

Thursday, December 30, 1909

Working Pants, Blue and extra ported tweeds, in a range of fancy stripes and grey and bold and hip pockets. Regular \$1.50, \$1.65, \$1.85.

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EXCELLENT WAREHOUSE FOR RENT. Front, near Yonge; 6000 square feet; well lighted, steam heated, passenger and freight elevators.

The Toronto World

\$100 Per Foot. Bloor Street, near Spadina; choice corner lot, suitable for doctor.

PROBS: Fresh southwesterly winds mostly cloudy; milder; light local snowfalls.

FOURTEEN PAGES—FRIDAY MORNING DECEMBER 31 1909—FOURTEEN PAGES

29TH YEAR

HOCKEN, TUBES AND VIADUCT WILL SWEEP THE CITY TO-MORROW

MAKE THE ISSUE REFORM OF TARIFF

Chamberlain Gives Cue to Unionists — Lancashire, Cheshire and Yorkshire Will Decide the Verdict.

(Canadian Associated Press Cable.) LONDON, Dec. 30.—No single issue can be said to dominate the campaign as yet. Joseph Chamberlain's manifesto is striking because it brushes aside the constitutional question as non-existent and concentrates on tariff reform. Here it is recognized that Chamberlain displays his old-time capacity for going to the root of things.

A year back tariff reform would have been the great issue, and the result, judging by all the signs available, would not have been doubtful. The astute ministers who produced the budget scotched fiscal change for a time. It now remains for the Unionists to follow the great leader and endeavor to again make every other issue of secondary importance.

Liberals laud at Chamberlain's attempt to revive the colonial aspect of tariff reform. They maintain that what was started as a great imperial movement has become purely a domestic campaign in favor of protection, and they demand particulars of the tariff reform scheme, which is to prevent the duties paying out.

They also seem to be grateful to those peers who are denouncing the rejection of the bill for helping to keep the tariff issue to the fore, and jestingly declare that the government has postponed polling for two days to allow at least one more speech from Lord Curzon.

Mr. Balfour speaking at Haddington today, said the Unionist party were confident in their cause. It represented the maintenance of institutions which must be preserved, and stood for the security of enterprise and the maintenance of the fleet. While refusing to draw the colonies closer, the government had re-introduced the rule, which would be utterly injurious to Britain's position among the nations of the world.

The Unionists also stood for fiscal reform. He would not say the whole difficulty of employment would be solved by tariff reform, but it would diminish the really serious part—the unemployment of competent workmen.

Defining the issues, at Edinburgh, claimed that London, the home counties and the islands, were for tariff reform. It depended on Lancashire, Cheshire and Yorkshire whether the victory would be won or lost.

Mr. McKenna, at Pontypool, maintained that the issue was a very simple one—who was to determine how the people should be taxed and by what government they should be ruled.

Earl Cadwor, at Haverford West, on the other hand, declared that the real issues the electors had to decide were: did they really wish the any agreement that might come into power should be absolutely independent? Did they wish for religious education? Did they wish the licensing trade to be treated as a hostile port in Ireland? To see the navy maintained at such strength as was needed?

Buxton gives at Balfour. Postmaster-General Buxton in his position, as far as tariff reform was concerned, was a pitiable and ignominious one. He had been driven step by step into accepting the nauseous food given him and he had been compulsorily fed by tariff reformers. He had resisted as much as possible, but the wardens and doctors—Austen Chamberlain, Chaplin and others—had been too much for him.

SEN. DAVID WAS DECEIVED. Excuses His Attendance at Dr. Cote's Funeral.

MONTREAL, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—The archbishop of Montreal, speaking to the boys of Mount St. Louis College, stated that he hoped they would never again see such a spectacle as that of the civil funeral of Sunday afternoon of Dr. Cote.

Senator L. O. David also writes that he was deceived; that he was telephoned to attend the funeral, and that when he found that there was no cross on the hearse and that they were going to a Protestant cemetery, he left and went home.

MORE LIBERAL TALK. Said a Liberal worker yesterday: "The star is not in my eye. I think it can pull any great portion of the Liberal vote into the street railway camp to vote for Geary and against the better street car service advocated by Hocken. Liberals know that the Star is Liberal in some things because the traction interests are not ready to vote for the Tory manager man when told to do so by any newspaper, and while Liberal leaders may at times mix themselves up with corporation chiefs the rank and file keep themselves clear. We are Liberals, we are democrats, and we are for the people notwithstanding what any leader, organ or interested newspaper may say."

Gyroscope Ry. Building in B.C. It Will be the First One of the Kind in America.

VANCOUVER, B.C., Dec. 30.—(Special.)—Work has already been started in Okanagan Valley on the construction of the first gyroscope railway in America to be devoted to commercial transportation purposes. The line of railway will encircle Okanagan Lake, touching all points on shores of that large body of water. Construction has been started at Okanagan Landing, and the company will push construction so that the line may be ready for business during the coming summer.

COLD WAVE THROUGH THE SUNNY SOUTH

Even Florida Felt the Frost — Negroes Freeze to Death in Alabama.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—The extreme cold which has been sweeping over the eastern section of the country, from the tip of Maine to the Keys of Florida, is being dissipated before a rising pressure area that is moving rapidly eastward from the Mississippi Valley.

Great concern was felt in Florida for fear that the fruit farms might have suffered destruction, but the lowest temperature recorded at Tampa was 23 degrees above. Around Fernandina, oranges were frozen, however.

At Birmingham, Ala., where the minimum was 12 degrees above zero this morning, two negroes were frozen to death, and near Decatur, Ala., with the thermometer around five above zero, a family of six, rescued to-day more dead than alive, with one of the children expected to die.

For the first time since 1886 there was ice to-day in the Chattahoochee River at Atlanta. Similar conditions prevailed in the rivers of Tennessee, north Alabama and the western part of North Carolina.

Cotton planters of the southwestern section of the state with delight the severe cold, believing that millions of the boll weevil have been destroyed. The Ohio River, being covered with two inches of ice at Cincinnati, is regarded by the weather ships as very unusual.

To-night, east of the Mississippi Valley, the temperatures are reported at from 15 to 25 degrees below the seasonal average. In the northwest and the central Rocky Mountain region, however, the mercury is 10 to 20 above the seasonal average.

After to-morrow morning, general moderation is indicated.

A COBALT DIVIDEND. OTTAWA, Dec. 30.—A nice little New Year's greeting in the form of \$30,000 will reach the holders of Right of Way Mines, Limited, cobalt stock on Saturday. The dividend is 2 per cent. It is equivalent to six per cent on the old basis (that of the Right of Way Mining Co.).

CHEMISTS TO STUDY RUBBER. BOSTON, Dec. 30.—A division of the India rubber chemistry of the American Chemical Society was organized to-day. It is expected this division will take an important part in the study of the little known chemistry of rubber.

Fishing Captain, Convicted of Trawling in Prohibited Waters, Given His Liberty. ANTIGONISH, N. B., Dec. 30.—(Special.)—Antigonish is the first town in Canada to have a trial under the new Habeas Corpus Act.

The case was the King v. John Smith. Smith was captain of the steam trawler Wren and was accused of having fished in prohibited waters this summer. A complaint was laid before the fisheries department, Halifax, and a warrant was issued against Capt. Smith by Inspector Hocken.

A trial was held at Malignant Cove, before the inspector, but because of the absence of accused, it was given a change of venue to Antigonish, where, contrary to custom, it was held at the Queen's Hotel. Capt. Smith was arrested at Halifax and brought to Antigonish and was found guilty and fined \$100 and costs. In default of payment he was sentenced for three months.

His friends made application before Justice McGillivray for habeas corpus under the new act passed by parliament this year.

After two days' hearing the judge to-day released him, saying he was being illegally imprisoned, the evidence being insufficient to warrant his conviction.

OUTSKIRTERS ARE INTERESTED. Let every man who lives on the outskirts understand that his only chance of improved street car service is in Hocken being mayor and the Bloor-street viaduct being carried. Life there will be intolerable unless the street car service can be improved right away. Hocken will help it.

THE PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE WEST. There are only two bridges and two street car lines across the Don and Queen and Gerrard streets—and yet the Don Valley is a mile and a quarter east of Yonge street. If there was a similar valley at Bathurst-street, the same distance west, how long would the people of that section stand for it? Not a minute.

Well, the World asks the property owners of the west to do justice to their fellows of the east and vote for the Bloor-street viaduct.

A Last Word—Mainly to the Little House Owners at the Outskirts.

The Toronto World. NEW JAMES STREET. FOUNDED 1860. Toronto, December 29th 1909.

To the Property Owners (who vote on money by-laws) and all Other Electors of Toronto:

As one who has tried to improve our transportation facilities, and mainly from the standpoint of the public who use (suffer) and pay therefor, I have undertaken in this municipal contest to advocate (1) the claims of Mr. Hocken for mayor, (2) the merits of tubes, (3) the immediate construction of the Bloor-street viaduct.

HOCKEN—Mr. Hocken has taken the people's side out-and-out. He is opposed by the street railway and electric companies and by the press friendly to these interests. I've seen enough of these fights to know that the only man is the out-and-out winner. Mr. Geary has no policy to compel the street railway to improve its services. Hocken says: try tubes as a club. That's something.

TUBES We must come to tubes: the sooner the better, and I speak after study and investigation. Toronto will have half a million people before we can get the first tube built. Let us start now and at the same time make provision for the entrance of all radials. There will be 500 miles of radials built about Toronto if they can get into the centre of the city. A public-owned system of tubes is the only way to let them in.

And these two improvements, tubes and radials, mean millions of dollars for labor and construction. Tubes will pay from the start, give clean, quick, reliable, weather-proof travel; seats for all; will save hundreds of lives now cut down by surface street cars and by motors. A municipal tube system and the radials running to it will make the largest customer for the public power plant of the city and province, and will bring down the cost of such energy to the minimum. Public power is in sight, public tubes such will be.

VIADUCT: As to the congested street car and street traffic in Toronto I believe that the Bloor-street viaduct is the first essential relief. I also believe it will result in a surprising immediate growth of the city over the Don; that it will tend to equalize land values, and that the city will take on a bigger and more progressive phase without damaging any other portion, even if a new centre of business and traffic radiation is created near Bloor and Yonge streets. The mere secondary centres we have like Spadina and College are better for all. Let Toronto grow in every direction. Hocken, Tubes and Viaduct are good.

For the centre of the city, are better for the suburbs and the recent annexes, and I especially ask my friends in the newer sections to vote on these lines. W. F. Maclean.

