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THREE CANDIDATES FOR MAYORALTY MESSRS. MACLEAN, HOWLAND, WOODLEY

Senate Reading Room Issued SENATE TO

Hinted-at Withdrawal and Coming of a Dark Horse Do Not Materialize—Mr. Maclean Maps Out a Progressive Program Upon Which He Will Test Public Opinion—Mr. Howland Argues For Another Term—Mr. Woodley Makes His Second Bow to the Electors.

OLD ALDERMEN OUT AGAIN BUT OPPOSED BY NEWER MEN

William Finlay Maclean, editor, 610 Jarvis-street, nominated by Charles J. Hastings, and seconded by Robert R. Cowan.

Charles Christopher Wodley, typesetter, 105 Wood-street, nominated by H. S. James, and seconded by Walter Wellwood.

Oliver Aiken Howland, barrister-at-law, 21 Isabella-street, nominated by W. K. McNaught, and seconded by Hugh Blain.

—Ward 1.—

Aldermen.	Trustees.
W. T. Stewart	Ed. C. Ryott
J. Russell	D. Chisholm
Ed. Farrell	E. J. Hohs
Robert Fleming	S. Godbold
James Frame	T. S. Lobb
F. H. Richardson	D. T. Smith
John Preston.	
Dr. Hugh Spence	

—Ward 2.—

Aldermen.	Trustees.
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Daniel Lamb	James Hals
Thomas Foster	Frederick Hogg
Joseph Oliver	Dr. S. G. Thompson
John Henderson	
Francis S. Spence	
John Akers	
W. A. Douglas	

—Ward 3.—

Aldermen.	Trustees.
George McMurrich	Marmaduke Rawlinson
John F. Loudon	C. A. B. Brown
O. B. Sheppard	David Hunter
S. G. Curry	A. E. Hacker
Ald. Henry Sheard	Waler S. Lee
Alex Fraser	
J. G. Ramsden	

— Ward 4.—

Aldermen.	Trustees.
William Burns	Louis S. Levee
William P. Hubbard	S. Alfred Jones
Alexander R. Will-	R. R. Holt
Jamson	James R. Code
Edmund Schilling	Harry Simpson
James Crane	Charles Elliott
Thomas Urquhart	Frank S. Mearns

—Ward 5.—

Aldermen.	Trustees.
Wm. S. Fraleigh	Matthw Parkinson
J. R. L. Starr	Wm. Harper
David Clark	F. J. Sabine
Henry Erson	Wm. Neil McEachern
Charles A. Victor	B. H. Scot
A. W. Miles	H. W. Church
John Dunn	
F. H. Woods	
William Langley	

—Ward 6.—

Aldermen.	Trustees.
William O'Neil	John Galbraith
J. H. Hall	J. M. Godfrey
R. H. Holmes	Dr. R. A. Buck
W. W. Hodgson	G. G. Miles
Ald. J. J. Ward	
Ald. J. J. Graham	
Ald. Dr. Lynd	
J. H. McGhie	

Never did a quieter-thinking aggregation of ratepayers assemble in Toronto than the nomination ceremonies for the Mayoralty thousand men of all classes who attended in the assembly room at the City Hall yesterday morning. The audience commenced to gather before 10 o'clock, and patiently sat in the chilly hall until something was doing.

Three candidates were nominated, and they all spoke, so did their nominators and seconders. The feeling of the meeting was without doubt partial to Mr. Maclean. This is an absolute fact, for when the candidates entered the hall at ten minutes after 10 he was given an ovation, whereas when Mayor Howland appeared there was but the solitary clap from the hands of one man.

The nomination of the present Mayor for re-election was not received until the time for entrance was almost exhausted. When it did come, the Mayor had numerous supporters in the gathering, who cheered it and seemed to be relieved from anxiety.

The hall was packed, and the corridors leading to the lower elevator and to the main door were crowded. It was an intelligent audience, anxious evidently to listen, for thruout the speeches there was very little interruption, and the speakers were accorded a generous hearing in all cases.

The speeches of the nominators of the candidates were listened to without interruption, but when the candidates came along some questions were asked, but they were very well answered. Mr. Maclean, who spoke first, because he was nominated first, had the gathering in the best of humor, and was only interrupted by questioners, to whom he replied to their satisfaction. Mr. Woodley brought a little soreness upon himself because he treated the present Mayor rather roughly in some minor details, which should not weary anyone in the campaign. The Mayor was in bad voice, but he told of the work he had done for the city, and if it was not heartily appreciated it was not noisily condemned.

City Clerk Littlejohn, on a seat in the centre of the platform, acted as chairman of the gathering. He was reinforced by City Solicitors Caswell and Lobb.

On the Platform.

