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**SUNDAY SALOONS NECESSARY.**

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—The Sunday saloon has been endorsed at a session of the National Ethical Convention. Dr. Emily Hirsch of Chicago and Prof. Nathaniel Schmidt of Cornell University were the speakers who had good words to say for the operation of saloons on Sunday, as one of the necessities of modern life in great cities.

**Russia's Position in Manchuria.**

PEKING, Dec. 30.—Ivan Shipoff, agent of the Russian finance minister, has just concluded a three months' investigation of the serious problems which confront the Chinese Eastern Railway and as a result had recommended that expenditures be reduced in every direction possible. This action is construed here as a reflection of the hopelessness of Russia's position in Manchuria.

**Funeral of Mrs. Melike.**

The funeral of Mrs. W. B. Melike, wife of the general manager of the British America and Western Insurance Companies, took place yesterday afternoon from the residence, 111 Avenue-road, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Canon Welch conducted the services. A large number of friends were present, including the directors of both companies. Many beautiful floral tributes covered the casket.

**No; He Wasn't Married.**

QUEBEC, Dec. 30.—Gounin Gounin denies the report that he was married last week in Montreal.

**Elk's Convention Open.**

WINNIPEG, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—The big Elk convention opened here to-day, delegates being present from all parts of the Dominion. A big banquet was held to-night.

**Man Hung for Murder Afterwards Proved Innocent.**

A young man was sentenced to be executed for murdering his wife, and is seen standing in a prison cell with his old white-haired mother—the only friend he has left in the world. This is the subject of Canada's greatest painting, "Not Guilty," now on exhibition at 139 Yonge-street.

**This Used Duplicate Key.**

CALEDON, Dec. 30.—White the agent was absent at church last night the station was entered and the cash drawer robbed of \$21. The thief used a duplicate key. He locked the door on the inside and was unable to open it again, and made his exit by breaking thru a window.

**Pleads Guilty to Assault Charge.**

CHATHAM, Dec. 30.—Elwood Law, a 15-year-old negro, pleaded guilty to having attempted an assault on Mrs. Minnie Waloff. He had told Mrs. Waloff that his foster parent was very ill at home and that if he died to see Mrs. Waloff there.

**Babe's Burns Fatal.**

OTTAWA, Dec. 30.—The child of Fred Dimelle, electric railway motorman, rolled out of bed in Mechanicville and its legs touched the hot stove pipe. It was so badly burned that it died.

**John McIntyre Ill.**

KINGSTON, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—John McIntyre was taken seriously ill this morning.

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**Trainers Will Wait.**

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—Trainers and conductors on all the railroads running east of Chicago have decided to defy action on their demands for a general revision of wages and working conditions.

**Chief Justice Dead.**

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 30.—Chief Justice J. B. Cassidy of the State Supreme Court died here early today.

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**Countess**

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Will Entertain Men.

The ladies' auxiliary of the West End Y.M.C.A. will entertain the men of the West End on New Year's Day.

Woman Spawled Needles.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Mollie Desmond, who attempted to commit suicide eighteen months ago by swallowing a package of 144 needles, died in the Fordham Hospital.

Woman's Auxiliary.

The January service of intercession for missions and corporate communion of the Woman's Auxiliary will take place in St. Philip's Church.

Countess Warwick's Ambition

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The Countess of Warwick announces her intention of starting early next year on a tour of the world.

Personal.

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Miss Glasgow's New Book. Miss Ellen Glasgow has decided to change the title of her forthcoming book, which Doubleday, Page & Co. book, which Doubleday, Page & Co. book, which Doubleday, Page & Co. book.

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What the Theatres Offer

At the Princess.

Archibald Vanderpool... Summer Gard Joseph MacCloud... Jos. Woodburn Frank Bragdon... Willard Howe Nipper Harrison... Jos. DeWitt Mrs. Dan De Mille... Emily Lytton

At the Alexandra.

"SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL." Sir Peter Teasdale... Mr. McWade Sir Oliver Surface... Mr. Fooker

At the Grand.

"THE HONEYMOONERS." John Tiger... Taylor Williams Sam Gayland... Henry T. Morey Andrew Ripley... Mayor of Havelock

At the Majestic.

"Handmade Pete," the offering at the Majestic this week, was welcomed by two large audiences at the theatre yesterday.

At the Star.

Of course Terry McGovern and John Corbett, in a three-round sparring exhibition, are the big thing on the bill at the Star this week.

At Shea's.

The program this week maintains the high class Manager Shea has set for this popular family theatre.

At the Gayety.

The Gayety presents one of the best vaudeville acts ever seen in Toronto in connection with the "Bachelor Club Burlesques" this week.

At the Royal.

"The School for Scandal," the offering at the Royal this week, was welcomed by two large audiences at the theatre yesterday.

AMUSEMENTS.

EXCELSIOR ROLLER SKATING

SKATE THE OLD YEAR OUT AND NEW YEAR IN Continuous Skating 7.30 to 12.15.

PRINCESS MATINEES

MR. FREDERIC THOMPSON INTRODUCES EDWARD ABLES AND THE BROWSTER'S MILLIONS

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Literary Note.

I have read Mr. Charles E. Russell's "Uprising of the Many" with the greatest interest and profit.

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THE HONEYMOONERS 30-35-40-45-50-55-60-65-70-75-80-85-90-95-100

MAJESTIC MATINEE

EVERY DAY "AMOUS CARTOON COMEDY" "PANDHANDLE PETE"

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Hockey Schedules And Games

NOTE AND COMMENT

President Jack Miller has taken to the lecture platform and his stories of incidents in the lacrosse tour of the Canadians thru Australia are said to hold the different country town Y.M.C.A. audiences spellbound.

Secretary Hall of the C.L.A. is of the opinion that Canada's best lacrosse team for the Olympic games will be a poor one indeed if the rule excluding amateurs who have played against professionals is enforced.

