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MAYOR ISSUES CIRCULAR ATTACKING POWER POLICY

Meeds For Delay in Signing Whole Contract—Big List of H.E.P. Municipal Candidates.

HAMILTON. Dec. 19.—(Special)— Mayor McLaren has had a voluminous appeal to the electors printed and distributed broadcast thru the city. He devotes a large part of his appeal to persuading the people that it would be a very dangerous thing for Hamilton to go in for the whole contract of the Hydro-Electric Commission, and to his breach of faith to the electors who last year put him into the mayor's chair with a tremendous majority because they believed in the statements and former course in the council that he was a staunch friend to the cheap power project. Instead of winning over the voters, however, his appeal only emphasizes the need of opposition, and makes the electors more determined than ever to have a man in the chief magistrate's chair whom they can trust to run the government and give them a success.

After devoting a lot of space to complaining because the property owners last June turned down the bargain patched up with the Cataract Power Co., the mayor attacks the government's power project as follows:

"No sensible person who had been in the market for the cost of a line of goods and an opportunity to find out the actual cost would agree with the estimate, would refuse the opportunity of proving it before committing himself further, unless there was some personal advantage for him or his friends. His expenses will determine whether there will be no need for argument when the goods are here and the price figured up, for we will have an actual basis to figure from."

"Remember, then, when any counsel signs the whole contract the voice of the people is no longer heard in the town. Who talk so much about it, for then you would be compelled to building a street lighting system and to pay for it whether you wanted it or not, no matter what the cost of power might be, and no matter at what price you could get it elsewhere."

Ward Stewart to Run. After the petition asking him to run against Mayor McLaren are being signed by hundreds, representing every class, T. J. Stewart, M.P., has not yet consented to run. He will give an answer probably to-morrow. If he does not enter the contest himself, there will be another man in the field and Mr. Stewart will give him every assistance.

Just how strong the sentiment against the Cataract Company is, and how eager the people are for government power, is illustrated by the fact that out of 15 candidates for the board of control, only two are from the supporters. Some candidates who have been identified with the company are appealing to the electors as hydro men. The great danger is that the vote will be split up by so many hydro candidates that the Cataract candidates may slip in. Efforts are being made to re-

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duce the number of the field to avoid a bitter struggle yet.

As the interest is centred in the contest for mayor and controllers, with a candidate in the field for mayor, whom the people can trust to give the people's power project loyal support, there is little doubt but that the friends of cheap power will make a clean sweep.

Also there have been three stirring campaigns on the question, all of which have gone against the Cataract, and the present struggle will be the most strenuous of the series. The power is backed by two of the papers, is showing a great deal of activity and interest, and the citizens from their own voices, will spare no effort to elect a council who will serve its ends.

Another Raid. The police and license inspector Sturdy made a raid on Luigi Domencio's abode, Sherman-avenue and Clinton-street, Saturday night and all they could find was six cases of bottles labeled "Lagerine." They seized the same after tasting it. It is supposed to be a temperance drink, but it was analyzed.

Daniel Young, 79 years of age, died today at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Thomas Costello.

Rev. Sam Small preached in the interests of the citizens' campaign committee at the Emerald-street Methodist Church on Sunday evening.

He stated that he knew of hotels in the city that did not keep the law, but would not name them because he might be held here as a witness.

Dave Fellows, a constable from Caledonia, was robbed of his watch and chain on King-street Saturday. He was admiring a store window when his jewelry was snatched from his vest.

Rev. S. J. Russell, leader of the Erskine Presbyterian Church, preached this evening in favor of a reduction in the number of licensees.

Verdict of \$300.

At the sessions Saturday, Antonio Salvato was awarded a verdict of \$300 against the street railway for injuries received. The action of J. Vanaster against the incubator company was dismissed the jury finding that he had dismissed the instructions.

The Macdonalds of the city attended a special service in First Methodist Church this afternoon. Rev. E. B. Lanceley preached.

John Baby, son of W. A. D. Baby, of the inland revenue office, was one of the Canadians swindled in Rome. He lost \$200 and cabled home for money.

Travelers' Certificates.

Commercial travelers' certificates for 1910 can now be had from Fred Johnson, Room 5, Federal Life Building ed

YORK COUNTY

West Toronto
North Toronto
East Toronto

S. YORK CONSERVATIVES HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

**Big Rally on Saturday Afternoon—
Suburban and County Happenings—News Notes**

The annual meeting of the South York Liberal-Conservative Association, held at the Labor Temple, Church-street, on Saturday afternoon, was large, representative, and most har-

monious.

Dr. W. R. Waiters, president, was in the platform and associated with him on the platform were W. F. Maclean, M.P.; Capt. Tom Wallace, M.P.; Alex. McCowan, M.L.A.; Dr. Godfrey, M.L.A.; Controller, Mr. A. T. L. Church; and Rev. R. A. Agnew, president West Toronto Conservative Association.

Among those present were W. W. Thompson, W. H. Paterson, Wm. Milliken, J. W. Jackson, Warden Henry, N. B. Spurr, Dr. B. B. Nelson, R. G. Agnew, Sam Ryding, C. B. Jenkins, Thomas Griffith, Geo. Syme, Jr., George Syme, Jr., D. Beldam, John Bayliss, Robt. Barker, Frank E. Reeves, John A. Macdonald, William Carter, John Burns.