Among other well-known gentlemen on the platform were: Hugh Blain, Frank Arnoldi, K.C., Noel Marshall, W. K. McNaught, ex-Ald. N. L. Steiner and Urquhart, Ald. Burns, C. C. Woodley, Ald. Lynd, ex-Ald. Asher, Ald. Sheppard, Ald. Foster, Major Manley, Ald. Crane, Lt.-Col. Paterson, Ald. Russell, F. J. Sabine, Dr. Hastings, Robert Cowan, Dr. A. J. Russell, Ald. Urquhart, T. L. Church, Ald. Oliver, Ald. London, P. F. Cronin, Tom McGuire, Ald. Woods, Fred Diver, J. N. McKendry, J. M. Godfrey, L. Howard.

The meeting was exceedingly quiet and orderly, and no candidate can be accused of using any rough tactics in connection with it. The people wanted to know, and they were told by the three candidates what they wanted to know, or as much of it as could be told.

The nominations, as declared by Mr. Littlejohn, at 11 o'clock sharp, were: Robert Fleming, Ald. Frame, Ald. Richardson, Mayor Howland, W. F. Maclean, M.P., Charles C. Woodley, Ald. Graham, Sheriff Widdifield. There were many others.

The hall was not particularly comfortable, for it was really cold after the wait for something to come along. Then, when the clerk declared the nominators and the nominees, something commenced, and the crowd became sufficiently interested to get a little warmer.

Mr. Littlejohn announced the nominees, and W. F. Maclean's name was received with a burst of cheers. A scant cheer but, nevertheless, a hearty one, greeted the name of Woodley, but for some reason a sad sort of silence reigned when Mayor Howland's name was called.

The City Clerk, conforming to the necessary legal process, asked the candidates, who were all present, if they desired a poll.

"Certainly, certainly," said Mr. Maclean. "A poll will be taken on Monday next, and until then this meeting stands adjourned," said the City Clerk.

For the People.

Ald. Sheppard stepped forward, and with some emphasis moved that the gathering be formed at once into a public meeting, and this met with unanimous approval. In order that all the intelligent ratepayers present might get home in time for dinner, Mr. Woodley suggested that each candidate talk a time limit of twenty minutes, while the movers and seconders should be cut out after they had talked five minutes.

"What is that?" asked Mr. Maclean. "I will have none of it. I want to speak to my fellow-citizens to-day, and I want forty or fifty minutes for it. I have something to say, and you want to hear it." [Applause.]

Before this, the Mayor had said that he had a bad cold, and would ask the privilege of his nominators being allowed sufficient time to speak for him in case his infirmity should incapacitate him.

As a result of Mr. Maclean's protest, no time limit was put on the candidates, but ten minutes was considered enough for the nominators.

Mr. Maclean Nominated.

The forensic ball was opened by Dr. Charles J. Hastings. In nominating Mr. Maclean, Dr. Hastings said that he was doing so because he knew W. F. Maclean for years as a straight, genial and upright man—a man who had started at a low rung of the ladder, and was now paying $2000 to $3000 a week in wages, and that was pretty good for a self-made man. In and out of parliament, Mr. Maclean has been a strong advocate of the people's rights. Toronto needs a fighter, who will come out for the people's rights. [Cheers.]

"You know it is utterly useless to handle these corporations with gloved hands. [Cheers.] We should show our appreciation of a man who can handle them."

A voice: We certainly will.

"Mr. Maclean," continued the speaker, "has done well in parliament. His constituents in East York are appreciating him more every day, and what he has done in parliament as a representative of that constituency thoroly warrants us in making him Mayor of Toronto.

"I was coming down to the nomination to-day, when I met a man, who, talking over the coming election, referred to Mr. Maclean. He said the only thing he had ever had against W. F. Maclean had been his advocacy of Sunday cars. 'You know,' he said, 'I was opposed to Sunday cars then.'

"'So was I,' I replied; 'but I am not now,' and he said he was not, either.

"This," continued Dr. Hastings, "shows that we were narrow-minded, and that Mr. Maclean was board-minded. Thousands of men who voted against Sunday cars would not vote against them now, but would fight for them.

"That one thing showed us that we are busy, and we require someone to think for us when we are too busy to think for ourselves."

Dr. Hastings concluded with a eulogy of Mr. Maclean's ability and foresight, and was applauded.

Robert Cowan, a pressman, who seconded Mr. Maclean's nomination, was well received by the audience. "I am a workingman," he said; "Mr. Maclean is a fellow-up man. I have worked for him 20 years, and I ought to know." [Cheers.]

Mr. Woodley Nominated.