The case of Bert Brown, the Toronto hockey player, who is applying for reinstatement to the O.H.A., is a funny one to say the least. Bert was engaged to referee the Toronto (pro.) Berlin game last year.

The fall in the temperature will once again bring joy to the hearts of the brothers of the team who may to-morrow be able to bring off the annual matches.

Croxton and Vagabond will not be allowed to start at City Park on account of the report that Jockey Holtman, who got into trouble at Fort Erie last fall, is said to have an interest in the horses.

King of Troy, while being exercised at City Park Saturday morning, bolted through the fence and broke his neck, dying instantly.

One result of the Burns-Moir battle may be the establishment in New York City of a club patterned on the lines of that in which the incident occurred.

It is said that the plans are already under way, and that many prominent sportsmen and politicians have agreed to subscribe for stock in the New York Club.

The promoters of the new club have received assurance that if the club is incorporated and run exclusively for the benefit and entertainment of members, there can be no interference by the police.

The report of the serious illness of Ned Hanlan will be received with the greatest regret by all classes, who will all hope for a speedy recovery of the greatest sculler the world has ever seen.

F. C. Evans, the well-known local cricketer, who spent the autumn in Bermuda on account of his health, is back in the city, spending his holidays at Kew Beach.

WOODSTOCK, Dec. 30.—The basketball team of the Oxford Rifles will be registered under the C. A. U. The team intends playing at Toronto five New Year's night, and this step was considered necessary.

NEW HAMBURG, Dec. 30.—The first O. H. A. intermediate game of the season was played in the rink here to-night between Clinton and New Hamburg, resulting in a whitewash for the visitors.

Northern Junior Schedule Ottawa Vics Trim Renfrew

Guelph Beats Berlin—First O.H.A. Game Results in Win for New Hamburg—Sub-Committee Meet

The Northern City Hockey League met last night at Aura Lee and drew up the schedule for the junior series. This series takes the place of the juvenile series, which was originally intended.

The season opens Jan. 10 and closes Feb. 24. The following is the schedule: Jan. 10—Aura Lee at North Toronto, 8.30.

Ottawa Vics Beat Renfrew. RENFREW, Dec. 30.—The hockey game played to-night in Renfrew, O.H.A. Victoria's of Ottawa to decide who would play the Wanderers of Montreal for the Stanley Cup was the most exciting game ever played in Renfrew.

O. H. A. Registrations. Owing to the withdrawal of the Brantford team from the intermediate series of the O. H. A., the Registrations were rearranged at the request of the remaining clubs in the group—Tillsonburg, Paris, Woodstock and London.

Yesterday's registrations with the O. H. A. were: Alex. Karges, Victor E. Cochrane, Fred J. Roschman, Marshall Brown, Fred W. Widdowson, W. H. Roseak, John Brinkert, Herb Gross, J. H. Oldfield, Peter Fuheman, Henry Hausman, Fred Selbert, Edith Selbert, H. Hertel, Herbert Boettger.

Peterboro Strathconas (intermediate)—W. Shaw, Leonard Dobson, Ben Dury, H. M. A. Kenne was allowed to play with the Strathconas.

O. H. A. Sub-Committee Meet. At a meeting of the O. H. A. sub-committee yesterday afternoon, J. Ross Robertson was elected permanent chairman.

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John Seymour was granted a change of residence permit from Peterboro to Lindsay. He has been in Lindsay since October.

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Brookville, Dec. 30.—(Special).—The continued mild weather has rendered it impossible to open the rink so far this season and hockeyists are at their wits' end with only a few days intervening before the winter season opens.

Baseball Kelley On the Scene

MIDDLEWEIGHTS DRAW TO ROS. AT MILWAUKEE

Hugo Kelly and Billy Papke are Both Still in Running for the Championship.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 30.—Billy Papke and Hugo Kelly fought ten rounds to a draw here to-night. Both men were in fine physical condition, and the bout attracted wonderful attention in the middle west.

At this stage Australia still required 100 to win against the "new blood" which is being sent to the States.

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The Eureka play "Broadways to-night" at Broadway Rink at 7.45 for last year's championship. All supporters are requested to be on hand.

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TEST CRICKET MATCH. Gossip of Game Won by Australia After England Looked Winner.

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The Best English Derby Field

Over a Score Owners May Be Represented in the June Classic at Epsom.

From the London Daily Express. It may be remembered that this time last year the only talk in connection with the coming Derby was whether anything would be done to improve the race.

It is interesting to note that the Derby of 1908. Don't all speak at once! But I should like to hear the best odds on this score. I should be willing to take 100 to 10, and give you all the rest in the world.

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BUSHWACKERS WIN.

Annex Two Games From Eatonias—B. Whaley High Man.

Bert Whaley's Lumber Kings won three games from the Eatonias last night in a friendly match. Bert Whaley was high, with 52, having the good single of 24.

The scores: Eatonias—1st 102, 2nd 102, 3rd 102, 4th 102, 5th 102, 6th 102, 7th 102, 8th 102, 9th 102, 10th 102.

Office Staff Win. The office staff of the Toronto Engraving Company won two games from the operators last night. Scores: 1. 2, 2.

Getting Ready for C. B. A. H. H. Renshaw of Detroit, who captained the "Pick-Ups," who made such a fine record in the sending of teams here, is now in the city.

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LANGCASTER BUT Hyperion II City Park Wins To NEW ORLEA to-day at the furlong handicap. The 2-year-olds, the year-olds, of Dawn. Summary: FIRST RACE 1. Estella C. 2. Barinda, 3. Helen Holton. Time 1:05 1/2. AGNES WOOD, Lady Lissak, Mrs. Florence Ryan.

SECOND RACE 1. F. H. 2. Sam Hoffri 3. Peter Beck. Time 1:14 3/4. THIRD RACE 1. Robert 2. Sevel 3. No Quarter. Time 1:27 1/2. Lady Esther, G. 1. F. H. 2. Sam Hoffri 3. Peter Beck. Time 1:14 3/4.