Reviewing briefly his views in par-

liament and outstanding questions

before the country at the present time,

W. F. Maclean, M.P., referred to the growth of public ownership, as applied to telegraphs, telephones, and railways,

stating that he would continue his fight

against the cutting of the P.E.M.R.

as before. Mr. Maclean urged the giv-

ing of a larger monetary contribution to

Great Britain sufficient to build two or three Dreadnaughts, and charged that apart from the German peril, the

American nation were seeking to unify

the world.

Capt. T. W. Waiters met with a splen-

did reception as did Dr. Godfrey,

M.L.A., and Alex. McCowan, M.L.A.,

all of whom spoke along practical lines

on the leading federal and provincial issues.

Controller, Griffith, Ald. Church and R. G. Agnew, addressed the gathering on national and civic matters, and were well received.

Dr. Waiters was unanimously re-

lected president, Warden Henry first

vice-president, and Sam Ryding second

vice-president, and H. H. Bell secre-

tary-treasurer.

WEST TORONTO.

WEST TORONTO, Dec. 19.—After a lingering illness, William McKinney died this morning at 88 Mulock-avenue, the residence of his sister. De-

ceased was 83 years of age. The fun-

eral will take place at 1 p.m. on Tues-

day at the Methodist Church Cemetery, Dixie.

Controller Hocken held an organiza-

tion meeting last night in the former

council chamber, Keele-street. There

was a large attendance.

Ex-Controller F. S. Spencer will give

an address at a public meeting next

J. W. Breakey, secretary, J. E. Francis; treasurer, W. H. Riddell.

MARKHAM VILLAGE.

Matters in Markham Are Municipally Very Quiet.

MARKHAM VILLAGE, Dec. 19.—(Special)—Miss Pearl Faint, teacher of moderns in the Markham High School, has resigned her position here to accept a similar position in the school of her niece, Mrs. Holloway, 84 Hock-haven. He was 80 years old.

NORTH TORONTO.

NORTH TORONTO, Dec. 19.—(Special)—At the regular meeting of the North Toronto Taxpayers' Association, held on Saturday night a resolution was passed by the council to grant public library funds. The motion to appropriate \$1000 was adopted. Another motion to appropriate \$3000 was proposed by the council for the purchase of more land for parks and water-works purposes was adopted. Some discussion took place relative to the letting of the fire alarm contracts, but nothing definite was done.

In all the town churchills to-day there was a good attendance.

The condition of James Walmsley was at a late hour to-night said to be slightly improved, and the patient resting comfortably.

AMONG THOSE PRESENT WERE W.

W. Thompson, W. H. Paterson, Wm.

Milliken, J. W. Jackson, Warden Henry,

N. B. Spurr, Dr. B. B. Nelson, R.

G. Agnew, Sam Ryding, C. B. Jen-

kins, Thomas Griffith, Geo. Syme, Jr.,

George Triplop, one of the inmates

of the Industrial Home, who passed away last week, came from North Toronto. Two others of the inmates

and the secretary were present.

Friends of the local option movement

are trying to secure the services of

Dr. Firth, principal of Pickering Col-

lege, to deliver a scientific lecture on

"Alcohol" prior to the taking of the

vote at the municipal election.

The election practically no candidates

in sight for municipal honors, and

many of the citizens are concerned

over the matter.

THORNHILL.

Many Social and Ceremonial Meetings in Town.

THORNHILL, Dec. 19.—(Special)—The Presbyterian Sabbath School will hold their annual entertainment and dinner in Victoria Hall on Wednesday evening, Dec. 22.

The members of the Methodist Sabbath School are busy practising for

their usual anniversary to be held on Jan. 1.

The members of the A.O.U.W. Lodge

met to elect officers on Saturday evening.

The members of the Chosen Friends

will meet for the same business on Monday evening.

The Thornhill Recreation Club are

preparing for skating as fast as the

weather will permit. The following

officers have been elected for 1910:

G. Hooper; vice-president

President, Wm. H. Bell; secretary

and treasurer, W. H. Riddell;

treasurer, W. H. Riddell;

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IN SOCIETY.

MAYOR OLIVER ELECTED

President Commercial Travelers' Mutual Benefit Society.

Mrs. Arthur W. Ross of Winnipeg, is the guest of Mrs. Albert Webb, 19 Madison-avenue.

Mrs. Thomas Renne of 10 North Sherbourne-street is giving an at home this afternoon, from 4 till 6.30.

Mrs. J. W. Ball of Roncesvalles-avenue left Toronto Saturday to join her husband, who has accepted a position in New Hamburg.

Mrs. J. Elliott Holmes of New York, who has been visiting in Montreal, is now the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Walker.

In honor of the departure for the west, and approaching marriage of Miss H. M. Kirk, a number of friends invited to a miscellaneous shower and progressive euchre. The first prize for ladies was won by Mrs. Roland Roberts, and the gentleman's by Mr. T. Corbridge. The table was dainty with yellow mums, and cut glass. The dinner completed with a collection of appropriate gifts for the bride-to-be. The hostess' wedding grey silk with lace and orange touches, was assisted by Miss Kirin, in her wedding gown of primrose silk trimmed with silk lace and satin, and also by her daughter gown in cream renaissance lace over silk with satin trimmings.

Pianos at 50c Per Week.

