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the Household Furniture, consisting of: Brussels and Tapestry Carpets, Dining, Fancy and Centre Tables, Drawing-room Suites, Chairs, Pictures, Ornaments, Sideboards, Bedsteads, Beds, Bedding, Mattresses, Bureaus, Washstands, Chamber Sets, Crockery, Glassware, Stoves, etc., etc., etc.
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NEW FURNITURE,
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On the following Bylaw:
Relating to the issue of Tavern Licenses.
Whereas, by the Liquor License Act as amended by the Act 47 Vic., Cap. 34 and 49 Vic., Cap. 39, power is given to the Councils of cities to pass bylaws for regulating the several matters hereinafter mentioned.
Therefore the Council of the Corporation of the City of Toronto enacts as follows:
1
That the duty to be paid for Tavern Licenses to be issued for the year beginning 1st May, 1888, and until otherwise enacted, shall be $200, in addition to the sum of $150 or $200, as the case may be, payable under the provisions of Section 1 of the above last mentioned Act.
2
That the number of Tavern Licenses to be issued for the year beginning 1st May, 1888, shall not exceed 100.

ALL MUNICIPAL ELECTORS
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On the following Bylaw:
Relating to the issue of Shop Licenses.
Whereas, by the Liquor License Act, as amended by the Act 47 Vic., Cap. 34, as amended by the Act 49 Vic., Cap. 39, power is given to Councils of Cities to pass Bylaws for regulating the several matters hereinafter mentioned.
Therefore, the Council of the Corporation of the City of Toronto enacts as follows:
1
That the duty to be paid for Shop Licenses to be issued for the year beginning 1st May, 1888, and until otherwise enacted, shall be $200, in addition to the sum of $150 payable under the provisions of Section 1 of the above last mentioned Act.
2
That the number of Shop Licenses to be issued for the year beginning 1st May, 1888, shall not exceed 20.
JOHN BLEVINS, City Clerk.

Ontario and Quebec Railway Co.
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
MONTREAL, Nov. 29th, 1887.
Application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session, on behalf of the Ontario and Quebec Railway Company, for an act to confirm and establish, and if expedient to alter the location of its line along the Esplanade in the City of Toronto and for other purposes. By Order of the Board,
ed CHARLES DRINKWATER, Secretary.

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SUPPLIES FOR NEW FORT, TORONTO.
TO CONTRACTORS
Separate tenders (in duplicate) for supplies and services for the above garrison, during the calendar year 1888, will be received by the Minister of Militia and Defence at Ottawa, until Monday, 19th instant.
Tenders to be addressed to the Minister of Militia and Defence, at Ottawa, and marked "Tenders."
For particulars and forms of Tenders, apply to Lt.-Col. Otter, at the New Fort, Toronto.
Each Tender must be accompanied by an accepted Canadian bank cheque, for an amount equal to five percent. of the total value of the contract. This cheque will be forfeited if the party making the tender declines to sign a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the services contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.
C. EUG. PANET,
Colonel,
Deputy Min. of Militia & Defence.
Ottawa, 5th Dec., 1887.

MILITIA.
Sealed tenders, marked on the left hand corner of the envelope, "Tenders for Militia Store Supplies and Necessaries," addressed to the Honorable the Minister of Militia and Defence, will be received up to noon of Monday, 19th December.
Printed forms of tenders, containing full particulars, may be obtained from the Department at Ottawa, and at the following Militia Stores, where also sealed patterns of all articles may be seen, viz.: The offices of the Superintendents of Stores at London, Toronto, Kingston, Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, N.S., and St. John, N.B.
No tender will be received unless made on printed forms furnished by the Department.
The material of all articles will be required to be of Canadian manufacture and of Canadian workmanship.
Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted Canadian bank cheque, for an amount equal to ten per cent. of the total value of the articles tendered for, which will be forfeited if the party making the tender declines to sign a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the service contracted for. If the tender be not accepted, the cheque will be returned.
C. EUG. PANET,
Colonel,
Deputy of the Minister of Militia and Defence.
Ottawa, 25th November, 1887.

