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30TH YEAR.

## ASKS DR. PYNE TO LOOK INTO SCHOOLS

Protestant Slate's Charges of Sectarian Influence Should Be Probed by Government Says Dr. John Hunter Formerly Member of the Board of Education.

Have not the electors of the city the right to ask that you make an important investigation into the working of our public school system, so as to allow once for all, a "slating" as to the character of the religious instruction?

The foregoing is contained in an open letter sent by Dr. John Hunter, a candidate for the board of education to Hon. Dr. R. A. Pyne, minister of education.

The writer devotes a good deal of attention to the "Protestant slate," quoting part of their platform as follows: "We desire to maintain and guard the public school as the most potent influence for the binding into our loyal English-speaking people, the children of any nationality, language creed and color."

The "slate" candidates are: James W. Jackson and W. V. Hiltz, first ward; Dr. John Noble, second ward; L. S. Levee, Wm. Smith, fourth ward; Dr. Alex Mackay, W. D. McTaggart, fifth ward; W. W. Hodson, Dr. E. J. Conboy, sixth ward; R. G. Agnew, Wm J. Irwin, seventh ward.

REDUCE UPPER BERTHS Rate of \$1.60 a Night Throughout the Dominion.

MONTREAL, Dec. 27.—The Pullman Company to-day definitely announced its decision to make the reduction of 20 per cent. in the price of upper berth apply to its cars in Canada as well as in the United States.

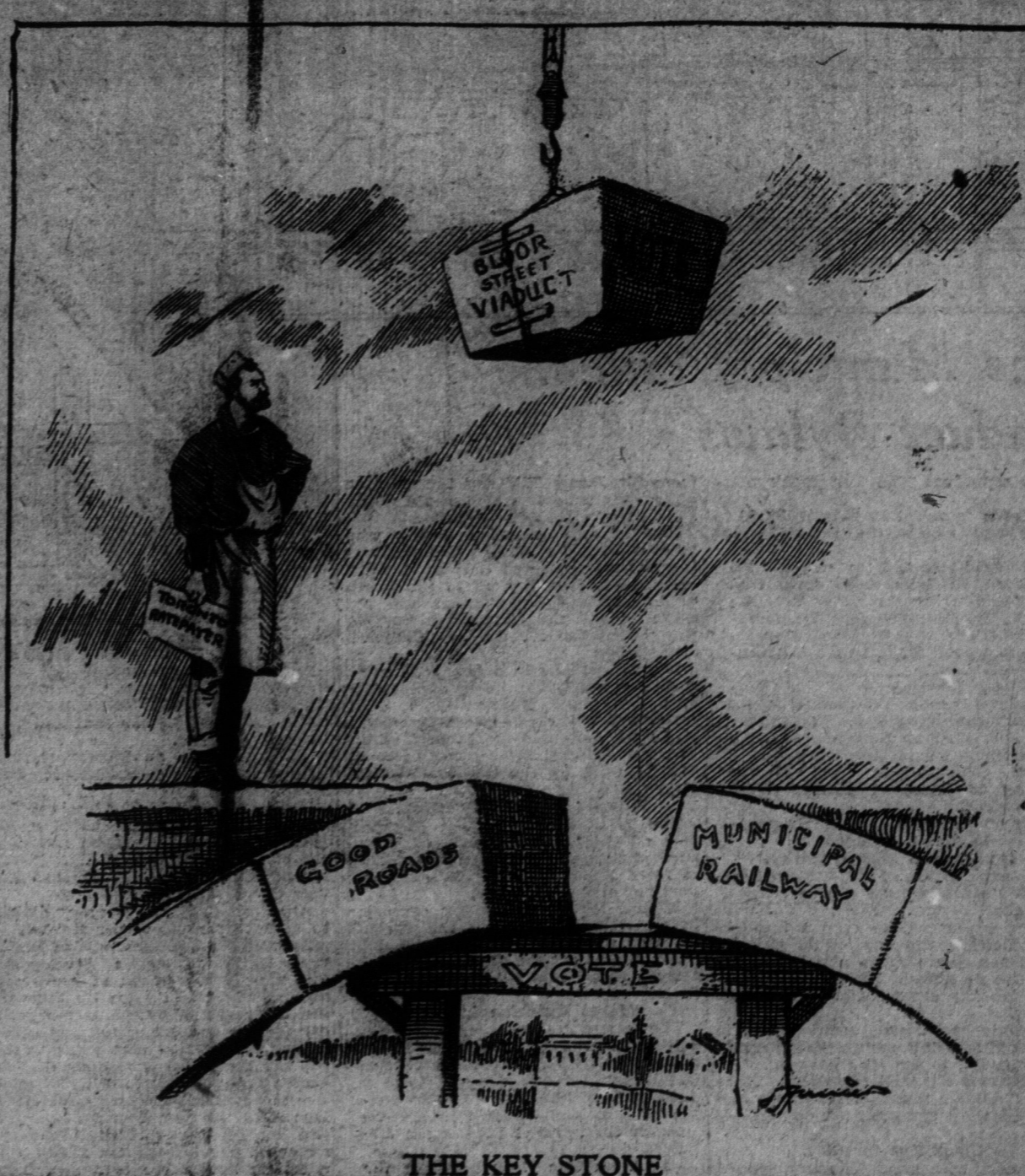
TIDE OF IMMIGRATION STRONG IN COMING YEAR Canadian Northern Official Says Start Will Be Unusually Early.

"It looks as if the coming season would be one of the greatest on record for emigration from Great Britain to Canada," said T. Howell of the Canadian Northern Immigration Department to The World yesterday.

A Roundabout Route. UTICA, N. Y., Dec. 27.—Seven Chinamen, who came into this country from Canada in a box car, and were discovered here, because hunger made them reveal themselves, were to-day started to New York. To-morrow they sail for New Orleans, and will go thence to San Francisco for deportation.

THE GUILD AND THE VIADUCT. The Star of last night revamps the plans of the Civic Guild as a substitute for the three straight viaducts as in the bylaw.

THE NEW YEAR. It's mighty near another mile-post in your history. There's a cold winter ahead of you, also, and one in which fur garments will be comfortable.



THE KEY STONE

LOCKED IN VIADUCT WHILE MOB HOWLED FOR HIS LIFE Negro Prisoner Between Two Fires, Suffocation or Lynching.

WESTON, W. Va., Dec. 27.—William Furby, a negro, for hours to-night was between two fires, death at the hands of a mob or suffocation in the iron vault of the express office at the local railroad station.

WAR OFFICE ALARMED Fear Widespread Anti-British Campaign in Persia.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Reports received to-day from Southern Persia and from Dibal, Arabia, have alarmed the War Office.

MOUNT AETNA ACTIVE Villagers in Vicinity Fearful of Being Overwhelmed.

CATANIA, Sicily, Dec. 27.—Mount Aetna is showing considerable activity. There have been no earth tremors, but red hot material has been erupted.

SANDUSKY, Ohio, Dec. 27.—Clothed in rags, and living in wretched hovels, destitute of food and fuel, between forty and fifty families, including nearly 200 young children, are reported to be in danger of actual death from starvation in the stone quarry districts near here.

## Portfolio For Hugh Guthrie?

Cabinet Shuffle Cannot Be Delayed Longer Than the Close of the Present Session.

GUELPH, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—It is rumored that a quiet canvass is being made thru South Wellington to ascertain Hugh Guthrie's prospects of re-election in the event of his being called to a cabinet position.

"WHITE WAY" NO LONGER However, Bright Lights Will Soon Shine Again on King-Street.

King-street was gloomy last night—that is in so far as the "Great White Way" is concerned. The brilliant bulb clusters that have been so much commented upon as the first installation of the hydro-electric system in Toronto were turned off.

747 INDICTMENTS Seventy More Pleaded Guilty in Vote Buying Cases.

WEST UNION, Ohio, Dec. 27.—Indictments are being returned by the grand jury in the grand jury investigations into vote buying in Adams County, and with the exception of a still larger finding to-morrow, Judge Blair to-night said the indictments probably will exceed in number his estimate of 1000.

STILL SEARCHING Mysterious Message About the Missing Aviator Grace.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Unwilling to reject even the strangest suggestions, searchers for Cecil Grace, the aviator who disappeared on Saturday while attempting a return cross-Channel flight from France, the authorities are now in a state of suspense.

THREADED PERILOUS PASSAGE THRU TREES Aviator Moisant's Daring Skill Saves Him From Death or Severe Injury.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 27.—Spirally gliding from an altitude of almost 9000 feet with a frozen carburetor and dead engine, after having been blown from his course by a forty-mile an hour wind, John B. Moisant, international aviator, swept within twenty feet of a stump of a tree.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT BACK. LONDON, Dec. 27.—The Duke of Connaught, who opened the first parliament of the Union of South Africa on behalf of King George, returned at Southport to-night from his South African tour.

NOT HIS BROTHER. DETROIT, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—The brother of Dolphus Drouillard, the Sandwich farmer, who was thought to be the victim of the "dog cabin murder mystery," came to Detroit to-day and was unable to identify the murdered man as his brother.

AN ANARCHIST ARSENAL Found by Police in Search for Hounded Burglars. LONDON, Dec. 28.—According to the Daily Telegraph, the search by the police for the Hounded burglars, who shot several policemen to death a few nights ago, has led to the discovery of a complete anarchist arsenal in the house in Gold-street, Stepney, formerly occupied by the dead burglar.

## UNITED EMPIRE BANK MERGED WITH UNION

Combined Assets \$50,000,000 Institution Founded 4 Years Ago, Having \$550,000.00 Paid-Up Capital, Finds Competition With Older Banks Unprofitable—Shareholders Are Fully Protected—United Empire's Position.

An authorized statement in another column announces that the United Empire Bank of Toronto has been merged with the Union Bank of Quebec. The little bank was the smallest in the list save the new Bank of Vancouver—had less than four millions of assets; the Union has over forty-seven millions. Combined the assets will be fifty millions, with 24 branches. This will make the Union sixth, measuring by amount of assets.

Many Changes in Banks. A gentleman identified with the United Empire said that since it started in 1906, no fewer than four banks had gone out of business, and in recent years the Northern and the Crown had merged, the Royal had absorbed the Union Bank of Halifax, the Bank of Commerce had taken over the Bank of British Columbia, and now this one.