It does not seem possible that a piano can be bought for 50 cents per week. This is possible, however, from Heintzman & Co., 115-117 King-street west. This firm has a large number of slightly used square pianos to be sold from \$50 to \$150, in small weekly or monthly payments. These pianos are once taken in exchange for the new Heintzman & Co. pianos, and are all in good condition, having been thoroughly over at the factory. This is the opportunity for the person who cannot afford the full price for a new piano.

Celebrates His Jubilee.

Rev. Father Launcelot Mincham, one of the most popular of the Roman Catholic clergy of the city, will celebrate the silver jubilee of his ordination to the priesthood in St. Peter's Hall, Parkdale, this evening. Father Mincham is rector of St. Peter's Church, which recently completed a handsome and spacious new church building at Markham and Bloor-streets. He is popular, not only with his co-religionists, but with men of all creeds, taking an active part in all the larger philanthropic and social movements of the city.

The Empress Eugenie, widow of Napoleon III, is seriously ill near Monte Carlo. She is 83 years of age.

GOVERNMENT AND BOOZE

Must Dissolve Partnership If Temperance Progress Is to Be Made.

Hon. Seaborn Wright of Georgia was the speaker at the Sunday afternoon meeting of the Canadian Temperance League at Massey Hall, his subject being "The Saloon and its Relation to the Government." "Before any more progress is made in the abolition of the liquor business," he said, "the government must be given to understand that the people will no longer submit to the corruption and shameless partnership in the business."

Hon. I. B. Lucas, who presided, said he was entirely sympathetic with the movement, and the only question of doubt was the route to the temperance goal. For his part he thought local option was the safe and sane method of dealing with the traffic and he professed even greater victories than in the past.

Three Theatre Fires in One Day.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—There were fires in three New York theatres yesterday. In the early morning the offices of the Broadway Theatre were scorched \$2000 worth. In the late afternoon a dressing room of the Murray Hill and the ballyhoo of the old Windsor Theatre on the Bowery were damaged by flames that drove two audiences to the street.

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Pastor Russell's Sermon

Blessed Judgments: "With My Soul Have I Desired Thee in the Night; Yes, With My Spirit Within Me, Will I Seek Thee Early: For When Thy Judgments Are Abroad in the Earth, the Inhabitants of the World Will Learn Righteousness" (Isaiah xxvi, 9).

BROOKLYN, Dec. 19.—Pastor Russel spoke to-day from the above text. Brooklyn Tabernacle was crowded with an attentive audience as usual. We report the discourse, as follows:

Only those who come to an advanced stage of life, the Lord's word can realize how divine judgments are all good—all blessed. Under the influence of the fog of superstition, not understanding aright the teachings of the Scriptures, supposing that they taught eternals torment for the great majority of our race, we feared God, rather than loved Him. We dared not say such a judgment as this: "God is not malicious, devilish; we were unable to conceive of other light; hence the general perplexity of Christendom, and many insolent minds driven to infidelity, and the dislike to think about God and His supposedly terrible purpose respecting our race and the general awe respecting the Bible and the fear of its misunderstood teachings."

But now, in the days of the new dispensation, the verdict of God is shining before us, one passage illuminating another, our fear gives place to reverential love and filial awe. We begin to understand that the torments which we received are wholly foreign to the Divine character, which, on the contrary, distinctly marked by wisdom, justice, mercy and love toward all. We find now in agreement with the Scriptural declaration that God's judgments are righteous altogether, and we delight in them.

Mark the statement of the Prophet David when prophetically referring to the millennial age: he points out that the judgments of that time will be a cause of gladness: "Let the heavens be glad; And let the earth rejoice. Let men say among the nations, Jehovah reigneth. Let the sea roar, and the fulness thereof;

Let the fields rejoice, and all that are therein. Then shall the trees of the wood sing aloud.

At the presence of Jehovah,

BECAUSE HE COMETH TO JUDGE THE EARTH.

O give thanks unto Jehovah, for He is good;

For His mercy endureth forever."

—I. Chronicles xvi, 21, 34.

Mark the words of St. Paul respecting what God has in reservation for the world. He says God "hath appointed a day (the thousand-year day of Christ) in which He will judge the world in righteousness by that man whom he hath ordained" (Act xvii, 31).

In this word ordained for our Lord He is to have association with the elect church, his members, of whom the saints are the righteous, saying: "Know ye not that the saints shall judge the world?" (I. Corinthians vi, 2). And the ancient worthies enumerated by St. Paul (Hebrews ix, 28-40) will also be judges, but on the earthly plane as representatives of the heavenly kingdom. As it is written, "I will restore thy judges as at the first, and thy counsellors as at the beginning" (Isaiah i, 26).

On the other hand, both for the heavenly and the earthly judges of the world in the election from Israel and the election of the gospel age, has thus demonstrated to the few who understand the "secret of the Lord" the "mystery" hidden from ages and dispensations past. It is evident that there will be no disappointment, no failure, in respect of God's great redeeming covenant made with Abraham.

In general, all the families of the earth shall be blessed." The basis of the creation of the heavenly kingdom under the Abrahamic covenant, from these two nominal seed, Israel and the natural and spiritual seed of Abraham and accedents to the rule. They have been granted special privileges and blessings not granted to the world in general—natural Israel under the law covenant, and spiritual Israel under the Abrahamic covenant. From these two nominal seed, Israel and the spiritual seed of Abraham, have been granted special privileges and blessings not granted to the world in general—natural Israel under the law covenant, and spiritual Israel under the Abrahamic covenant. From these two nominal seed, Israel and the natural and spiritual seed of Abraham and accedents to the rule. They have been granted special privileges and blessings not granted to the world in general—natural Israel under the law covenant, and spiritual Israel under the Abrahamic covenant. 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ALD. FOSTER AND THE STAR.