NOTICE.
A number of School Sections in the Province of Manitoba will be offered for sale at public auction at the following places, on the undermentioned dates, viz.:
At *Manitou*, on the 10th of January, 1888; at *Winnipeg*, on the 17th January, 1888; at *Portage la Prairie* on the 24th January, 1888; at *Brandon* on the 31st of January, 1888; at *Minnedosa* on the 7th of February, 1888.
In any case in which a settler on any quarter section of land included in the list referred to can prove to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Dominion Lands that he was bona fide residing upon and cultivating the said quarter section, in ignorance of the law, on the 1st day of October, 1887, the purchaser of the quarter section, if he be other than the said settler, will be required to pay, for the benefit of the said settler, the value of the improvements thereon.
Lists of the lands to be sold, the upset price of each parcel, the terms of sale, and any other information which intending purchasers may desire to obtain may be had on application to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa; to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Winnipeg; or to any Agent of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Territories.
A. M. BURGESS,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior,
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, December 8th, 1887.
No unauthorized insertion of this advertisement will be paid for. 13

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the matter of WILLIAM H. BOULTER of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, Builder.
Pursuant to the provisions of 48 Victoria (Ontario) chapter 26, entitled an "Act Respecting Assignments for the Benefit of Creditors," notice is hereby given that William H. Boulter of the said City of Toronto, in the County of York, builder, has duly assigned to me all his personal property which may be seized and sold under execution and all his real estate, credits and effects upon trust for the benefit of all his creditors.
A meeting of the creditors of the said estate is hereby convened and will be held at the office of Caswell & Mills, Solicitors, 60 King-street East, Toronto, on Friday, the 16th day of December, 1887, at three o'clock in the afternoon for the appointing of inspectors, the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate and such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
All creditors of the above estate are hereby required to file their claims with me (as directed by the said statute) on or before the day of such meeting.
WILLIAM HALL,
249 King-street West, Toronto,
Assignee.
CASWELL & MILLS,
Solicitors, etc.,
60 King-street East, Toronto. 63
Dated at Toronto, this 9th day of December, 1887.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF EDWARD WALSH.
Notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Edward Walsh of the Town of Pembroke, in the County of Renfrew, boot and shoe maker and merchant, are on or before the first day of January, 1888, to send by post, prepaid, to R. M. Beal, 525 Sussex-street, Ottawa, trustee of the estate of the said Edward Walsh, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, full particulars of their claims, statements of their account, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, duly verified; and after such date the said trustee will proceed to distribute the estate of the said Edward Walsh amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall have been notified as above required, and the said trustee will not be liable for the proceeds of said trust estate or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the said trustee had not notice at the time of the distribution thereof or of any part thereof.
This notice is given in pursuance of the Act amending the "Act Respecting Trustees and Executors and Administration of Estates," chap. 2 Ontario Statutes, 46 Vic., and in pursuance of the Act Respecting Assignments for the Benefit of Creditors, chap. 26, Ontario Statutes, 48 Vic., and amending acts thereto.
R. M. BEAL,
Trustee of the Estate of Edward Walsh.
BRADLEY & SNOW,
Solicitors for Trustee.
Ottawa, November 24th, 1887. dec14

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.
The partnership heretofore existing between Charles Edwin Johnson and John F. Risley as manufacturers of liquid blue has been dissolved, the said Charles E. Johnson having sold his share in the said business to the said John F. Risley, who will continue the business and pay all liabilities of the said firm, and to whom all debts owing the said firm are to be paid.
(Signed) CHARLES E. JOHNSON.
JOHN F. RISLEY.
Witness: (Signed) R. W. LEEMING.
Dated at Toronto, the 1st day of October, 1887. 333

HUGHES BROS.
GREAT TRADE SALE
CONTINUES ALL THIS AND NEXT WEEK.

This morning we open the following New Goods, imported expressly for the Christmas Trade.

3 CASES CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES, Containing Plush Handkerchief Boxes, Glove Boxes, Ladies' Work Boxes, Plush Satchels, etc. Also 2 cases Ladies' and Gents' White Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs put up 1 doz. in Fancy Boxes.

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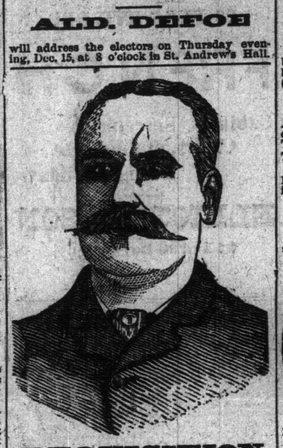
MERCHANT TAILORS' DEPARTMENT—Just opened, 5 cases Worsted Coatings, 2 cases Blue Serges, 3 cases Corduroy, 1 case Haircloths, 200 pieces Canadian Tweeds bought at a great bargain. COME AND SEE THEM.