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FIFTH RACE 1. Robert 2. Sevel 3. No Quarter. Time 1:27 1/2. Lady Esther, G. 1. F. H. 2. Sam Hoffri 3. Peter Beck. Time 1:14 3/4.

SIXTH RACE 1. Robert 2. Sevel 3. No Quarter. Time 1:27 1/2. Lady Esther, G. 1. F. H. 2. Sam Hoffri 3. Peter Beck. Time 1:14 3/4.

SEVENTH RACE 1. Robert 2. Sevel 3. No Quarter. Time 1:27 1/2. Lady Esther, G. 1. F. H. 2. Sam Hoffri 3. Peter Beck. Time 1:14 3/4.

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LANGASTRIAN SECOND BUT IS DISQUALIFIED

Hyperion II Wins the Feature at City Park, While Dew of Dawn Wins Two-Year-Old Race.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 30.—The feature race at the City Park was the seven-furlong handicap, which was won by Hyperion II.

Summary:
FIRST RACE—5 furlongs, selling:
1. Estella C., 110 (McDaniel), 10 to 1.

SECOND RACE—Steeplechase, short course:
1. Ayles, 108 (Schell), 12 to 1.

THIRD RACE—6 furlongs, selling:
1. Robia Hood, 116 (Notter), 5 to 1.

FOURTH RACE—5 furlongs, handicap:
1. Hyperion II, 111 (Mountain), 7 to 2.

FIFTH RACE—1 1/2 miles:
1. Dew of Dawn, 100 (Huffman), 9 to 2.

SIXTH RACE—1 1/2 miles:
1. Carthage, 112 (Koerner), 4 to 5.

Seventh race:
1. Zepango, 105 (Mountain), 5 to 1.

Eighth race:
1. Maribel, 107 (Clarke), 6 to 5.

Ninth race:
1. Tanager, 104 (McLain), 5 to 1.

Tenth race:
1. Maribel, 107 (Clarke), 6 to 5.

Eleventh race:
1. Maribel, 107 (Clarke), 6 to 5.

Twelfth race:
1. Maribel, 107 (Clarke), 6 to 5.

Thirteenth race:
1. Maribel, 107 (Clarke), 6 to 5.

Fourteenth race:
1. Maribel, 107 (Clarke), 6 to 5.

Fifteenth race:
1. Maribel, 107 (Clarke), 6 to 5.

To-Day's Selections.

City Park.
FIRST RACE—Constantia, May Rowe, Tom.

To-Day's Entries.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 30.—Following are the entries for the races today:
FIRST RACE—5 furlongs, purse:
Durable, 107 Royal Bond, 107 Tom McFee, 107 Constantia, 107 May Rowe, 107.

Results at Oakland.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—McIntyre and Hayes divided the riding honors at Oakland today. Summary:
FIRST RACE—1 1/2 miles, 13 to 1:
1. Vrona, 104 (Gilbert), 10 to 1.

Santa Anita Card.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 30.—FIRST RACE—5 furlongs:
1. Wise Child, 108 Cruseola, 105 Velma C., 107 Aronozita, 107 Virginia, 107.

Oakland Entries.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—Following are the Oakland entries:
FIRST RACE—5 furlongs:
1. Alice F., 107 Amada, 105 Banford, 107 Wilmore, 107.

Eastern Stakes Close Thursday.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The greatest closing of stakes in the history of racing in America will take place Thursday.

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Not King Keel, but soon may be said of Michael J. Kelley, the new Toronto manager, who arrived in the city yesterday and affixed his signature to a Toronto contract.

Not a Rowdy.

The story that has been given currency, that Mr. Kelley is a rowdy, comes from the camp of the enemy. The true story of his trouble rather places Toronto's new manager in a different light.

Was Wanted Elsewhere.

Clark Griffith offered him the management of the Montreal club, and two weeks ago, was after him to take over that team again.

Baseball Notes.

Claude Allen, the New York pole-vaulter, who cleaned up at the I. C. A. C. tournament here last week, has been selected to represent the United States at the World's record is 12 feet 5 inches.

Jeff's Promise to Quit the Ring.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 30.—Jim will never fight again. He has promised me and he'll keep his word.

When a whisky is as good as it ought to be it's in a bottle labelled BLACK & WHITE

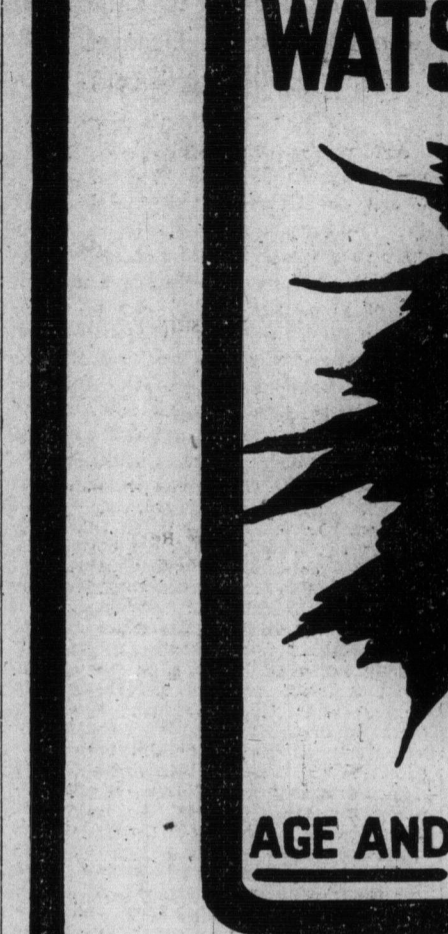


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Original the Correct One. The schedule of the Garrison Indoor Baseball League which appeared in the World yesterday morning is the same as the one which has been revised, as yesterday's papers stated.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Adelaide Kenny of the City of Toronto, Milliner, solvent.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THE WINDING UP ORDER MADE BY THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE in the matter of the said Company, the creditors of the above-named Company, and all others having claims against the said Company, which has its head office in the City of Toronto, are on or before the 14th day of January, 1908, to send by post, prepaid, to Deane, 675 Bay Street, Toronto, their Christian and surnames and addresses, and the full particulars of the nature and amount of the securities (if any) held by them, and to specify the value of such securities, or, in default thereof, they will be preemptory excluded from the benefits of the said Winding-Up Order.

