through the prompt action of Chief Shee, of Thorold. The man's name is James Carpenter, and he has been a resident of Thorold for about two weeks, during which time he has been employed as a teamster by H. Rink. It seems, according to the story which wife No. 1 is said to have told to the authorities, Carpenter married wife No. 1 in Manitoba nine years ago. Last fall she went to visit relatives in the old country, sailing from New York on Dec. 10th. Carpenter came to Welland shortly afterwards, and, on January 10th, met his affinity and on February 10th they were married. He is said to have written to wife No. 1 that he would have no more to do with her, and at her instance the true condition of things was revealed to the authorities.

ACACIA REUNION.

Masonic Past Masters Filled the Chairs Last Night.

The annual re-union of the Past Masters of Acacia Lodge, A. F. & A. M. was held last night in the Masonic Hall. The chairs were occupied by the Past Masters as follows: V. W. Bro. Alexander Smith as W. M.; W. Bro. C. O. Bichol, S. W.; W. Bro. A. E. Manning, J. W.; W. Bro H S Wallace, Chaplain; V W. Bro. W. W. Grennhill, Secretary; W. Bro. David Hastings, S. D.; W. Bro. W. W. Barlow, J. D.; W. Bro. W. H. Wardrope and J. H. Smith, Stewards, assisted by R W. Bro. R. V. Mathews; V. W. Bro. A. T. Neil, J. B. Smith, S. H. Kent, and Thomas Epps.

The banquet was presided over by W. Bro. Burwell Griffin, W. M.

WHEN THE ICE GOES.

March 11 the Earliest; April 25 the Latest.

Here is a record covering forty-seven years, between 1861 and 1907, showing the time of the going out of ice in Hamilton Bay and the opening of navigation:

The winter of 1880 there was no ice. It usually disintegrates in the first part of April. The earliest date for ice to disappear was March 11, 1885. The latest date was April 25, 1891. Between 1861 and 1900 the bay became clear of ice between the first and thirteenth of April. From 1900 the going out dates are as follows:

1890, March 25.
1891, April 25.
1892, April 2.
1893, April 2.
1894, April 4.
1895, March 11.
1896, April 15.
1897, April 13.
1898, March 25.
1899, March 16.
1900, April 14.
1901, April 9.
1902, March 29.
1903, March 19.
1904, April 25.
1905, April 10.
1906, April 1.
1907, March 28.

HERE'S A GOOD ONE.

Mr. and Mrs. Croft Given a Unique Surprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Croft, 68 Locomotive street, were given a surprise on Thursday night that was unique in its way, and was thoroughly enjoyed by them and by the members of their family and friends, to the number of about 30. During the day Mr. Croft received a message stating that a friend from Brandon would call on him soon after the arrival of the 8 o'clock train, so Mr. and Mrs. Croft remained in to see the friend from a distance. Imagine their surprise when the party of 30 trooped in. They all spent a merry evening in songs, music, games, and had a sumptuous supper.

Didn't Want to Live.

Lacombe, Alta., March 13.—S. E. Watkins, President of the Electric Company, is in a dying condition as the result of a self-inflicted bullet wound in the head. He cannot live. No cause is known for the rash act.

—E. H. Donnelly, Mayor of Sandwich, is in the city visiting his sister, Mrs. J. J. Duffy, Market street, and calling on old friends