NEW HABEAS CORPUS ACT FREES FIRST PRISONER

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3 MONTREALERS SHARE IN MILLIONAIRE'S WILL

Thomas Murdoch of Chicago, Leaves Estate of \$4,000,000, More Than Half to Charity.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—The will of Thomas Murdoch, former president of Reid, Murdoch & Co., wholesale grocers, who died Christmas Day, was made public to-day. It disposes of an estate estimated at approximately \$4,000,000, of which between \$2,000,000 and \$2,500,000 is bequeathed to religious, educational and charitable institutions.

The principal beneficiaries are the Presbyterian Hospital of Chicago, the American Sunday School Union, with headquarters in Philadelphia, and the Young Men's Christian Association of Chicago. These institutions will receive nearly two-thirds of Mr. Murdoch's fortune.

James A. Cantlie and Dr. Adam of Montreal, Canada, are given all the decedent's property in the Province of Quebec and to Mrs. James A. Cantlie, Montreal, is left \$500,000.

THE CITY BENEFITS MOST. The city owns nine acres at the southeast corner of the new Bloor-street viaduct. Now it is not worth \$200 an acre; if the viaduct is built it will be worth one third or more of the cost of the viaduct.

Conservatives for Hocken. As a matter of fact all the Conservatives are not for Geary. Four out of the six ward presidents are for Hocken.

\$2,000,000 COMPANY IN THE N.B. COAL FIELD

American Capital is Going to Exploit the Grand Lake District.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 30.—(Special.)—Notice of the application for incorporation of a two million dollar American company for the extensive development of the Grand Lake coal fields, appears in The Royal Gazette this week.

The company is to be known as the Big Six Coal Company, Limited, and the incorporators are American capitalists, whose names and addresses are given as follows: Frederick Pierpont Shaw, St. John, mechanical engineer; Truman Beckwith, Providence, R.I., cotton manufacturer; Charles Rowthall, Boston, physician; Wm. G. Lotze, New Haven, Conn., real estate dealer.

The company will have their chief place of business at Salmon Harbor, Parish of Chipman, Queen's County, and will carry on a general mining business, asking the right to also construct and conduct railroads and saw-mills, as well as boarding houses and hotels for their employees.

The capital stock is \$1,000,000, divided into 20,000 shares of \$50 each.

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WHO WILL GEARY SKIMP? Editor World: Controller Geary is promising economy for the city council next year. As far as we can see, it is to be at the expense of the newly annexed territories. I think we will get more justice from Controller Hocken. Annexed Voter.

ANOTHER BARRIER SWEEPED AWAY H.E.P. WINS

Court Decides That Hydro Commission Has Power to Enter Upon Private Land and Establish Transmission Lines.

The right of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission to enter upon private land for the stringing of power transmission wires was vindicated by the judgment handed down yesterday by Chief Justice Falconbridge. The decision arose out of the suit instituted by Mrs. Louisa Jane Felker of Gainsborough Township, Lincoln County, to restrain the H. E. P. Co., the Ontario & Niagara Power Company from sinking poles and stringing power wires across her land. The case was dismissed with costs against the plaintiff and the temporary injunction secured some time ago restraining the commission was dissolved.

The Judgment. The judgment was as follows: "As I have an opinion in this case, it is unnecessary to defer judgment merely for the purpose of giving a written judgment. The question is a very narrow one. There are no facts in dispute and it is entirely a question of the construction of section 19 of the statute of 1903.

"I say it is entirely a question of the construction of that section, because the jurisdiction of the legislature of the Province of Ontario to pass this legislation has not been called in question. We have heard a great deal recently about the jurisdiction of the province—a great deal of complaint about the exercise of its powers; but there is no doubt that the highest authority has declared that within its own jurisdiction it is supreme.

Power to Consecrate. "In fact, while it seems rather severe, I suppose there is not any doubt it can be conceded in recent cases that if the legislature had chosen to consecrate (the word that is used) the farm of the plaintiff without any compensation, they would have had a perfect right to do so."

Continued on Page 11. IF GEARY WERE TO WIN. Farming would still further shorten the street car run, put the passengers closer, increase the transfer to the company all the downtown streets, work a radial franchise into the outskirts, and then put out a new flotilla of stock. Real estate would be sold into the would weaken, people would crowd into the centre where they could live without using street cars.

The Street Railway would run the City Hall.

BAIRNS' NEW YEAR FESTIVAL. Horticultural Hall, Exhibition Park, New Year's Day.

Amount previously acknowledged. J. J. McCaffery, Pres. Tor. Base-ball Club..... 5.00

W. T. B. 2.00 "Bunch"50 G. H. H. 1.00 Christine F. Hunter 2.50 Mrs. M. P. Chisholm 2.50 Employees Steele, Briggs & Co. 5.50 Canadian Gas, Power and Launches Co. 2.50 The Jonquien Pulp Co. 1.00 W. T. B. 2.00 "Bunch"50 G. H. H. 1.00 Christine F. Hunter 2.50 Mrs. M. P. Chisholm 2.50 Mrs. T. Phillips (Xmas Box)80 H. Jarnan 1.30 Norman Buchanan 1.42 A few well wishers from Inglewood 2.00 An offering 1.00 A Friend25 A Friend 3.49 Baby Margaret 1.70 Wellwishers 1.00 G. H. H. 1.00 C. L. C. 2.00 W. Eastwood 5.00 A Friend from Chatham 5.00 Reboham Lodge, per Chas. W. Dill, W. M. 5.00 Toronto Suffrage Association, per G. E. Allison, treasurer 10.40

Total to date \$817.71 Friends of the Bairns! Just one day more this year to pay our portion of the amount required. We will get the \$100 as sure as the sun will shine on New Year Day—but we want you to take a hand and claim the reward.

Big program arranged for the Bairns. See Saturday morning papers. Worth a visit to the exhibition to see the crowd. Come and join us. J. M. Wilkinson.

Good Day to Buy Furs. It is worth while to buy some furs if you want real bargains that will be worth at least fifty per cent more next season, or even in a month from now. Dineen is having a clearing up sale after the Christmas rush, because many of the lines are too heavy to carry over. It will be a grand opportunity for you to make your purchase to-day.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION FOR TORONTO

BOARD OF EDUCATION ELECTIONS. To the Electors of the City of Toronto: Next year will be a vitally important year in the educational affairs of Toronto.

- J. D. Allan, Charles Adams, Peter Arnot, L. L. Anthes, Henry Brook, Murray Brown, H. E. Bond, R. G. Black, E. W. Bradner, Walter J. Barr, Henry Barber, Grayson Burrows, W. J. Barchard, A. N. Burns, Joseph Bax, William Banks, Jr., W. H. Browning, E. Brookes, C. F. Beer, C. H. A. Bond, C. H. Bridden, L. H. Clarke, C. N. Candee, A. R. Clarke, Hamilton Cassels, R. S. Cassels, W. Conn, W. H. Carrick, T. J. Clark, T. W. Camp, W. H. Carrick, A. B. Carroll, W. J. Edwards, W. H. Carrick, R. J. Copeland, J. E. Dorly, J. F. Ellis, C. F. Edwards, W. J. Edwards, John A. Ewan, S. M. WICKETT, Chairman of Committee. GEORGE BRIGDEN, Secretary-Treasurer.

CHURCH FOR CONTROLLER HASN'T HE EARNED IT?

What the Hustling Young Alderman From the Second Ward Has Done While in Council. He has a good voting record for his five years in the city council.



T. L. CHURCH. He favors the expropriation of the Toronto Railway Company. He supports the tube referendum.

OUR OPENING DAY

Bookkeeping, Arithmetic, Writing, Short-hand, Typewriting, Spelling, Day and Night Classes, re-open. MONDAY, JANUARY 3rd. As a duty you owe yourself—as a square deal to us—you should investigate our work.

REMINGTON BUSINESS COLLEGE

269 College Street, Corner Spadina, TORONTO, ONT.

Public Amusements

Royal Alexandra. Louise Guthrie, the high E prima donna, supported by Jess Dandy and a company of noted singers, clever players and famous Broadway show girls, comes to the Royal Alexandra Theatre Monday night for a week's engagement in Frank Pixley and Gustav Luders' latest operetta, "Marselle."

COLLEGE HOURS

During holiday week the office of The Central Business College will be open from 9 to 12 and 1 to 5 to accommodate those who may call for information, or to arrange for beginning work on January 3rd, when Winter Term opens for Day and Night Sessions.

Have You a Quarterly Contract With Fountain?

If you would experience the full pleasure of wearing good clothes—clothes that at all times express the character originally put into them by the tailor, you should ring up Fountain—get his contract rate, and arrange to have your clothes looked after by us.

Prominent Men on The Tube Question

Dr. Walton-Ball, the well-known dentist, when interviewed by The World on the tube question, stated that he was in favor of a system to deal with the present deplorable overcrowding on the street railway.

IN SOCIETY.

Kennedy-Smith. The marriage of Laura Christine Smith, daughter of Mr. John F. Smith, and Mr. J. Frederick Kennedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Kennedy, was quietly celebrated at four o'clock Wednesday afternoon in College-street Presbyterian Church, Dr. Gilray officiating.

A Southern Resolution

Paris, Dec. 30.—The Matin to-day declares that the findings of the U. S. immigration commission, which placed France first among the nations as an exporter of so-called white slave recruits, constitute a national disgrace, and appeals to the government to compel immediately poor pariers with Washington for the effective suppression of the traffic.

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DOPE FIEND ETC.

Commercial Traveller Accused of Shoplifting—Committed for Trial. Donald McCrea, a commercial traveller and a dope fiend, is charged with being a shoplifter. The last mentioned accusation was aired in police court yesterday morning, when he was committed for trial.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Institute of Dental Pedagogics Concludes Convention. The Institute of Dental Pedagogics, which has been holding its 17th annual convention at the King Edward Hotel, for the past three days, concluded its session yesterday morning.

DIYON MURDER TRIAL

NORTH BAY, Dec. 30.—Morin and Corish, held on charges of murdering Telegraph Operator Dyson at Keelwater, came up for preliminary trial before Magistrate Veegar this morning. As the crown was not ready the prisoners were remanded until Jan. 7.

Low Rates for New Year's

Low Rates for New Year's. Between all stations in Canada, also to Detroit and Port Huron, Mich., Buffalo, Black Rock, Niagara Falls and Suspension Bridge, N. Y.

Fatally Burned.

WELLAND, Dec. 30.—John McLaughlin, aged 23 years, who was fatally burned at North Pelham on Tuesday, had lived nearly all his life in this county. He leaves one son, postmaster at North Pelham.