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PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

SINGLE FARE TO-DAY. For return tickets between all stations. Good going TO-DAY and JAN. 1st. Good returning UNtil and on Thursday, Jan. 2 FARE AND ONE-THIRD.

IMPORTANT CHANGE. Commencing Jan. 2nd and until further notice the Western Express leaving Toronto 1.45 p.m. daily, will run to Moose Jaw only, instead of Calgary as at present.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM. NEW YEARS EXCURSIONS. Between all stations in Canada, also Detroit and Port Huron, St. Catharines, Buffalo, Black Rock, Niagara Falls and Suspension Bridge, N.Y.

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AMERICAN LINE. Plymouth—Cebu—Southampton. St. Louis—Jan. 4; St. Paul—Jan. 15; Philadelphia—Jan. 17; New York—Jan. 25.

ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS. Canada—Jan. 4; London—Feb. 3; Dominion—Jan. 10; Montreal—Feb. 2.

RED STAR LINE. New York—Antwerp—Paris. Kroonland, Jan. 4; Vandalia, Jan. 15; Finland, Jan. 8; Zealand, Jan. 23.

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MAIN OFFICE, 83 YONGE STREET.

LET ALL THE PEOPLE HAVE A SAY.

That householders who have no votes on the power bylaw to-morrow, but who are as much interested in the progress of the city and in the question of cheap light and cheap power as those who have votes, is an injustice which should be remedied by Premier Whitney at the earliest opportunity.

NOT AFRAID TO MEET THE PEOPLE.

There are at least two public men in this province who believe in a free and full discussion by public meeting of great public issues. Hon. Adam Beck and W. F. Maclean, M.P., have made this a part of their political creed, and the splendid and gratifying success of Saturday night's public meeting in Massey Hall has justified their course.

VOTE FOR THE BYLAW.

To-morrow one of the most important issues ever laid before a great city must be determined. The question, put in brief, is one between the public good and private interest. That of itself ought to be decisive. If anything further is necessary to convince the electors on whose votes cheap light and power depends, it can be found in the reckless and desperate character of the opposition offered to the passing of the bylaw.

The gross inconsistencies that have marked the electric ring's struggle against public rights should be enough of themselves to satisfy the electors that a fair and square deal is to be obtained. Niagara power, the citizens were told, would be the greatest of possible boons—now they are informed that Niagara power differs little in cost from steam generated power.

WOULD HAVE DETERRED.

On the eve of a municipal election and in the midst of rumors of possible stealing of votes it is to be regretted that Judge Winchester, in an excess of leniency, refrained from passing judgment upon the election corruptionists from London, whom he found guilty some weeks ago.

KEEP UP THE FIGHT.

W. F. Maclean, M. P., Toronto:

Dear Sir,—In the face of the great and at last successful fight you have waged against the voracious G. T. R. Co., that has gobbled up the people's money for over 50 years, and demands legal aid to continue its theft, it is surprising that the country does not raise a general yell of satisfaction in having been at last, by your single and unaided arm, freed from this octopus, which, not satisfied with what it has extorted from the public, has the gall to ask legal aid to continue its nefarious and unjust exactions.

Seeing you have done your part so well, so far, we trust you will leave no stone unturned to compel them to face a situation that has been too long permitted to exist, in overriding a people who, until now, have lacked the good fortune to see one arise, able and willing to pull them out of a hole they had not the spunk or intelligence to do for themselves.

Ben Dhu, Galt P. O. 113, Dec. 28, 07.

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SOME RESULTS OF 1907.

To-day's close will ring down the curtain on a year which began with unusual hopes and ends in trouble and disappointment. Its latter months were marked by the financial storm that swept over the United States and the world of depression, it raised has reached round the civilized world.

and legislatures, both federal and state, has resulted in the appointment of public utility commissions, with unusual powers of regulation and control, and in the passing of numerous statutes limiting rates and fares. The result of the latter has shown that in well populated districts the rate of two cents a mile does not impair the earning capacity of the roads.

CONCERNING THE MAYORALTY.

Editor World: I have paid taxes in Toronto since 1889 and have never yet been able to see that the city governments are greatly concerned about the permanent interests of the city. Mayors and aldermen are elected from year to year, with the citizens generally living in a more or less peaceful state of anticipation.

In 1908 an attempt will be made to get the mayor and council, whoever they may be, to take up the question of three different propositions involving many millions of dollars. The Toronto and York Radial Railway (which means one of the hydro-heads of the electric ring) will endeavor to get control of the city streets and an entrance which it has been fighting for constantly.

Of particular interest, because of its bearing on the power situation in Toronto, is a statement from ex-Mayor Dyke's Fort William, regarding the results of operation of the municipal plant there.

COLLEGE ST. LAND OWNERS MUST PAY FOR EXTRA FOOT

University Decides to Enforce the Right to Demand Licenses Under an Old Agreement.

Arbitration proceedings were begun yesterday before Judge Winchester between the University of Toronto and the Conservatory of Music in reference to a queer position of affairs existing between the university and owners of property on College-street, between the lane west of Henry-street and Yonge-street, on the south side, and the eastern limits of the university property and Yonge-street, on the north side.

This strip of land, wide enough to erect a fence on, the university still holds, and College-street residents have to cross it in order to enter or leave their homes. The university authorities have decided to act on their rights and say that College-street property owners who wish to have the privilege of using their College-street frontage must obtain a license from the university trustees giving them the right of way in perpetuity across the strip owned by the university.

