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Births, Marriages, Deaths

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in The Daily Advertiser also appear in The Western Advertiser. Births 25c, Marriages and Deaths 50c.

DIED.

BARR—In this city, on Feb. 1, at 4:30 a.m., Mr. Alfred Barnett, aged 67 years.
Funeral private, from his late residence, 639 Princess avenue. 57u

NICHOLSON—At lot 10, con. 14, London township, on Tuesday, Jan. 31, 1899, Mary, relict of the late Robert Nicholson, aged 76 years and 3 months.
Funeral from above address on Thursday, at 1 o'clock.

HUDSON—In this city on Feb. 1, at the residence of her son-in-law, George Ewen, 592 Hill street, Margaret Hudson, aged 66 years.
Funeral private, Friday, 3rd, at 3 o'clock.

Amusements and Lectures

CATHOLIC CLUB CARNIVAL—PRINCESS Rink, Tuesday, Feb. 7, 1899. Admission, 15 cents. Don't miss it. b

PRINCESS—GRAND SHEET OF ICE—Band Thursday. Rink open afternoon and evening. Carnival 7th. b

JUBILEE RINK—HARPER'S TONIGHT—After skating, hockey match, Jubilee vs. London South. b

DAISY RINK—CLARKE'S BRIDGE—Largest in the city. Skating tonight. British Club carnival Thursday night. b

DAISY RINK, THURSDAY, FEB. 2—British Club Carnival. Cash prizes. Musical Society Band. Admission 10c. 57u

VOICE CULTURE
EVA N. ROBLYN.
Studio, Bell Piano Parlors. Residence, No. 320, Dundas street. Concert engagements. Telephone 1,270. xt

THE CITY STEAMSHIP PASSENGER Agency, 416 Richmond street, next door to Advertiser, issues tickets to the Old Country via the Allan, Beaver, Cunard, American, Red Star and Anchor lines. Baggage transferred from residence through to deck. F. B. Clarke, agent.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY—SPECIAL—Have you seen the "Society Cakewalk?" Newest dance out; sure to be very popular. We can accommodate you with a private lesson any hour. Dayton & McCormick.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING—Rapid teaching; low rates. All who desire a thorough knowledge of the art of dancing should avail themselves of this opportunity. Lessons any hour. R. B Millard, teacher of dancing, 346 Princess avenue.

Meetings.

MR. CHARLES S. SWAN—MISSIONARY from Central Africa, will give an address in the Gospel Hall, corner Horton and Colborne streets, this evening, at 7:45. Everyone is cordially invited. b

ST. GEORGE'S, 42, A., F. AND A. M., G. R. C., meets tonight (Wednesday), 1st inst., at 7:30 o'clock sharp. Visitors welcome. Henry Hayman, W.M.; A. Ellis, P.M., secretary. b

I. O. O. F.—DOMINION LODGE, NO. 48—Regular meeting this (Wednesday) evening. Visitors invited. Syd. Smyth, N.G.; Thos. D. Hastings, R.S. b

THE WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION will hold its regular meeting in the "Y" rooms, on Thursday, Feb. 2, at 3 p.m. b

Domestics Wanted.

RESPECTABLE, MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN wanted to assist in housekeeping; work light; comfortable home for a suitable person. For particulars apply in the morning at 241 Queen's avenue. b

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—APPLY Mrs. Chapman, 522 King street. 57tf

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—NO washing. Apply 386 Dufferin avenue. 55c

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—Immediately. Family of two. Apply 571 Ridout street. 56c

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant in small family; no washing. Mrs. A. M. Smart, 142 Kent street. 56c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant. Also nurse. Must be good seamstress. Apply Mrs. Wilson, 260 Queen's avenue. 55c

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—NO washing or ironing. References required. Apply to Mrs. Bayly, 186 Albert street. 51tf

Male Help Wanted.