H. S. James, who nominated Mr. Woodley, was then heard. He said Mr. Woodley was the only real representative of labor before them. Neither of the other candidates belonged to the working class, they did not belong to their class. True, they would make a bid for the labor vote, but, if they carefully examined and analyzed the record of the gentleman who had occupied the chair during the year, no one, with even the greatest flight of imagination, could point out one measure that had been brought out in favor of the working class. Mr. Howland's attitude on the matter of increasing the wages of laborers from 15 cents to 18 cents was good proof of this. He thought it would be making an aristocracy of labor. [Laughter.] All these things showed that Mayor Howland was not of them. As to Mr. Maclean, he stood almost in the same position. He sought to represent the fast-declining middle class. The middle man felt the pinch all along, and, in order to relieve the pressure, they proposed to take over institutions of public utility. But the lowering of taxation would not benefit them in the slightest degree, as the price of houses and rents were regulated altogether by the law of supply and demand. In conclusion, he hoped the labor men would rally to the support of Mr. Woodley.

Mr. Howland Put Forward.

Mr. W. K. McNaught, the mover of Mayor Howland, in a brief address, said he had no sympathy with the labor candidate. We were all workingmen. [Shouts of "No!" "No!" and a voice: He has diamond rings on his fingers!]

Continuing, Mr. McNaught said they wanted a Mayor for the whole class, and not for any particular one. He then commended the work accomplished by the Council during the year, and trusted the people would judge Mayor Howland according to his record.

Mr. Hugh Blain, seconder of the Mayor, said, as between Mayor Howland and Mr. Maclean, he saw no difference in superiority, and, therefore, things being equal in that respect, he was favorable to the man with one year's experience. He objected to any man occupying the office of Mayor unless he could devote his whole attention to the duties. Mayor Howland had given his undivided attention to the city.

A voice: After 12 o'clock.

He thought the duties of Mr. Maclean at Ottawa were sufficient to keep him busy.

Mr. Maclean Speaks.

Mr. W. F. Maclean was then called on to speak, and declared he was out for the people and promised to put up a sturdy fight against corporations. He said:

In order that I may put myself clearly before my fellow-citizens as to why I am presenting myself to them for the high and responsible position of Mayor of this great city, I must in the first place state two or three underlying principles. The principle that I believe in above any other is that the object of all government, of all legislation, of all public life, ought to be to increase the number of the common comforts of life, and to extend their range to the greatest number of people—in a word, to increase the common store of human happiness. By this I mean that to the average man, woman and child this life is very much a struggle for existence, in which many are submerged, and that the object of government, whether municipal or state, and of those who take part in that government, whether as critics or as active participants, ought to be to make life more endurable for the people at large. And life is made endurable, as I believe, and as you know, by the increase of the common comforts and conveniences, and the widening of their distribution to the greatest possible number.

Public Ownership.

My next principle is that public ownership of great public franchises, and where that is not possible, public regulation and control, is the most satisfactory means for obtaining that most desirable end, which I have already stated as my first principle. Glasgow proves these two principles.

In so far as this municipal contest is concerned, what I mean by the great conveniences of life and business is the supply of water, light, power and street transportation, and I believe that public ownership can do these things better than private corporations. We have succeeded fairly well in handling the water supply of this city, and it is the same with almost every other city in the English-speaking world, with the marvelous exception of the great city of London, where there is the worst water in the world, the most exorbitant rates, and where the supply is in the hands of immense and wealthy corporations. There are some portions of London where there is one tap to threescore families, and the great question in the city of London to-day is the municipalization of the water supply. Next to water there is the question of light and fuel, and in nearly every case where the municipality has undertaken the supply of gas for lighting, heating and power purposes and the supply of electricity for the same purposes the people have been benefited, and they have obtained these comforts at a cheaper price than they were supplied by private companies. The movement for public ownership of lighting plants, and by these I mean plants that make both electricity and gas, is growing, and it is growing in a marvelous way in England; it is growing in America; and, while here and there there may be an exception where extravagance or bad judgment has prevented success, still the great bulk of the evidence and of the experience is in favor of public ownership. In the one thing of gas for fuel purposes or for lighting purposes I am confident that, if the city of Toronto to-day owned the gas plant, we could pay interest on the investment, and we could make and sell gas for fuel and for lighting at 60c a thousand. Just for one moment consider the convenience and the comfort of gas for cooking purposes as compared with the ordinary coal stove. The work of every housewife who uses it has been made easier by the introduction of the gas stove, but there are thousands and thousands of houses where the high price still prevents its use, and I know of no single thing that will add so much to the comfort of the house and to

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

$21,000 secures in the heart of the business section two solid stone and brick warehouses, recently valued by two of Toronto's most reliable valuators at $30,000; each has four large flats, with full-sized basements, steam heated, hoists, office accommodation, exceptional fine shipping facilities; see plans and photos at office. Terms arranged to suit purchaser. H. H. Williams, 10 Victoria-street.

SERIOUS RELIGIOUS RIOTS.