AT OSGOODE HALL

Petition to Wind Up.

Application will be made to the court on Thursday next to wind up the Cobalt Concentrators, Limited. The company was incorporated on the 25th of February, 1907, with its head office at Toronto. The authorized capital stock is \$500,000 of \$1 each.

To Cover Indebtedness.

The Imperial Bank has entered action against T. J. Travers, F. Outram and George Lorne Tomlinson, Ottawa; J. S. Hart, Toronto, and Thos. Millar of Oshawa, to recover \$20,000 from each on a guarantee to cover the indebtedness of the Dominion Radiator Co.

Witness Could Not Travel.

GEORGETOWN, Ky., Dec. 30.—At the trial of Caleb Powers for complicity in the Goshel assassination to-day, Attorney General Powers for the defence, declared that Charley Finley, who was indicted with Powers, and is now a fugitive in Canada, would have come back to Kentucky to testify at the trial, but is dying of consumption and unable to travel.

Indictments Quashed.

DENVER, Col., Dec. 30.—Judge R. E. Lewis of the federal court to-day quashed all indictments and dismissed all the defendants in coal land fraud cases, thereby releasing about fifty prominent defendants from prosecution.

Customs Increase.

The increase in revenue collected at the Toronto customs house for the year totals a little over half a million dollars.

Doctors Have Raised Fees

"Yes, sir," remarked a prominent physician, "they have, and I don't think it's right in these hard times. As a protest, I give this valuable prescription (which has cured hundreds) to all sufferers from La Grippe, Croup, Cough, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, and Lung Disease, free of charge."

It is as follows: Syrup White Pine Compound, one-half ounce. Glycerine, one ounce. To this add three ounces of boiling water, take a dose of one spoonful every 2 or 3 hours. This formula can be filled at any reliable drug store.

EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

This Store Opens at 8 a.m. and Closes at 5 p.m.

THE GOING OF ANOTHER YEAR

TIME is made up of seconds, minutes, hours, days, weeks, months and years, and in a man's life the years are mighty few in number. We can only live a second at a time. If we would improve each shining minute we haven't a second to waste, nor a moment to spare.

A store is like a man, but it may live longer. Its length of life depends upon the work its men put into it. There's no time for nonsense; no season for drifting; no time for humbug. If the business is to keep pace with the times it must improve each golden moment of its time.

Like a ship, a business must have a harbor to strive for. (This business is going to be the best in the world.) A year ago to-morrow this business set out upon another twelve months' cruise.

Behind it was the long record of good things well done, ahead lay the pathless space of opportunity. Behind was the remembrance of needed improvements, ahead the means for carrying them out. Behind was a long list of creditable business transactions with countless customers, and not one transaction that could bring discredit to its doors; ahead lay the broad possibilities of doing business a better way with those same people, and adding to that business an increase worth striving for.

Results were behind, possibilities for greater results ahead. And the business pushed on. The minutes and hours and days, weeks and months of 1907 have been used to good advantage.

We've improved the business to allow room for the great growth the possibilities promised us; we've added to the staff of co-workers until every customer in Canada could be served better; we've improved by enlarging the manufacturing part, so that greater quantities of the garments sold by the store might be made by the store and made to coincide with the store's ideas of betterment; we've improved in the purchasing until no store under the broad, blue dome buys more intelligently nor to better advantage; we've improved in all the places that previous years' experience pointed out to us.

We've gone on growing stronger, keeping step with the growing strength and sturdy progress of the confederacy to which we pinned our faith about forty years ago.

And now, the book for 1907 is almost ready for closing; we're on the last page to-day. Every page was white and unmarked a year ago to-morrow. Now our record for 1907 is written there; and not a word of it has escaped us. There are further improvements suggested, and they will be carried out. We're going on toward perfection.

Now to usher in the youngster—1908 May it be a better, brighter and more prosperous year to you.



THE T. EATON CO. LIMITED 190 YONGE STREET, TORONTO

IS BOUND BY BURGLARS AND BURNED TO DEATH

Horrible Crime in Ohio to Conceal Identity of the Perpetrators.

CLARINGTON, Ohio, Dec. 30.—Edward Hutchinson, the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad station agent here, was robbed and murdered at an early hour to-day and the station burned over his head.

The burglars bound and gagged Hutchinson and after taking his watch and money ransacked the station. Hutchinson had worked for the Baltimore & Ohio for a number of years.

WATCH NIGHT SERVICES.

A watch-night service will be held in the Church of St. George the Martyr, John-street, beginning at 11 o'clock.

The watch-night service in St. James' Cathedral will begin at 11:15 and close at 12:15 o'clock.

Rev. C. E. Manning will be the speaker at the watch-night service in Elm-street Methodist Church.

School Insurance Placed.

The board of education finance committee yesterday decided to divide \$3360, practically 75 per cent. of the University grant (\$4500), on the following basis: Critics, one unit or \$70; principals, Inspector Hughes and Dr. Embrue, 2 units, \$140; forty-eight teachers and officials are concerned.

SIX CASES OF SMALLPOX.

Batch of Children in West End Taken to Hospital.

Six more cases of smallpox were discovered by Dr. Sheard yesterday. All are patients of Lansdowne-avenue, and investigation satisfied the medical health officer that the source of infection was a child from Major-street, who had been attending the school and was recently taken ill with the disease.

The school may be kept closed after the holidays for some time.

York Loan Argument. The argument in the York Loan advanced share cases took place yesterday afternoon before Referee George Knappe. Mr. Smythe, for the claimants, cited a number of British and American cases, urging that whenever a contract became impossible of fulfillment by reason of a winding-up order, a change in the circumstances occurred, which these cases recognized, and the right arose to have the indebtedness set off against their payments on the shares whether made before or after the loan was made; and they were allowed to submit proof in the winding-up proceedings for whatever balance was shown in their favor.

Reducing the Rents. NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Leaders of the east side tenants who are agitating for a reduction of rents announced to-day that landlords of two apartment houses have accepted reductions of \$1 to \$1.50 per month; from their tenants.