WANTED—FARM HAND, MUST BE A good milker. Apply to lot 24, con. 1, Westminster. 57u

YOUNG MAN (GRADUATE OF F. C. B. C.), desires situation as bookkeeper; some experience. Address A. M. Campbell, Melbourne, Ont. 57k

Agents Wanted.

WANTED—SEVERAL TRUSTWORTHY persons to manage our business in their own and nearby counties. Mainly office work, conducted at home. Salary straight $900 a year and expenses; definite, bonafide, salary; no more, no less salary. Reference. Inclose self-addressed envelope. The Dominion Company, Dept. F., Chicago. 57u

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CANVASSER to call on private families, or lady or gentleman well acquainted locally; on salary. G. Marshall & Co., London.

MAN OR LADY TO TRAVEL AND appoint agents; established firm: $50 per month and all expenses to start. Mfr., Box 398 Philadelphia, Pa. 54 bn tx

Board and Lodging.

WANTED—GENTLEMEN OR GENTLEMAN and wife as boarders in a private family. Apply 413 King street. 57n

Wanted.

PARTY CALLING ON FARMERS AND others with horses and rig is open to carry a side line. Good connection through London township; references and security if required. Apply Box 125, this office. 50bu

HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR GENTLEMEN'S cast-off clothing. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King street. Mail orders attended to

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FOR— $22 00
Satin lined throughout, and made as good as a first-class workman can make it. It's a snap.
DEEKS & CO.,
Merchant Tailors,
393 Richmond street.

If You Have The Cash

Why not buy your Footwear here, and take advantage of our cash method of doing business? We buy our goods for spot cash, and get surprising discounts. We sell them for spot cash, and give you the discounts.

We can fit in Shoes any or all of the members of any or all of the families in London.

J. P. COOK
173 Dundas Street.
Your money back if you want it.

Lost and Found.

LOST—MONDAY NIGHT—LADY'S GOLD watch, 6-ounce case; initials C. A. B.; chain attached. Reward at J. C. Allan's, 658 Richmond. 56c

LOST—ON SUNDAY, JAN. 22—ON Queen's avenue, between English and William streets, lady's beaver cuff. Finder will please leave at Advertiser office. 55c

Articles For Sale.

WE HAVE ON HAND AN EXTRA good stock of apples and potatoes (not frozen). Potatoes, Rural New Yorkers, medium size and smooth, 15c peck. Canadian Reds and Talman Sweet Apples, 15c peck; Greenings, 20c and 25c peck; Spies, 25c; Spitzenbergs, 30c peck. Extra value in Lemons, 15c and 20c dozen. Oranges, good size and sweet, 15c. Jamaicas, as big as your head (almost) 30c dozen. Faulds' Provision Store, 8 Market Lane. zxv

EXPRESS MONEY ORDERS ON ALL parts of the world. Surest way to remit money. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Advertiser, sells them. zxv

$4.75 PER TON (NOT IN BAGS)—Pocahontas coal for kitchen ranges or furnaces; in bags, 25c per ton extra. Same coal as sold by Harold Richardson & Co. Butts' Cannel coal for open fires. Bowman & Co. Call at F. B. Clarke's, Richmond street, next Advertiser. zxv

BASEBURNER FOR SALE—NEARLY new. Apply 201 or 468 Dundas street. 56i

SNAPS FOR TODAY—1 GRAND UNION Piano, 7⅓ octaves, $100; 1 Weber & Co. Piano, 7⅓ octaves, $125; 1 Knabe & Co. Piano 7⅓ octaves, $135; 1 Chickering & Sons' Piano, 7⅓ octaves, $150; 1 Dominion Organ, large, 10 stops, $35; 1 Karn & Co. Organ, large, 11 stops, $45. Easy terms to good parties. Heintzman & Co., 117 Dundas street, corner Clarence.

SPRING SKATES, 35c PAIR. SKATES hollow ground, 10c. Bicycling repairing at lowest prices. D. McKenzie & Co., 374 Richmond street.

