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DEER PARK.

Laymen's Meeting Will Be Held To-Morrow.

DEER PARK, Dec. 10.—A meeting will be held in the Presbyterian Church to-morrow (Wednesday) evening, in connection with the "laymen's missionary movement." R. C. Steele, president of the Toronto Board of Trade, and Thomas Gibson, deputy minister of mines, will be the speakers of the evening.

The many friends of Mark Bredin, De Lisle-street, are anxious that he should win the race for alderman in Ward 3 at the municipal election. He says he is a "candidate for the business ward."

Duncan C. Murray, while jumping off a freight car on the Esplanade, injured his foot to such an extent that he has to nurse it for some time.

The W. C. T. U. of the Presbyterian Church will meet to-morrow (Wednesday) at the residence of Mrs. Williams, Clarence-avenue.

A 3-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Hemsworth of Gormley-avenue died yesterday of scarlet fever.

WYCHWOOD

Congregation Lease Lot and Will Build Portable Church.

WYCHWOOD, Dec. 10.—The congregation of the Church of England have leased a lot on the southeast corner of St. Clair-avenue and Vaughan-road for a year, on which they are erecting a portable church building. The congregation have been waiting for the church extension committee for a long time to buy a suitable building lot, but have now leased a lot, bought lumber, and are busy erecting the church, which will be moved as soon as they have a lot of their own.

A former elder of Cooke's Church, John Wilson, was inducted in the Presbyterian Church last Sunday. Henry Moore was ordained and inducted as an elder at the same time. The sermon was preached by Rev. J. M. Duncan of Westminster. The induction service was conducted by Rev. Mr. McLaren, principal of Knox College.

Dr. McLaughlin of College-street, Toronto, will speak in the Presbyterian Church to-morrow (Wednesday) evening on behalf of the "laymen's missionary movement."

Zion Methodist Church will hold their Sunday school anniversary next Sunday. The speakers for the day are J. A. Jackson, B.A., general secretary of the Ontario Sunday School Association, at 11 a.m.; Mrs. Dr. Kilborn of Chentu, China, at 3 p.m., and Rev. C. N. Follett at 7 p.m. There will be special singing by the school, with orchestra accompaniment. On Monday evening an entertainment will be held.

Since Mr. Bromley has been brought out as a candidate for municipal honors by the Ratepayers' Association, it is stated that J. Dinwoody has made up his mind to be a candidate too.

On Tuesday evening, Dec. 17, Sherwood Lodge, S.O.E., Eglinton, will play Yarmouth Lodge, a game of carpetball in Wychwood Hall.

SETTLED OUT OF COURT.

After considerable wrangling in Judge Morgan's court yesterday, Joseph F. Stephenson of Thornhill, who had brought suit against his daughter, Mrs. Margaret Leslie, to recover $200, which he claimed she owned him for board, lodging and education of her two children, withdrew the action and settled the matter out of court.

WEST YORK CONSERVATIVES.

The Centre York by-election is responsible for the annual meeting of the Conservative Association for West York at Weston on Saturday.

The usual banquet in the evening will not take place. Some of the speakers will be Messrs. R. R. Gamey, M.L.A., W. F. Maclean, M.P., Dr. Godfrey, M.L.A., and Capt. T. G. Wallace

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BIG BUDGET OF LIVE NEWS FROM JUNCTION

Condition of Public Schools Gives Trustees Anxiety--General County News.

TORONTO JUNCTION, Dec. 10.—A mass meeting in the interests of public ownership will be held at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening (Wednesday), in St. James' Hall, under the auspices of the local branch of the Public Ownership League. Some of the speakers will be: A. W. Wright, president; J. W. Curry, K.C., vice-president; J. H. Duthie, secretary; J.W. Wilkinson and W. H. Sherwood. The chair will be occupied by Mayor Baird. Hon. Adam Beck, in all probability, will be present.

The iron work on the roof of the new Annette-street Methodist Church is now partially completed.

Fred Connolly of No. 1 firehall is suffering from an attack of inflammation of the bowels. Dr. Mavety states that he is resting comfortably and will be able to leave his bed in a few days.

Streets Almost Impassable.

The present condition of some of the streets in the Junction is fearful. Mud and slush abound everywhere, and seem to combine beautifully to make a six-inch layer thru which pedestrians must wallow. The east side of Union-street, between Dundas and Annette-streets, is in bad condition. For part of this distance there is no sidewalk, and the recent excavations for the gas mains have left the street in such a condition that some of the residents have expressed their willingness to lay a sidewalk here if the town will furnish the material.

The supervisor's report at to-night's meeting of the public school obard showed that the overcrowding in the schools, with the exception of Western-avenue, was not yet relieved. The new portable building at St. Clair-avenue is nearing completion and will be ready for occupancy in a few days. Supervisor Wilson, however, recommended that it be not opened till after the holidays. The report showed that the attendance of teachers during December was good. For November, however, over $100 had been spent on occasional teachers. The recommendation of the supervisor that Miss E. P. Evans be put on the permanent staff of St. Clair-avenue School, was adopted by the board. She will be in charge of the new portable building, now nearing completion.