Business Man's Suicide. BUFFALO, Dec. 30.—George Werner, aged 67 years, of the George Werner & Sons Carriage Depository, committed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas.

Money cannot buy better Coffee than Michie's finest blend Java and Mocha, 45c lb.

NO SUCH REQUEST. Licenseholders and Cigarmakers Deny a Nesbitt Boom.

President Hüssard, of the Toronto Licenseholders Association and President McCarthy, of the Cigarmakers' Union, both deny that any request was made by the former that the latter should support Beattie Nesbitt.

Shot by Little Son. STROUBERSBURG, Pa., Dec. 30.—Mrs. George Nonsbitt, of Stroubersburg, was accidentally shot and killed here yesterday by her eight year old son Lewis.

JOHN... Comp... Reduc... In Lag... We have... and SUIT... out before... To read t... these spec... money: LADIES... LOT 1—... Comprising... including... some patter... Formerly... Now \$15... LOT 2—... Comprising... all colors... of this sea... Formerly... Now \$5... LOT 3—... A large ran... proof coats... Formerly... Now \$7... OPERA... Fine lot... OPERA... material; an... color repre... Blues, Cha... etc.; beau... ished—... Formerly... Now \$15... LADIES... LOT 1—... Full range... splendidly... Broadcloths... etc.—... Were \$33... Now \$20... LOT 2—... A number o... in every sh... Mixtures, i... etc., etc.—... Consider... \$20 to... Now Clea... Mail Ord... JOHN... 55, 57, 59... (Oppo... She appro... asked: "Where... in oil for... "On the... walker. Th... doubtfully... want a pain... sardine line... A NEW... At William... streets: Sou... chieft... Broiled N... sauce. Roast Yo... sauce. Ragout of... Creamed Ph... Orange Shi... Tea, coffee... This choice... liams'. Have... Call up... sure sleigh... To relieve... delay at stud... holiday trips... tickets in a... city office, n... Yonge-street... Try Watson... Accident... covering all... viding for r... extended inc... ample inform... and Accident... and Richm... Life Building... CA... For N... We have... of high-cla... New Year... For... store will... TH... YONGE

FUJI MICRO SAFETY







### GLOBE SORE ON NESBITT FOR FRUSTRATING "RING"

#### Says He Was Threatened With "Stack of Stuff" if He the Power Interests Opposed.

Dr. Beattie Nesbitt at Labor Temple last night declared that the motive of the Globe's attack on him was his opposition to the schemes of the power ring.

It seemed a sympathetic meeting, and a fair sized crowd attended. Dr. Nesbitt's address was brief, as he spoke at two other places last night and was compelled to leave early. R. R. Elliott, the chairman, said as a trades unionist of 30 years' standing, he had no hesitation in supporting Dr. Nesbitt. There was no question that the doctor was the most active and aggressive of the candidates for mayor. The doctor was a believer in unionism, had always paid union wages and treated his employees fairly.

Friend of Labor. Dr. Nesbitt, who was given a good reception, opened by expressing the pleasure he felt in being permitted to address a meeting in Labor Temple. It was hardly necessary for him to say that he had always been a friend of organized labor. He believed that the union there was strength, and the principle applied to city government. They should all stand together for the better government of the city. He would not go into a discussion of the power by-law. The arguments for and against were pretty well-known by this time. He believed that the people had made up their minds to support the by-law.

This was the first opportunity he had of referring to the attack made on him by The Globe newspaper. "Get after The Globe, it hurts you," cried one in the corner of the room whence came the only unfriendly interruptions.

The doctor said he did not believe that any white, decent citizen would say that an attack such as that made by The Globe would hurt him. It was quite within his scope to reply in kind. He could say that all representative men in Canada might have made some little errors in life, but as long as he had been before the public his plan of campaign had always been to conduct his own fight and not make any reference to the other fellow's good, bad or indifferent. If he was the same kind of animal as the one who attacked him it would be up to him to reply in kind. A hint of his name—Robert H. Cameron—once referred to The Globe man as the horse-headed editor, and at the time Dr. Nesbitt had taken exception to the application on the ground that it was insulting the horse. He was perfectly willing to be attacked on any line of policy, but he drew the line on the man who left the pulpit because he was getting a higher salary as the devil's advocate of Cox and Jeffray.

Not Always. The doctor had been pleased with The Globe's advocacy of the people's rights—sometimes, but he was astounded at the way that paper had turned about the moment the capitalists pressed the button. The candidate said he was making a straight, honest fight, and he defied The Globe to say that he had ever received anything in his career that did not rightfully come to him. There had been many election trials in the past few years, and despite the fact that he had been in election affairs no one could lay his finger on anything that he had done that was not right.

The Douglas Thomas in the centre of the hall again interrupted, this time with the remark, "You're looking after yourself, doctor." The doctor admitted that he was perfectly capable of looking after himself, and he went on to give a brief history of his career, explaining why The Globe had attacked him. When he retired from the registry office and became a private citizen, he asked him about civic matters. He told them something about pure water. The power by-law had always been a matter of consideration, however. After the interview about the water certain gentlemen went to him and raised his attitude on pure water, but he had it whispered to him that The Globe had a stack of stuff stored up for him if he ran for mayor. When he decided to run for mayor the amount of information people had of what The Globe had in store for him was a surprise.

Frustrate Power Ring. Continuing, the doctor said he held a number of organization meetings, at which as many as 250 people attended, and of which there was nothing in the press; and at every meeting he explained every in and out of the power by-law. He told his supporters the power meetings would be on and asked them to be there in the interests of the by-law, because he knew that a gang would be organized by the power ring to break up the meetings. His men were there and he was then told what The Globe was going to do with him.