DIAMONDS REMOUNTED AND OLD jewelry made up-to-date at small expense J. T. Westland, 340 Richmond street, upstairs

BEST HARD COAL AND WOOD DELIVERED in all parts of the city. W. G. Eadey, 771 Dundas street. Phone 1,134.

ELECTRIC BELLS KEPT IN PERMANENT repair, only 50c per year. R. M. Millar, 434 Talbot street. 21tf

PORK SAUSAGE AND BOLOGNA, FOUR pounds 25c; smoked ham and bacon, 10c; pickled bacon, 9c; shoulders, 6c; long clears, 8c, at Park's, corner Market Lane.

TISSUE PAPER—ALL COLORS—FOR full size sheets for one cent. Large assortment of school books and school supplies. J. H. Cunningham, 778 Dundas street, East London.

KEENE'S, MASONIC TEMPLE, IS THE cheapest place to buy stoves or furniture. Large stock on hand.

$15 BUYS A SIX-PIECE PARLOR suite, nicely upholstered, regular price $20. Keene Bros. Cash Bargain Furniture Store, 127 King street.

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ANY QUANTITY—ONE SET OR A THOUSAND SETS.
ADVERTISER
JOB PRINTING
Phone 175. DEPARTMENT.

FIRST-CLASS WOOD—HARD AND SOFT—stove lengths or cordwood. Prompt delivery to any part of the city. Prices reasonable. Phone 1,312. S. Gilles & Son, Sawmill, East London.

Miscellaneous.

DRESS SUITS TO RENT, IN FIRST-CLASS condition. A. P. Sainsbury, 90 King street.

Real Estate.

FOR SALE—ONE HUNDRED ACRES—Lot 13, con. 5, Westminster, good buildings, orchard, seven miles from London, good gravel roads. Apply to Chas. Kerr, Hubrey. 55c

FOR SALE—AN A1 STOCK FARM—GOOD buildings; abundant supply of good water; 50 acres; tile drained; 1¼ miles from railway station; west of city, price only $3,000. 25 acres near city limits, would exchange for city property. J. F. Sangster, 403 Richmond street.

FOR SALE—SELECT FARM AND CITY properties; easy terms; low interest. Apply G. W. Francis, 90 Dundas street, London, Ont. d&w

Architects.

McBRIDE & FARNCOMBE—ARCHITECTS and surveyors, 213 Dundas street H. C. McBride. F. W. Farncombe, B.S., C.E.

MOORE & HENRY—
ARCHITECTS, LAND SURVEYORS, CIVIL ENGINEERS.
John M. Moore. Frederick Henry.

Business Chances.

FOR SALE—WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS Mineral bath swimming bath, boating business; 300 feet land. Apply 60 Elmwood avenue, South London. 53n

Houses, Etc., To Let.

TO RENT—35 ACRES—LOT 34, CON. 2, Westminster. Apply on premises. Gardener preferred. 55n

TO LET—FLOUR AND FEED STORE—197 King street. Apply on premises. 54tf

TO LET—GOOD BRICK AND FRAME stable. Inquire A. N. Udy, over C. P. R. ticket office. Phone 735.

TO LET—NO. 427 KING STREET—APPLY at 333 King street. 96tf

TO LET—COVERED MOVING VANS—When moving have your furniture and pianos carefully moved. Address 97 Carling street. Phones 1,162 and 1,167.

Swedish Massage.

MISS MILLAR, 359 PRINCESS AVENUE Swedish therapeutic massage, graduate of the Hugo Oldenburg Institute, Chicago.

Let it be distinctly understood that The Ontario Mutual's lower cost of life assurance is not, as a rule, on account of smaller premiums, but because of larger dividends.
C. E. GERMAN,
General Agent.

Tenders for Crushing Stone.