Schools Still Crowded

The overcrowding question still remains unrelieved except in the case of Western-avenue School, where the new portable building has completely removed the congestion. The overcrowding, according to the report, is most severe at Annette-street School, and the supervisor stated pointedly that the ultimate method of relief would have to be the erection of a new school in the west end. The registrations in two of the first book classes are at present 74 and 71. In the kindergarten the registration is 85. "We could erect six school rooms there," said the supervisor, "and have them filled on the first day of opening. You have no idea of the number of children who come from the direction of Maria-street, and the parents are incensed over the children having daily to cross the railway tracks on Elizabeth-street."

Chiloren Are Thrifty.

The report of the School Savings Fund showed that the children have abilities in this line which might be a lesson for older folks to ponder over and try to emulate. The sytsem was inaugurated in March, 1905, and since then the savings for the different schools are as follows: Annette-street, $1464.77; Carlton, 1011.74; Western-avenue, $743.70; St. Clair-avenue, $472.65. This makes a total deposit of $4577.37. The total withdrawals (which, by the way, are reported heavy at present) since the inauguration of the scheme, amount to $1661.01, leaving a balance in the bank of $2916.36.

The attendances for the past month were:

	Enrolment.	Average.
Carlton	448	386
Annette-street	659	567
St. Clair	242	198
Western-avenue	496	427

Trustee Wright suggested that a committee be appointed to urge the council to issue debentures so that sufficient funds might be raised to build a new school next year. The amount required for a new building site is in the neighborhood of $22,000. Trustee Wright also suggested that of the sites that had been considered for such a school Beatrice-street and High Park-avenue seemed to be the most suitable. Trustee Hackett on the other hand opposed the location of a school in this locality. "The site borders on High Park, so that we would only have on direction from which to draw pupils. It would not be centrally located. I would rather suggest the annexation of the Runnymede district, school section 29, and then we could arange to build a new school for the accommodation of the pupils both of the western part of the town and those of York Township." The matter, however, was left over, as it is too near the end of the year for the board to take definite action. A committee from the Junction trustees will, however, in the meantime discuss the matter with the trustees from the township, in order to decide on what plan is best to dapot.

Janitor Wants Increase.

Mr. Johnson, janitor of Western-avenue school, complanned that he was only getting $18 extra for the two portable rooms at Western-avenue school, when according to schedule he should be getting $33 extra for each room. Some of the members were in favor of granting a $25 increase, but a motion by Trustee Wright to refer to the management cammittee was carried.

The report of Public School Inspector Fotheringham was by no means favorable to the erection of portable buildings. "I can see in them at best only deliverance from the half-day system till you can build regular additions to the schools. The ventilation and heating are both bad and the fact that there are wooden partitions and only one door between the closs rooms must hamper the pupils to a great extent." The inspector also intimated that the system of ventilation in Annette-street school was exceptionally poor. "After half an hour I found the air foul and oppressive in the classrooms, in which there were only the usual number of pupils. The ventilaation in Carlton and St. Clair-avenue schools was not so bad as in Annette-street, but none of them could compare with Western-avenue school, which the inspector described as first-class both in sanitation ad heating.

The resignation of Trustee J. F. Goedike was accepted. The board re-Goldike was accepted. The board regretted the loss that the town would suffer by Mr. Goedike's resignation after a service on the board of over 13 years.

Edward Connelly and John E. Witherall have declared their intentions of becoming candidates for next year's council in Ward 1. James Penrice also announced that he will contest Ward 1 for the council against all-comers.

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WESTON.

Order to Close Denison-Avenue Was An Error After All

WESTON, Dec. 10.—The town will not prosecute the C. P. R. for obstructing Denison-avenue last week by the planting of posts, in an attempt to close traffic at that point. It had been the intention to take action against the three C. P. R. trackmen in Weston, but a telegram to H. E. Quinn, K.C., town solicitor, from the C. P. R. legal department, stated that the order was issued in error and asked that the charges be withdrawn. Magistrate Cruikshank accordingly dismissed the case.

NORTH TORONTO.

There Will Be No Scarcity of Candidates.

NORTH TORONTO, Dec. 10.—Election matters are getting pretty warm in town. The all-absorbing question is, "Who will be mayor?" Local option, or an open bar, is also a leading question. There seems to be a three-cornered fight for the mayoralty, and the contestants seem to be the present mayor and Councillors W. J. Lawrence and A. J. Brown.

For the council, the horizon seems to be hazy yet, only two gentlemen being definitely in the field for councillors, viz., William Parke of Glen Grove-avenue and Frank Howe of Davisville-avenue. It has been stated around town that Councillor J. M. Anderson will drop out, and Councillors James Brownlow and Charles Murphy have not yet announced their intentions. It is also reported that School Trustee H. Spittel of Sheldrake-avenue has ambitions to enter the town council again.