Police Bombarded in a Church and Forced to Leave Island.

London, Dec. 30.—The Island of Lewis (northernmost and largest island of the outer Hebrides) has been the scene of serious religious riots, arising from the union of the free and the united churches of Scotland. The Islanders refused to countenance the alliance, and when the minister at Ness joined the united church they locked him out of his church. A strong force of police was sent over from the mainland to open the doors, whereupon the islanders congregated, and, throwing volleys of stones at the constables, drove them inside the building, and bombarded them with rocks until they capitulated and agreed to leave the island. Every member of the police force was more or less seriously wounded. It is probable that a detachment of troops will be sent to subdue the rioters.

Made in Canada "Girardot Brand" Canadian Wine, Sullivan's.

MOTORMAN ARRESTED.

Montreal, Dec. 30.—An inquest was held to-day on the body of Catherine Murphy, who died yesterday morning at 9 o'clock as a result of being struck by an electric car on Tuesday evening last. The result of the investigation was that the jury ordered Coroner McMahon to issue a warrant for the arrest of Motorman Hector Aidans, holding him criminally responsible fo the death of the deceased. In accordance with the verdict, Coroner McMahon immediately issued the warrant, and the motorman was placed under arrest.

Smokers' presents — Briars — Meerschaum—fine assortment. Alive Bollard

SHAREHOLDERS IN ONTARIO.

Montreal, Dec. 30.—Shareholders of the Western Loan and Trust Company are receiving thru liquidator, National Trust Company, Limited, cheques for ten cents on the dollar, being the second dividend, making a total payment to date of 25 cents on the dollar; amounting to $128,000, distributed among 700 shareholders, chiefly residents of Ontario.

Pember's Turkish Baths, 129 Yonge.

A HORRIBLE CRIME.

In England, Lord Rosebery considered it an honor to be the first chairman or president of the London County Council. Joseph Chamberlain is thus described in Who's Who: "On the death of his father, he retired from the firm, in order to devote all his energies to public life. To him was due the transfer of the gas and waterworks to the borough authorities, and he was the author of the improvement scheme, which has entirely transformed the face of central Birmingham. He was re-elected mayor in 1874 and again in 1875."

The public men of England, lords and commoners, of the greatest reputation, have often taken the occasion to test public opinion on great issues by presenting themselves for an office such as mayor of a town, as rector of a university, even as a poor law guardian. And especially do the more eminent of the public men of England and the ambitious younger members take advantage of this means of testing public opinion, if their party happens to be out of office. They are then absolutely untrammelled, they give their wings a free flight, and the public are, after the essay, in a position to read the signs of the times. All the politicians of England, the press of England, the great weekly journals, watch these events with the closest scrutiny and interest.

In Canada, how different! Mr. W. F. Maclean, M.P., has been identified in some way with the public life of Canada. He was paid a high compliment yesterday by Dr. Hastings as "being one who does the thinking for us." Mr. Maclean, whatever his success, has devoted his life to public affairs, and he saw in the mayoralty fight an opportunity of presenting the political situation in Canada in the light of that marvelous development of corporations and trusts which has recently taken place, and which is having, and which will have, such a momentous effect on federal, provincial and municipal affairs. He, therefore, decided to offer himself for the mayoralty, with a view of testing public opinion, being at the same time fully prepared to assume the responsibilities of the high office of mayor, should he be elected. The speech which he delivered yesterday, and which is printed in full in another portion of this paper, is well worthy of the attention of every public man in Canada, for in it are discussed issues of the highest importance to public men and to citizens, whether they regard things from the federal point of view, from the provincial point of view or from the municipal point of view. There is meat in his speech for Sir Wilfrid Laurier, for Mr. Ross, for Mr. Whitney, and there is meat in his speech for all the people of Canada. There is nothing offensive in his speech or in his campaign. He has carefully abstained from all personalities, following strictly the practice of the public men in England.

And yet, for making this attempt at testing public opinion, he has been assailed in The Mail newspaper in a most malicious way. He has been charged with trying "to let a Grit" into the mayor's chair. He has been charged with "knifing Mr. Howland" and with "knifing" others, to use their own term. And Mr. Howland, taking his cue from these sources, has had the bad taste to play the baby act, and charge Mr. Maclean with knifing him—when, God only knows—and stealing his platform, and of being guilty of other horrible crimes. An effort has also been made to try and induce some Conservatives to punish Mr. Maclean in some horrible way for this temerity of his in discussing great issues in connection with a municipal office. The World has no quarrel to pick with anyone in this respect, but it does question the policy of it all. From The Mail's point of view, it would have the public think that the Conservative party wants to see no feeling of public opinion, no new departure, no effort at trying to find something new, in order to present it to the people in the next federal campaign. Perhaps, however, it isn't even a few Conservatives who are doing this so much as it is that a few shrewd gentlemen, who are largely identified with the corporations and who happen to have some standing in the party for the time being, are anxious to use and abuse their party to protect their private interests.