TENDERS will be received at this office up to 5 o'clock, on Thursday, Feb. 2, for

CRUSHING STONE

Specifications and form of tender may be obtained at this office.
A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer.
ALD. H. M. DOUGLASS, Chairman No. 2 Committee. 55c

Stone for Breaking

THE CORPORATION OF LONDON will pay to all teamsters and other persons,

$2 50 per cord

for any quantity of good sound stone, from one cord upwards, delivered at the crusher on Cheapside street. A. O. GRAYDON, City Engineer.
ALD. H. M. DOUGLASS, Ch. Board of Works 51k xt

Educational.

THE HARDING HALL GIRLS' SCHOOL LIMITED,

Spring term commences Feb. 8. Kindergarten branch is held in a room in Conservatory of Music building, Dundas street. For calendars and other information apply to Mrs. J. E. Wells, 661 Talbot street, London.

GREAT SNOWSLIDE

Seven Men Were Killed at Glacier House, C. P. R.

Roundhouse Swept Away—Several Persons Injured.

Vancouver, B.C., Feb. 1.—A snowslide swept away a roundhouse at the station of Glacier House, on the C. P. R. main line, yesterday. Seven men were killed and several more were injured.

The station is midway between Donald and Revelstoke, and just west of Rogers Pass. It is an important point, famous for its beauty, and a stopping-place of some importance on the railway.

A terrific storm is raging in the west, and it is impossible to get communication with the locality of the disaster.

A VICTIM OF GRIP

Sad Circumstances Surrounding the Case of Princess Ferdinand.

Her Home Was Unhealthy and Her Life Unhappy.

Sofia, Bulgaria, Feb. 1.—Princess Ferdinand of Bulgaria, who passed away yesterday, was dying Monday evening, but the fact was hidden from the population. She was still conscious yesterday morning, and bade farewell to the children. Prince Ferdinand remained at the bedside throughout. She had been suffering for a fortnight from influenza and continuous high fever, which caused premature confinement and extreme debility.

There is much gossip here as to her unhappy domestic life. The palace at Sofia is a most unsanitary place. During the first years of her residence there she suffered a great deal from intermittent fever, owing to the drains. She only just survived her first confinement, and the enforced conversion of young Prince Boris to the Orthodox Greek Church caused her, as a devout Roman Catholic, great unhappiness.

The enmity that existed between her and the late M. Stefan Stambouloff, the Bulgarian statesman, is now recalled. M. Stambouloff's friends always attributed the murderous attack made on him in July, 1895, to the princess, and his widow, who still keeps her husband's hands in spirits to show her children and to prevent them from forgetting how their father died, once said: "Those hands are outstretched to grasp Marie Louise of Parma, to drag her away from happiness."

Prince Ferdinand's sister, Archduchess Clothilda, is going to Sofia to assist in making arrangements for the children. The babe will be privately christened Clementine, after her grandmother, Princess Clementine of Bourbon-Orleans, daughter of King Louis Philippe. The christening will be according to the Catholic ritual.

NOT LONG PARTED.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 1.—Stephen Leedham and his wife Amy Leedham, an aged couple who lived at Fall River, died yesterday within half an hour of each other. They had been ill for some days, both suffering from pneumonia.

CHINESE LOAN AND PLEDGE

The Almond-Eyed People Borrow a Trifle of $57,000,000,

And Promise Not to Alienate Their Railways to Any Foreign Power.

Meanwhile the Rebels Are Making Great Headway.

Ritualism Denounced at an Immense Mass Meeting in Old London—A Protest From Abdul Hamid Against Britain's Policy in Egypt.

London, Feb. 1.—The London Times, in its financial article announces that a Chinese 5 per cent railway loan of $57,500,000 has been arranged, officially guaranteed by China, and specially secured on the Chinese northern railway. China has given Great Britain a pledge that these railways will not be alienated to any foreign power.

The Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Mail says: Ten thousand rebels are besieging Shu-Chau, the third most important city in the province of Anhoui. If Shu-Chau falls, all the northern and central portions of Anhoui will be at the mercy of the rebels. An imperial general, while trying to recapture Ku-Yang, was defeated on Jan. 23, losing 2,000 men.