BASTEDO'S

77 KING ST. EAST Clearing Fur Sale 20 TO 50 PER CENT OFF. All our fine stock of furs, Persian, Pony, Muskrat, Near-Seal. Fur-Lined Jackets Mink, Lynx, Fox, Sable, and all other Fur Muffs, Ties and Stoles. Men's Fur and Fur-Lined Coats at lower prices than any other responsible house. Every article guaranteed. Write for catalogue. Ladies' Hat Skins of All Kinds at Low Prices

N-Y's Drinks

It's nice getting them in, it's a getting them out. But there's a way—CASCARETS are known to hundreds of thousands for the natural and easy way they clean out the system of over-drinking. Be prepared, a box in your pocket of CASCARETS—take one or two sure when you go to bed—then tomorrow will be pleasant.

THE BEVERAGE FOR ALL WEATHERS.

"Epps's" EPPS'S COCOA. A delicious food and drink in one. Grateful you cup of Epps's at breakfast Warms and Sustains. As a supper beverage it is perfect. Comforting

Trophies for Dundas

Note and Comment

Joe Delehanty, of the famous family, comes from Cleveland to Toronto next season with quite a distinction...

There will be a big list of players for the Eastern and other minor league teams to recruit from for the coming season...

In the Montreal courts the Nationals claimed that Pire was a star in the national hockey world and could not be replaced as a cover player.

The cause of Pire, however, has evidence in his favor, and the referee has ruled in his favor...

Two little brothers, one fifteen and the other twelve, were seen at the Dundas rink and wiping the tears from their eyes...

The Fitzsimmons boys, Bob, Jr., and Martin, are known by almost everybody in Dundas...

Right here young Bob read: "Lang heavier, scored a knock-down with crashing blow to Fitz's jaw..."

Robert, despite the popularity gained by his father, a hockey player, is a favorite with all of the youngsters of the borough...

Latest Victim of O. S. Football. PITTSBURGH, Dec. 30.—One more to the already big list of football victims of last season...

Wildfowling Boxes Draw at Newark. NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 30.— Newark sports for the fight fans was on tap last night...

Boys Swimming Championships. The West End Y.M.C.A. boys' swimming championships will be run off on New Year's morning at 10 o'clock...

Twenty Round Draw. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—"Gumbat" Smith, sailor pugilist, who is scheduled to become Jack Johnson's chief opponent...

Parkdale Liquor Store, 1556 Queen Street West, Phone Park 1948. All the good brands of ale and lager on hand...

A vote for Fred. Hogg in Ward Two is a vote for economy.

Waterloo Wallopes Cup Challengers

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QUEENS LOSE AT NEW YORK. NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Queen's College of Kingston, intercollegiate hockey champion...

Estons vs. T.R.C. to-morrow. The Estons O.H.A. series opens in Toronto to-morrow night at Mutual-street rink...

Financial League Schedule. Following is the schedule of the Financial League, all games to be played on and after New Year's day...

Hockey Gossip. The following are the practice hours at Mutual-street rink...

Both Estons and T.R.C. had a good practice last night in preparation for their game to-morrow night at Mutual-street.

A Montreal despatch says Judge Bruner concluded the hearing to-day of the breach of contract charge against Didier Pire, the hockey player who signed with the Nationals...

Harry Trilby, who was captain of the Montreal Shamrocks, which for two years held the Stanley Cup, will coach McGill this year.

Argonauts left last night for Montreal, where they play the M.A.A. team to-day.

In a Northern League hockey game played yesterday night at Walkerton, Ontario, the home team defeated the visitors by 7 to 1...

An Ottawa despatch says it is probable that Ottawa will seek to play in the Ontario Hockey League...

As a starter to the first game in the exhibition game with the J's and took three goals...

Galt showed how much chance they had for the Stanley Cup last night when Waterloo defeated Galt...

Toronto Hockey League Juveniles. The Toronto Hockey League met last night at the Mutual-street rink...

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OPPOSED TO ECONOMY WHICH DISCRIMINATES. Hocken Has No Sympathy With the Low Tax Cry or Outlying Sections Must Bear Brunt.

False Economy. Dealing with the question of a low tax rate, Mr. Hocken said, amid applause, that if less taxation meant no convenience for workers, then he was against any such scheme.

Business-like Record. Mr. Hocken's sole platform seemed to be the ridicule of Mr. Hocken's schemes, and he advised the audience that a majority candidate should have something more definite than that to offer the ratepayers of Toronto.

WINDSOR, Dec. 30.—Essex this morning fire broke out in rear of O'Hara's tailor shop, spread to the adjoining building, the whole business section was threatened for some time...

TWENTY-THREE WERE DROWNED. LONDON, Dec. 31.—A Vienna special to the Standard says that twenty-three Croatian peasants, including sixteen young women, were drowned in a boating accident near Karlowitz, in Austria-Hungary on Christmas Day.

Advertisement for Gold Medal Ale & Porter, brewed by the Old English Method. Includes text: 'as adopted by Bass & Company, and Guinness & Company. We invite comparison. Try our famous October Brew.'

FAVORITES BUT ONE FAIL AT JACKSONVILLE

Grande Dame the Only Winner to Reward the Followers of Form.

JACKSONVILLE, Dec. 30.—Grande Dame was the only favorite to win at the track today, and the bookie...

SECOND RACE, 5 furlongs: Grande Dame, 104 (Gantz), 4 to 1.

FIRST RACE, 10 furlongs: Shalotta, 100 (Coburn), 11 to 5.

THIRD RACE, 1-1/2 miles: Gaffney, 107 (Coburn), 13 to 5.

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In Two-Man League—M.A.A.A. Team Are Not Coming.

Paynes defeated Gladstones on the latter's own turf yesterday in the Two-Man League by winning four out of five.

Paynes' League. The Pickups won two from Thistles in Paynes' League last night. Scores:

J. J. McLaughlin's Roll. The employees of J. J. McLaughlin, Limited, held their annual hand-picking bowling match on the Athenaeum bowling alleys.

Hamper Win Handicap. OAKLAND, Dec. 30.—The races to-day resulted as follows:

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The World's Selections

BY ORNSTAD

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To-Day's Entries

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Eighty Years The Bedridden He Still Piles His Brush—Greatest Turner Expert Ever Known.

In a sordid garreted bed on the top floor of 48 Bedford Square, London, lives one of the most wonderful men in London.

His name is James Orock. He was born in England, Scotland, at the end of October, 1820, so he is 90 years old.

He is a collector as well; to say nothing of being a surgeon, a dentist, a leopards' writer and the greatest Turner expert ever known.

Began as a Dentist. The life of James Orock is like a romance. To listen to the kindly faced old man—white haired, firmly featured.

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G. F. GRAND Hamper, 5-1, Won. Was Yesterday's Wire. GATHER CLOSER, LADS. We have one for today that will win sure.

Excelsior Turf Review. Room 9, London Loan Building, London, Ont.

Standard Turf Guide. TORONTO AGENCY: 51 Queen St. West. Occasional, Jacksonville—Ohio, etc., ask.

National Racing Review. Room 31, 71 DEARBORN STREET CHICAGO, ILL.

CASSIDY & CO. Room 16 B, 43 Victoria St.

\$2 Grand Special. goes to-day. This one will be 5 or 6 to 1 and has to run one-two or next one Free.

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HOW IT BENEFITS THE CITY. Bloor-street viaduct will not benefit the city, is the assertion of the opponents of this improvement.

Take a look at the map! The Don Valley Ravine runs down thru the city territory on the east in a way that cuts off the whole district east of Broadview-avenue, and north of Gerrard-street.

Would it benefit the city to have such a gash cut thru the city at Bathurst-street? If such a gash existed would it not help the city to bridge it? Exactly similar replies must be given to similar questions about the gash that does exist in the case of the Don Valley.

Again: St. George-street and Sherbourne-street are about equally west and east of Yonge-street. Everybody west of Sherbourne-street and north of Gerrard-street must travel south to that street when requiring to go east.

Nothing more valuable for the whole city than the Bloor-street viaduct has been proposed for twenty years. And it will cost the city practically nothing, for, as John Poucher pointed out yesterday, the higher assessment over the Don in consequence of the improved value of land there will produce extra taxes more than to cover the cost.

CANADIAN ASSOCIATED PRESS AND BRITISH AFFAIRS.

No political event in many years has evoked such world-wide attention as the general election in the United Kingdom is now receiving. This is the natural consequence of the position Britain holds as the one great open market and the fact that the Unionist party if returned to power are pledged to the imposition of import duties on all manufactured or partially manufactured articles and on food products.

Chief Justice Falconbridge's decision yesterday in the case brought by Mrs. Louise Felker, for unstated damages against P. H. McGuigan & Co. and other contractors for the hydro-electric power commission, removes any further technical obstacle to the completion of the power project. The case was dismissed, without costs, and the contractors may now proceed unimpeded with the erection of the transmission line.

Notable effects have been made to supply Canadians with an intelligent and impartial current account of the various phases of this historic electoral battle thru special correspondence and the newspapers that have sent members of their staffs to the mother country deserve all credit for their enterprise. But in this connection it would be difficult to excel the service that has all along been given by the Canadian Associated Press.

It is clear from the bitter opposition of interested parties that the Bloor-street viaduct bylaw will win. All the controllership and aldermanic candidates support it, as do both Messrs. Hocken and Geary. The Telegram states that a viaduct is needed.

For various reasons the local papers are against the Bloor-street plan, some of them admittedly because The World has proposed it, and they do not like The World's plans to benefit the city and to build up a bigger and better Toronto to succeed. The people trust The World and will vote for the viaduct.

The Evening Telegram declares the Bloor-street viaduct should be voted against because a cheaper plan is possible. "Something just as good," is the old drug store dodge, but The Telegram prescription won't go this time. The Telegram wants to cut 1500 feet of length of the viaduct and save \$100

more readily and easily accessible. The Canadian Almanac includes many lists that cannot be found elsewhere, and the general accuracy that characterizes the publication reflects every credit on those responsible for its compilation. With this issue is given a map of the Nipissing district, showing the famous silver region of Ontario.

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Reginald tries to find his way out by following the pale gleam of a "fixed" Star.

The World advocates the Bloor-street-Danforth viaduct, giving a straight ten-mile street from West Toronto to East Toronto, without any of the jogs which make College and Carlton and Gerrard streets an absurd piece of disjointedness.

The Telegram-Civic Guild plan is for a viaduct 2000 feet long which will cost \$261 a foot—or \$522,000. The Telegram and the Guild have another plan for a viaduct 1600 feet long at \$240 a foot, to cost \$384,000.