Ald. Foster has been made the subject of an attack by the street railway organ which will command him to the citizens in general, even tho' he be an east-end.

The Evening Star last Friday alleged that Mr. Foster is against nearly everything. Mr. Foster is not being fairly treated by such an allegation. But the Evening Star is not at all scrupulous if it has a private end to serve. The private end that The Star serves is the Street Railway Company. It opposes everything that is opposed to the Street Railway Company's interest. It is opposed to everything which would help to elect a city council which would make it impossible for the Railway Company to get an extension of their franchise.

Every energy of the Street Railway Company is now being strained to that end. Every vote that can be turned to the street railway candidates is turned with the extension of the franchise as an ultimate object. Every candidate in the approaching election, who receives street railway support will be expected to take the part of the railway in the struggles that are sure to be the big feature of next year's city council proceedings.

Ald. Foster is absolutely clear of even the suspicion of street railway control. He is against the plots and plans of the railway interests. Consequently The Star is against him. That is Little Eva's way.

But Ald. Foster is not against everything. He is emphatically in favor of the Bloom-street viaduct, as every genuine friend of the city is. The Street Railway Company is against it just as emphatically. The viaduct means shorter journeys and cheaper fares from East Toronto, and the street railway objects to losing the double fare by the Kingston-road route. That is at the bottom of all the opposition to the Bloom-street viaduct. The street railway and its friends who live in Roseway do not want it.

Little Eva knows that the viaduct is not only itself necessary in the city's best interests, but is an integral part of the tube system, to which the street railway is also opposed, because tubes make expropriation of the street railway more easily attainable.

So Little Eva, who would not tell a lie of course, represents the viaduct in a cartoon on Saturday as costing \$1,000,000, when the engineer's estimate is \$750,000, an outside figure. Tennyson wrote that half a lie was ever the blackest of lies. He did not state the exact shade of a 30 per cent. lie.

Ald. Foster urged the building of the viaduct on Saturday as costing \$350,000. He urges it now because if it is deferred, later on it will cost the million. The Star falsely declares it will cost now. The cost will increase as time goes on.

SERVICE CORPORATIONS AND CORRUPTION.

According to The Kansas City Times, tremendous efforts were made by the Metropolitan Street Railway Company of that city to carry the referendum over the proposal to extend its franchise. The company spent money lavishly to influence the result. In the special correspondence of The New York Evening Post, street car tickets by the thousands were given away to get votes among the poor. "Cavalcades, street car orators, sentiment makers, button wavers, cheer leaders, flying squads to attend neighborhood meetings, dark lantern brigades and gum shoe corps were engaged by the Metropolitan as parts of a huge machine, to work tooth and nail for the franchise until election day."

All this money power was exerted for the purpose of securing a popular majority for a grant, which, says The Post, would have given the Metropoli- Company exclusive rights for forty-two years ahead, that favored the company at every point, made invaluable concessions and gave the city next to nothing in return. Against the company were allied the reputable newspapers of the city, and voluntary citizens' organizations that carried on an active campaign of education and information all over the city and carefully watched the polling stations to prevent electoral frauds. As already intimated the franchise grab was defeated by upwards of 7000 votes.

Kansas affords the latest of the many object lessons Canada has had regarding the folly of handing over public franchises to private companies. Once the element of private profit is introduced and necessary service monopolies allowed to be used without reference to the duties of the franchise holders as public trustees, corruption in every form becomes their chief weapon of attack upon the public purse. Traffic in public franchises by legislatures and by city councils influenced by corrupt considerations has been the chief agent in the demolition that is everywhere in evidence. Canada, too, has

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suffered, but the cancer is neither so extensive nor so deep-rooted that it cannot be checked and eradicated.

No city that has parted with its franchises is safe from further exploitation and from the use of influences that are directly opposed to the public interest. Whenever there is an expanding population, public services increase in value and the main object of the franchise holders is to hypothecate that increasing value for immediate profit. Hence the numerous stock manipulations, the creation of holding companies, mergers on an extended capitalization and all the other devices which always mean more drafts upon the pockets of the people. Only the elimination altogether of private interest can secure for the public the cheap and efficient services that mean so much for the community, whether a country, a province or a city.

MR. MACLEAN ON NAVAL DEFENCE.

We think The World will not exceed the lines of good taste if it asks its readers, asks the public at large, to read the reprint that we publish today of the speech of W. F. Maclean, M.P., in the house of commons of Ottawa last week on imperial naval defence.

It is a good thing for the country perhaps, certainly for Mr. Maclean, that there happens to be one paper at least that will print the speech. Not that The Toronto Telegram did not give an excellent report of it; also The Globe a shorter one.

Little Eva pretends to be very stupid about Ald. Geary and the statement he made about being in favor of referring the tube vote to the people, while he was opposed to tubes. It thinks this is very difficult for The World to explain. The difficulty is really for Ald. Geary and The Star.

A CORRECTION.