The World is confident that all reputable Conservatives, and the young Conservatives especially, will properly size up these attacks.

The net result of it all, however, will be that Mr. Maclean will be mayor by an overwhelming majority.

A TRIPLE CONSUMMATION MADE BY DRIVING A SPIKE

Rich Tracts of New Ontario Opened Up—Outlet for Canada's Granaries Established and Link in New Transcontinental Railway Forged at Antikokan Station Yesterday.

Port Arthur, Dec. 30.—Opening up of extensive mineral, forest and agricultural tracts of New Ontario, the establishment of a new and much-needed outlet for Canada's vast prairie granaries, and the forging of an important link in the new Canadian transcontinental railway. This was the triple consummation accomplished to-day in the actual extension of the Canadian Northern System to the head of Lake Superior.

The last spike in the new line connecting Manitoba and the Territories with the Great Lakes was driven this afternoon, and the most interesting feature of the celebration in connection therewith was an announcement, practically made by Mackenzie & Mann, that the railway would be completed as a transcontinental system within seven years from this date.

The main line of the road constructed to date, from Erwood, in the Territories, to Port Arthur, is 810 miles in length, and the company possesses no less than 1309 miles of track, of which 354 lie in Ontario, 50 in Minnesota, 883 in Manitoba and 22 in Saskatchewan.

To-day's celebration was inter-Provincial in character, among those from a distance here being William Mackenzie, president, and Mr. D. D. Mann, vice-president, of the C. N. R.; Hon. E. J. Davis, B. E. Walker, W. H. Moore, Lewis Lukes, Z. A. Lash and Alex. Mackenzie, Toronto; J. J. Long, Collingwood; Hon. C. H. Campbell, Attorney-General, Manitoba; W. Georgeson, President Winnipeg Board of Trade; John Aird, Bank of Commerce, Winnipeg; D. B. Hanna and Hugh Sutherland of C.N.R.

This morning, a special Canadian Northern train left Port Arthur, bearing the eastern contingent, and the jolly men prominent locally: Mayor J. L. Matthews, George T. Marks, B. Clavet, H. A. Wiley, George Hodder, Col. S. W. Ray, D. F. Burk, A. J. Gorrie, T. Woodside, T. S. White and D. Mills, Port Arthur; Mayor W. F. Hogarth, Peter McKellar and John T. Horne, Fort William.

A run of five hours, over a remarkably smooth roadbed, brought the special to Antikokan Station, 143 miles along the line, where a train, bearing the Winnipeg party, met it. Here, in the shadow of an iron range, twenty miles in length, Hon. Mr. Davis drove home a spike, made of silver from the Wiley Bros'. mine, near Port Arthur, and held, during the ceremony, by James Conmee, M. L. A., who has taken such active part in getting the road put thru.

On the return to Port Arthur, at night, Mackenzie & Mann were royally banqueted by the town.

HON. WILLIAM HARTY NOMINATED.

Will Contest Kingston for Dominion Parliament in Liberal Interest.

Kingston, Dec. 30.—At the Liberal convention this evening Hon. William Harty was unanimously nominated for the vacant federal seat. His name was proposed by Mr. E. J. B. Pense, seconded by Mr. John McKelvey, and endorsed by a number of Liberals. Mr. Harty was sent for and tendered the nomination, which he accepted. From the unanimity of the nomination and the stalwartness of the Kingston Liberals, he had no doubt of his election. During the meeting a resolution of congratulations on the elevation of Judge Britton to the bench was adopted. The meeting was satisfied he would honorably adorn the judiciary of Ontario.

$25.00 - New Williams - $25.00—289 Yonge Street.

A $50,000 ADDITION.

The Christie, Brown Co., Limited, has been granted a permit to erect a five-storey addition to their factory, on the southeast corner of George and Duke-streets, to cost $50,000.

25 New Williams Machines $25.00, 289 Yonge Street.

WILL SEE ROSS FRIDAY.

Temperance deputations from the Methodist Church and the Ontario Alliance will see the Ontario government on Friday at 12.30 p.m., and express their views on the prohibition question.

Smokers presents Cigars—10 in box—Havana. Alive Bollard, manufacturer.

WORK OF VANDALS.

Taal Monument at Burghersdorp Wrecked on Christmas Night.

Cape Town, Dec. 30.—The Taal Monument at Burghersdorp was wrecked on Christmas night. The vandals knocked the head off the statue, and threw the body to the ground. The perpetrators have not been discovered.

The Taal Monument was a marble statue of a female figure, representing the Dutch language as used in South Africa. On the pedestal were inscribed the following classic lines:

"Erkend is nu de moedertaal,
Instaad, kantoor en schoolleksal."