They actually expect to persuade the voters that a viaduct at \$240 or \$260 a foot, neither of which is the best plan according to the engineer's reports, is cheaper than the one recommended by The World at \$190 a foot.

The cheapest is the best. Vote for the Bloor-street viaduct.

Chief Justice Falconbridge's decision yesterday in the case brought by Mrs. Louise Felker, for unstated damages against P. H. McGuigan & Co. and other contractors for the hydro-electric power commission, removes any further technical obstacle to the completion of the power project.

Notable effects have been made to supply Canadians with an intelligent and impartial current account of the various phases of this historic electoral battle thru special correspondence and the newspapers that have sent members of their staffs to the mother country deserve all credit for their enterprise.

For various reasons the local papers are against the Bloor-street plan, some of them admittedly because The World has proposed it, and they do not like The World's plans to benefit the city and to build up a bigger and better Toronto to succeed.

The Evening Telegram declares the Bloor-street viaduct should be voted against because a cheaper plan is possible. "Something just as good," is the old drug store dodge, but The Telegram prescription won't go this time.

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FOSTER FOR CONTROLLER.

No man taking part in the civic contest has done more for the city, out of his own pocket than Ald. Foster, who is a candidate for one of the controllerships. Mr. Foster has a reputation for careful regard of the city's interests, and a due consideration of the necessity of combining economy and efficiency.

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T. EATON CO LIMITED. THREE CANADIAN REGIMENTS. Suggested Revival as Part of Imperial Defence Scheme. LONDON, Dec. 20.—The Canadian Associated Press learns it is probable the imperial government at an early date will announce its approval of the revival, suggested by the Dominion Government of three old Canadian regiments of infantry.

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CASE OF THE U.S. GOVT. AGAINST TOBACCO TRUST

Attorney-General Wants to Get After Companies Omitted From a Previous Verdict.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Attorney-General George W.ickersham, and his special assistant, J. C. Reynolds, today presented to the supreme court of the United States, a lengthy brief in the cases of the government against the tobacco trust, which will be argued next week in that court.
 The attorney general takes the position that the findings against the trust in the United States circuit court for the southern district of New York, sweeping as they seem to have been, were not broad enough and he asked the supreme court to extend them as to widen their scope as to take in the foreign companies and some individuals who were relieved from the operation of the verdict. Many other extensions of the judgment also are requested.

Huge Resources.
 After showing that in 1896 competition was free, coalitions are given to show that the combination has grown until its combined assets amount to \$400,000,000. It is asserted that the combination manufactures all of the cigars for export, and almost three-fourths of the domestic sale, more than three-fourths of the plug, twist and fine cut tobacco, and almost all of the snuff and little cigars that are made.

The defendants have persistently exercised duress, have practiced wicked and unfair methods, and used their great power in oppressive ways. Further, it is asserted that they have been actuated by a fixed purpose to destroy competition and obtain monopolies.
 "Consolidators have gradually disappeared, and the combination, now strongly entrenched, unduly restricts the business of those in the trade and prevents others from entering."
 It is declared that substantially all established jobbers in New England were induced to throw out independent products, as were those of Philadelphia, New York and many other specified places, and that independent jobbing in New York was destroyed by the organization of the Metropolitan Tobacco Company.

Heavy Advertiser.
 The advertising methods of the trust are referred to as a means of influencing both business and public sentiment, and it is said that not less than ten million dollars were expended in this way in the single year of 1906.
 The attorney-general interprets the complaint as not merely directed to the acquisition and ownership of stocks or other property, but as against the company's operations in commerce.
 He seems inclined to the view that a receiver should be appointed for the business of the parties to the combination, and he adds:
 "The very existence of certain defendants is criminal and certainly they cannot rightfully exist. It is asserted that they are carrying on the business for the purpose of carrying out the purpose of their trust, and that they are wilfully in possession where every act is a transgression."

THE WEATHER

OBSERVATORY, TORONTO, Dec. 30. (5 p.m.)—During last night the disturbance off the Atlantic coast developed into a very severe storm, which is centered in New England and has heavy gales, with snow, have prevailed in Nova Scotia. The weather has moderated somewhat in Ontario and Manitoba, and continues mild in the far west.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 32—42; Vancouver, 31—42; Edmonton, 20—30; Battleford, 10—20; Calgary, 24—44; Moose Jaw, 12—22; Qu'Appelle, 10—34; Winnipeg, 2 below—19; Port Arthur, 8 below—19; Superior Sound, 18 below—2; London, zero—12; Toronto, 2 below—17; Ottawa, 4 below—6; Montreal, 2 below—12; Quebec, below—8; St. John, 4—12; Halifax, 8—28.

Probabilities.
 Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Fresh westerly winds, generally cloudy and milder, with light local snowfalls.
 Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Light winds, with a little higher temperature.
 Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Strong westerly winds, gradually decreasing in force; fair and cold.
 Maritime—Partly fair; light local snowfalls.
 Manitoba—Fair and milder.
 Saskatchewan and Alberta—Fair and mild.

THE OBSERVATORY.

Time	Ther.	Bar.	Wind
8 a.m.	11	29.66	W.N.
Noon	11	29.66	W.N.
2 p.m.	11	29.69	W.N.
4 p.m.	12	29.69	W.N.
8 p.m.	13	29.64	18S.W.

Mean of day, 7; difference from average, 2 below; highest, 17; lowest, 2 below zero.

STEAMSHIP SAILINGS.

Dec. 31	At	From
8 a.m.	New York	Hamburg
11 a.m.	New York	Bremen
1 p.m.	Liverpool	St. John, N.B.
1 p.m.	Halifax	New York
1 p.m.	Halifax	New York

Foreign Mails.
 British and foreign mails via England will be closed at the Toronto General Postoffice during the early part of January, as follows:
 Closing, 11 a.m., Jan. 1.
 Jan. 2—11 a.m., New York, New York, New York.
 Jan. 3—3 p.m., Umbria, New York.
 Jan. 4—3 p.m., Kaiser Aug.
 Jan. 5—8 p.m., Granpian, Halifax.
 Jan. 7—11 a.m., New York, New York.

TO-DAY IN TORONTO.
 Geary meeting, O'Neill's Hall, Parliament street, 8 a.m. to 12 m.
 Royal Alexandra, "The Blue Mouse," 8 p.m.
 Princess, "The Tiger," 8 p.m.
 Grand, "St. Elmo," 8 and 10 p.m.
 Shea's, vaudeville, 8 and 10 p.m.
 Majestic, music hall, vaudeville, 8 and 10 p.m.
 Star, burlesque, 2 and 8 p.m.
 Gaiety, burlesque, 2 and 8 p.m.

DEATHS.
 CHANT—At her residence, Brampton, Dec. 29, 1909, Emily Anna, wife of The Chant, aged 61 years.
 Funeral to Brampton Cemetery on Friday at 2:30 p.m.
 CLARKE—At her late residence, lot 13, concession 5, of Whitechurch, on Thursday, Mary, widow, beloved wife of David Clarke, aged 60 years 10 months and 2 days.
 Funeral from the house on Saturday, Jan. 1, at 12:30 p.m., to the Monroite Church, concession 8, Markham, for service and burial.
 JOHNSON—On Thursday, Dec. 30, 1909, at No. 7 Trinity-square, Toronto, Mrs. Jennie Johnson, aged 55 years.
 Funeral from B. D. Humphrey's undertaking parlors, 321 Yonge-street, today at 4 p.m., to H. Baker's, Stoneville. Interment on Saturday, Jan. 1, in the Monroite Cemetery, Markham.

LAMENT EARL PERCY'S DEATH
 Balfour Fears Nation Has Sustained Irreparable Loss.
 LONDON, Dec. 30.—The most interesting utterances in Arthur J. Balfour's first speech since his recovery, delivered to-night at Haddington, was his eloquent tribute to Earl Percy, whose untimely death in Paris today he said, "not merely the Unionist party but the nation sustained a great and irreparable loss."
 The other Conservative speakers and all the Conservative newspapers are lamenting Earl Percy's death as a serious blow to the cause, especially in the present campaign. Earl Percy, they declare, was one of the most promising and brilliant men on the Unionist side.
 The flood of election oratory increases daily, the feature of the campaign being the large number of peers who are addressing political meetings.

FROM WITNESS BOX TO JAIL.
 Attempt to Clear Friend Leads to His Own Arrest.
 ROSTEREN, Sask., Dec. 30.—(Special.)—Reinhart Fisher, a young farmer, was today committed for trial for seducing a 15-year-old girl, Fisher endeavored to prove she was a prostitute and a friend of his, Charles Lehman, was to be called as a witness in his defense. Lehman was promptly arrested on his own evidence. It is believed he swore falsely to clear his friend, and should be cleared himself of the charge of having carnal knowledge of a child, he will face a charge of perjury.

Ward for Controller, with his twelve years' experience.
TWO DIE FROM COLD
 Two Men Found Frozen in New York Doorways.
 NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Three deaths, due directly to the cold wave that held the city in its grasp, were reported today.
 Two were unfortunately homeless men. They were found frozen to-night crouching in doorways where they had sought shelter from the icy blast.
 The third victim, was John Flanagan, a teacher. Run down by the cold, he fell from his truck to instant death beneath its wheels.
 Workmen, however, who had been freed, Controller Ward, and recast him.

G. T. CENSORED FOR NOT KEEPING FENCE UP

Boy Lost His Life While Trespassing on Grand Trunk Tracks—Inquest at Morgue.

Thomas Percy Hodgson came to his death Dec. 29, being run over by a Grand Trunk freight train between Galt-avenue and Blake-street. We find that the Grand Trunk Railway is to blame for not keeping the fences in a proper state of repair. The verdict returned by Coroner Fred Winnett's jury at the morgue last night.

The inquest showed that the boy wanted to cross the track before the train got out of the way, and tried to cross between the cars. He tried to catch one car, but failed, and falling on his back across the rail, his body was severed at the abdomen.
 Mrs. Edith Payne of 2 Blake-street, an eye-witness, said people constantly crossed the track there. She said she had broken down the fences. It was a common practice for boys to get on the train.
 Mrs. Lucy Taylor, 162 Galt-avenue, said a number of railway employees and men from people who wished to cross there had been troubled with boys riding on the train.
 John Love, aged 10, who was with the Hodgson boy when he was killed, said the boys were in the habit of crossing there. He had crossed there before, but said he would not do it again. He swore he had never been told not to cross there.
 Gobin Ogilvie, aged 12, who was also with the Hodgson boy when he was killed, said he had been told not to cross there.
 A. Condo, Grand Trunk engineer, said he had been told not to cross there.
 James Hodge, another railway constable, had taken the names of numerous trespassers. He said the fences had been fixed in the day-time and chopped down by persons at night.
 William F. Wood, railway constable, had both warned and arrested boys. George Hoag, police constable, examined the fences and found them in bad shape.