UNITED EMPIRE BANK. STATEMENT ON Nov. 30, 1910: CAPITAL authorized \$5,000,000 CAPITAL subscribed \$5,390,000 CAPITAL paid up \$5,500,000 RESERVE \$58,223 Nil.

Table with columns for ASSETS and LIABILITIES, listing various bank assets like Dominion Notes, Deposits on Demand, and liabilities like Notes in Circulation and Due Provincial Governments.

The Union Bank was founded 1865, has four millions of capital, all paid up, a reserve of \$2,400,000, and deposits of over \$36,000,000. It has many branches in the west, where it was a pioneer bank. The president is Hon. John Sharples of Quebec, and the general manager, G. H. Balfour.

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PURSE FOR THE MAYOR. FORT WILLIAM, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—By unanimous vote of the city council this evening Mayor Pettier was voted the sum of \$1500 for his able services and as an appreciation of his efforts on behalf of the city and the time he has spent in civic affairs.

## All Endorse Good Roads

Six important bodies have endorsed the principle of the good highway. The Ontario Government, county council of York, city council, board of trade, Retail Merchants' Association, Toronto branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. Such an endorsement has the authority of conviction behind it.

## TOO ZEALOUS OFFICERS WERE GIVEN TRANSFERS

Evidence of Landing Waiters in Chinese and Smuggling Investigation. VANCOUVER, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—Several witnesses to-day stated before the government Chinese investigation commission that landing waiters who were too strict in dealing with Chinese and smuggling, were sooner or later transferred from the C. P. R. wharves, and given inferior positions at other wharves.

## WARD SEVEN FAVORS VIADUCT

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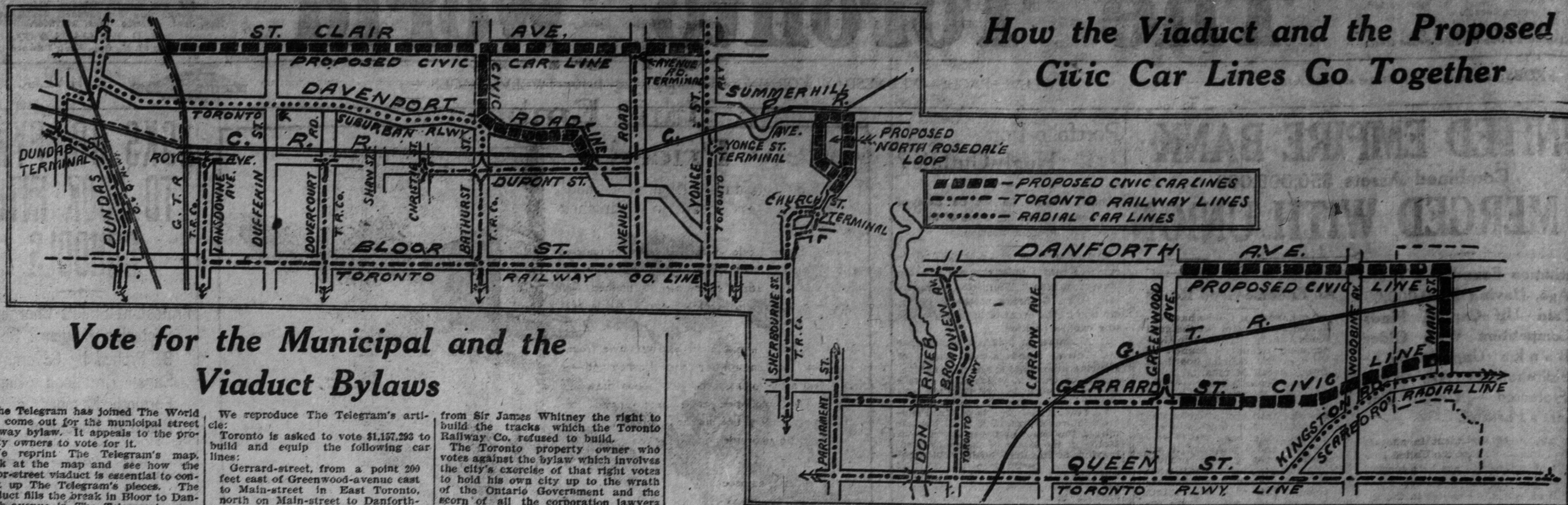
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## Vote for the Municipal and the Viaduct Bylaws

The Telegram has joined The World and comes out for the municipal street railway bylaw. It appeals to the property owners to vote for it.

We reprint The Telegram's map. Look at the map and see how the Bloor-street viaduct is essential to connect up the Telegram's pieces. The viaduct fills the break in Bloor to Danforth-avenue in The Telegram's map. First of all Danforth-avenue—the roadway only—from Broadview to Greenwood-avenue, is in that it is not. But the city can run a new street 200 feet north of Danforth and put a street car track on it up to Broadview where it can go under the viaduct (lower deck) as an underground road, and the city retains all underground rights, and from some point on this side of the east or west viaduct the line can be taken by tunnel or overhead railway (and the bylaw has this upper right also) to the "Rosedale loop" section set out in The Telegram's map. From this second section the city can run a line north to St. Clair-avenue east and along St. Clair to the west St. Clair section, as set out in The Telegram.

But these two little bits of overhead or tunnel work will make a gold crown line. But the viaduct is essential to it.

And this is why The World has been urging this for days.

Where is The Star?

Where is The News?

The Mail declared for it yesterday.

We reproduce The Telegram's article.

Toronto is asked to vote \$1,157,292 to build and equip the following car lines:

**Gerrard-street**, from a point 200 feet east of Greenwood-avenue east to Main-street in East Toronto, north on Main-street to Danforth-avenue, and west on Danforth-avenue to a point 200 feet east of Greenwood-avenue.

**North Rosedale**—Along Glen-road to Summerhill-avenue, along Summerhill-avenue to Macleannan-avenue, south on Macleannan-avenue to Pelham-avenue to Glen-road.

**St. Clair-avenue**, from Yonge-street to limits of former West Toronto.

**Davenport-road**, from Dupont-street to Albany-avenue.

**Investment Not Liability.** The expenditure of \$1,157,292 will create and equip five miles of single track.

If the Toronto Railway Co. was willing to extend its system into the new districts the city would have to do eleven years from now what the city can do now—if the property owners pass the street railway extension bylaw.

Toronto has already spent \$671,000 in building foundations for the Toronto Railway Co. to build.

Toronto is now asked to spend \$1,157,292 in building foundations, tracks and cars for the city to put her own people on.

**Black Eye for City.** Toronto, with great difficulty, gained

from Sir James Whitney the right to build the tracks which the Toronto Railway Co. refused to build.

The Toronto property owner who votes against the bylaw which involves the city's exercise of that right votes to let his own city up to the wraith of the Ontario Government and the scorn of all the corporation lawyers who hunt the lobbies of Ontario's Legislature.

Toronto will be in a fine position to complain about not being able to induce the Toronto Railway Co. to build extensions if her own property owners go to her polls and refuse to pass the bylaw which means that the extensions will be built by the city and for the city.

**Bylaw is a Test Question.** The bylaw authorizing the expenditure of \$1,157,292 on street car extensions must be recognized in its tendency to force a test question upon the property owners of this city.

A vote against the street railway extension bylaw is a vote against the Toronto Railway Co.

**Biggest Question in Sight.** The street railway extension bylaw signifies more than its surface meaning that \$1,157,292 shall be spent in building and equipping:

1. A car line from Greenwood-avenue to Main-street, East Toronto, for the relief of the eastern district.

2. A car line loop north of the

second Glen-road bridge for the relief of North Rosedale.

A car line on St. Clair-avenue from West Toronto to Yonge-street for the relief of the northern annexed districts.

A car line on Davenport-road for the relief of Eastcourt and Wycliff.

The districts which these car lines will serve will be the homes of at least 150,000 people in years from now when the city sees the last of that ill-starred agreement with the Toronto Railway Co.

Are these people in the new districts to be left destitute of car service?

Are the present terminals of the Toronto Railway system to develop more and more into centres of population around which will grow up thousands and thousands of people, clamoring for car service and ready for any sort of renewed agreement that will give them the car service that means life and health and comfort to their districts?

The removal of just a couple of dozen from the new districts is a great and beneficent work. The proposal to remove these districts raises a big question, but there is a still bigger

question bound up in the success or failure of the street railway extension bylaw.

**A Debt of Honor.** Toronto owes it as a debt of honor to provide car service for the people in the annexed districts. Toronto owes it as a debt to the enlightened self-interest of a progressive city to begin the working out of a deliverance from the Toronto Railway Co.

The investment of \$1,157,292 in the creation and equipment of 15 miles of single track line will represent a somewhat greater amount than the city would have to put into foundations for the extensions, if these extensions were being built by the Toronto Railway Co.

**No T. R. Co. Extensions.** The Toronto Railway Co. cannot be compelled to lay tracks outside the zone of its original agreement. If the Toronto Railway Co. were willing to build these extensions the city would be foolish to let the company lay one foot of track that the city can build on its own behalf. The construction of those street railway extensions will provide the city with a basis for securing running powers over the Toronto Railway Co. lines, or compelling the Toronto

Railway Co. to exercise a running power over the city's lines.

The city can equip its own lines with Edison storage battery cars, thus doing away with the overhead trolley with its expensive copper fixtures and the binding of the rails. These economies make a saving of from 20 to 30 per cent in the putting in of the system.

The storage batteries of the modern electric car are charged at night when the electricity would otherwise be running to waste. Thus the power for storage battery cars costs 50 per cent less than the power supplied to cars that must be moved when the sources of electrical energy are heavily taxed for street and house lighting and industrial purposes.

**Big Chance for Toronto.** Whether Toronto is to serve the new districts by storage battery cars or trolley cars is a technical detail. Such details can be left to specialists. Every property owner is his own specialist. When he comes to consider what he should do to meet the same that the Toronto Railway Co. is putting up against his city.