We have been served with a notice on behalf of Mr. John D. Titchmarsh, Esq., regarding an article published by us on Saturday, the 11th, regarding certain proceedings before the police magistrate at Brampton in the matter of a charge preferred by Mr. Titchmarsh against Mr. Graham. We understand the fact is that the son of Mr. Titchmarsh, a citizen of Brampton, was formally objected to by the police magistrate trying the case and handed him a written notice to that effect. We did not wish to do any injury to Mr. Titchmarsh, our only object being to report the facts. We are glad to state them correctly.

TORONTO LAGS BEHIND.

In Providing Playgrounds, Opinion of J. J. Kelsay.

That Toronto lags a long way behind many large American cities in providing amusement parks and public playgrounds for the children of the poor was a statement made by J. J. Kelsay, superintendent of the department for neglected children, in his address on "Waifs and Strays," at the service's service in the Princess Theatre last night. Many a boy had come along on his career thru playing ball on the streets, which in the eyes of the zealous policeman constituted a serious offence.

Sums existed in Toronto, altho many people refused to believe so, and by the medium of many excellent lantern slides he showed the appalling conditions of some of this city's havens.

The old plan of sending youthful misdeemours to a reformatory, he characterized as a bad idea, and the institutions did little to reform, and, in many cases, turned their inmates out worse than when they went in.

The new method was to get hold of the erring youngster and by kindness and firm treatment eradicate his early upbringing.

It was far better, he concluded, to get a boy to go to a playground than a whole lot on cure, and he made a strong appeal on behalf of the sum children, who had never had a chance.

Hamilton Men Pleased.

Mr. Edwin Miller, Hamilton, Ont., writes to Heinzenberg & Co. regarding their new player piano. "I know of that thing that has given me so much genuine satisfaction and pleasure as has the player piano that I purchased from you. Ever since the instrument was delivered to my house we have had music all hours. Not only have Mrs. Mills and myself enjoyed it, but our children aged 10 and 8 years, have learned to play it. They have not yet mastered the art of playing it, giving an expression that is truly wonderful." This is putting it strong, but any one who knows this instrument will agree it is not too strong. Any person may see this player at the firm's showroom, 115-117 King Street west.

The Grand Trunk Pacific Railway are in receipt of a cable message announcing the successful launching Saturday of the Wallensteen-Tyne, England, of the steamer. This marks the first of the Grand Trunk Pacific steamers at present under construction for service on the Pacific coast between Prince Rupert, Vancouver, Victoria, and other Puget Sound ports. Upon the completion of the steamer within the next 60 days she will be sent via Cape Horn to the Pacific coast, and will go into commission next season. The company, Prince George, is also utilizing the ship and will be sent to the coast as soon as completed. The Finns worshipped in the Dutchess Street Presbyterian mission.

Derailed by Split Rail.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 19.—The northbound Winnipeg flyer on the Great Northern Railroad went into a ditch four miles east of Monticello, Minn., at 2:30 Saturday night. The fireman was crushed to death. No passengers were hurt. The wreck was due to a split rail.

THE TORONTO WORLD.

AT OSGOODE HALL
ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Motions set down for single court for Monday, 20th instant, at 11 a.m.:

- 1-3. Estate of J. C. Willis.
2. Ra Gullett estate.
3. Stevens v. Carter.
4. Reinhart v. Barton.
5. King v. Palmerston.

Peremptory list for divisional court for Monday, 20th inst., at 11 a.m.:

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2. G.C. v. C. G.
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Wm. Mulling Co. v. Mallon, H. J. Martin, et al. Plaintiff, held, moved on consent for an order for payment of costs to defendant, Order made.

Touch v. Edward Foote (Gerry & Co.), for plaintiff, moved on consent, for amending statement of claim. Order made.

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Re Chisholm v. Warren-McGovern (Gerry & Co.), for plaintiff, moved for an order for removal of letters probate filed thru error and substituting copy of same. Order made.

Chatham Fruit Growers' Association v. C.P.Ry. Co.—R. J. McGowan, for defendants, moved on consent for order dismissing action with costs. Order made.

Re C. E. Williams v. His Holiness, the Pope, et al. Plaintiff, held, moved on consent for an order for payment of costs to defendant, Order made.

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Policemen McHarry and Newhall, who watched the hotel several nights, swore at the trial that they had seen Graham serving liquor after eleven o'clock. The defence submitted evidence directly opposite, and called on several citizens to give character witness for the plaintiff, and to show that J. H. Burnham, who swore that McHarry had told him, Chief Constable McHarry, and others that he saw men lining up before a little room, going in and coming out with money, at Streetcar House, had lied. The defence, however, called in evidence that Burnham had offered him \$25 to swear that he had seen nothing, and that at the trial of the protest, McHarry swore that he had seen nothing. Burnham also said that C. E. Ross had expressed his sorrow and regret over the conduct of the plaintiff's defense.

Bens Hertlett and James Kennedy gave testimony along much the same line.

J. Carroll, a bartender at the Oriental Hotel, is at present charged with false swearing in another case against the Oriental when a charge of selling liquor in prohibited hours was not proven.

GRAND DUKE MICHAEL DEAD.

Born in 1832, Had Long and Brilliant Military Career.

CANNES, France, Dec. 19.—Grand Duke Michael Nicholaevitch, grand uncle of Emperor Nicholas, died Saturday. He was the oldest representative of the Imperial house, having been born in 1832, the fourth son of Emperor Nicholas I.