BRAMPTON POWER BY-LAW TWO WAYS TO MAKE PRESENT

Big Public Meeting Held and Facts Given to Show Advantages That Will Accrue.

BRAMPTON, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—Brampton will vote on a hydro-electric power by-law on Monday. A public meeting was held to-night practically in favor of the by-law. Hon. Edna Beck was prevented by illness from being present, his place being filled by J. W. Lyon of Guelph. Other speakers were John S. Barber, Georgetown, ex-M.L.A. for Halton, and E. W. Sotherman, engineer of the power commission.

Mr. Barber is the owner of the big paper mill at Georgetown. He has a valuable water power on the River Credit. His endorsement of the power by-law of the government is therefore very valuable. So fully convinced is he of the profitable and efficient nature of the power, that he is ready and waiting to make a contract for all the power required to run his mill. He had investigated power of all kinds here and in England, and had formed the conclusion that hydro-electric power was the best.

J. W. Lyon asked: "What has the Hydro-Electric Commission or the government to gain by doing something that is going to bring the city and standing of your town?" The only thing they could gain is votes. To do that they must act squarely. They have not acted squarely. Adams Beck had not accepted one cent, except expenses.
 The present was Brampton's opportunity. It would be put on the Toronto line—a great advantage. The cost would be lower than if a special line was constructed. The cost of transmission, user and Brampton would get the advantage of every additional horse power used there, thus reducing the cost. The cost was \$50 a horse power, with the cost of transmission, \$29.75 in all for 24 hours. The taxpayers would not contribute one cent, as the burden would be carried by the people who would not contribute one cent, except expenses.

MONTREAL CIVIC SLATE

Guerin for Mayor and Strong Support for Controllers.

MONTREAL, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—It will now be seen if the citizens committee will be able to impose their selection upon the electorate, even supposing the election is held on January 1. The official slate as announced is: Dr. J. J. Guerin for mayor, and Dr. Lachapelle, president of the board of health, J. N. Dupuis, J. W. Wanklyn and Joseph Ainey for board of control, the last named being a leader of some prominence. They all have as good as accepted.
 There is also a statement that Senator Casgrain will oppose Dr. Guerin, but it is not thought probable.

ST. CATHARINES CURING CLUB

ST. CATHARINES, Dec. 30.—The St. Catharines Curling Club has reorganized, with the following officers: R. W. Leonard, president; W. J. McCarron, vice-president; D. B. Crombie, secretary-treasurer; Alex. Miles, executive committee; the officers are: E. Casey, D. G. Muir, J. P. Peterson; skips, J. B. McIntyre, J. L. Weller, H. J. Johnston, G. E. Peterson, D. M. Muir and D. B. Crombie.

WOMEN GIVE SIGN OF TIMES

T. P. O'Connor Sees Hope in New U. S. Movement.
 LONDON, Dec. 30.—T. P. O'Connor, in an interview here, gave an interesting account of his American tour.
 He commented, as a remarkable sign of the times, on the assistance given by the labor movement in the United States, especially by women of the richest classes, and expressed the belief that the United States was coming to some decisive change in the direction of a more equitable distribution of wealth.
 Broadway Tabernacle, New York's Evening, Jessie Alexander, Arthur Bright, 25c.

WYCHWOOD CHEERS HOCKEN

Tubes Evidently Highly Popular in Northwest Section.
 Controller Hocken was cheered to the echo at a fine rally of 200 Wychwood electors in Hillcrest School, Bathurst street, last night. Enthusiasm for the tubes was very marked, and there seems no doubt that both Controller Hocken and his pet project will be given solid support by the whole northwest section of the city.
 Mr. Hocken, speaking of his opponent's professions of civic economy, asked whether Mr. Geary intended to deprive them of the services to which they, as new citizens, were legitimately entitled. His description of the great benefits that would accrue from the municipal railway drew great applause.
 The speaker replied to The Star's editorial, charging him with having undertaken to reorganize the parks department to satisfy a personal grudge. He declared that he had not vacated the retirement of certain employees solely because they were afflicted by age and infirmity, and their replacement by competent men.
 Controller Geary, who spoke earlier, failed to recall any of the facts of his own life, his reception being lacking in the warm cordiality shown Mr. Hocken.
 Addresses were given by board of control candidates and aldermanic aspirants of the fifth ward.

State Government by Commission.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—The subject under discussion was the physical education of the people in the United States, and both W. H. Williams, vice-president of the Delaware & Hudson Railroad, and Frederick W. Wedgwood, receiver of the Third-avenue Railway, took strong stands against present tendencies, both in national and state legislation.
 Mr. Williams contended that any physical education of the people is a waste of time and money. "Somebody may get a little better," he said, "but the whole official office by revolutionizing the business."

Facts About Bloor St.-Danforth Ave. Viaduct

The estimated cost of \$769,000 is the outside figure. The actual expenditure may be less.
 City Engineer Rust figures the cost of construction at \$619,000. Assessment Commissioner Forman says positively land damages will not exceed \$150,000.

The viaduct will consist of two sections—one 1200 feet long, to span the first Rosedale ravine from Sherbourne-street; the other, 1450 feet long, crossing the Don River at a height of 120 feet.
 Mr. Rust says: "The extension between these viaducts is comparatively level, and will involve only a small amount of grading."
 The viaducts will be built of steel and concrete, at a width of 54 feet. This will give a splendid, broad roadway 42 feet wide, with six-foot sidewalks on either side.
 The whole cost of roadways, grading, paving, sidewalks, is included in the \$619,000 estimate.

Ten years ago the city engineer reported that the viaduct could be built for \$350,000. The cost has doubled, and in a few years the figure will be a million.
 Practically everyone, even those opposed to going ahead now, agrees that the work must be done some day. Why wait, when the cost of material and labor is going up year by year?
 The hostility of the Guild of Civic Art is due to the influence of a little clique of members who live in Rosedale, and who mistakenly imagine that its stately quiet is to be invaded.

The viaduct will give a thru thoroughfare from the extreme west to the extreme east of the city.
 Toronto's growth has been so rapid that Bloor-street is now the actual geographical centre. With the bridging of the yawning gap, it is bound to become a great commercial thoroughfare.
 Bonds to cover the cost can be issued from year to year. Even if debentures for the entire amount were issued at the outset, the yearly interest and sinking fund charges of \$40,000 would be twice met by increased assessments, which, it is estimated, would yield \$80,000.

While the viaduct is an essential part of the tube system, it is needed whether tubes are built or not. Everyone voting for the tubes, if a property owner, cannot consistently vote against the viaduct.
 The viaduct plan is not an undigested matter. It has been before the city council for ten years. The principle has been overwhelmingly approved by the councils of 1906 and 1909.
 Ex-Mayor Thomas Urquhart, whose knowledge of the city's financial status is unquestioned, says: "A few years ago Toronto could not afford to build the viaduct. The city can now do so. The viaduct should certainly be built." Mr. Urquhart's view is that of scores of Toronto's leading business men interviewed by The World.

City council advocates of the viaduct have pledged themselves to seek legislation so that the city can expropriate lands immediately benefited. Thus the city gets the increment.
 There is no sounder city financially in America. Toronto's latest flotation of bonds was actually on more favorable terms than the Dominion Government could secure.
 Toronto's non-producing debt is only about \$19,000,000. But it owns property outside its public service works worth \$20,000,000. The income from this property is alone this year half a million above the total debt charges.

If the three money by-laws pass, the city's borrowing power next year will be more than three and one-half millions in excess of the chargeable obligation.
 Let everyone vote for the viaduct in the city's interest and give Riverdale, known as the dumping ground for every undesirable institution, something to be grateful for.
 Start the New Year right by taking a broad view of your duties as a citizen.

A TORONTO ENGINEER WINS ENGLISH BRIDE

Wedding Ceremony at Richmond Park, With Bridesmaids Wearing Real Canadian Maple Leaves.

A Canadian wedding in old England was celebrated yesterday, when John Frederick Vandeleur of Toronto, son of Col. Vandeleur of Howe, England, was married to Miss Mary Theodora, daughter of Lt.-Col. Owen of Sheen Lodge, Richmond Park.
 The ceremony took place in Christ Church, Richmond Park, with the service fully choral and national. "O Canada," was sung as a recessional.
 The bridesmaids were attired in white, with white fur trimmings, with real maple leaves that were sent from Toronto by special request.
 Mr. Vandeleur is a member of the well-known engineering firm of "Vandeleur, Nichol and Co.," of which his bride, he will arrive home about the end of January, and will reside on Chestnut Park-road.

DRAFTS NOT A DANGER

Woman Expert Believes in Lots of Cold Air.
 BOSTON, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Helen H. Richards of the faculty of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, in an address before the biological chemists, at today's session of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, ridiculed the fear of getting drafts and made an earnest plea for air draughts and lots of them.
 "In no quarter do we do more wrong," she said, "than to our young students who are told to keep their heads covered and to work in an atmosphere that dulls their wits and befores their minds. It is quite time that some biophysicist wrote a convincing tract on draught and its necessity."
 Editor World: The papers that favored the Wilton-avenue bridge are against the draft. The Wilton bridge was, one might say, only a loan to a small section of the city. Therefore some of the papers favored it. But those papers are wrong. The draft is a loan to the whole city. It will benefit the whole city. Why are they afraid of it? Do they want the city to be a cold house? Do they want to get the gas laid up Broadway to Danforth, but one of the aldermen said if one was cool enough to build in this section we could put up with the consequences. He was a shareholder in the Electric Company, and since gas and electric light service has been given in this section before a west wind decides to take them home after hours, he has been the advice of interested newspapers or some moonbaker let him take the Broadway-avenue to the head of Broadway and look around and see the progress made in the course of a few years. The amount available land there, and the home of the workman. The men who build the draft are the gentlemen who thought they represented the whole of the British nation. They imagine the city's progress ought to be left to the draft. They are wrong. They are only asking to be done to the west enders to get their subway. We want a greater Toronto, and we do not want the city kept back by the Toronto Railway Company or any other corporations.

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Re-elect Controller Ward and a Low Tax Rate.

Aid. McMullin's record for his first year as an alderman in the first ward is a creditable one. While he is not a heaven-born orator, he has shown himself a hard worker and when he speaks it is decidedly to the point. He has done a great deal for the ward in an unobtrusive way and his constituents should recognize the fact and support him for re-election.
 See that Controller Ward is returned at the head of the poll. His record entitles him to the first choice.