A thousand public meetings in the

Mayor Hall would not do as much to bring the Toronto Railway Co. to its senses as the construction and equipment of 15 miles of single track street railway inside the limits of Toronto, on New Year's Day the property owners will have a chance to do something else than "wear at large" against the Toronto Railway Co. That corporation is determined to cripple the growth of this city and butcher the comfort of its citizens. A vote for the street railway extension bylaw will show that the property owners are at least aroused to a sense of what they owe their own city.

A vote for the street railway extension bylaw will mean that the property owners realize that the proposed expenditure of \$1,157,292 represents an investment, not a liability; that the property owners are determined to promote the growth of Greater Toronto and protect the rights and comforts of the citizens against the street railway interests that represent the defeat of the \$1,157,292 bylaw.

So much for The Telegram, which is on the line of The World's argument for weeks back. Anyone can see now why the viaduct bylaw goes with the municipal street railway.

### HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

LAST MEETING OF COUNCIL

Grant to Firemen's Benefit Fund Left for New Council.

HAMILTON, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—The last meeting of the city council of 1910 was held to-night. Alderman Clark's efforts to have a grant of \$200 made to the firemen's benefit fund did not succeed, as City Solicitor Waddell advised that it is left over until next year, as the bylaw authorizing the fund had not been drawn up yet, and in view of the fact that next year's council would not be bound by it.

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Prof. McLennan Gives Striking Demonstrations at Opening Canadian Institute Lecture.

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EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

New Year's Greeting Cards and Picture Post Cards on Third Floor.

Good Hosiery Values Women's Plain and Ribbed Black Cashmere Hose, made from good English spun yarns, double sole, heel and toe; sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Thursday .25

French Hand-Made and Hand-Embroidered Whitewear Moderately Priced

A few price examples from our large showing of this dainty lingerie at moderate prices. All are of extra fine quality material and are beautifully finished throughout.



Save on Handkerchiefs

Men and women who need handkerchiefs can count themselves lucky in being able to share in this special. It's a clearance of balance stocks.

Frames FOR YOUR CHRISTMAS Photos

Delightful frames, specially appropriate for cabinet use, made from half-inch dark wood, colored l or square openings; size 7 by 9 y, each .15

Desirable Gloves Men's High-Class Silk and Wool-lined Capelin Gloves, extra fine skins, with one dome fastener, pique sewn or outside seams, spear-pointed backs, Bolton thumb and gusset fingers, all sizes. Pair .150

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S Umbrellas With fine silk-mixed covers, steel rod and paragon frame, large assortment of new and up-to-date handles.

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MINISTER OF LABOR ON WORK OF THE YEAR

Hopes a Way Will Be Found to Conciliate Farmers Without Prejudice to Others. BERLIN, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—The minister of labor gave a Christmas dinner at the Walper House here today to the members of the executive of the reform association of North Waterloo, and made it an occasion to present a review of the work of the government since the similar event held here a year ago.

HONORED EVANGELIST HUNTER

Friends Present Him With \$2500 Cheque and Annuity. On Christmas morning Mr. W. J. Gage and Revs. S. Cleaver and H.T. Crossley surprised the Rev. J. E. Hunter, at his home at 512 Palmerston-avenue, Toronto, when they, on behalf of some 200 of his friends in different parts of the country, as a tangible expression of sympathy and appreciation, presented this widely-known and much beloved evangelist with a letter containing a cheque for \$2500, and with which is attached to it a second \$2500, namely a life-long annuity of \$150. This amount will be considerably increased, as additional contributions from friends are still being received by the treasurer, Rev. Dr. Cleaver.

DEATH OF D. B. JONES

Was One of the Founders of Brockville General Hospital. BROCKVILLE, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—A death worthy citizen today in the loss of D. B. Jones, one of the founders of the Brockville General Hospital. The shock following an operation for appendicitis brought on the end quite unexpectedly. Mr. Jones was a native of Brockville, and for over 20 years prior to the return of the Whitney government, was the local division clerk. He was also prominently connected with the Brockville Loan and Savings Co. as managing director, Mrs. Jones and three sons survive.

BUSINESS MEN FAVOR BUILDING OF VIADUCT

W. A. Lee, Resident of West End, Strongly Champions Bylaw—J. F. Brown's Views. "Of all the methods that have been advanced to implement the growth of the city and make for what is known as Greater Toronto, none is better calculated to produce definite and immediate results than the construction of the Bloor-street viaduct."

WILL GO TO PRIVY COUNCIL

Winnipeg Railway Company May Appeal Directly. WINNIPEG, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—The Manitoba Court of Appeals this morning allowed the application of the Winnipeg Electric Street Railway Co. for leave to appeal directly to the privy council against the judgment of the Manitoba Court of Appeals, decision that the company cannot erect or maintain electric light or power poles, other than necessary for their car service, without the permission of the city.

"BLACK HAND" BOMB

Blew Away Staircase of Tenement and Frightened Inmates. NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—More than one hundred persons living in the six-story tenement at 502 East Fourth-street were thrown into panic early today when Black Handers exploded a dynamite bomb, blowing away the staircase and preventing escape. The timely arrival of firemen and policemen, who took the thirty-four persons out of windows and off fire escapes, probably prevented several of them from plunging to the street in their fright.

FEAR DEPOSITORS MAY SHOULDER HEAVY LOSS

Colonel Munro Thinks Estimate of 25c on Dollar "Below the Mark," However. A rumor is current that the assets of the Farmers Bank will not be sufficient to meet the liabilities of the defunct institution, and in all probability it will be necessary to call upon the shareholders for the double liability.

IN FAVOR OF STRIKE

Italian Railwaymen May Tie Up Transportation of Country. ROME, Dec. 27.—More than 90,000 railway employes in Italy have just completed the taking of a referendum to determine what attitude they should assume in order to bring about an amelioration of their condition. The men declare by a large majority in favor of the instruments of strike and "sabotage."

DECLARED A LOCKOUT

WINNIPEG, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—This afternoon the Manitoba Clothing Co. paid off and locked out its employes and threw out the union label, as the result of employes refusing to make suits for the street railway company's present employes.

DIED AT VICTORIA

BRANTFORD, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—Word was received in the city today of the death of George D. Henwood at Victoria, B.C., brother of Dr. A. J. and E. D. Henwood of this city. The deceased had been identified with the excise department for 28 years at Brantford, Walkerville and Victoria.

WILLING TO RETRACT

Freiburg Professor Makes His Submission to the Rope. ROME, Dec. 27.—Fritz Maximilian of Saxony, who is professor of canon law at the Swiss University of Freiburg, had interviews today with the Pope and the papal secretary of state, to whom he made full explanations for an article on the union of the Roman and Oriental churches, which he wrote some time ago for an ecclesiastical periodical. He made submission to the Holy See, and declared he was ready to retract the article to which objection had been made.

A SMALL REVOLUTION

TSING TSU, China, Dec. 27.—The German cruiser Emden sailed today for Fozzanes, Caroline Islands, where an insurrection has occurred.

BUILDING OWNED BY BALFOUR

Over Quarter Million Damage in Winnipeg Fire. WINNIPEG, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—The building occupied by R. J. Whittier and the Donald Fraser Co., of Montreal, which was burned last night, is owned by Right Hon. A. J. Balfour. Damage to the stock of R. J. Whittier is \$100,000; insured for \$85,000; total loss to R. J. Whittier is \$15,000. Loss to building, \$40,000; loss to McAllister & Westcott, fully insured; loss to the Donald Fraser Company, \$250,000, fully insured; loss to Exchange Garage, \$10,000, fully insured.

RAILWAY DELAYED

WINNIPEG, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—Some time ago the city presented notice to the G. N. Railway Co. threatening to consider all negotiations at an end unless the railway took immediate steps towards construction. To-day reply was received from the railway's representative, intimating that the Midland Railway would not be proceeded with before spring. The prospect is that it will be delayed another year.

SPENT \$287,000 ON PARKS

Parks Commissioner's Report Shows Maintenance Cost Nearly \$146,000. Parks Superintendent James Wilson's annual report, issued yesterday, shows a total expenditure of \$286,954.90 on parks and exhibitions for the year. Maintenance cost \$145,764.69, and permanent improvements \$134,743.37, making a general total of \$190,513.07. To this there is added \$106,441.73 as a special account to cover the cost of the new palm house in Allan Gardens, the poultry building, greenhouses, women's rest and new band stand in Exhibition Park.

BOILING TAR THE CAUSE

Goderich Skating Rink Damaged by Fire. GODERICH, Dec. 27.—At 6 o'clock tonight the Goderich Skating Rink was damaged by fire to the extent of about \$1000, which is partially covered by insurance. The fire was caused by a pot of tar boiling over and catching fire. The tar was being used to cover the roller skating floor before flooding for ice. The fire is very regrettable, as the first hockey match is scheduled next week. However, it is hoped that the building may be temporarily repaired in time. It is suggested that the rink may be enlarged when rebuilt.

WE TREAT YOU 30 DAYS FREE



Blood Poison can never be cured with mercury or potash. You might as well know this first as last. Medical authorities agree that the most effective drug can do is to drive the blood poison back into the system and scotch it there. The result is that you feel better, your nerves collapse, your feet all out, your head aches, your brain weakens. The Obbae Treatment is a marvel, producing remarkable changes in self-poisoned victims living, no matter how bad a case.

CANADA FIRST CHOICE

LONDON, Dec. 27.—(C.A.P. Cable). The North Queensland Herald says that the public expenditure on the cheap cost of passage Australia cannot acquire its much-needed additional population at a reasonable rate until Canada is "full up," judging by the steady flow of population into the "tidy full up" United States. That will certainly not occur before the yellow man is knocking at the Australian gate and peremptorily demanding admittance to its unoccupied territory with arguments which no military force possible for so numerically feeble a people as the Commonwealth will be able to answer.

WIFE MURDERER AT SIXTY

PITTSBURG, Dec. 27.—In the presence of his mother, 100 years old James Mitchell, aged 60, a Pittsburg and Lake Erie Railroad engineer, today shot and fatally wounded his wife and fired two bullets into his head, from a heavy revolver.

Advertisement for DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS, featuring a circular logo with the text 'DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS' and 'CURES ALL KIDNEY DISEASES'.

Advertisement for THE OBBAE CO., featuring a circular logo with the text 'THE OBBAE CO.' and '127 - Obbae Bldg., Chicago, Illinois.'

