

SIXTY-SIX NOMINATIONS FOR COUNCIL, WITH 111 FOR ALL CIVIC OFFICES

Likely To Be Three-Cornered Fight For Mayor — Every
Civic Office Will Be Keenly Contested, Public
Men Predict.

No less than 66 citizens were nominated for aldermen in the four city wards last night, as there are only twelve positions to be filled this year. It is a record for the city. The nominations were made in the city hall, where the council chamber was held. The nominations for ward 1 were received at the Lincoln street school, where J. W. McCallum, 125 St. James street, merchant, by H. M. Douglass and R. Forristal. The nominations for ward 2 were received at the Lincoln street school, where J. W. McCallum, 125 St. James street, merchant, by H. M. Douglass and R. Forristal. The nominations for ward 3 were received at the Lincoln street school, where J. W. McCallum, 125 St. James street, merchant, by H. M. Douglass and R. Forristal. The nominations for ward 4 were received at the Lincoln street school, where J. W. McCallum, 125 St. James street, merchant, by H. M. Douglass and R. Forristal.

Will Be Interesting. These nominations, with those for mayor, utilities board, board of education and hospital trust, total 111. While a great many names will be withdrawn, it is clear that every public office will be contested, and the election promises to be one of the most interesting in the city's history. The majority contest will be a three-cornered one, by present indications. H. B. Campbell, a labor representative committee's nominee, qualified last night. John M. Parsons has come out as the "dark horse" of the campaign. He also qualified last night and is taken as a clear indication that he will be in the running. Ald. E. S. Little did not qualify last night, but he is certain to be a candidate as he has been campaigning for some time.

Some of the nominees for aldermen took immediate steps to qualify last night. They were Robert Fraser, W. A. Wilson, J. F. Thomson and H. Whistler. Mr. Fraser, 479 Bessie street, baker, by J. M. Parsons and John Sussex. Claude Brown, Dufferin avenue and William street, dentist, by A. M. Hunt and E. E. Smith. Oscar Ira Cunningham, 1 Belgrave place, dentist, by A. M. Hunt and John Hunt. John Irwin Jorgenson, 14 Wortley road, physician, Charles R. Hunt and E. E. Smith. Douglas Graham, 7 Perry street, gentlemen, by T. E. Robson and L. S. Holmes. Charles Heaman, York street, butcher, by J. M. Parsons and John Sussex. Laurence Seale Holmes, 3 St. George's apartment, physician, by P. J. Watt and J. J. Dyer. George Houghtby, Marley place, manufacturer, by John Sussex and J. M. Parsons. Henry Ken McCormick, 803 Simcoe street, grocer, by H. Winder and J. J. Watt. William Alexander McFie, 17 Bathurst street, cigar manufacturer, by J. M. Parsons and John Sussex. George Archibald McLaughlin, 45 Ridout street, by Charles R. Hunt and E. E. Smith. Charles Mitchell, 44 Bruce street, manufacturer, by John M. Parsons and John Sussex. Charles Needham, 170 Wortley road, manufacturer, by John M. Parsons and John Sussex. Fred Orr, 105 Tecumseh avenue, merchant, by C. H. Mitchell and E. R. Seabrook. John M. Parsons, Wellington street, merchant, by William Lindsay and Thomas E. Parks. Edwin Rhodes Seabrook, 83 Elwood avenue, shipper, by E. R. Dennis and F. Tucker. Herbert John Sutherland, 10 Evergreen avenue, merchant, by E. R. Dennis and A. M. Hunt. John Sussex, 61 Ridout street, manufacturer, by J. M. Parsons and William Lindsay. Joseph Ward, 97 Tecumseh avenue, gentleman, by J. M. Parsons and John Sussex. Peter Jamieson Watt, 49 Riverdale avenue, retired, by Charles R. Hunt and H. K. McCormick. Henry Winslow, 22 Wellington street, gentleman, by John Sussex and J. M. Parsons.