OSLER SAYS WALK AND GET EVEN WITH T.S.R.

P. Gives Geary a Doubtful Boost By Showing Opposition to His Adopted Policies.

Somewhat at cross-purposes were the speeches of Mr. Geary and his chief booster, E. B. Osler, M.P., at Summer-felt Hall last evening. Mr. Osler preceded the majority aspirant on the platform and to the effect that he remained to hear his views on this subject. It was a worthy project and he thought he might enlighten Mr. Osler on this fact.

Probably it was not policy, Mr. Geary said, for him to walk into the northwest and assert such convictions, seeing that if there was to be any good, the position to which he should naturally come from this quarter, but he couldn't help that. Those were his convictions and he must speak.

"One reason why I will vote against Mr. Hocken is that on the eve of election he has brought in a big scheme when it is too late to consider it properly."
 Mr. Osler said further that if the radicals came in thru the tubes, the chief party benefited would be the Toronto Railway, which owned the radicals. It would be only a few years in the city's life when the franchise expires, and then if it was decided to renew the franchise, the city could make a bid to buy it back. A return sufficient to pay the interest on the city debt, or else secure a reduction of fares. The citizens should not be led into any such scheme as that. That old man of the sea, the Toronto Railway, from the city's shoulders. There was only one way to beat the railway and that was for everyone to do more walking.

It was an unusually crowded meeting and Mr. Geary's remarks favoring the viaduct were as warmly applauded as were Mr. Osler's opposing remarks.
 R. J. Clarke, president of the Whitney Club, presided. Other speakers were Thomas Church, ex-Mayor Peter Laughton of West Toronto, W. J. Dalton, Harry Lovelock, R. G. Agnew, Fred McBrien, R. D. Davis and T. Sproule.

ORGANIZING A LEAGUE TO BOYCOTT THE TRUSTS

Is to Be National in Its Character and Scope—Women to Be Included in Membership.
 WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Plans for a national boycott of those combinations that increase the cost of living were laid here to-night when the National Anti-Trust League was launched.
 Members of congress are interested in the new movement and immediate steps will be taken toward perfecting state organizations.
 Then, when the prices soar, the league members, by stopping the use of such articles or commodities as have gone above the legal level, will put them back again by refusing to furnish a market.
 The plan is one that was tried in Germany a few years ago and which, according to a report, broke a combine in coffee that had raised the price of the bean to almost prohibitive prices.
 Among the speakers were several members of the house or representatives.
 One matter was settled to-night, however. The women of the United States will be taken into membership on equal terms with the men and have equal voice in the campaign. The women, being the housekeepers of the country, the pioneers of the plan recognized at once that their assistance was vital to success.
 "We furnish the purses," said one of the speakers, "but our wives and sisters and mothers have the responsibility of the movement from them. We've got to have the women with us."
 Accordingly, when congress meets, the league will work thru its representatives and in some cases thru senators, with a view to having them in-vestigate themselves in the organization of state branches.
 A nominal fee will be charged each member, probably not exceeding 25c a year, to cover the cost of mailing proclamations against certain articles of food that have been pushed too high in the market.
 A national charter will be also sought and the head of offices likely will be in Washington.

NEW MONOPLANE RECORD

Covers 124 Miles in Two Hours and 32 Minutes.
 JUVISY, France, Dec. 30.—At the aerodrome here today in the presence of the official timekeeper of the Aero Club of France, M. Delagrave, aboard a Blériot cross-channel type monoplane, set off records for speed and established a new monoplane record. Delagrave covered a distance of 200 kilometres (124 miles) and the flight lasted exactly two hours and 32 minutes, making an average speed of 79.9 kilometres (49.7 miles) an hour. The weather was ideal, almost spring-like, and the flight was accomplished without incident. The spectators gave the aviator an ovation on the termination of his brilliant feat. Delagrave intends to try for the Michelin Cup tomorrow.
 Cardinal Satolli Dying.
 ROME, Dec. 30.—Cardinal Satolli, who is ill with rabies, is falling rapidly today. Life is being prolonged only by the artificial administration of oxygen.
 Controller Ward's Record is good. Read him back again.

\$5000 A YEAR.

MONTREAL, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—It was decided by the city council today to pay members of the board of control, who come into office in February, \$5000 a year each. The recommendation of the finance committee was \$10,000 a year.

ELECTION CARDS.

Ward 6

To the Electors: Last year you were kind enough to give me 2273 votes (almost sufficient for election), and I solicit your support again this year.

- Some of the urgent needs of Ward Six are: 1. Through Roncesvalles Ave. Car Line. 2. Brook Ave. Subway. 3. Street Car Line running between Roncesvalles Ave. and Ossington Ave. to serve the factories in the South and North. 4. Better Lighting of Streets, especially in the new districts of the North. 5. Express Service North of Bloor Street.

A general business-like administration of city affairs. Wishing you all a Happy New Year, I remain, Yours very truly,

J.A. McCausland Alderman Candidate For WARD 6

WARD 6

VOTE FOR THE WORKING-MAN'S FRIEND

THOS. E. EARLS And Clean Administration of Civic Affairs.

Ward 5. Elect Ex-Ald.

P. B. WHYTOCK As Alderman For 1910

BALFOUR COUNTING ON MAJORITY OF SIXTY

And Chamberlain Hopes Unionists Will Have 100—Extracts From Speeches.

LONDON, Dec. 30.—(C.A.P.)—The Canadian Associated Press is informed that Mr. Balfour is looking forward to a majority in the commons of sixty, while Mr. Chamberlain hopes for one hundred.

Sir Gilbert Parker, at Aylesbury, said that "since Canada gave us a preference England has doubled its shipping with her, and last year the English workmen got nine millions in wages out of the purchase of Canada."

Rt. Hon. C. E. H. Hobhouse, at East Bristol, said it was the experience of all nations that had tried protection that the consumer and not the foreigner had to pay the duty. The Liberal alternative was the budget. The Liberals hoped by the free trade policy to attract to the country as much capital as possible. When it was in full work they would take from it toll according to the wealth it produced, and the convenience it afforded to the public.

Sir W. Robson, at South Shields, said what the government had done was before the country. They had attempted a good deal more than they had done. The failure of their attempts, however, was due to the power exerted by the hereditary chamber, which he hoped would receive a clipping at this election. The Tories said that if they taxed bread the foreigner would pay it. That was a serious charge, but he was going to suggest that the promise that the foreigner would pay their taxes was made by men who knew its substance that they induced them to vote holding out to the British working class was false.

"Boy Scouts" Election Dodge? Contending that the enslavement of the English masses is the ultimate object of the Conservative party's militarist policy. Liberal campaigners are now making a vigorous attack on their opponents' conscription proposals in general, and upon the widespread "boy scout" craze in particular. The "boy scout" movement, organized by Gen. Sir R. S. Baden-Powell about eighteen months ago, has enjoyed immense popularity, a large share of the country's juvenile population having been enrolled in its ranks, uniformed and drilled regularly.

"Do not allow yourself to be mystified by the opposition to the budget engineered by wealthy manufacturers and land holders," warns one of the Liberal campaign proclamations. "The object of all this turmoil is industrial enslavement and its methods may be summed up in two words—conscription and protection. "Shoddy Imperialism." "Conscription is to provide the force necessary to keep the workers under and protection is to fatten their pockets when down. This is the inner meaning of the boy scout craze. It is designed to secure for the Tories, who are running it, the support and sympathy of the rising generation, and to inoculate our youth with the spirit of militarism and false patriotism. "That is what lies behind Lord Roberts' rifle clubs and his scheme of a 'nation in arms.' That is the reason for all the shoddy imperialism which forms the staple fare of the Primrose League and other Tory organizations. This is the sole reason for the incoherent disingenuous vapourings about the budget."

ELECTION CARDS.



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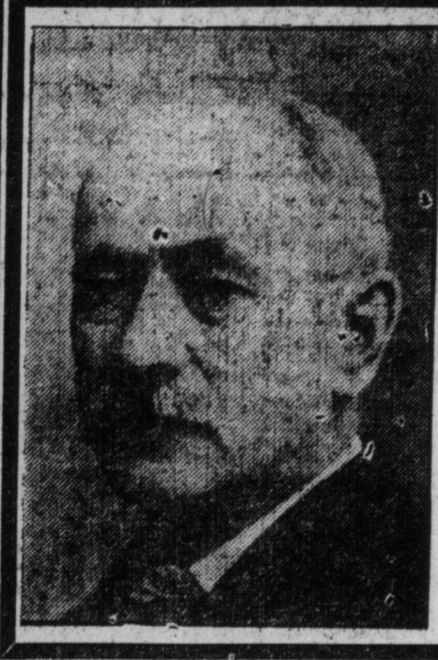
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Alderman WARD 4

A New Candidate



Ald. McGhie FOR CONTROLLER



YOUR VOTE To Re-Elect A. Welch AS ALDERMAN IN WARD 4

Send Successful Business Men to Transact the City's Business.

WARD 3

VOTE FOR

JOHN KIRK

AS ALDERMAN---1910 Business Man for Business Ward COMMITTEE ROOM, 506 YONGE ST. PHONE NORTH 3010.



FOR ALDERMAN In Ward 3 For 1910 NORMAN G. HEYD BARRISTER Needs One More Vote YOURS

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LADIES! Conveyance for all who wish it will be in readiness all day election day, to take lady electors to the polls. Phone College 761, or Parkdale 1685; or drop a card to 160 Avenue Road.

ALDERMAN BREDIN THE BUSINESS-MAN CANDIDATE FOR CONTROLLER

VOTE FOR THE EXHIBITION BYLAW

In every ward in which you have property IT'S AN INVESTMENT, NOT AN EXPENDITURE

The Exhibition puts \$5,000,000.00 in cash in circulation in Toronto every Fall

GEARY FOR MAYOR

Public Meeting To-Night—O'Neill's Hall, Queen East and Parliament. Friends volunteering vehicles or services for election day please notify committee room, upstairs, 179 Yonge, or Phone Main 3565.

KINDLY VOTE FOR THE ELECTION OF Ex-Controller W. P. HUBBARD AS CONTROLLER

Ward No. 2

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED FOR

Fred'k Hogg

ALDERMAN FOR 1910

Your Vote and Influence Respectfully Solicited for the Election of JOHN O'NEILL, Jr AS ALDERMAN ELECTION JAN. 1ST, 1910

WARD 2 HAMBLY FOR ALDERMAN

ELECTORS WARD 2 VOTE FOR Henry A. Rowland

ALDERMAN Business Methods in Civic Affairs

WARD No. 2

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D. Urquhart AS ALDERMAN FOR 1910 Resident in Ward for 35 Years

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POLITICS ELIMINATED

No Party Feeling in Kingston Civic Elections.