Large advertisement for CARLING'S SPECIAL SELECT ALE, featuring an illustration of a hand holding a glass of beer and a bottle of Carling's Ale.











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WEDNESDAY MORNING, DEC. 28, '10.

HELP CITY DEVELOPMENT.

The one indisputable advantage of the Bloor-Danforth project for dwellers east of the Don is that they would thereby have direct communication with North Toronto. This is the one admission of the Toronto Civic Guild's committee reporting on the Bloor-street viaduct in a document inspired by the fierce opposition of The Globe and The Star. An alternative plan is proposed which has never been seriously urged by those who now bring it forward, except as a possible means of delaying the construction of the viaduct, which almost every alderman and controller in the council has asked for. If those who are so fiercely opposed to the idea of opening up the east end had shown any strong desire to build the alternative viaduct mentioned, the people would have more confidence in their good faith. But it is only an expedient to delay matters, and tie up East Toronto to the Kingston-road.

Had the Civic Guild had any idea but opposition, the report would have been brought forward months ago, and not in the week before polling. If the Civic Guild, The Globe and The Star can defeat the Bloor-street viaduct bylaw on Monday, the people across the Don must not expect their help in carrying out any such alternative plan as the Civic Guild committee now drags out red-herring fashion.

Vote for the viaduct, and help to develop the city. THE GLOBE AND THE VIADUCT. Still after the viaduct is The Globe. Still after it because of W. F. Maclean, Maclean, the tax-dodger. Most of all the man of "supreme egotism." Who dragged the egotist into the field? The Globe. Then, when he offers a word for himself, he is dubbed egotist. Thank God, there are some egotists left in public life, most of all in journalism. This would be a sorry world to-day in Toronto, in Canada, if there were not some egotists left. The man who can cover up his personality these days can stand for much.

The Globe's new hubbub is Toronto's "menacing debt." It is made to look so bad that if you believe The Globe you ought to vote against every bylaw. Things are simply awful! But The Globe says vote for everything but the viaduct. And yet the viaduct is the only one of the improvements that will pay its own way from the start and make the city richer and greater.

Is The Globe trying to kill the municipal railway scheme by raising the "debt menace" against the viaduct? CONTROLLER FOSTER'S CLAIM. Controller Foster has more good moves to his credit this year than any one else on the city council. The popularity of many men depends on their support of popular issues. It would be impossible to say how many have attained eminence by working for the hydro-electric policy for the people, or by taking it out of the hide of obnoxious corporations.

Controller Foster has not been content merely to follow the lead of another, but is a man of great personal independence, and much originality in his point of view. The question with him is not whether a policy is popular, but whether it is right and necessary. Men of this stamp are to be encouraged, for even should they ever be honestly mistaken, it is rarely on matters of moment. On major issues they have the good sense and judgment to see what is proper.

Controller Foster cannot be held responsible for even minor errors, as his record proves him to be a most sagacious and disinterested legislator for the people. He has been forward during the whole year, for example, in urging the extension of the waterworks intake. Had his advice been followed in this matter the difficulty would have been settled long ago. Controller Foster has been steady and consistent here in his advocacy of a sensible policy independent of vote-catching expedients. Such a stable and solid element on the board cannot be dropped without grave danger to the best interests of the city, and those who recognize the value of such a conserving force will insure his return on Monday.

NORTH TORONTO ANNEXATION. On Jan. 2 next the people of North Toronto will be called upon to vote on the question of annexation to the city. This matter has been before the people of the northern suburb for upwards of three years, and the ratepayers should now be well prepared to express themselves decidedly as to whether they want to become an integral part of a greater Toronto, or to remain as they are, a separate municipality.

The town is feeling the strain of population which demands modern conveniences, and has been making an attempt to supply these by local efforts. Annexation carries with it what the people of North Toronto want, and it would be far better were annexation carried and the whole question settled in this way.

It cannot be claimed that the town is in a position to provide itself with sewers, a larger water-supply, better and cheaper transportation, more thru streets, and lower telephone charges with anything like the completeness or so satisfactorily as could be done by the city. The financial strength of North Toronto is not enough to carry out what the progressives in the municipality require, and if the improvements now being advocated in the town must be had, there is only one way to deal with the matter, and that is for the town to ally itself with the city.

Those who are opposed to annexation, and we are satisfied that they are in a considerable minority, should consider what has been done in other sections of the city since they were taken in. The people of North Toronto ought to look at Deer Park, and see the impetus which has been given to this excellent residential suburb since it became part of Toronto.

North Toronto is an advantageously situated for residential purposes as is Deer Park, and with the undoubted railroad movements, which are taking place in the northern end of the city, the population should increase at a rapid rate and will demand city conveniences.

Any objection based on the possibility of a higher tax rate is fairly met by the explanation that if the property in the town increases in value, as it undoubtedly will do, a higher assessment would be justified, but it is not likely that this could take place until the city has completed such public works as would warrant an increase in prices of property in the town.

Both on this and the other side of the Atlantic there is a movement on now to extend the areas of all cities which give evidence of becoming large centres of population. Far-seeing public men know that unless due provision is made for the extension of a city, extra cost is entailed later on, when the inevitable expansion takes place. The action now being taken by the City of Boston to bring about the federation of forty smaller municipalities with the city is an evidence of what is being done in this way, and Toronto is not likely to be behind in providing for its future. This means that North Toronto should be included in the city area as quickly as possible.

MR. ASQUITH'S ENDORSATION. When it became evident that Mr. Asquith's government would again be sustained by a majority equal to that it received in January last, the opposition made the remarkable discovery that the electoral verdict was in effect a government defeat. The argument ran that unless the straight Liberals had a clear majority over the Unionists, without counting the Labor members and the Irish Nationalists, the result would be a vote of no confidence. This was a convenient theory for the peer party—but unfortunately its fulfilment is too apparent. Besides it was utterly contradicted by the observations made by Unionist newspapers and by Mr. Balfour himself during and after the general elections of 1909, when the utmost satisfaction was expressed over the fact that the people had renewed their confidence in Lord Salisbury's government. The Daily Telegraph enthusiastically remarked that "the Unionists in maintaining the great majority (124) with which they dissolved in impregnable solidity, unbroken and unscarred, have received such a magnificent mark of confidence as was never given previously by a nation to a party." Mr. Asquith, too, has maintained his majority of 126, and is fully entitled to claim that his policy has also received emphatic endorsement.

EFFICIENT PUBLIC MANAGEMENT. Clear evidence of the efficiency displayed by British municipalities in the management of their public services is afforded by the Return of Gas Undertakings just issued by the board of trade department of the British Government. It includes in all 794 undertakings, of which 293 are municipal and 501 belonging either to companies or private individuals. The figures given show that the ratio of operating cost is 1.32 per cent. higher in the case of companies, while the average charge is seven cents per cubic feet lower in the case of local authorities. If these had charged consumers as much as companies do they would have added nearly \$5,000,000 to the revenue. Notwithstanding, the average returns on capital invested earned by the local authorities was 8 1/2 per cent., or 2 1/2 per cent. more than was earned by companies. The net profit of the publicly operated undertakings was, roundly, \$13,000,000 for the year to March 31 last, and the following are some of the larger contributions made for relief of rates: Birmingham, \$200,000; Manchester,

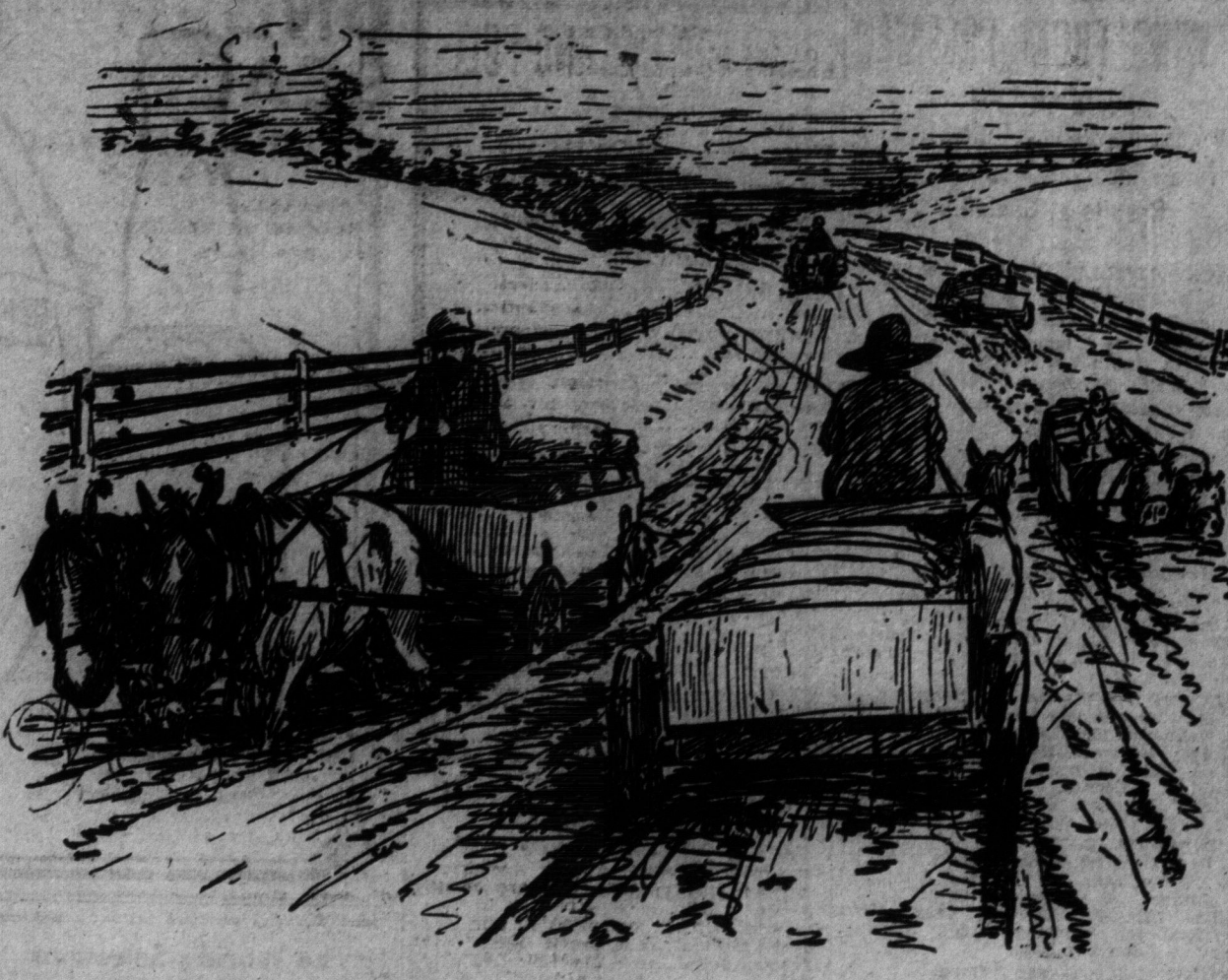
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THE SALVATION ARMY associated with their Christmas relief, are giving a dinner to poor children in fourteen different centres of the city on Friday, Dec. 30, at 5 p.m. Over 2000 children will be thus assisted. Contributions in cash or goods to be sent to 20 Albert-street, city. For a Comfortable Trip to Montreal. Secure a berth in a Pullman sleeper on a Grand Trunk train. The smooth track route, tickets, berth reservations, together with the only double-track line, makes this the desirable route. Four Grand Trunk trains leave Toronto daily, the 9 a.m. and 10:30 p.m. being particularly attractive, the former carrying dining car and parlor-library car to Montreal, also Pullman sleeper through to Boston, while the latter has six or more Pullman sleepers to Montreal daily (which may be occupied at 9 p.m.), and a through Ottawa sleeper. Remember the Grand Trunk is the only double-track route. Tickets, berth reservations and full particulars may be obtained at Grand Trunk ticket office, northwest corner King and Yonge-streets. Phone Main 4299.