PROTEST AGAINST RITUALISM.

The Royal Albert Hall, London, was the scene last evening of a great demonstration on the part of 10,000 Protestants, including representatives of 50 Protestant organizations connected with the Established Church in England, Scotland and Ireland. Baron Kinnaird presided, and the proceedings were marked by the utmost enthusiasm. Resolutions denouncing Romanish practices in the Established Church of England were carried, and a telegram was dispatched to the Queen, praying her to direct Lord Salisbury, the premier, to take legislative steps to suppress the practices condemned.

At the confirmation of Dr. Watkin H. Williams as Bishop of Bangor, at the Church of St. Marylebone, John Kensit, the anti-ritualistic agitator, made a scene, protesting against the "Romanizing tendencies" of the bishop. The protest was received with cheers, and there was some hisses from others among the congregation. The ceremony then proceeded, and the election of the bishop was confirmed.

STATE LEVEE AT DUBLIN.

The first state levee of the season took place yesterday afternoon at Dublin and was largely attended. The visit of the official representatives of the United States to Ireland for a court function is cordially commented upon as being "a unique and agreeable departure from the customs of the diplomatic corps."

The admiralty are making preparations for the reception of the American fleet here in June. The English Channel squadron, consisting of eight first-class battleships and five cruisers, will receive the United States fleet. The Duke of York will command the fleet.

ABDUL KICKS.

The Diplomatic Journal says the Sultan is about to protest to the powers against the British protectorate system and to reassert Turkish suzerainty over Egypt.

THE KAISER TAKEN IN.

Emperor William entertained an impostor last week, but, of course, he was not aware of the fact. The person in question was a distinguished-looking man named Dr. Esser, who claimed to be an African explorer, but has since been exposed by Dr. Hans Wagner, who declares Esser never was out of Germany. The kaiser was so pleased with the alleged explorer's tales of adventure that he bestowed a crown medal upon him.

A TRAITOR.

The Independence Belge says: "Most alarming reports have been received from the Kongo State. It is rumored that the troops of Major Lothaire (the Belgian commander on the Upper Congo) have joined the rebels, and that he himself is wounded and a prisoner. The Congo State authorities here have received no definite news."

The King of the Belgians would like to get rid of the possessions on the Congo, in Africa, pre-empted by France, and the latter is asking England's acquiescence in the acquisition. The Spectator urges Lord Salisbury to agree to France's request, as the only interest England has there is a strip of land for railway and telegraph lines from the Cape to Cairo.

DREYFUS HEARD FROM.

London, Feb. 1.—A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Cayenne, capital of French Guiana, says that a courier has arrived there from Paris with documents from the court of cassation and M. Labori, Dreyfus' counsel. The new governor of the colony is about to visit Dreyfus at Isle du Diable.

INSURGENTS WIN.

Lima, Peru, Feb. 1.—Trustworthy advices received here from Bolivia say the president of that republic, Senor Servero Alonzo, who has been operating with an army against the insurgent forces, which have occupied La Paz, the nominal capital, has retired from the neighborhood of that city, and is being pursued by the federals, or insurgent troops.

CABLE NOTES.

M. Grecoff has formed a new Bulgarian cabinet, with himself as premier and minister of foreign affairs.

The Earl of Elgin, until recently viceroy of India, has been appointed a Knight of the Garter, in place of the late Duke of Northumberland.

The Cologne Gazette declares that the suggestion made a few days ago, by General Stewart L. Woodford, that there was a coalition of European nations against America, is a figment of imagination.

The London Star's statement that one of the cashiers of Parr's Bank, which was recently robbed of bank notes to the amount of about £60,000 in a mysterious manner, has confessed to taking the money, is denied.

Montague Peregrinde Bertrie, Earl of Lindsay, died yesterday in his 84th year. He was a descendant of Baron Willoughby d'Ersby, who gained great distinction as a soldier in the reign of Queen Elizabeth.