The statue stood in the public gardens.

Your choice for 50c. Sterling Silver Manicure pieces, imported Perfumes and Atomizers in Bingham's window. 100 Yonge Street.

While in Buffalo stop at the Mansion, 620 Main Street. European. Rates reasonable. 246

The College to Attend.

The Nimmo & Harrison Business College, 2 College-street, Toronto, will open for work on Jan. 2. The instruction at this college is individual, so that students may register at any time with equally good results. At the recent Civil Service Examinations 90 per cent. of the candidates prepared by them were successful in passing. Their record in commercial and shorthand work is just as high.

New Williams Sewing Machines $25. 289 Yonge Street.

TWENTY-TWO MAYORS BY ACCLAMATION IN THE TOWNS AND CITIES OF ONTARIO

Fifteen Towns and Seven Cities Unite on a Chief Magistrate Without a Contest—Dresden, Owen Sound, Vankleek Hill, Galt, Sandwich, Walkerville, Newmarket, Orillia, Wingham, Seaforth, Dundas, Hespeler, Goderich, Renfrew, Welland, Ottawa, Guelph, St. Thomas, Stratford, Belleville, Chatham and Brantford.

KEEN INTEREST SHOWN IN PROVINCES PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Keen interest all over Ontario was taken in nominations of municipal offices yesterday. A rather remarkable showing is made by scanning the nominations in towns and cities. Thirteen Mayors of towns were elected by acclamation, most of them being given a second term. The lucky ones were: Capt. Ribble, Dresden; A. Read, Owen Sound; William Ogden, Vankleek Hill; Dr. Hawke, Galt; E. Guardet, Sandwich; E. G. Swift, Walkerville; H. S. Cane, Newmarket; J. B. Tudhope, Orillia; R. Vanstone, Wingham; J. H. Broadfoot, Seaforth; Charles Collins, Dundas; G. Forbes, Hespeler, and M. G. Cameron, Goderich. In the cities seven chief magistrates went by acclamation. They were to John Kennedy, Guelph; Fred Cook, Ottawa; Mayor Selman, Chatham; D. B. Ward, Brantford; Sperrin Chant, St. Thomas; James Stamp, Stratford, and R. J. Graham, Belleville.

Ottawa.

Ottawa, Dec. 30.—The Ottawa mayoralty is a walkover for Fred Cook, the well-known newspaper correspondent. Backed by the Allied Trades and Labor Associations, on whose behalf he took up the cudgels when other prominent citizens declined he started upon a vigorous campaign, and to-day the four gentlemen nominated against him, Mayor Davidson, Ald. Dearing, Ald. Lewis and Mr. John Coates withdrew from the field, leaving Mr. Cook Mayor-elect by acclamation. Had there been a contest Mr. Cook's majority would have been up in the thousands. The first telegram of congratulations to Ottawa's new Mayor came from a prominent Toronto man, "Don't take a drink after hours; congratulations."

Aldermen: Victoria Ward, Ald. D. T. Masson, Ald. J. C. Enright, Ald. C. B. Taggart, Messrs. W. E. Brown, F. D. Taylor, S. Rosenthal; Dalhousie Ward, Ald. William Hill, Ald. Meek Proulx, Messrs. Thomas Hurtubise, Thomas Cleary, Thomas Matthews, J. Fleming; Wellington Ward, A. Mayor, James Davidson, Ald. Hopewell, Ald. Bayley, Dr. Beaman, Charles W. Place, A. E. Saunderson, W. H. Bishop, Dr. V. H. Lyon; Central Ward, Ald. W. H. Lewis, Ald. Storey, Messrs. P. D. Ross, John Coates, S. J. Davis, Charles G. Pepper, E. F. Dey; St. George's Ward, Ald. R. Hasley, Ald. R. Stroud, Ald. W. Cunningham, Dr. Freeland, E. Tasse, Albert Dunn; By Ward, Ald. Desjardins, ex-Mayor Payment, ex-Ald. Startis, P. H. Chabot, J. M. Lavoie; Ottawa Ward, Ald. N. Champagne, Ald. J. U. Vincent, Ald. E. Lapointe, J. C. Dupont, J. C. Reynolds; Rideau Ward, Ald. J. A. Ellis, Ald. J. B. Askwith, Ald. J. C. Grant, ex-Ald. B. Slinn.

Hamilton.

Hamilton, Dec. 30.—The nominations for Mayor and aldermen took place this morning at the City Hall. Mayor John S. Hendrie, one of the best Mayors Hamilton has ever had, was re-nominated by Mr. Kavanagh, seconded by J. M. Robinson. Just as an advertisement, it is supposed, the Socialistic Labor party nominated William Barrett, a painter.