KINGSTON, Dec. 30.—(Special).—A subject of rejoicing to all citizens who desire to see Kingston prosper is the fact that politics seem to have been practically eliminated from municipal affairs. This is attested by the fact that in some of the wards in which contests are being held, the contestants belong to the same political party.

In no ward can there be said that a straight party fight is on. The only party division in the fight has been introduced by the moral and social reform league, and the league has also escaped politics.

MONTREAL TAKES STEP TO FIGHT TYPHOID FEVER

Council Authorize Health Committee to Go Ahead and Spend All Money Necessary.

MONTREAL, Dec. 30.—(Special).—The Montreal City Council have at last awakened to the fact that there are over 3000 cases of typhoid in the city and that the sooner the matter is looked after the better.

At a meeting of the council this afternoon a resolution was adopted requesting the health committee to get to work without any further delay. They also authorized the financial committee to make whatever expenditure they considered wise in the public interest.

There is a special clause in the charter dealing with epidemics, so the council can go ahead and take whatever steps are deemed necessary. One thing is certain, the hospitals are unable to take care of the cases.

OHIO RIVER ICEBOUND. PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 30.—The intensely cold weather to-night effectively checked the flood which yesterday, and during last night, menaced Pittsburgh, as it points south of here on the Ohio River. The Ohio River is frozen solidly for its entire length between here and Cincinnati.

Ship owners will suffer heavily from loss of traffic.

Harrison for Controller

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ELECTORS WARD 6 VOTE FOR J. A. McCAUSLAND

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COBALT--Kerr Lake Makes Further Advance; Other Stocks Steady--COBALT

Kerr Lake and Crown Firmer But Speculation is Fla

rumored Increase in Kerr Lake Dividend Discounted in Market Lower Priced Shares Dull and Unchanged.

World Office,
Thursday Evening, Dec. 30.
The continued firmness displayed by Crown Reserve and Kerr Lake was the only development of interest on the local mining exchanges to-day. Both of these issues sold higher than yesterday, but the apparent bullishness exhibited had no appreciable effect on the general list, and trading in this section of the market was about as flat as during the rest of the week, with only narrow fluctuations in evidence.

Altho the report that the next dividend disbursement on Kerr Lake will be increased from 35 to 40 cents per share lacks confirmation from official quarters, it is apparently well-authenticated, and the recent movement of the stock in the market represents discounting of this action by professional and insiders. The increase in the dividend will mean an addition of \$100,000 annually in the distribution of profits, which it is known the company is easily able to carry under present circumstances. While it is not definitely known what action will be taken at the directors' meeting next month, the general belief is that an increase in the dividend will in all probability be forthcoming. Meanwhile this has pretty well discounted by the recent advances.

City of Cobalt was the centre of interest in the lower priced issues, being traded in on a scale down, prices ranging from 15 to 25 1/2, closing easy at 17 1/2 latter figure. Little Nipissing and Peterson Lake made fractional advances during the session, but lost them at the close. The others were generally unchanged.

Coincident with the appreciation in Kerr Lake, a stronger tone was displayed by Crown Reserve shares, which maintained between 4 1/2 and 5, three points above that figure. La Rose was quiet but firm around par.

The market closed with a good tone generally in evidence. The only real buyers for an advance, and but little enthusiasm would be required to inaugurate an upward movement.

Toronto Stock Exchange Unlisted Securities

Beaver Consolidated Mines	Sell	Buy
Buffalo Mines Co.	3.00	2.70
Canadian Gold Fields	4 1/2	4 1/4
Chambers Ferland	53	52
City of Cobalt	14 1/2	14
Cobalt Central	25 1/2	25 1/4
Cobalt Lake Mining Co.	22	21 1/2
Crown Reserve	5.00	5.00
Coniasa	1.00	1.00
Consolidated M.	7 1/2	7 1/4
City of Cobalt	14 1/2	14
Green-Northern Silver Mines	11	10 1/2
Green-Mechan Mining Co.	13	12 1/2
Kerr Lake Mining	8.50	8.50
Little Nipissing	21 1/2	21 1/4
Jackin-Dar-Savage	16 1/2	16 1/4
Novo Scotia Silver	45	44
Ophir Silver Mines	21	20 1/2
Peterson Lake	24	23 1/2
Rochester	17 1/2	17 1/4
Silver Star	17 1/2	17 1/4
Silver Leaf Mining Co.	14	13 1/2
Timiskaming	18	17 1/2
Watts	15	14 1/2

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Standard Stock and Mining Exchange
Cobalt Stocks—
Amalgamated 10 1/2
Beaver Consolidated 38 1/2
Big Six 15 1/2
Buffalo 2 1/2
Chambers Ferland 53
City of Cobalt 14 1/2
Cobalt Central 25 1/2
Cobalt Lake 22
Crown Reserve 5.00
Foster 19 1/2
Green-Northern 11
Green-Mechan 13
Kerr Lake 8.50
La Rose 1.00
Little Nipissing 21 1/2
McKinley Dar-Savage 16 1/2
Nova Scotia 45
Ophir 21
Peterson Lake 24
Rochester 17 1/2
Silver Star 17 1/2
Silver Leaf 14
Silver Queen 18
Timiskaming 18
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City of Cobalt—100 at 14 1/2, 500 at 14 1/2, 1000 at 14 1/2, 2000 at 14 1/2, 3000 at 14 1/2, 4000 at 14 1/2, 5000 at 14 1/2, 6000 at 14 1/2, 7000 at 14 1/2, 8000 at 14 1/2, 9000 at 14 1/2, 10000 at 14 1/2.
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Increased Support on Chicago Pit Imparts Firm Tone to Wheat

Winnipeg Strong—Cables Higher.

World Office.
 Thursday Evening, Dec. 30.
 Liverpool wheat futures closed 1/2 cent higher than yesterday; corn unchanged and 3/4 higher.
 Chicago, December wheat closed 1/2 cent higher than yesterday; December wheat 1/2 cent higher and December oats 1/4 cent higher.
 Winnipeg December wheat closed 1/2 cent higher than yesterday; December oats 1/4 cent higher.
 Chicago car lots to-day: Wheat 47, corn 13, rye 13, barley 13, oats 13, and wheat to-day 30, barley to-day 23, and oats to-day 20. Minneapolis car lots of wheat to-day 27, barley to-day 20, and oats to-day 17.

Ontario grains were quiet and unchanged, with trading purely nominal.
 Local grain dealers' quotations are as follows:
 Wheat—No. 2 mixed, \$1.06 to \$1.06; No. 2 white, \$1.06 to \$1.06 outside.
 Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, \$1.04; No. 2 northern, \$1.03, track, lake ports.
 Oats—Canadian western oats, No. 2, 50c; lake ports, No. 2, 50c; Ontario, No. 2, 50c to 50c, at points of shipment.
 Buckwheat—No. 2, 50c to 50c, outside.
 Barley—No. 2, 50c; No. 3, 50c to 50c; No. 4, 50c to 50c, outside.
 Mill feed—Manitoba bran, \$1 per ton; shorts, \$2 to \$2, track, Toronto; Ontario bran, \$2 in bags. Shorts, \$2 more.

Manitoba flour—Quotations at Toronto are: First patents, \$5.00; second patents, \$4.75; No. 2, \$4.50; No. 3, \$4.25; No. 4, \$4.00. Peas—No. 2, \$4.00 offered per bushel.
 Ontario flour—Wheat flour for export, \$4.60, seaboard.

Toronto Sugar Market.
 St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, \$4.85 per cwt. in barrels; white, \$4.85; No. 1, \$4.85; No. 2, \$4.85; No. 3, \$4.85; No. 4, \$4.85; No. 5, \$4.85; No. 6, \$4.85; No. 7, \$4.85; No. 8, \$4.85; No. 9, \$4.85; No. 10, \$4.85; No. 11, \$4.85; No. 12, \$4.85; No. 13, \$4.85; No. 14, \$4.85; No. 15, \$4.85; No. 16, \$4.85; No. 17, \$4.85; No. 18, \$4.85; No. 19, \$4.85; No. 20, \$4.85; No. 21, \$4.85; No. 22, \$4.85; No. 23, \$4.85; No. 24, \$4.85; No. 25, \$4.85; No. 26, \$4.85; No. 27, \$4.85; No. 28, \$4.85; No. 29, \$4.85; No. 30, \$4.85; No. 31, \$4.85; No. 32, \$4.85; No. 33, \$4.85; No. 34, \$4.85; No. 35, \$4.85; No. 36, \$4.85; No. 37, \$4.85; No. 38, \$4.85; No. 39, \$4.85; No. 40, \$4.85; No. 41, \$4.85; No. 42, \$4.85; No. 43, \$4.85; No. 44, \$4.85; No. 45, \$4.85; No. 46, \$4.85; No. 47, \$4.85; No. 48, \$4.85; No. 49, \$4.85; No. 50, \$4.85; No. 51, \$4.85; No. 52, \$4.85; No. 53, \$4.85; No. 54, \$4.85; No. 55, \$4.85; No. 56, \$4.85; No. 57, \$4.85; 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N. TORONTO HAS GOOD MEN IN PROSPECT

Citizens Will Be Quick to Choose Good Business Council—Big Gist of Suburban News.

NORTH TORONTO, Dec. 23.—(Special.)—After one of the stormiest years in the history of North Toronto's municipal affairs, the council met to-night for the last time this season and wound up their annual business. Everything said and done was harmonious. There wasn't a dissenting word spoken, and when the routine work was over Mayor Brown and his colleagues indulged in a interchange of pleasant and congratulatory remarks. Everybody had something pleasant to say of the work done by the outgoing council during the year just brought to a close. Council passed a resolution expressing sympathy with Mrs. Walmley, widow of the late street commissioner, James Walmley, in her recent bereavement, and as a slight recognition of the able services rendered to the municipality by her late husband, a grant of \$50 was made her.

The general purpose money by-law was given its third reading, and accounts to the amount of \$27,500 will be paid. The contract between the Holmes Electric Protection Co. of Toronto, Ltd., and the council of North Toronto with regard to the installation of a fire alarm system for the municipality is signed by the council. On the recommendation of Chief Collins, the council decided to purchase twenty additional poles for the alarm system, and the thirty-five poles already on hand will be put in position without delay. The Great Western Telegraph Company and the Bell Telephone Co. sent communications granting the use of their poles for the support of wires of the new fire alarm system. Mayor Brown thanked the councilors, Town Clerk Douglas, and Chief Collins for the able support they had given him during the past year. Councilors Murphy, Price and Pears, Town Clerk Douglas, Solicitor Gibson, Chief Collins, and the Town Council of North Toronto for the year 1909 became a matter of history.