He entered active military service at fourteen as a lieutenant and at 20 had attained the rank of general, in nominal command of the ordnance department of the empire. He fought in the Crimean War, in which he was appointed vice-viceroy of the Caucasus with instructions to bring the tribes of this region under the Russian aegis. This task he accomplished successfully, receiving a sword of honor and the cross of St. George for personal bravery under fire. The war with Japan was in 1863 the grand duke commanding the Russian army operating against the Turks in the Caucasian theatre of the war, and was finally able to force the surrender of a large part of the Turkish forces at Ardahan and Kars.

He became secretary of the council of state and played an active role until the organization of the duma, when he was named its honorary president.

SOME ITEMS CONDENSED FROM THE SUNNY WORLD.

Local—

Willie Ashby, aged 15, of Clinton-street, was thrown from a wagon and killed.

The funeral of Brother Michael, killed by a car, will take place this morning from St. Francis' Church.

The Colored Business Men's Club has received an Ontario charter. There is a long list of mining and business incorporations of colored men.

A full list of the awards at the Toronto Cage Bird Society show appeared in the last edition of The Sunday World.

Dr. Leslie Coleman, a graduate of Toronto University, is now state mycologist for the Province of Mycose, India.

South York Conservatives on Saturday re-elected officers.

Canadian—

Bank statements for November show an increase of thirteen millions in deposits.

At Windup, Barnett, a confessed regular mail robber, got seven years, and Rowe, an accomplice, three years.

The results of the civil service examinations of Nov. 9 show a large number of successful applicants.

General—

King Leopold's will declares an estate of only \$3,000,000, and, apart from his household, forbids any to attend the funeral.

The Portuguese Cabinet have resigned.

Local—

Wm. Mulling, a well-known Toronto man, will arrive in the city Saturday morning, express at 10 o'clock.

He will be at the Union Station by the 45th birthday band, which will drive to the King Edward Hotel, where he will stay during the week. The performances will be given twice daily at 8 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Mr. Mulling will be assisted by an excellent company.

Public Amusements.

Harry Lauder.

Mr. Harry Lauder, accompanied by Mr. William Mulling, his manager, and his company, will arrive in the city Saturday morning, express at 10 o'clock.

He will be at the Royal York Hotel Saturday evening, and will commence on Thursday morning next at the Bell Piano rooms, 165 Yonge-street, and will go through a series of performances.

Something out of the ordinary is promised at the Star Theatre this week, in the "Miner-Marion Jardin de Paix Girls," who are said to be one of the most popular attractions of the season.

Nothing is certain—there is nothing old or frayed about the performance.

On the other hand, Dave Marion, who is the star attraction of the "Jardin de Paix," is to be seen again.

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He is to be seen again.

MONDAY MORNING

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GENTS' SILK HANDKERCHIEFS — Fancy patterns, at 75¢, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.00 per dozen.

REAL LACE HANDKERCHIEFS — At \$1.00, \$2.00, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 to \$25.00.

CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS — Quarter dozen in fancy boxes, 25¢ per box of half dozen, initialed, 75¢.

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Men's Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, with hand-worked three-quarter inch block letter initials, initialed A to Z included. These are not laundered or boxed, but this is more than can be made up for the price, and you can easily have these washed. Would you cost you to have the regular price \$3.00? **ON SALE XMAS WEEK, \$2.00 DOZEN** — WHILE THEY LAST.

NOTE: Less than one half dozen of any initial sold.

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TOWELS — We can give you them as low as you like, say \$1.25 per dozen, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.00 to \$30.00.

INITIAL LETTERS — Very personal gifts, a specimen of the initial letter handsomely hand-worked on each. Two splendid qualities, \$12.00 and \$6.00 per dozen. Pairs at the same rate.

DOWN QUILTS — In great variety of beautiful covers. \$6.00, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$9.00, \$10.00 to \$25.00 each.

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ART PRINTED DENIM TABLE CLOTHS — For dens, libraries, etc., rich Orton tints, sizes, 50c, 60c, 75c, 90c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and up.

LACE HOSIERY — Black, white and colors, plain and fancy, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.00 per pair.

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JAP KIMONOS — 29 inches long, art cotton crepe, silk trimmed, \$1.25 each.

PURE SILK KIMONOS — 27 inches long, art cotton crepe, silk lined and bordered, with white cuffs and facings, \$3.00 each.

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THE WEATHER

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OBSERVATORY, TORONTO, Dec. 19.—Pressure remains low from the gulf-lake to the maritime provinces, and is high over the west. Cold weather is general throughout Canada, and although local snowfalls have occurred from Alberta to New Brunswick, it has been fair in most districts.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, zero; —; Atlin, 32°; Victoria, 24°-25°; Vancouver, 32°-28°; Kamloops, 24°-26°; Edmonton, 12°-28°; Battleford, 12°-14°; Prince Albert, 4 below; —; Calgary, 24°-26°; Moose Jaw, 4 below; —; Winnipeg, 14° below; Port Arthur, 6°-14°; Parry Sound, 14°-28°; London, 11°-18°; Toronto, 10°-24°; Ottawa, 2°-13°; Montreal, 10°-20°; Quebec, 12°-18°; Halifax, 22°-26°.

Probabilities—

Lower Lakes—Fresh westerly winds; continued fair and cold, with some snow flurries.