"Why has The Globe attacked me?" the doctor asked. "Because it knew that I had defied the will of the power ring. I don't blame The Globe. Nobody knew better than The Globe that I was the bitterest enemy of the power ring in Toronto." "If you pass the by-law," he went on, "and elect me, Toronto will receive an absolutely square deal." "What about Simpson?" enquired a friend of the socialist candidate. Simpson Stamped O. K. Simpson was all right, in the estimation of the doctor. Nobody had more respect for Simpson than himself for fighting for a principle, and he did not think Simpson would make the worst mayor Toronto had had. He had seen one on Saturday night and Simpson could give cards and spades on a square deal.

The doctor held up one of the latest printed copies of the by-law, and pressed a circular, the object of which is to show that the Whitney government has entered into a deal with American companies to coerce the city into passing the by-law. He could not see where any company except the Electrical Development Co., printing the Electric Light Co. came in, and it was unbelievable that the Whitney government would have anything to do with a heavy build, wearing a moustache, that they claim will be a convincing argument against the power by-law. Finally he appealed to the workmen to be true to themselves. He had been told that there was a great deal of public work that could be done just as well in the winter as in the summer, and he would be in favor of doing whatever could be done in winter to find employment for those needing it. He had no objection to the honest immigrant who comes out here intending to live here and build up the country, but he did object to bringing out a raft of men in the spring and after they had collected their wages shipping them back in the fall.

He wanted to make this city great, and to do that we would have to fight for everything we could get in the way of a public utility. If we had to-day in the treasury the four million dollars from the watered stock of the Street Railway would have enough to get pure water from Lake Simcoe. "What about that \$9000?" asked an auditor. The doctor related facts already known concerning the amount of the fees there was nothing to do, and he walked out of the office prepared to take his chances in the world. The doctor was cheered on leaving the hall.

CANON ATTACKS ARCHBISHOP. A Slap in the Face for Irish Priests, He Says.

MONTREAL, Dec. 30.—(Special.)—A great deal of interest has been aroused in Roman Catholic circles over a sermon preached by Canon O'Meara, parish priest of St. Gabriel, who severely criticized Mr. Bruchest's appointment of Rev. Gerald McShane to the chief pastorate of St. Patrick's.

The canon says it is a slap in the face to St. Gabriel, and that the archbishop was badly advised by a clique of men who must be called English-speaking Catholics, for they do not deserve the name of Irish.

THE POWER BY-LAW.

Editor World: The Electrical Transmission Company, which is the connecting link between the Electrical Development Company at the Falls, the Toronto Electric Light Company and the Toronto Street Railway Company, is organizing under a charter granted by the Dominion Parliament, consequently it is beyond the power of the provincial government to appoint a commission with authority to regulate the tolls imposed by it. With a charter granted by the Dominion Government they are absolutely independent of the Province of Ontario in so far as their charges are concerned. Any talk therefore of regulating rates is advanced for the sole purpose of misleading the public. The only way in which the Province of Ontario can influence their charges is thru competition or the fear of competition, and it is therefore the duty of every citizen, having the interests of the city at heart, to support the by-law which will make such competition possible should it be found to be advisable.

There is, however, another and graver danger to the City of Toronto in connection with this charter, which may not have been brought prominently before the citizens, and it is of such a serious character as to cause a feeling of alarm in the minds of those who have given the question the consideration it deserves. Under their charter and in connection with their transmission line the Electrical Company is empowered to construct and operate an electric railway from Niagara Falls to the City of Toronto and that little joker for the general advantage of Canada, which goes with a Dominion charter gives them the right to enter the City of Toronto and construct a railway along the shores of this city whether the citizens like it or not. Let the citizens consider what will be the effect of such a condition of affairs when the street railway franchise expires.

The plans of the schemers composing the electrical ring to secure monopoly of the conductivity known as electricity have been well laid and only the courage of the provincial government and the courage to oppose the attempt to place this province under the control of an electrical ring.

Vote for the by-law and place in the hands of the city the power to thwart the efforts of the ring to secure a monopoly of Niagara Falls electric power in this province. J. H. Duthie. Toronto, Dec. 30, 1907.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

W. S. Barker, broker, died at St. John's. MacLeod, engineer, died of injuries at Brantford. J. C. Dettler, merchant, died at North Bay. At Caledonia, P.E.I., the infant child of Joseph McLeod was cremated in a fire which destroyed the house. C. A. Magrath will be the next Conservative federal candidate for Lethbridge, Alta. Lydia E. Ead is dead at Port Stanley. Experts are searching for oil in Southwood township near Southwood station.

The funeral of the late John N. McLeod will take place from his late residence, 23 Galloway avenue, Parkdale, at Prospect Cemetery, on Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

BEWARE.

The public are warned to beware of a sick individual who purports to be a solicitor for The Toronto World and other publications. He solicits a subscription and takes in payment any amount that he thinks his victim will stand promising in return a valuable premium. In order to avoid suspicion, he states that the premium or newspaper will not be delivered for several days, thus giving him an opportunity of clearing out before suspicion is aroused. He is described as a middle-aged man with a heavy build, wearing a moustache.

### ELECTION NOTICES.

## Joseph Oliver, Merchant, and Independent Candidate for Mayor of Toronto, to the Electors of Toronto:

My Fellow Citizens: The campaign is practically over, and fortunately the passing of the Power By-law seems an assured fact.

In public and in private I have worked faithfully and arduously in its favor.

In the Mayor's Chair it would be my first duty to make the Power By-law immediately effective in order that the people's heritage of cheap power and cheap light may be in their full possession.

The Power By-law is as good as passed.

Who is to be entrusted with the carrying out of the people's mandate? The "Bosses" or a man unpledged to any party and unfettered by obligations to any interest whatsoever.

In my judgment Toronto stands at the parting of the ways, and the supreme question is "Shall the City of Toronto be governed by the people for the people, or is it to be given over to the 'Boss' rule, that has wrecked the credit and fair name of many a municipality?"

To all the affairs of city administration I would bring vigor of action, sincerity of purpose, and every economy consistent with progress.