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"GREEN" CHRISTMAS NOT WANTED; SNOWY WEATHER PREFERRED

Some Pessimists Fear Slush Over Holiday.

"I hope it isn't going to be a green Christmas," was a frequently heard remark on the city streets as the effect of the warmer atmosphere made itself more and more apparent in the coating of snow which has beautified the country during the past two weeks or so. Today pessimists were cruel enough to declare that "Christmas day will be a green Christmas," basing their argument on so-called memories of other seasons when the snow had melted away early and a Christmas atmosphere filled with the merry jingle of the bells.

Optimists, however, despite the fact that the weatherman holds out little hope of any change in temperature in the immediate future, are dreaming of dreams of two or three inches of snowfall and the consequent treat of sleighing and a Christmas atmosphere filled with the merry jingle of the bells.

KIDDIES OF MEMORIAL HOME VISITED MONDAY BY SANTA CLAUS WITH TOYS

Monday was the first time that Santa Claus has visited the Ronald Roy Gray Memorial Home on Evergreen avenue, the home having been opened only last spring. The little kiddies of the home are in high glee this afternoon, the primary department of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Sunday School paying them a visit. A huge Christmas tree was sent over and after tea the St. Andrew's children packed in motor cars, took over kiddie kars, doll buggies, books, and all sorts of lovely toys. Christmas goodies in the way of oranges, nuts and candies were not forgotten. This is the first really happy Christmas for many of the little children in the home.

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The Morning Hours Will Be Golden Tomorrow

We need only to remind you of your own shopping experiences a year ago or even during the last few days, that you will realize the advantages of coming out in the morning tomorrow. No matter how early you began your gift buying or how often you have visited the store, it will be just the same this as in years past. Something will be needed the day before Christmas. A view of the counter displays this morning would suggest that today was the opening of the Christmas season. Stocks appear so fresh and beautiful—in fact some shipments of Christmas things have only arrived during the last few days (deliveries have been so badly delayed this season), and we doubt if ever Christmas stocks were so bountiful for the last day shoppers. Today's program will be repeated tomorrow.

For Baby's First Christmas

Infants' Quilted Silk Kimonos and Slumber Robes. Prices \$2.95 to \$5.50
Infants' Eiderdown Kimonos. Price \$4.50
Infants' Fancy Wool Jackets. Prices \$8.50 to \$10.00
Infants' Celluloid Rattles, Comb and Brush Sets, Teething Rings 50c to \$3.00
Fancy Ribbon Bows, Ribbon Robe Holders, Bonnet Ties, Carriage Robe Bows, Wool Pullovers. Prices \$2.50 to \$3.00
Children's Sweaters. Prices \$2.50 to \$6.00
Dainty Dresses for children 1 to 3 years.

Special line of Fancy Shoes and Slippers for children 1 to 3 years.
Quilted Silk Comforters for children's cots. Prices \$3.50 to \$7.50
Quilted Silk and Blanket Cloth Kimonos. Price \$2.50 to \$5.50
Wool Teddy Bear Suits. Price \$3.50 to \$7.75
Fancy Hats and Bonnets.
Wool Scarfs and Cap Sets. Prices \$1.75 to \$2.00
Babies' Cribbs, Bassinets and Kiddy Koops.

Our supplies are inexhaustible. There is something for everyone, from a pair of baby pins for the littlest one to a beautiful necklace or wrist watch, which proves that jewelry, to be beautiful, need not necessarily be useless nor expensive.

French Filled Pearl Necklace, graduated Beads.
Dinner Rings, brilliant or Oriental pearl settings. Prices \$1.50 to \$2.00
Baby Signet Rings, 10k. Price \$1.00 each
Gold or Silver Dorian or Vanity Case, with puff. Price 98c each
Men's Cuff Links, gold filled or solid gold. Prices, a pair 75c to \$5.00 pair
Men's Gold-Filled Waldevere Watch Chains. Price \$1.50 each
Gold Knives to hang on fob chain. Prices \$2.00 and \$2.50
Rosaries. Prices \$1.00, \$1.39 and \$1.75 each

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