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TO COMPARE P.A.Y.E. CARS

Railway Board and Other Experts to Make a Tour.

Invitations have been sent by the Ontario Railway Board to the city and Toronto Street Railway Co. to send a representative each on a tour of inspection by Vice-Chairman Ingram and two experts. The delegation will go to Cleveland, Buffalo, Montreal and Chicago.

Chairman Leitch, in his letter to Mayor Geary says the object is "to observe the operation of pay-as-you-enter cars and to see how different types of cars have been changed into pay-as-you-enter cars." It is intended to do this before arriving at a determination as to a standard for the different types of cars now in use, or hereafter to be used by the Toronto Street Railway.

WILL EXTEND LIGHTING CONTRACT. Corporation Counsel Drayton has entered into negotiations with the Toronto Electric Light Co. for a short extension of the city's lighting contract, which will expire Sunday night next. This measure has been forced upon the city by the Magann application to the Ottawa government, which has tied up hydro-electric power.

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Dec. 27, 1910. Master's Chambers. Before George M. Lee, Register. Williams v. Tall—W. Logie (Hinton), for defendant. M. H. Ludwig, K. C., for plaintiff. Motion by defendant, in a patent action, for a commission to examine a witness or witnesses at Minneapolis, or at Kansas City, or elsewhere, in the United States, to show that the patent is not novel. Order to go on terms being settled by the parties. Costs in the cause.

Judge's Chambers. Before Middleton, J. Re Central Construction Co. (two petitions)—W. H. Hodges, for Sand Supply Co., K. F. Mackenzie, for Italian Mosaic Co., A. C. McMaster, for O. Wade, assignee of the company. Two motions by creditors for winding up orders. Motion by defendant reserved. O. Wade to proceed with the winding up as assignee in meantime. If occasion arises for the application of either party at any time, an order will issue on one or the other as the position may be.

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Before Riddell, J. Re Estate of Alfred Smith—J. G. Smith, for widow. F. H. Harcourt, W. C. for infant. Motion to declare whether the widow is put to her election. Judgment in favor of the widow. The case of Westcott v. Cockburn (1897), 12 Gr. 79 (not cited), is conclusive against the widow's claim. The wife was put to her election to take under it or claim her dower. The devise to her during widowhood gave her a freehold estate. Her election was made immediately after the testator's death. She could not then have both the estate and her dower in the same land. She could not, in losing by her own act the estate given by the will, claim that her right to dower then arose. It existed at the death of the testator, and from that time or not at all. This case being exactly in point, I do not discuss at length either the principle or any of the many cases and authorities cited. The widow should pay the costs of this application.

Trial. Before Britton, J. McPhail v. McKinnon—O. E. Klein (Walkerton), for plaintiff. D. Robertson, K. C., for defendants. This action is brought by plaintiff against defendants as executors of the will of plaintiff's father (1) for payment of \$200 a year, or in the alternative the farm owned by the plaintiff's father, in consideration of the fact that the plaintiff, after he became of age and working upon the farm for deceased, had advanced \$2500 to the plaintiff's father, and (2) for returning stock for deceased, and (3) for returning with his team for deceased. Judgment: The Statute of Frauds, the Statute of

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Limitations, both pleaded, and the lack of corroboration of plaintiff's evidence as well as other suspicious circumstances defeat plaintiff's claim. Action dismissed with costs.

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S.A. XMAS CHEER

The Salvation Army are now planning their Christmas relief effort, which includes distribution of Christmas baskets to worthy poor and the giving of a dinner to poor children in fourteen different centres of the city. All contributions towards this worthy object to be sent to 20 Albert Street, City

DIDN'T FIRE A SHOT. Odessa Students Protest Against Order of Expulsion. ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 27.—A demonstration of students from Odessa is held to-day to protest against the decision of the government to expel students of the University of Odessa because of the recent disorder there. The students claim that the official version was untruthful. They say the students didn't fire a shot, but merely broke down windows. They declare also that a judicial inquiry into the affair and the search of the university, did not disclose a single firearm, and that the report of the examining doctor did not certify to anything like policemen being wounded. Albert Chamberlain's Illness. Thru an error it was stated that the absence of Albert Chamberlain, president of the British Welcome League, from the annual Christmas dinner, was due to illness. He is at present in England. Dr. Martel's Female Pills SEVENTEEN YEARS THE STANDARD Prescribed and recommended for women's ailments, a scientifically prepared remedy of proven worth. The result from their use is quick and permanent. For sale at all drug stores.

WEDNESDAY JOHN GA CLEAN BLANKET PILLOW CO EMBROID LINEN EM BEDSPRE Slightly cou handling, du perfect cond linen, base three-quarter regularly \$2. CLEARING Regularly \$2 DOWN CO Immense ran ers in Amer Covers. Fine warm, plain styles, comin etc., worth re Clearing at SKIRT LE Black, Gre Dress Goods, in cashmere, volles, accor diagonals, etc for skirts, blo etc., regular Clearing at \$ HANDKER Complete and pure Irish li all kinds, pla ed styles, la any at price OPERA CL Balance of O Opera Cloak shades, pla trimmed, mac Clearing at \$ Mail Order JOHN GA 55 to 61 E POLICEMAN For saving B Bornstein and gov and int ing a tourne tow and his was run over both legs. Pol was given a vances him six to promotion. The woman v police commi yesterday after The woman v tion and lit recovery. Binc completely ou on birth to the Thomas Mont pressman, who swatling and in East King-enque for \$25. brary in a k committed for still carried if he had done the CHRISTMA Yesterday as Christmas ext of people who Christmas unde turned to the c again the day was also the dmas season the on station ems the heaviest G An official of passenger dems that the estim pted, but he b th sale of tickt erage of 10 per WORKING The board of active part in passing of the trol and eval. Bay by a Harb tary P. G. Morl circulars to rat each member of furnished with lect to distrib A Shlv "What do yo open door polio 'I can't say c who hates a dr son who comes to have add Evening Star. Shoplift Ball was aga later upon con police court. Ye Erick Grange the Robert St come day. The son declared hi ing to refuse should have le Jessie Alexan Broadway Tab Theft Join Kenno arrested last ni charged with t the Victor Inn He was taken v of them.







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NORTH TORONTO PEOPLE DEBATE ANNEXATION

Mayor Brown Will Make Strong Bid For Re-election—Big Fight Out in Mimico.

NORTH TORONTO, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—The on the surface there is little to indicate a strenuous campaign, the fact remains that this year's fight for the mayoralty will be one of the most strenuous in the history of the town of North Toronto.

Mayor Brown, on the strength of his record and in view of the fact that he has for only three years occupied the highest office in the gift of the electors, is strongly inclined to accept the term.

His treatment of the Metropolitan Railway has always been marked by firmness, and his strong stand against the proposed arrangement suggested by Messrs. Murphy and Lawrence, ought to greatly strengthen his position.

Another good man and a keen fighter, is Frank Howe, the chairman of the right, is the general rate in the only right course. At any rate he is sincere in it.

Don't forget the big public meeting in the town hall to-morrow (Wednesday) evening to discuss some outstanding matters now under the limelight.

For First Time Villagers Have Contest All Their Own.

YOUNG MAN, STOP AND THINK

Young man, stop and think. Youth is prone to weakness, and weakness allied with ignorance of consequences makes it doubly so.

MY ELECTRIC BELT WILL CURE YOU

Every man should understand that physical power, large muscles, strength and endurance come from animal electricity.

PAY WHEN CURED

Electricity is life to the nerves and organs of the body. They cannot live without it. Get back the power and increase nerve power, but it comes from electricity.

FREE TO YOU! If you can't call, cut out this coupon and mail it to me to-day. I will send you my 84-page book, together with price list, free.

TOWN OF NORTH TORONTO ELECTORS

Your vote and influence are respectfully solicited for the re-election of

A. J. BROWN As Mayor For 1911

FELLOW ELECTORS OF ETOBICOKE TOWNSHIP

I am a candidate for election as

COUNCILLOR

Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

FRANK F. REEVES

house, Dawes-road, on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. This is the second year of the school formed in the present year.

ALD. PHELAN IS PROGRESSIVE.

The course pursued by Ald. T. N. Phelan throughout the year has been marked by a young man, much more than ordinary sagacity and discretion.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLICITY.

Editor World: I Toronto City is becoming stagnant, even retrograde in consequence of its inability to maintain its position.

SCHOOL MATTERS IN YORK.