The Quiver, a British Sunday magazine, printed stories about Queen Victoria, under the title, "Recollections of a Former Maid of Honor," and now the London newspapers are "authorized to state that there is no truth in the story."

The reports concerning a dispute between the executors of the will of the late Empress Elizabeth and the Bank of England, are officially denied.

PRESENTATION TO C. S. CUNNINGHAM

The Popular G. T. R. Trainmaster Honored.

His Former Associates Present Him With a Magnificent Jewel—An Elegant Silver Service for Mrs. Cunningham.

An opportunity which the employes of the middle division of the G. T. R. have awaited for some time occurred last evening, when they were able to waylay their former trainmaster, Mr. C. S. Cunningham, and present him with a magnificent jewel for himself and a beautiful silver service for Mrs. Cunningham.

Yesterday Mr. Cunningham, whose headquarters are now at Portland, Me., paid a flying visit to the city, and in the evening, while he was chatting with Assistant Superintendent Ferritor, the local staff and a number of other officials gathered in Chief Clerk Munro's room. Mr. Cunningham was called into the office, and the following address, beautifully engrossed and richly framed, was read to him by Chief Dispatcher McLardy:

"Dear Sir,—We, the employes of the middle division of the Grand Trunk Railway, cannot allow your removal to another division to take place without expressing our deep regret at your departure and bearing testimony to the ability, energy and zeal which you have displayed in the discharge of your manifold duties. Though but a short time in our midst, you have endeared yourself to all with whom you have come in contact by your faithfulness, straightforwardness and kindly disposition. We trust, upon your transfer to another division that the same success will attend you as has marked your course heretofore. We beg you to accept this jewel, and the accompanying silver service for Mrs. Cunningham, not for their intrinsic value, but because they convey to you in a small way the expression of the esteem and regard in which you are held by all those with whom you have any dealings. Wishing yourself and Mrs. Cunningham a long life of happiness and prosperity, we remain, on behalf of the employes, (Signed), J. A. McLardy (chief train dispatcher), J. A. McHarg (depot master), John Auld (car distributor), Robert Logan (constable), and A. A. Neil, W. H. Poole, A. Douglass, Wm. Taylor, M. McKenzie and E. Burton (conductors)."

Constable Robert Logan made the presentations, handing the jewel to Mr. Cunningham, and placing before him the silver service for Mrs. Cunningham. The service was an elegant one, consisting of six very valuable pieces. The jewel is a combined Knight Templar and Shriner emblem, in the design of a massive Maltese cross of gold, set with rubies and diamonds, and surmounted by Shriner claws. It bears the inscription: "Presented to Sir Knight C. S. Cunningham, Trainmaster of the Grand Trunk Railway system, London, Jan. 31, 1899, by the employes of the middle division."

Mr. Cunningham exhibited strong emotion when replying. He did not anticipate any such honors, and said he was unable to find words to adequately express his gratitude. He had spent many happy days in the service of the G. T. R. in the middle division, and knew that the men were not excelled in ability and attention to duty by the employes of any railway on the continent. He realized how unworthy he was of any such marks of friendship and esteem. The loyalty and faithfulness shown by everyone in all departments had always been enough. He assured them that neither he nor Mrs. Cunningham would ever forget the kindness shown them. If they could but realize the appreciation Mrs. Cunningham would feel, he was sure they must in a measure be repaid.

Freight Agent John Pullen, of Hamilton, was present, and in the course of a brief speech said the G. T. R. had no more zealous officer than Mr. Cunningham.

Mr. Cunningham left today for Maine.

JUBILEE HOCKEY CLUB CARNIVAL

One of the Best of the Season—1,200 Persons in Attendance—The Prize-Winners and Those in Costume.