EVERY BUYER IN ONTARIO SHOULD ATTEND THIS SALE.

ELECTION CARDS.

THE MAYORALTY,
ALD. DEFOE
will address the electors on Thursday evening, Dec. 15, at 8 o'clock in St. Andrew's Hall.



REQUISITION
OF THE ELECTORS OF
St. Matthew's Ward.
Sir—We, the undersigned ratepayers of St. Matthew's Ward, having every confidence in your ability and your integrity as a business man and believing you would use your influence in promoting the best interests of this ward and the city in general, ask you to allow us to nominate you as an alderman for the said ward for the year 1888, and we promise to do all in our power to elect you.

W. Barrett.	Ald. John Jones.
Thos. Mitchell.	John Nicholson.
G. Logan.	J. H. Booth.
Ambrose Rudd.	W. H. Gibson.
J. B. Squiers.	A. E. Saunders.
J. Schmidt.	John Forarty.
J. B. Harris.	Hugh Somers.
P. Fogarty.	Geo. Sedwick.
John Pape.	A. Sedwick.
Samuel Hine.	John Strader.
Fred. Greenwood	Frank Hague.
F. Stevenson.	F. Stephenson.
Patrick Rolland.	James Nolan.
Frank Henderson.	David Hunter.
Chas. Maddocks.	Geo. Heffer.
W. B. Poulton.	W. Russell.
James Walsh.	Terence Holland.
John Entwistle.	Robt. Sparks.
W. Squiers.	Geo. M. Vincent.
J. Coombs.	J. Richardson.
Robt. Coombs.	and many others.

REPLY.
Gentlemen,—It affords me very great pleasure to comply with your request, and if honored with your choice will do all I can for the interests of your ward and the city in general.
Gratefully yours,
THOMAS FORSTER.

REQUISITION
OF THE
Electors of the Ward of St. David
Sir: We, the undersigned ratepayers of the Ward of St. David, having confidence in your ability as a business man, and believing that you will use it to the best advantage in advancing the interests of this ward and the city in general, ask your permission to allow us to nominate you as alderman for the said ward for the year 1888, and we will use every means by our vote and influence to secure your election and place you at the head of the poll.

Ex-Ald. Daniel Lamb.	Ald. Galley.
David Carlyle.	John Poucher.
J. H. Lennox.	Robt. Armstrong.
George Hardy.	H. Lumbers.
T. W. Woods.	Thos. Munce.
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Dr. Bray.	Dr. Brent.

And 200 others.
REPLY.
Gentlemen: In answer to your request to nominate me to represent the Ward of St. David in the City Council, I beg to say that I cannot refuse such a numerous and influential body of electors, and I promise that, if elected, the best interests of the City of Toronto will be my chief aim and object.
Your Obedient Servant,
J. G. GIBSON.
Toronto, Dec. 10, 1887. 123

The Ontario and Quebec Railway Company
Office of the Secretary,
MONTREAL, Nov. 16, 1887
NOTICE.
The Ontario and Quebec Railway Company will apply to the Dominion Parliament at its next session for an act extending the time for the completion of its Western Extension; and also of its Don Branch into the City of Toronto, authorized to be constructed by order-in-council dated 25th January, 1887, and defining and confirming the location thereof.
By order of the Board.
CHARLES DRINKWATER,
Secretary
26 Wellington-street East, Toronto.
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DIVIDEND NOTICES.

Ontario Industrial Loan and Investment Company (Limited.)
DIVIDEND No. 13.
Notice is hereby given that a dividend of
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Upon the paid up capital stock of this Company has been declared for the current half-year (being at the rate of
SEVEN PER CENT. PER ANNUM),
And that the same will be payable at the offices of the Company, 32 Arcade, 24 Victoria-street, Toronto, on and after
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By order of the Board.
J. GORMLEY,
Managing Director.
Toronto, 30th November, 1887. 36246

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And notice is hereby given, that after 15th January next, the said trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said debtor among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.
E. R. C. CLARKSON, Trustee,
22 Wellington-street East, Toronto.
Dec. 12, 1887.

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D. POTTINGER,
Chief Superintendent.
Railway Office,
Moncton, N.B., November 22d 1887