For Aldermen.

Forty-four men were nominated for aldermen, as follows:

J. B. Kingdon, George S. Kerr, R. C. Pettigrew, James Phillips, H. M. TenEyck, M. D. Nelligan, J. H. Larkin, C. S. Cochran, D'Arcy Martin, A. R. Whyte, George Wilds, William J. McFadden, William A. Logie, J. G. Y. Burkholder, Robert Rodehouse, Andrew Ross, T. M. Williamson, W. M. Findlay, W. J. Morden, Alexander Dunn, E. H. Fearnside, Henry Arland, Samuel Landers, M. J. O'Reilly, H. H. Burd, George S. Burkholder, W. T. Evans, Robert Soper, R. S. Fraser, James Scott, Thomas J. Stewart, M. Basquil, C. K. Domville, F. R. Waddell, W. J. Reid, George Hill, S. D. Biggar, Dr. D. Thompson, W. S. Lounghr, O. C. Baird.

A number of these will likely retire before to-morrow night.

The Labor party's candidates are Landers, Basquil and Hill.

For School Trustees.

The following nominations for School Trustees were made:

Ward No. 1—Alexander C. Beasley.
Ward No. 2—John W. Jones.
Ward No. 3—Henry New.
Ward No. 4—William Clucas.
Ward No. 5—Adam Zimmerman.
Ward No. 6—H. S. Brennen, George H. Evans.
Ward No. 7—T. H. Pratt, Walter Bale, William Laking and T. M. Williamson.

A. C. Beasley, J. W. Jones, Henry New, William Clucas and Adam Zimmerman were declared elected by acclamation. There will be contests in Wards Nos. 6 and 7.

Guelph.

Guelph, Dec. 30.—Nominations for the office of Mayor of the city of Guelph opened in the City Hall at ten o'clock this morning. City Clerk Mitchell acted as returning officer. There was only a small attendance of electors, who did not seem at all wildly excited over the prospects of the election.

Mayor Kennedy's nomination was handed in in good time. His nomination was moved by Mr. Frank Dowler and seconded by Mr. James Hewer. As no other nominations had been received when the hour of eleven struck, the returning officer declared Mr. John Kennedy duly elected as Mayor of the city of Guelph for 1902.

Aldermen: Ward St. George's, W. W. Why, W. M. Dyson, A. B. Petrie, Ed. Parkinson, R. L. Torrens, J. C. Kelcher, P. Sprague, A. Rumford, J. E. Day, H. Walker, J. J. Drew.

School trustee: Hugh McMillan by acclamation.

St. John's: G. A. Barker, J. H. Hamilton, Samuel Carter, J. J. Drew, R. E. Nelson, S. J. Taylor, C. A. Kelly. William J. Graham school trustee by acclamation.

St. David's Ward: W. E. Buckingham, Samuel Carter, R. Barber, J. A. Scott, J. W. Kilgour, A. W. Tyson, James Hewer, school trustee, E. R. Bollert by acclamation.

St. Andrew's Ward, C. L. Dunbar, J. J. Mahoney, G. Hastings, W. F. Barber, J. E. Day; school trustee, William McLaren.

St. James' Ward, W. F. Barber, Thomas Irving, Adam Linton, William Slater, James Anderson, Col. White, George J. Brill, Richard H. Crowe, R. C. Kennedy, Peter Dunbar; school trustees H. W. Peterson and Charles Dawson.

St. Patrick's Ward: George Penfold, William E. Taylor, John Newstead, H. H. O. Stull, Robert Johnston, Robert Kennedy, George J. Brill, Michael J. Dingman; school trustee William Scrimgeour by acclamation.

St. Catharines.

St. Catharines, Ont., Dec. 30.—Mayor: J. B. McIntyre, William B. Burgoyne.

Aldermen: E. T. Reed, Theo. Sweet, J. E. Varley, J. Albert Pay, A. W. Marquis, J. S. Campbell, J. K. Black, S. McLean, A. W. McHaugh, Joseph Hodgins, John W. King, James Dunlop, James Prior, A. McEdward, C. A. Wilson, D. D. McTavish, J. T. Petrie.

Water Commissioners: H. H. Collier, W. B. Allan, C. O. Beam, S. Montgomery, H. K. Woodruff, G. C. Carlisle, C. H. Case, E. Gardiner, Thomas Beattie, C. Elliott, L. C. Brudt.

Public school trustees: Robert McLaren, James Bird, W. H. Merritt, H. Wise.

Windsor.

Windsor, Ont., Dec. 30.—Mayor: J. F. Smyth, A. Laforge, J. H. McConnell.

Water Commissioner: James Dixon, by acclamation.