The arbitrators appointed to adjudicate on the division or dissolving of the union between sections No. 20 and the Town of East Toronto have formed a new school of the section of the portion remaining in the township.

Got Father Morrissey's "No. 10"

Just in Time To Save His Life.

Mr. Aylward's letter tells the story: Campbellton, N.B., Feb. 5, 1909.

During the winter of 1907, while traveling on the Gaspe Coast, I contracted a severe cold which settled upon my lungs.

After returned home I wrote to Father Morrissey explaining my case. I received a letter from him with a prescription for his medicine, which could not be filled at the time here.

There is not much time to lose when a cold settles on the lungs. Pneumonia kills within a week.

A BARGAIN HUNTER.

MONTREAL, Dec. 27.—By someone's blunder in a French paper, the Sellers-Gough fur-store was placed in the position of selling a sealskin for \$25, instead of \$250.

What Good Roads Mean

Under a system of improved roads in the State of Pennsylvania it is said that the cost of hauling freight has been reduced by 25 per cent.

The Ontario Government can see the advantage of it; the County of York can see the advantage of it; cannot the ratepayers of Toronto, who supply a revenue equal to that of the province?

A. W. Campbell, former deputy minister of public works in Ontario—who earned his name as the "Good Roads Campbell"—thinks the roads around Toronto are the worst in America.

One hundred thousand dollars is only one-third the amount required. The other two-thirds are contingent upon Toronto doing its share.

In ten years the people of the State of Indiana have lost enough in inflated taxes to have paved every mile of the 21,864 miles of gravel roads in that state.

It is estimated that over roads in Pennsylvania, New York and New Jersey freight can be hauled for less than 5 cents a mile.

What the states of the Union can do, Toronto and Ontario combined can do.

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OBITUARY.

The death of William McTaggart, secretary-treasurer of the Gordon McTaggart Co., occurred in the city of Toronto.

Alfred Sandham, author of several historical and numismatic works and away for thirty years a resident of Toronto.

A. F. Banks, a well-known business man in the person of Mr. A. F. Banks has passed away at his residence, 18 Rowanwood avenue.

Fire Inquest.

CHATHAM, Dec. 27.—A coroner's jury has been empaneled to enquire into the Dresden fire.

Reports at Meeting in City Hall Showed Organization All Over Continent.

A meeting of representative Toronto Scotchmen was held at the city hall last night to discuss plans for the projected great summer trip of Scots of Ontario to Scotland next July.

Some doubt has been raised as to the qualification of Herbert Capewell, majority candidate, on account of his having signed as owner of 196 Cottage street.

Controlled Church has an excellent record in council.

He first proposed and inaugurated a day off for the police, better facilities, cheaper telephones, harbor improvements, Ashbridge's Bay improvements and by-law, campaign for a better street car service, good roads movement of 1906, 1909 and 1910, Welland Canal suburban railway service, Bloor-st. viaduct an express service for greater Toronto, and many other improvements.

Canada's Flour Exports.

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"A Grave Necessity" Mr. E. F. B. Johnston, K.C., has joined with others in sending a contribution to help on the work in Muskoka, and in doing so closes his letter with these words: "I recognize that your work goes beyond the realms of charity, and is in every sense one of grave necessity."

The service of skilled physicians, specialists in tuberculosis; the care and attention of trained and sympathetic nurses; nourishing food and abundance of it; comfortable and thoroughly sanitary quarters in their suffering—all things possible to help to conquer the dread disease, consumption, are at the command of those who are patients in the

Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives

It is on behalf of this institution that our appeal goes out to-day—that it be made more helpful in the year 1911 in caring for the thousands of sufferers from tuberculosis to be found in all parts of Canada.

What will be your part in this great battle?

END OF THE YEAR CONTRIBUTIONS:

Table listing names and contribution amounts for the Muskoka Free Hospital. Includes names like Mr. Harry Brown, Mrs. Russell, T. W. Brooks, etc.

"No work has been undertaken in Canada fraught with so great possibilities" From Dr. Wm. Osler, the distinguished Canadian, now Regius Professor Medicine, Oxford, England.

Contributions may be sent to W. J. Gage, Esq., 84 Spadina Ave., or Secretary-Treasurer, National Sanitarium Association, 347 King Street West, Toronto.

BRITNERS MEET TO TALK OF TRIP TO WILD SCOTIA

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Municipal Campaign

One of the best equipped candidates for aldermanic honors is J. W. Siddall, running in Ward 2. He is one of the best-known architects in Canada, being the designer of the plans of the Confederation Life Building, W. A. Murray & Co.'s new annex and many other buildings.

STEAMER ST. DENIS LOST WITH CREW OF EIGHTEEN

Wreckage of Ill-Fated Craft Found on Coast of Vancouver Island.

VANCOUVER, Dec. 27.—(Special.)—The fate of the little steamer St. Denis, a familiar vessel at this port during the past two years, is no longer in doubt.

FOUR YEARS FOR ASSAULT

Judge Winchester yesterday sentenced W. Edgar Hughes to four years in the penitentiary for criminally knowing a girl under 14 years.

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ELECTION CARDS 1911 WARD NO. 3 ALD. NORMAN G. HEYD A careful, efficient representative...

ALDERMAN MAY'S RE-ELECTION Should, in the interest of Ward 5, be made sure. For a first year's Alderman HE HAS MADE GOOD

ALD. McCAUSLAND Who deserves re-election in Ward 6 on his year's record.

DR. C. A. RISK -FOR- ALDERMAN VOTE YES -FOR THE- HARBOR COMMISSION

MANUFACTURERS PLEASED Reduction in Express Rates Will Mean Larger Savings.

FRED S. DUFF AS ALDERMAN Have your business at City Hall done on private business methods.

W. J. SAUNDERSON AS ALDERMAN-1911 ELECTORS WARD 6 Kindly Vote to Re-elect ALD. McCAUSLAND

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM Experienced Travellers Know The Advantages of the Grand Trunk Route To Montreal

Canadian Pacific Railway Holiday Trains from North Toronto to MONTREAL AND OTTAWA

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY CANADA'S FAMOUS TRAIN MARITIME EXPRESS

HOLLAND-AMERICA LINE New Twin-Screw Steamers of 12,500 tons.

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OCEAN STEAMSHIP PASSAGES booked for American, Canadian, Antarctic and Pacific services.

CLARK'S "ARABIC" RUISE Feb. 4, 8:00 up for 71 days. Shore trips ALL INCLUDED.

NEW YEAR'S CARDS. NEW YEAR greeting cards, booklets, calendars, pads, handsome assortment, grand values.

ARTICLES FOR SALE FIVE HUNDRED neatly printed cards, suitable for doctors, one dollar.

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AGENTS WANTED Agents wanted in every town in Canada to represent the Davy Automatic Fire Escape Company.

WHELPING WANTED MEN WHELPING return passage, England or Scotland, apply to F. Farasworth, 1185 Queen West.

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**4 1/2% Debentures**  
 DUE 1st JUNE, 1920  
 Payable at  
 Toronto, Montreal and  
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 Particulars on request  
**Wood, Gundy & Co.**  
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**NOTHING NEW TO EXCITE SPECULATION.**  
*World Office.*  
 Tuesday Evening, Dec. 27.  
 The three days holiday gave no new stimulus to the Toronto Stock Market, prices to-day being pretty much the same as where they left off on Friday. There was nothing new to excite speculative curiosity, and another display of weakness on Wall-street was not in the way of improving prices here. The market faces another week of apathy and something definite will have to develop if there is to be any improvement in quotations. Banks are not liable to extend support in the shape of new loans until after the first of the year.

**IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA**  
 HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO.  
 Capital Authorized ..... \$10,000,000.00  
 Capital Subscribed ..... 2,000,000.00  
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 Interest allowed on deposits from date of deposit at all branches of the Bank throughout the Dominion of Canada.

**New York Stocks**  
 NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The trend toward reaction which dominated last week's opening operations in the market became rather more pronounced with the resumption of business to-day, and resulted in losses in the better-known issues, with more or less decline in certain specialties. Through the session was small in volume, with heavy trading in a few specialties. If surface conditions are an indication, the business here is likely to be largely done to the aggressive report of selling by a professional group, which only rarely has been so conspicuous in the extent of its commitments on the other side.

There were no signs of liquidation, but it may be noted that at least a part of to-day's transactions represented sales by investors who have become disenchanted with the course of the market and the outlook in general.

The closing of a local state bank, while in no particular sense a market factor, was hardly helpful to the bull account. The bank's difficulties, however, served to attract attention to the latest report of the state banking department, which demonstrates the strong position of a vast majority of these institutions, compared with a year ago.

An unusually large number of railroad reports were issued in the course of the day, of which most notable was Adirondack, which showed a very large increase in gross and a comparatively moderate saving in net.

Ericksen Perkins & Co. (J. O. Beatty), 14 West King street, reported the following fluctuations in the New York market:

**Drafts on Foreign Countries**  
 EVERY BRANCH OF  
**The Canadian Bank of Commerce**  
 is equipped to issue on application Drafts on the principal cities of the world. These drafts are drawn in the currency of the country in which the drafts are payable, i.e., drafts on France are drawn payable in francs, etc.

**THE Sterling Bank OF CANADA**  
 HEAD OFFICE TORONTO  
 BRANCHES IN TORONTO  
 MAIN OFFICE—Cor. King and Bay Sts.  
 ADELAIDE STREET—Cor. Adelaide and Simcoe Streets  
 COLLEGE STREET—Cor. College and Grace Streets  
 PARKDALE—Cor. Queen and Close Aves.  
 WEST TORONTO—Cor. Dundas and Keele Streets

**UNITED EMPIRE BANK IN MERGER WITH UNION**  
 Union Bank Will Have 224 Branches Distributed Thruout Canada.

**Rallies Used to Sell Stocks Lower Prices Rule in New York**  
*Specialized Trading Lacks Substance and Values Recede Under Realizing Sales—Business the Feature in Toronto Exchange.*  
 World Office.  
 Tuesday Evening, Dec. 27.  
 Trading on the Toronto Stock Exchange was dull again to-day, the holidays having had no influence on speculative interest. The market was not large, however, and price changes, which were all confined to fractions, showed a little irregularity.