Upon a platform of INDUSTRY: In the prosecution of public affairs, INTELLIGENCE: Gained from fifteen years' active service in municipal life, INTEGRITY: Demonstrated by an honorable business career of forty years, I invite your support and solicit your vote.

Wishing for Toronto and all its people a prosperous New Year, I am, yours faithfully,

Joseph Oliver

Election -- New Year's Day

CITY AND ITS MUSICIANS HONOR MR. TORRINGTON

Addresses Presented at Last Night's Rendition of the Messiah.

At Massey Hall last night a large and enthusiastically appreciative audience listened to the yuletide production of the Messiah by the Toronto Festival Chorus and Orchestra, under the leadership of the veteran conductor, Dr. F. H. Torrington. It was the second performance of this troupe of musical artists for the present season, but was particularly unique in that it was the twenty-fifth occasion on which Handel's immortal oratorio had, under the leadership of Dr. Torrington, delighted the music lovers of the City of Toronto. Bearing this in mind and having also particular regard to the fact that the oratorio has been the work of his long and energetic career, his general public ideal, representative of his colleagues in the profession as well as of the civic authorities, took advantage of the occasion, and those present on behalf of the city council was made by Mayor Coatsworth. It was a splendidly illuminated address which made most eulogistic reference to the brilliant musical record of the most honored of citizens.

"In the training of hundreds of singers and instrumentalists, some of whom have meanwhile risen to high distinction, your work has been essentially a work of civic patriotism," said the address, "and the congratulations now tendered you by the official authorities are seconded by the leaders of the several musical organizations which now flourish in Toronto. Speaking on behalf of the Musicians' Association of the city, E. W. Schuch presented the director with an address commemorative of the occasion, and accompanying it was a fine Morris chair. The address was signed by the leading musicians of the city who felt that "the years that have been signalized by your unwearied and enthusiastic efforts in the cause of music, have borne fruit and the greatest interest felt by the citizens of Toronto in our art, and in the numerous facilities now offered here for its study. The interest shown in music by our university and by those of our citizens aided by their means to give practical expression of their love of the development of the higher music and of greater choral excellence in the churches, the erect and dedication to our art of the noble building in which we are at this moment, all these, we say, bear witness to your self-denying and enthusiastic energy. The tireless tenacity with which you have developed and preserved among us

the highest form of choral music, the oratorio; and the foresight and skill and patience with which you have developed and preserved among us, from our own resources, the handmaid to the trained voices, these have caused you to rank among us as the creator and builder of an education which to-day continues nearly two thousand Canadian efforts, organized in our various choral efforts, and which has given us numerous efficient choirs whose singing is a glory to the City of Toronto and to the credit of Canada."

Last night's production of the Messiah, in many respects, one of the finest Toronto has ever had, the privilege of listening to. Never were its immortal passages heard to greater advantage or done better justice. In the first part of the oratorio which deals with the comforting promises and prophecies of the prophets that the Deliverer should come, Mr. Towns's splendid tenor, Mr. Macdonald's impressive bass and the magnificent tones of Toronto's contralto, Mrs. Carter-Merry thrilled and delighted the audience as they dealt with some of the sublime passages of Holy Writ. Special appreciation was shown the impressive chorus that speaks of the birth of the Messiah and, surely no aggregation of singers could produce in a more artistically technical manner the wonderful strains which speak of the glorification of the Virgin Mary. Mrs. Cumming was particularly well received in the rendition of the sweet pastoral symphony.

After a long delay and much urging the Grand Jurors notified City Solicitor Chisholm that the question of resuming negotiations re the viaduct has been laid before General Manager Hay. Candidates for municipal offices will do well to bear in mind the by-law which prohibits the distribution of campaign matter of any kind on election day. A maximum penalty of \$25 is provided. Joseph Thompson, civic commissioner of industries, has caused a circular to be published in Hebrew pointing out reasons why the by-law should be supported. The Ontario Municipal and Railway Board have approved the Owen Sound by-law to authorize an increase of interest on certain debentures.

Witness in Tears. To Mr. Hassard, in the course of cross-examination, the witness said that he did not want to swear to anything exactly and he broke into tears. "I don't want to give evidence against him at all," he said.

Dr. W. L. Haggie of Brampton, who assisted in the post-mortem, said death was due to shock and hemorrhage. The general line of the wound was upward.

Detective Greer examined the hole in the ceiling at the Curry house. There was a gun shot hole in the ceiling of the room, some shot in the sheeting of the roof.

QUAKE FELT IN TORONTO. Instrument at Observatory Reports Shock 3500 Miles Away. The local observatory instrument recorded an earthquake, apparently 3500 miles from Toronto, beginning at twenty minutes to one o'clock yesterday morning. It lasted two hours and minutes, with the maximum intensity between 1.45 and 1.53. The maximum swing was 14 millimetres.

BIG QUAKE SOMEWHERE. WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—A very heavy earthquake lasting an hour was recorded on the instruments at the Coast and Geodetic Survey Observatory at Cheltenham, Md., this morning.

In the Solitude of Night. Those of us who have had the experience of being on the prairie at night and realized the loneliness that comes down upon one at times will fully appreciate the comfort that a pipe is just then.

Through the courtesy of the Toronto Lithographing Company, we have been privileged to see a picture which the American Tobacco Company of Montreal has just issued. It is evidently the work of one who has been on his broncho out on the prairie, a young moon has just dipped below the distant hills, its reflected rays still lend a tinge of light to the few clouds. The light of the match on the cowboy's face, as he "lights up," shows a countenance beaming with satisfaction. The spectator is left to his own imagination to decide the cause of the evident pleasure. It certainly ranks among the very best bits of advertising which have appeared this season.

Marvone T. Foster, managing director of the Canadian Pottery and Glass Gazette, Toronto, was one of the chief speakers at the annual banquet of the Pottery, Glass and Brass Salesmen's Association held at the Hotel Astor on Saturday night last.

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