MIMICO, Dec. 30.—There was a hot contest in the election of a school trustee yesterday. The candidates were R. H. Skelton and Austin Werts, and the result was 97 and 46 in favor of Skelton.

SWANSEA, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—At the annual meeting of the ratepayers of the public school, held yesterday, R. C. Smith was elected on the school board to succeed John Gemmill. The new board consists of W. Wright, R. C. Smith and Dr. Spaulding.

NORTH TORONTO. The new school for doing high school work, recently established by the Town of North Toronto, will be opened on Tuesday, Jan. 4 next, in its temporary quarters, the Light Tower building, for all forms taught by the government is \$1 per month. The school is in charge of George H. Reed, M.A., and B. Fald, former principal of Markham High School. Mr. Reed's well-known record is a sufficient guarantee of the success of the school.

North Toronto electors can make no mistake in supporting Messrs. Muston, Howe, Read, Banton and McQueen. Mr. Muston has been public service before and has always viewed town affairs in a broad way. His growth and success as a councillor has many friends in all parts of the municipality.

There is perhaps no more aggressive candidate than Frank Howe. Frank by name and by nature, his outspoken opinions on public questions have frequently made his opponents into supporters. His hard work on the parallel roads has earned him recognition. Mr. Read is a man of many ideas. He has considerable time at his disposal and his usefulness as a member of the town council will be recognized after a few months' service.

A careful progressive policy is being advocated by T. W. Banton, who has served several years on the city council board. Mr. Banton has taken a strong interest in sanitary matters and believes that a sewerage system is immediately necessary for North Toronto.

For a new man in the town Mr. McQueen has advanced rapidly in public estimation. He is desirous of seeing North Toronto make rapid growth and is therefore not averse to spending money judiciously to that end. He is favorable to a well-considered sewerage scheme.

With the election of a number of new men to the council, the election of John Fisher as mayor will insure a methodical and workable council. Ex-Mayor Fisher has a remarkable tact in handling his fellow-members of the council. He has been regarded by some as too cautious at times, but his good judgment has been vindicated later. Perhaps no other man in the town has the same grasp of municipal matters as John Fisher, and at this crucial time in the town's history his services will prove invaluable. He has consecrated his abilities to the benefit of the public, and this knowledge has always gained him the strong support of his fellow-townsmen.

YORK TOWNSHIP. Editor World: Allow us, thru your columns, to extend to the ratepayers of York Township sincere greetings on behalf of the members of the council elected by acclamation.

We feel gratified for the trust and confidence shown by an election without opposition, and shall endeavor to prove worthy of our position. We should like to see a few remarks on the by-law on which you will be asked to vote on Jan. 1 next. The idea of biennial elections is a new one. But it is a step in the right direction. It will raise the standard of the office, less trouble will be found in getting good men to run for positions. Better work will doubtless result as the members will be freed from the annual grind and administration will be more

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DOVERCOURT.

A reunion of the public school supporters of old school section No. 13 of the Township of York will be held at 8 p.m. Jan. 6, 1910, in the schoolroom of Davenport road Church (Presbyterian), entrance on Delaware-avenue. This will probably be the last public school meeting held before annexation takes place, and the attendance will be very large, and the program intensely interesting.

BALMY BEACH.

Local Masonic Lodge Hold Installation Ceremony. BALMY BEACH, Dec. 30.—At a meeting of the Beaches Masonic lodge held in the Masonic Temple, Balsam-avenue, last night, the newly elected officers for the ensuing year were installed by Past Master Grierson, assisted by P. M.'s McCurragh, Thompson and Chapman.

Ex-Mayor John McP. Ross of East Toronto was elected honorary life member. There were a large number of visitors from Ancaster and St. Andrew's lodges. D.D.M. Power of East Toronto district 11a, being present.

The new officers are: W.M., W. J. R. Ritchie; chaplain, Rev. E. A. McIntyre; secretary, W. E. Walker; treasurer, J. Lowden; S.D., H. Hardy; J. D. A. Findlay; S.W., W. Brandham; J. S. C. Clark; I.G., G. Gardner; Tyler, J. Brundell.

WEST TORONTO.

Big Increase in West Toronto Permits for Past Year.

WEST TORONTO, Dec. 30.—During the past twelve months, work has been made in the department of building operations, the permits issued aggregating nearly one million dollars in value. Some of the most important permits are: Concrete sheds for the Union Stock Yards, \$80,000; St. Cecilia's R. C. Church, \$85,000; extension to the engineering department of the C.P.R. shops, \$90,000; Masonic Temple, \$15,000; new Bell Telephone office, \$14,000; addition to the Gurney Foundry, \$10,000; addition to Livingston & Scott's factory, \$90,000. In addition, the St. Clair Construction Company are at present transferring a new planting mill adjoining their premises on Campbell-avenue.

Cour. Davenport, No. 82, I.O.F., have elected these officers for the coming year: chief ranger, W. T. Armstrong; past chief ranger, L. D. Grenniass; vice chief ranger, James Curtis; treasurer, Wm. Thomas; recording secretary, H. Wilson; financial secretary, J. R. Sheppard; orator, Bro. Campbell; senior woodward, Bro. Bacchus; junior woodward, Bro. Benewitz; senior beadle, Bro. Smith; junior beadle, Bro. Storey; court deputy, John Shultz; court physician, Dr. A. C. Mavety.

The building inspector made a tour of inspection to-day of the moving picture theatres in ward seven and will make a report of the improvements recommended, before the permits are granted at the new year.

EARLSCOURT.

York Township Candidates Address Big Meeting in Little's Hall.

EARLSCOURT, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—Little's Hall was the scene to-night of one of the most enthusiastic municipal meetings held in this district in a decade, when ex-Third Deputy Reeve "Jerry" court, George Syme, jr., candidates for this position for the incoming year, met and crossed swords. Not even the presence of the reeve and other members of the council could have intimidated the interest.

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ROGER BACON

There never was another such dreamer as Roger Bacon. It may be true, as some scholars claim, that the greatest all-round man ever known was Leonardo Da Vinci, but if such is the case then a close second to the illustrious Italian is the old British friar, whose fame is steadily growing, and who may eventually brush at rivals from the throne.

More ideas flashed through Roger Bacon's mind than those of any other person with whose history we are acquainted. Nothing escaped him. In an age of universal ignorance, when an ignorant populace looked upon him as a madman, he was turning over in his mind the conceptions of the arts and sciences of the future, and the inventions which were not to materialize for more than four or five centuries after his death.

In his old study Bacon dreamed of submarine boats, flying machines and automobiles, telescopes and microscopes, safety lamps, telephones and phonographs. The balance of the evidence is in favor of his having invented gunpowder. He was the father of the calendar, as afterward accepted. He created optics. He inaugurated the method known as "induction," to which nearly all the achievements of science are due.

Such was Roger Bacon, and such his contributions to the world. Because he was away ahead of his time he was misunderstood and persecuted. His writings were scattered and his name was cast into prison, where he spent more than ten years of his life. Born in Somersetshire, England, in 1214, he died in 1292, in the seventyeighth year of his age.

On his death-bed he uttered the melancholy complaint, "I have given myself so much trouble for the love of science." And then, as if taking back the seeming affront to his darling ambition, the old man cried out: "It is on account of the ignorance of those with whom I have had to deal that I have not been able to accomplish more." By Rev. Thomas B. Gregory in New York American.

MARKHAM.

MARKHAM, Dec. 30.—It was erroneously reported in the press that Jonathan Nigh had been elected mayor of Markham as reeve of Markham Township. Mr. Nigh has opposition in the person of Albert Lunan.

Prof. Fernow at Washington. WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Professors of forestry, representing practically all the forestry schools in the United States, met here to-day with Gifford Pinchot, chief forester, for a discussion of plans to further education along forestry lines.

STOVAIN IS DANGEROUS SAYS PARIS SURGEON

New System For Securing Insensibility Should Be Resorted to Only in Rare Cases.

PARIS, Dec. 23.—"Sport in Surgery" was the description applied yesterday by one of the most eminent of the French operating surgeons to Professor Jonnesco's system of injecting stovaine into the spinal column as a means of securing insensibility to pain.

"That a patient should be able to witness severe operations on himself," the French professor continued, "is no doubt attractive, and one might even call it theatrical, but from the patient's point of view I can only describe the spinal injection of stovaine as dangerous. The public must not run away with the idea that these injections are going to save every one with all the anaesthetics now in use."

"To show that I am not prejudiced against stovaine in principle, let me tell you that I used it quite recently before a patient who had a large internal tumor. The patient, a woman, saw the operation, felt no pain, experienced no after-effects of any kind, and is now doing well, and in chemistry, and it is even claimed, with much appearance of justice, that he investigated the power of steam."

Stovaine is it to think, exclaims one of our foremost educators, of what this great man might have given to the world had ecclesiasticism allowed the gifts he held in the hands of a God which would have freed mankind from ages of error and misery. With his discoveries as a basis, with his method as a guide, what might not the world have gained?

POET WATSON'S DEFENCE

Harks Back to Boer War in Justifying His Poem.

The New York papers were rather hard on Wm. Watson, the poet, and some showed resentment for the way in which the poet had on Friday told the reporters that his poem had no personal reference, when all the time the statement was ready for one local journal. In replying, Mr. Watson said:

ESTATE NOTICES.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In Matter of James R. Young of City of Toronto, in the County of York, Merchant, insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the named has made an assignment under R.S.O. 1857, Chap. 347, and of the general benefit of his creditors. A meeting of creditors will be held in my office, 44 Wellington St. W., City of Toronto, on Wednesday, 1st day of January, 1910, at 3.30 p.m., to receive a statement of affairs, to inspect and verify the list of creditors, and to receive the order of the court to be made generally.

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THOSE WHO WALK ALO

Richard Burton in The Cent Women there are on earth, most and high. Who lose their own, and we Loving that one lost heart unto die. Loving it only.

And so they never see, beside grow Children, whose coming is like of flowers, by subtler loves they know. Three blissless hours. Good deeds they do; yet they come they bleed. In duties others put off till the row. Their look is balm, their touch, derness. To all in sorrow. Betimes the world smiles at the This maiden guise, long after departed. But in God's book they bear a "The faithful-hearted."

Will Be Disciplined. NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The god of the stock exchange will, on act on the report of the committee investigated the Rock Island Disciplinary measures are ex