The Jubilee Hockey Club held one of the most successful of the season's carnivals at the Jubilee Rink last night. The ice was in splendid condition, and enlivening music was furnished the merrymakers. The crowd numbered about 1,200, and the costumes were many and handsome.

The lucky prize-winners are as follows:

Best Dressed Coon, B. Chamberlin; English Page, G. Fox; English Huntsman, Mr. Wilson; Colored Couple, Mr. Percy and Lady; B. Mills and Miss Tuke, Uncle Sam Couple; C. Palmer, Dutchman; E. K. Matthews, Best Dutchman; W. Bell, Best Irishman; May Tuke, Book; G. Howlett, best dressed Boy; Mary Short, best dressed Girl; Edith Finch, youngest lady costume; J. Selkirk, best dressed Page; J. Fortner, best Dude; G. Campbell, Coon; Miss Wistoll and Miss Baldic, best Nurse Maids; Miss Roberts, Flower Girl; J. Percy, Tramp; Miss Fox, Flower Girl; W. Rose, Tramp.

The judges of the prize-winners were Alds. Dreaney and Plant, and Messrs. C. G. Moorhead and H. J. Childs. A very large number of young people were in costume.

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CHAIRMAN TAYLOR RE-ELECTED

Inaugural Meeting of the Board of Health for 1899—Nuisances To Be Remedied.

The inaugural meeting of the board of health for 1899 was held last night, when Chairman Taylor was re-elected for the coming year, on motion of ex-Ald. Carrothers, seconded by Ald. Pritchard.

Mr. Ira Collins appeared before the board complaining of people emptying sewage in a small creek running near his property. His tenants threatened to leave if the matter was not remedied.

Medical Health Officer Hutchinson said he had served notice on the people in the vicinity of Mr. Collins' property, on Piccadilly street, telling them to drain nothing into the above creek. Messrs. Carrothers, Bowman and Taylor were appointed a committee to investigate and report back to the board.

Dr. Campbell's motion, on behalf of the committee, in regard to home studies, asking that said committee be allowed to confer with the school board on all matters of school hygiene. Carried unanimously.

Ald. Pritchard again complained of the nuisance on the market, stating that the place was at present a disgrace to the city. It was in a filthy condition, and should be looked after.

The board, on motion of Dr. Campbell, will recommend the council to ask the government for special legislation to empower the issue of debentures for funds with which to pay for keeping the market in proper sanitary condition by rental fees. The council will be asked to instruct the city engineer to estimate how much it would cost to put the market in a proper sanitary condition.

Dr. Hutchinson reported that Mr. Dale, of Lambeth, whose herd was in an unsanitary condition, had gone out of the milk business.

The members present were: Chairman Taylor, Ald. Pritchard, Messrs. Bowman, Blackwell, Carrothers, Dr. Campbell, Mayor Wilson, Medical Health Officer Hutchinson and Secretary Bell. Adjourned.

CITY HALL NOTES

The board of education gracefully recognized the services of one of their former colleagues, when they appointed Dr. Albert O. Jeffery on the public library board. He had given ten years of efficient work as a school trustee; besides presiding over various committees, he had been chairman for two years. The fact that Dr. Jeffery, in addition to his experience as a school trustee, was for several years on the board of the Mechanics' Institute until they handed over their library to the public library, coupled with his wide course of reading, including that in connection with his various university degrees, should render him of great use to the public library. It is to be hoped that the spirit of fair play shown in the appointment of such a prominent Liberal as Dr. Jeffery will be continued, and that the Conservative majority on the board of education will not insist on making a clean sweep of all the chairmanships, but will recognize merit and allow at least one Liberal a chairmanship of committee.

The police commissioners met today and elected Mayor Wilson chairman.

The vital statistics for January, as per City Clerk Kingston's registers, show 44 births, 30 deaths and 29 marriages.

The mayor was notified this morning of the death of Thomas Alexander, Jan. 27, at the Middlesex House of Refuge. For the past 25 years Alexander was in the care of the city or county for three-fourths of his time.

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