Georgian Bay—Fresh westerly winds; cloudy and cold, with light snowflakes.

Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence—Fair winds; continued fair and cold; local snow flurries.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Fresh southwesterly and westerly winds; fair and cold.

Martime—Fresh winds mostly westerly; fair and cold.

Superior—Fresh westerly and northwesterly winds; mostly fair and cold; some light local snow flurries.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan—Fair and cold.

Alberta—Fair and colder.

The BAROMETER.

Time.	Bar.	Wind.
8 a.m.	28.50	SW.
11 a.m.	28.49	SW.
2 p.m.	28.50	SW.
4 p.m.	28.53	SW.
8 p.m.	28.50	SW.

Mean of 12, 20 difference from average, 4 below; highest, 24; lowest, 15. (Saturday, 32-18.)

TODAY IN TORONTO.

Controller Hooker's meeting—Y. M. C. A. Hall, East Toronto, 8.

North Toronto Conservative Association—Cumberlidge's.

St. Peter's Minchin's silver public.

Hall, Bathurst-street, 8.

Mission to Leper's Bible Training School, 3.30.

Congress Institute—McConkey's, 1.

Harry Launder at Massey Hall, 2, 8.

Royal Alexandra—The King of Canada.

Princess—The Climax, 8.

Great—Grauman's, 8.

Shea's—Nat Wilts in Vandeville, 2, 8.

Majestic Music Hall—Vandeville, 2, 8.

Star—Jardine do Lepes G. G. 2, 8.

Gayety—Bowery, Burlesques, 2, 8.

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Ottawa BY-ELECTION

Too Many Liberal Candidates in Sight to Suit Everybody.

OTTAWA, Dec. 19.—(Special)—There is every prospect of a singularly complicated struggle at the approaching Ottawa by-election. The Liberals are greatly divided. Auguste Léveillé and Dr. Chêvrelle are determined to run, no matter what the convention may decide, while Emmanuel Tasch is still an aspirant, and J. B. T. Caron, former member for the city, is also a candidate at Sir Wilfrid Laurier's favorite, who he is not believed to be anxious for the honor, having found the patronage very wearisome.

On the Conservative side, City Treasurer ex-Mayor J. A. Ellis has announced his positive intention of running on a platform championing direct contribution to the royal navy and opposition to a Canadian navy.

He already is publishing daily arguments on the subject in the newspapers.

No steps have been taken yet to hold a Conservative convention. The situation will be difficult as the unwritten law is that this seat should be the property of the French-Canadians.

THREE MONTHS LOST IN WILDS

VANCOUVER, B.C., Dec. 19.—Vernon Howe of Minneapolis, former captain of the Yale track team, who had been lost in the woods or the interior for three months, has reached One-Hundred-Mile-House, Cariboo, with his companion, Jack Cunningham of Keene loops, B.C.

MARRIAGES,

NEWARK, Dec. 18.—At the home of the bride's brother (Mr. G. Anderson), 167 Losethaven, Elizabeth, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Anderson of Hamilton, to John Vincent Nunn, of Wanstead.

WILLIAMS-DUNCANSON—On Saturday, Dec. 18th, 1909, at Dundasoft, the residence of the bride's parents, Lieutenant-Col. George Williams, assisted by Rev. Dr. Neil of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, by Rev. D. Bruce Macdonald of St. Andrew's College, Emily Beatrice Dickinson to James Miller Williams, Jr., of San Luis Potosi, Mexico.

DEATHS.

DONEY—On Saturday, Dec. 18, 1909, James Doney, beloved husband of Sarah L. Humphreys, in his 34th year.

Funeral from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. to Prospect Cemetery, Winnipeg papers please copy.

GUNN—Suddenly, on Sunday, Dec. 19, Donald Gunn, in his 68th year.

Funeral from his late residence, 3 Grosvenor-road, on Tuesday, Dec. 21, at 2.30 p.m.

GRIFFITH—At her late residence, 234 McCaul-street, Sunday, Dec. 19, Jessie Gumm, daughter of the late William Griffith.

Funeral Tuesday, 2.30 p.m., to Dixie Methodist Church Cemetery.

BURDett—On Sunday, Dec. 19, 1909, Charles Reddy, dearly beloved husband of Mary Reddy, in his 68th year (late of his majesty's customs).

Funerals on Tuesday, Dec. 21, at 2.30 p.m., to Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

McKINNEY—At the residence of his sister, Mrs. C. Wagner, 88 Mulock-avenue, West Toronto, on Sunday, Dec. 19th, William Miller, elder son of James McKinney, aged 53 years.

Funeral from above address on Tuesday, 1 p.m., to Dixie Methodist Church Cemetery.

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WILLIAMS—On Saturday, Dec. 18, 1909, at her residence, 113 Duke-street, N.W., widow of the late John Ryan.