It was fiercer disregarding the effect which was expected from the prospect of another increase in capital and the idea that such would delay any increase in dividend.

Twin City was offered lower at 108, after selling at 106 1/2, the offerings being from actual holders of the shares. The only influence in the market was the calling of some loans by the banks. There were not large, however, and thought to be merely for the making of provision for the year end statements.

Today's buying for the public was entirely along an investment line, and brokers hold no ideas that there will be any changes in the public's operations for so little time to come.

Headiness in New York stocks during the day was not favorable to the domestic exchange, but the influence of Wall Street is by no means as effective now as it was a short while ago.

**SAVINGS DEPARTMENT**

Laurentide	170	165	170	168
London Electric	100	95	100	98
Mackay common	25	21	25	20
do. preferred	75	70	75	72
Maple Leaf	100	95	100	98
do. preferred	25	20	25	22
Mexican L. & P.	100	95	100	98
Mexican Tramway	125	120	125	122
do. preferred	25	20	25	22
Niagara Nav.	125	120	125	122
Northern Nav.	110	105	110	108
Pacific Bus.	100	95	100	98
do. preferred	25	20	25	22
Porto Rico Ry.	100	95	100	98
Quebec L. H. & P.	100	95	100	98
Rio Janeiro Tram.	100	95	100	98
Rogers common	100	95	100	98
do. preferred	25	20	25	22
St. L. & C. Nav.	110	105	110	108
Sao Paulo Tram.	125	120	125	122
Toronto Electric	100	95	100	98
Toronto Light	110	105	110	108
Toronto Railway	125	120	125	122
Twin City com.	100	95	100	98
Winning Ry.	100	95	100	98

**TO RENT**  
 \$14.00—House containing six rooms, bath, furnace, recently decorated throughout, immediate possession available in rear. For full particulars apply to  
**A. M. CAMPBELL,**  
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 Telephone Main 2851.

**DIVIDEND NOTICES**  
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**TRADERS BANK OF CANADA**  
 Dividend No. 59  
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a dividend of two per cent. upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this Bank has been declared for the current quarter, being at the rate of six per cent. per annum, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its branches on and after the 1st day of January next. The dividend will be closed on the 15th of the 31st of December, 1910, and the Annual Meeting will be held on the 28th of January, 1911.

**AS NED EXPLAINS IT**  
 His Celebration Was Justified by Triumph Over His Foes.  
 "Ned" Clarke, who was reported dead, but who is alive again or yet was arraigned in police court yesterday morning, charged with being drunk. He said that he had been told that he was dead. In fact, he had read it in the papers. He therefore went out to celebrate the one occasion where it had been proved beyond all doubt that he was right and his ancient enemies the police were wrong.

**WALL STREET POINTERS.**  
 Japan will redeem \$5,000,000 of foreign loans.  
 Missouri Pacific reports large gains in high-class tonnage.  
 General railroad labor situation in the west becoming more peaceful.  
 Thirty-seven roads for second week December show average gross increase of 6.90 per cent.  
 Return movement of currency from the interior now seems definitely established.  
 Actual condition in bank statement shows an increase in loans, but also in cash.  
 Western railroad settlement with engineers based on average wage increase of ten per cent.  
 Dun's Review says holiday business in most cities was equal to or in excess of last year.  
 Bradstreet's says industrial as a whole is quieter, with further curtailment reported in iron and steel.  
 President Taft has approved report of special board of army engineers recommending \$20,000,000 outlay for reclamation projects.  
 State Superintendent of Banks Cheney says conditions forecast year of unusual prosperity and that the banks are in splendid shape as compared with a year ago.  
 Bituminous operators of Central Pennsylvania give notice to railroads of several large corporations during the week, and as there is a possibility that lower rates may be declared, unusual caution should be exercised by those long of stocks, even of the better class.—Town Topics.

**Railroad Earnings.**

Week	Increase.
Wabash, 2d week Dec.	\$ 2,222
do. from July 1	52,222
Can. Pacific, 2d week Dec.	102,000
do. from July 1	5,778,240
Texas & Pac., 2d week Dec.	18,485
do. from Jan. 1	1,353,085
St. L. E.V., 2d week Dec.	\$6,422
do. from July 1	1,025,212
Twin City, 2d week Dec.	\$3,222
Detroit United, Nov.	2,746
Achilles, Nov.	2,222
Southern Ry., Nov.	103,771
Denver & Rio, 2d week Dec.	\$6,400
do. from July 1	\$82,100
Mo. Pacific, 2d week Dec.	2,746
Denver & Rio, 2d week Dec.	4,900

**Montreal Stocks**

Quebec Railway—100, 15 at 99 1/2.
Hillside pref.—15 at 122.
Cement—100, 30, 100, 50 at 23 1/2, 20 at 23 1/2.
St. Paul pref.—10 at 122.
Dom. Steel bonds—\$100 at 95.
Crown Reserve—200, 600 at 2.00, 600 at 2.00.
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**HERON & CO.**  
 Members Toronto Stock Exchange  
**NEW YORK STOCKS UNLISTED ISSUES MINING SHARES**  
 Correspondence Invited.  
 16 King St. West, Toronto  
**WARREN, GZOWSKI & CO**  
 Members Toronto Stock Exchange  
**STOCKS and BONDS**  
 4 Colborne St., 25 Broad St., Toronto.  
 STOCK BROKERS, ETC.

**TRIED TO SHOOT JOHN D.**  
 CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 27.—"Get that maniac," was the order given to the Cleveland police to-day when a hunt was begun for a man who exchanged a number of shots last night with Bert Knapp, keeper of John D. Rockefeller's Forest Hill estate, and Marshall Stamberger of East Cleveland, while he evidently thought he was shooting at Mr. Rockefeller.  
 After emptying his revolver the man fled, thru the grounds, and the police this morning tried to trace the foot-steps.  
 Granted Divorce.  
 OWEN SOUND, Dec. 27.—On Dec. 19, 1910, Judge Collier of Cleveland, O., granted Mrs. Will Smith her divorce. She will assume her maiden name, Alice Ashdown.

**Toronto Stocks**

Dec. 22.	Dec. 27.
Amal. Asbestos	34 1/2
Black Lake com.	18 1/2
do. preferred	32 1/2
B. C. Packers, A.	87 1/2
do. B.	87 1/2
do. common	28 1/2
Bell Telephone	140 1/2
Burt F. N. com.	85 1/2
do. preferred	106 1/2
Can. Cement com.	24 1/2
do. preferred	87 1/2
Can. Gen. Electric	103 1/2
C. P. R.	102 1/2
Canadian Salt	100 1/2
City Dairy com.	39 1/2
do. preferred	100 1/2
Consumers' Gas	107 1/2
Crown's Nest	77 1/2
Detroit United	27 1/2
Dom. Steel com.	102 1/2
do. preferred	102 1/2
Dom. Steel Corp.	61 1/2
Dom. Telegraph	102 1/2
Duluth-Superior	78 1/2
Elec. Dev. pref.	65 1/2
Hillside pref.	121 1/2
Lake of Woods	121 1/2

**MONEY MARKETS.**  
 Bank of England discount rate, 4 1/2 per cent. Open market discount rate in London for short bills, 3 per cent. New York call money, highest 2 1/2 per cent. lowest 2 1/4 per cent. ruling rate 2 1/2 per cent. Call money at Toronto, 1/2 to 3/4 per cent.  
**FOREIGN EXCHANGE.**  
 Glasgow & London, James Building (ref. Main 2472), report exchange rates as follows:  
 —Between Banks—  
 Buyers' Rates. Counter.  
 N. Y. funds—1.32 dia. par. 4 1/2 %  
 Montreal f'ds. 30c dia. 10c dia. 1 1/4 %  
 do. 60 days, 8 1/2-8 3/4 %  
 Ster. demand, 9 1/2-9 3/4 %  
 Cable trans., 9 1/2-9 3/4 %  
 —Rates in New York—  
 Actual. Posted.  
 Sterling, 60 days sight, 48 1/2-49 1/2  
 Sterling, demand, 48 1/2-49 1/2

**THE PORTO RICO RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED**  
 Dividend Notice.  
 Notice is hereby given that a dividend of six per cent. upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this Company has been declared for the current quarter, being at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, upon the preferred shares of the Capital Stock of this Company, as declared for the quarter ending December 31st next. The dividend will be payable at the Bank and its branches on and after the 1st day of January, 1911, to shareholders of record as of close of business on 31st December, 1910.

**JOHN STARK & CO.**  
 Members Toronto Stock Exchange  
 26 TORONTO ST., TORONTO.

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 I advise investments in PORTO RICO RAILWAY CO. stock in reliable corporations. Write for information.  
 25 WATKINS ST., TORONTO, ONT.  
 Tel. Main 7717.

**TROST & GUARANTEE COMPANY**  
 LIMITED  
 43-45 KING STREET WEST - TORONTO  
 ESTABLISHED 1887  
**DIVIDEND NO. 25**  
 Notice is hereby given that a half-yearly dividend, at the rate of SIX PER CENT. PER ANNUM has been declared for the six months ending Dec. 31st, 1910, upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of the Company, and the same will be payable at the Offices of the Company on and after Jan. 2nd, 1911. The Transfer Books will be closed from Dec. 27th to Dec. 31st, both days inclusive.  
**JAMES J. WARREN,**  
 General Manager.  
 Toronto, December 15th, 1910.

**THE STANDARD BANK OF CANADA**  
 Established 1873  
 94 Branches  
**Quarterly Dividend Notice No. 81.**  
 Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of Twelve Per Cent. Per Annum upon the Capital Stock of this Bank has been declared for the quarter ending 31st January, 1911, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office in this city and at its branches on and after Wednesday, the 1st day of February, 1911, to Shareholders of record of 20th January, 1911.  
 The Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Head Office of the Bank in Toronto on Wednesday, the 15th February next, at 12 O'Clock of the Day.  
**GEO. P. SCHOLFIELD,**  
 General Manager.  
 Toronto, 20th December, 1910.