Councillors: J. G. Leggatt, Ben Brooks, Isaac Watts, D. H. Bedford, First Ward; Second Ward, H. Walker, J. G. Gangnier, Noble Bartlett, M. Conn, James Oliver; Third Ward, J. A. Banwell, R. L. Dunn, D. Hawkins, H. Trumble, R. Duputs; Fourth Ward, William Calder, Thomas Noble, P. H. McEwen, Joseph Martin, William Colby.

St. Thomas.

St. Thomas, Ont., Dec. 30.—Mayor, S. Chant, acclamation.

Aldermen: Charles Farmer, George A. Pousford, P. Meehan, T. Meek, H. A. Turnpenny, J. A. Kirby, Charles F. Maxwell, R. Sanders, R. McCully, M. Dickson, R. U. Price, Z. Rowland, P. Stewart, R. Dickson, P. Stover, J. Mallon, A. M. Hutchinson, W. Trott, J. Wallis, A. J. Clark, L. Luton.

School trustees: No. 1 Ward, A. Barber, acclamation; No. 2, S. Dubber, acclamation; No. 3, R. H. McConnell, acclamation; No. 4, E. C. Sanderson, Albert Roberts; No. 5, W. Bean, W. Southern, Thomas Stuart; No. 6, J. E. Frazer, C. Shaw.

Brantford.

Brantford, Ont., Dec. 30.—Mayor, D. B. Wood, acclamation.

Water Commissioner: Alfred Watts, William Whittaker.

Aldermen. Ward 1, W. R. Turnbull, S. Suddaby, Maurice Quinlan, P. Haffy, A. G. Montgomery, W. J. Westwood; Second Ward, R. Hall, W. Dunn, J. J. Ingles, W. Cutmore, Charles Jackson, A. E. Harley; Third Ward, W. S. Brewster, B. J. Wade, J. J. Ingles; Fourth Ward, S. R. Stewart, F. Corry, C. Hartman, J. W. Bowlby, J. Ham, S. F. Whitham; Ward Five, Ald. J. A. Leitch, W. J. Bragg, M. E. Harris, A. Weir, J. D. Mulholland, J. H. Friend, Charles M. Duroward, F. Wilson, J. Ham.

Trustees: Ward No. 1, 1 year, F. W.

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REDEEM THE PLEDGE.

Prohibition Convention at Cayuga Pass a Strong Resolution.

Cayuga, Dec. 30.—A prohibition convention was held in the Methodist Church, Cayuga, this afternoon. Quite a number of representatives from the County of Haldimand were present. Rev. Mr. Dobson of Caledonia was elected chairman. After devotional exercises, Mr. Nicholls, Provincial organizer, gave an address, pointing out that the present was a critical time in the history of temperance legislation. He further said that the Ontario government was pledged to introduce a prohibition measure at this next session.

Committees were appointed on the following: Organization, finances, political action. The committees on organization reported, Rev. Mr. Dobson of Caledonia president, Rev. Mr. Kay of York secretary, Mr. McClung of Decewsville treasurer. Local convenors were also appointed.

The committee on finance reported the raising of money for campaign purposes and organization work, and the committee on political action brought in the following resolution: That, whereas the Privy Council has upheld the Manitoba Act, resolved that we, the temperance workers of the County of Haldimand, in convention, humbly pray the Provincial government will redeem its pledge by introducing a prohibitory act at its next session. Mr. Nicholls addressed a mass meeting this evening.

FIRST STEEL.

Halifax, Dec. 30.—The first steel was made in Sydney at 8 o'clock, open hearth furnace No. 10, at the works of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company, was lighted in the presence of a number of officials of the company, and the first cast of fifty tons was a decided success. An expert, who saw the steel, pronounced it to be of excellent quality.

Edwards and Hart-Smith, Chartered Accountants, offices Canadian Bank of Commerce Building, Toronto.

REMARKABLE RECORD.

Montreal, Dec. 30.—Mrs. John Morrissey, wife of a former local fireman, to-day gave birth to triplets, all boys. Mrs. Morrissey two years ago presented her husband with twins, and twins a year ago.

Turkish and Russian Baths, 129 Yonge

Cook's Turkish and Russian Baths Bath and bed $1. 202 and 204 King W.

ORDERED SOUTH.

Ottawa, Dec. 30.—Hon. A. G. Blair has been ordered south for his health. Since the death of his daughter he has been very unwell.

The "Elbonor," 99 King street west, extends compliments of the season and prosperous New Year to its many customers. R. B. Noble, Manager.

What is Clubb's Dollar Mixture?

Clubb's Dollar Mixture is a blending of selected high-grade Tobaccos. It smokes cool, and will positively not burn the tongue. It's a gentleman's smoke, and is already accepted as the only perfect tobacco. The quality cannot be improved. 1 lb. tin, $1; ½-lb. tin, 50c; ¼-