For the school board, the following trustees are retiring: Thomas LeCras, for Ward 1, and James Logie, for Ward 2, but are seeking re-election. In Ward 3, Frank Howe is the retiring member, and, as he is seeking election for the council board, J. S. Davis, jr., of Frederick-street, is running to fill the vacancy.

H. C. M. Stone, Merton-street, has sold 100 feet of land on Balliol-street to Messrs. Armstrong and Meychelm. The price realized was $1000.

Archdeacon Sweeny addressed a literary and musical society at St. Clement's Church to-night.

J. W. Rogers, principal of Dewson-street School, Toronto, will speak in the Eglinton Presbyterian Church to-morrow (Wednesday) night on "The Laymen Missionary Movement."

Rev. W. J. Buck of the Eglinton Presbyterian Church returned from Ottawa this morning, where he was attending the burial of his mother. Within an hour of being home he was called upon to bury an old friend.

Sherwood Lodge, S.O.E., No. 70, held their annual election to-night, with the following result:

HUMBER BAY.

Conservative Candidate Holds Fine Meeting in Nurse's Hall.

HUMBER BAY, Dec. 10.—(Special.)—The public meeting held in the interest of Captain Tom Wallace, the Conservative candidate in Centre York, in Nurse's Hall here to-night, was a big one and marked by unbounded enthusiasm. The hall was filled to the doors and the interest throut well sustained. The candidate, Capt. Wallace, met with a flattering reception, and his speech, especially wherein he affirmed his endorsation of public ownership and a two-cent fare, was punctuated with applause.

Douglas Davison, J.P., proved a model chairman, and seated on the platform were Dr. Forbes Godfrey, M.L.A., R. R. Gamey, M.L.A., Dr. Sproule, A. W. Wright and the candidate.

In a rattling good, but brief, address, Dr. Godfrey urged those present to work long and heartily and Centre York would be redeemed. The government had opened the riding solely to afford a retreat for Archie Campbell.

A. W. Wright received a splendid hearing, and in a ten-minute speech showed up a number of inconsistencies in the Liberal administration at Ottawa.

R. R. Gamey aroused great enthusiasm. He bore tribute to the memory of the late lamented Hon. N. C. Wallace, and declared that the election of Capt. Wallace would administer a well-merited rebuke to a government some of the cabinet ministers of which had brought shame upon the Liberal party. The government did not need the riding. He dealt trenchantly with the Dominion and provincial administrations, much to the advantage of the latter, and was accorded an ovation.

"A man who valued right above aught else, who would not stoop to wrong, and whose memory will be cherished for years to come," was Dr. Sproule's tribute to the memory of the late Hon. N. C. Wallace.

Plunging at once into a criticism of the administrative acts of the Liberal party at Ottawa, the doctor charged the present financial stringency as being contingent upon their management of the finances of the country, and quoted in support a mass of figures to prove his contention. The annual expenditure had risen from $42,000,000 to $75,000,000 in the last 11 years. The banking institutions also came in for severe criticism at the hands of the member for East Grey. He charged that the government rate of interest on deposits in being reduced from 3½ to 3 per cent., was inimical to the best interest of the country and tended to habits of wastefulness on the part of the poorer class.

"The Siftons, Turriffes, McGregors and Adams had amassed millions, where a few years ago their combined wealth did not total $10,000.

Captain Tom Wallace was cheered to the echo, and made a splendid impression, in a clear, forceful, ten-minute address.

"Dr. McLean says he is an out-and-out supporter of Sir Wilfrid Laurier," said the Conservative candidate. "I am not an out-and-out supporter of Mr. Borden or any other man, but will do what in my estimation is right," said Captain Wallace, and the audience cheered the sentiment to the echo.

Cheers for the King, the candidate and Dr. Godfrey closed the meeting.

DOVERCOURT.

Davenport Presbyterian Church Will Hold Old Time Soiree.

Next Sunday, Dec. 15, special anniversary services will be held in Davenport-road Church (Presbyterian). Dr. John Gray, from the United States, will preach at 11 a.m. and Rev. Prof. Kennedy of Knox College at 7 p.m. On Monday night an old-time soiree will take place, at which John A. Paterson, K.C., and Thomas Kinnear will speak. Special music of excellence will be rendered by the choir, under the leadership of Miss Lena Stephens. As all contributions to this church are expected to be purely voluntary, no tickets will be issued and admission for adults will be free.

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Men's Imitation Black Persian Lamb Fur Coat, rubber interlined and nicely quilted overlining, full 50 inches long, Dell storm collar, regular $15.00, Thursday $8.90

Men's Persian Lamb Caps, wedge shape, glossy, even curl, satin lined, Thursday, special $4.90

Men's Black Calf Skin Fur Gauntlet Driving Mitts, strong, durable palms, fur lined, Thursday, special $2.90

Men's $4.50 Reefers, $2.98

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