**FELL PREY TO GAS FUMES**  
 One Italian Dead and Another Narrowly Escaped.  
 Two Italians were overcome by gas yesterday and one of them is dead, while the other is recovering in St. Michael's Hospital. Pasquale Bertaloni is dead, and Tony Vaccaro is in the hospital. They roomed together at 107 York-st. They were found there early yesterday morning. The dead man yesterday morning. The dead man yesterday morning. The dead man yesterday morning. The dead man yesterday morning.

**A. E. AMES & CO. LIMITED.**  
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### Best Procurable Black Dress Goods

We are particularly strong in our Black Dress Goods Section for evening dresses, outdoor dresses, suits and coats.

Permo Crepes, an ideal uncrushable fabric, bright, lustrous finish; makes a smart and distinctive gown, in plain and tracey effects, 44 in., \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Silk and Wool San Toys, a beautiful soft draping fabric, specially dyed and finished for the Robt. Simpson Co., suitable for street or house wear, 42 in., \$1; 44 in., \$1.25, \$1.50.

### Silk and Wool Cashmere

A fabric you can wear on any occasion, beautiful silk and wool qualities, rich, full blacks; 42 to 44 inches, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00.

Beautiful choice of new "Suitings," in blacks, including new chevrons, diagonals, hopsack weaves, niggerhead, new pebble suitings, wide wales, chevriots, West of England suitings, etc.; dyed in our fast, unfading dyes and permanent finish. 48 to 54 inches wide, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.

### Black Dress Silks Per Yard 68c

Superior qualities of Pure Silks, pure dye, and guaranteed fast, unfading blacks. Qualities that have sold regularly all season at 75c to \$1.00 per yard. This offering includes French peau de soie, satin duchesse, paillette, satin merveilleux, Swiss satin de chine, chiffon tafeta, etc. Thursday sale price, per yard, 68c.

### Forecasts of Feminine Interest

All indications say our Third Floor will be buried under a snowslide, an avalanche of Whitewear. Clouds of white have been gathering for a long time past, and there'll be something doing about Saturday.

Look out for it!

### Chinaware Specials

10-piece Toilet Set, best English semi-porcelain ware, full-size pieces, roll rim basin, gold decoration, \$3.75.

97-piece Dinner Set, high-grade porcelain ware, in the famous old Canton blue design. Complete service for 12 people, \$15.00.

Sugar and Cream Set, rich cut-glass-ware, deep flaring cut, new designs. An extra special for Thursday, per pair, \$1.98.

### Book Department

All Calendars half-price.  
New Year Postals.  
Handsome Books for New Year Gifts.

### Men's Furnishings

1000 pairs of Men's Suspenders, elastic web, and a few with elastic in the back only, made with cast-off white kid ends and good quality gilt trimmings. Regular 50c. Thursday, to clear, 19c.

750 garments of Men's Woolnap Underwear, extra heavy weight, elastic rib cuffs; these are made from pure wool, and should be a very warm garment for the man working outside; men's sizes only. Shirts and drawers. Regular \$1. Thursday, 44c.

### Buy Your Spring Wall Papers Now

We are clearing out dozens of end lots and broken quantities in imported papers, suitable for any room in the home or flat.

For parlors and dining-rooms, regular to 65c and 75c. Thursday, 29c.

For sittings-rooms and small parlors, regular to 50c. Thursday, 19c.

For bedrooms, regular to 25c. Thursday, 9c.

Japanese Leathers, for vestibules and dados. Regular, per yard, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Thursday, 49c.

# A Story for Fashionable Women



## Rich and Rare Savings in Stylish Garments

THE French call it "an occasion" when you save a hundred francs on a gown, but here on Thursday you can save nearly a hundred dollars. On the third floor you'll find some of the Paris gowns specially imported for our showrooms (and each garment is a masterpiece of Parisian art), priced for clearance, and you will undoubtedly want to add one of them to your wardrobe for evening wear. Here are the particulars also of a sale of Women's Opera and Evening Cloaks:

### Imported Reception and Dance Gowns at Less Than Half-Price in the Mantle Section on Thursday

Handsome Gown, Paris model, made of biscuit shade crepe silk, trimmed with pretty design of silk lace, and artistic touches of gold thread. Regular 79.00 \$175.00. Thursday 79.00

A novelty Paris Model Gown, made of black panne velvet and blue silk cloth, with touches of velvet and strappings, with wide novelty silk belt. Regular \$175.00. Thursday 79.00

Smart Evening Gown of silk chiffon over messaline slip, low neck, with shoulder sleeve outlined with small dull beading; waist line finished with best girde and tassel, in lovely shade of shell pink. Regular 37.00 \$75.00. Thursday 37.00

Charming French Model Gown, Oriental and ivory silk chiffon, daintily draped over ivory messaline, low neck, with shoulder sleeves. Regular 59.50 \$135.00

Attractive French Model Gown, of black and white silk crepe chiffon, gracefully draped over champagne silk; waist has touches of novelty bead ornaments. Regular \$175.00. Thursday 79.00

WOMEN'S OPERA OR EVENING COATS, \$18.50 TO \$25.00, THURSDAY \$8.95

55 only Women's Coats, in pretty shades of sky, rose, grey, cream and champagne, lined with silk or satin; some are trimmed with fancy wide braid, others with gold and silver trimmings; fastens with plain or novelty buttons; made of French Venetians and broadcloths. Thursday 8.95



## Men's Clothing Clearing Out Broken Line and Odd Sizes in Men's Suits

Regularly Sold at \$10.00, \$11.50, \$12.50, \$13.50 and \$14.00. To Clear Thursday at \$7.95

Men's Fine Quality English Fancy Tweed and Worsted Suits, in handsome dark grey and brown grounds, with self and fancy colored thread stripes; cut from the latest three-button single-breasted sack models, with close fitting collar and neat, long, shaped lapels; carefully tailored in every detail, and finished with A1 quality linings and trimmings. Sizes 36 to 44. To clear on Thursday at \$7.95

## Boys' Plain Knee Pants

Regular Prices 75c, 85c, 95c, \$1.05 and \$1.15. To Clear Thursday at 69c

Boys' Strong, Durable English and Canadian Tweed Knickers, in assorted medium and dark stripe patterns; well made and lined throughout with good wearing cotton. Sizes 22 to 32. To clear on Thursday at 69c

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DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS FOR \$1.75 EACH.

Nothing but pure linen, full bleached and full satin damask, splendid quality, assorted bordered designs, 2x2 1/2 yards, 90 only at, each, Thursday \$1.75.

PURE LINEN HUCK BEDROOM TOWELS, 33c PAIR.

Good, heavy, perfect drying Towels, and large ones, fringed or hemmed ends; towels you can't afford to pass by. Thursday, pair, 33c.

BEAUTIFUL SILKOLINE COMFORTERS, \$2.00 EACH.

Largest size, 72x78 in., made of American art printed silkolines, and filled with white fluffy cotton filling; really beautiful comforters, so out of the ordinary. Each, Thursday, \$2.00.

1000 YARDS CRASH ROLLER TOWELING, 8 1/2c YARD.

Pure linen, wide brown and white stripes, 17 in. wide, stout, durable towel-ing and perfect drying. Thursday, yard, 8 1/2c.

WHITE CROCHET QUILTS, \$1.69 EACH.

These are woven in designs similar to Marseilles quilts, scroll and floral, full double-bed size and ready to put on your bed; one of the best wearing, easiest washing quilts made; 100 in the lot. Each, Thursday, \$1.69.

Phone direct to Linen Department.

75c Suede Kid Gloves 49c

Women's French Suede Kid Undressed Finish Gloves, two dome fasteners, soft and fine, tan, grey, mode; all sizes. Regular 75c. Thursday, 49c.

Boys' and Girls' Tan, Suede, Wool-lined Gloves and Mittens. Sizes 3 to 7. Regular 75c and \$1. Thursday, 50c.

480 Pairs Hockey Boots

For Men, Women and Boys, Selling Thursday at 25c. Off Regular Prices.

Boys' Hockey Boots, 2.00 Value at 1.49 (All Sizes 1 to 5).

240 pairs Boys' Hockey Boots, cleared at a price from one of the large Toronto shoe jobbers. They are a regulation style, made from black leather, and black leather with tan trimmings; some styles have the pad over ankle; all sizes 1 to 5. Worth \$2.00. On sale Thursday, \$1.49.

### Men's Hockey Boots

120 pairs Men's Hockey Boots, a regulation style, made by the Tibbutt Shoe Co.; good, solid, easy-fitting boots, that will give the ankles plenty of support; all sizes 6 to 11. Worth \$2.00. On sale Thursday, \$1.49.

### Women's Hockey Boots

120 pairs Women's Hockey Boots, black and tan muleskin and calf leathers; all sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Worth \$2. Special Thursday at \$1.49.

### Groceries

2000 lbs. Dairy Butter, in prints, per lb. 25c.

Choice Sugar Cured Hams, half or whole, per lb., 18c.

Edwardsburg or Beehive Syrup, 5-lb. pail, 25c.

Salt, in 5-lb. bag, 3 bags 14c.

Canned Sweet Pumpkin, 3 tins 25c.

Golden Wax Beans, 3 tins 25c.

Finest Split Peas, 8 lbs. 25c.

Choice Red Salmon, per tin 15c.

Macaroni, assorted, 6 packages 25c.

Imported Macaroni, 3 packages 25c.

Malta Vita Breakfast Cereal, 3 packages 25c.

One car Fancy California Sunkist Oranges, sweet and seedless, per dozen 25c.

35c ASSAM TEA, 28c.

300 lbs. Fine, Rich, Full-bodied Assam Tea, a 35c tea anywhere. Thursday, per lb. 28c.

### Take Luncheon

in our famous Restaurant. Appetizing refreshments prepared in our sanitary kitchen. Members of Toronto Symphony Orchestra play every day from 12 till 2. This is to-morrow's

### PROGRAMME:

1. March—"Johnnie Raw" . . . Remick
2. Selection—"Red Mill" . . . Herbert
3. Waltz—"Ciribiribin" . . . Posstalozzo
4. Gavotte—"Intermezzo" . . . Perrier
5. Cake Walk—"Rastus Brown" . . .
6. Adagio Cantabile—From "B Minor Sonata" . . . Strauss
7. Barcarole—"Over the Waters" . . .
8. Air de Ballet—Op. 44 . . . Hille

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