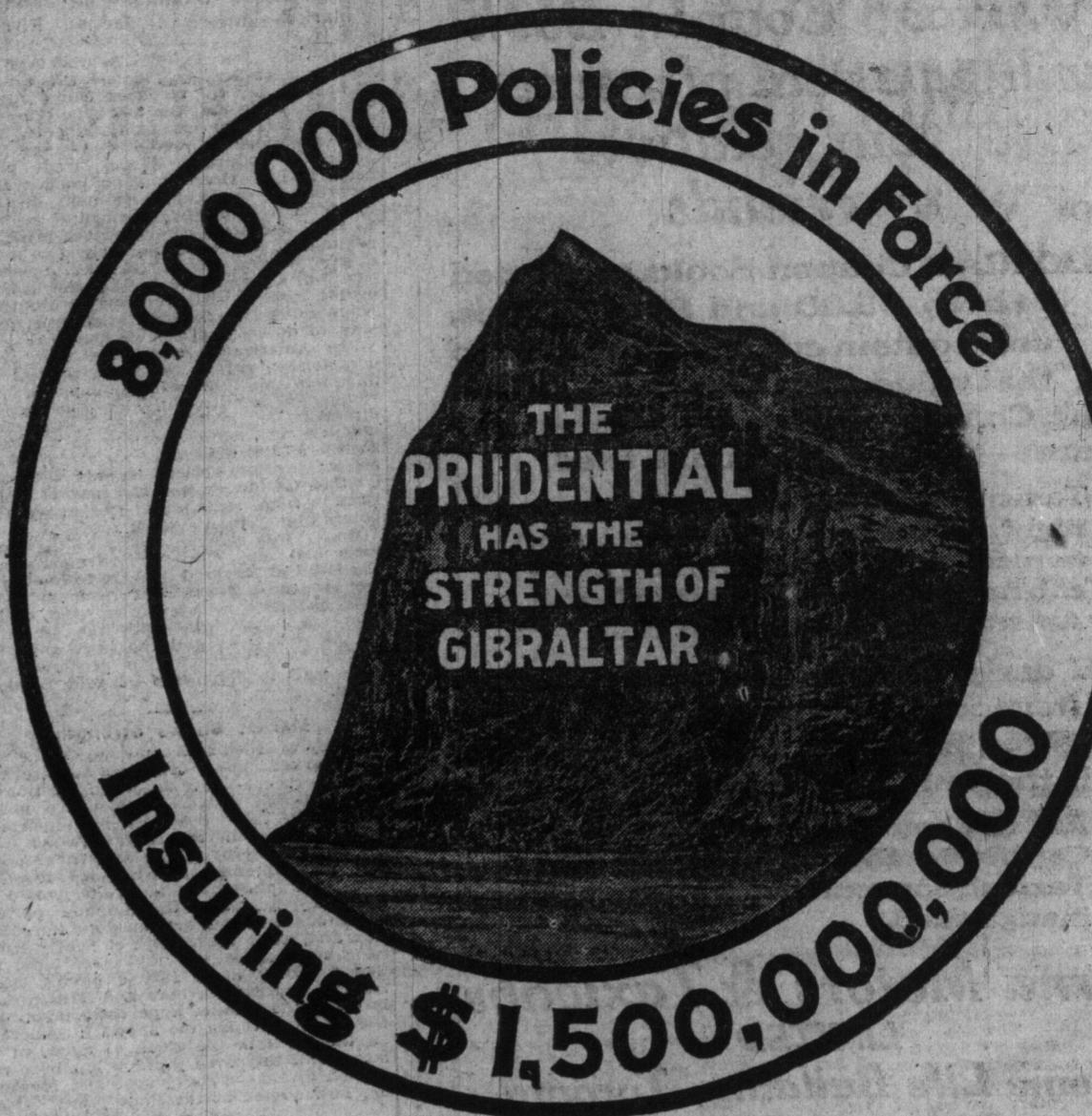
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CANADA'S DUTY TOWARDS IMPERIAL NAVAL DEFENCE

Continued From Page 8.

Canadian naval movement separate and apart from the British movement or that of any of the other states. It must be a movement of unity, a movement of concessions, and not a discord of conditions imposed by one or another. It must be a unity on the line of concessions, and the leadership must be in the motherland. I say again that I will give way to no man in asserting my Canadianism. I am willing, and the people of this country, I take it, are not only willing to give generously for building Dreadnoughts or super-Dreadnoughts, but are willing to impose some kind of taxation for joint naval defence, and are willing for the present that leadership should be in the mother country, which, by long usage by the traditions of her people and by her record at sea, is best fitted to maintain it. I read in the newspapers that the western farmer objects to being taxed for Canada assisting in the maintenance of British naval supremacy. I do not think that is so. I think that when the western farmer comes to see that British naval supremacy means for him the English

market, that it may mean in a very short time a preference for the products of the western plains in the British market, he will be prepared—I believe today he is prepared—when he understands the question, to vote liberally for this purpose. But he has to be educated in the matter, and we who are in public life and sit in this house have a duty of leadership imposed upon us. It is for us, if what we say in this house and if the resolutions we have passed mean anything, to go to the people and tell them what we think they ought to do and try to persuade them to do it. I know there will be no trouble in the Province of Ontario. There is no trouble in my own constituency. I do not believe there is any trouble in the west or in the Province of Quebec or in the maritime provinces. Premier Gouin, in Toronto yesterday, came out as boldly as any man in this country as an imperialist, a Canadian, a Britisher, saying on behalf of the people of Quebec that they are prepared to assume their part in the maintenance of British supremacy.

Leadership Wanted.

From one sea to the other, from the north to the south, that is the feeling of the people of Canada. All that is wanted is intelligent leadership, all that is wanted is a clear-cut declaration which the people can give their assent to, and once that declaration is made the parliament of Canada will be doing its duty and doing what the

promptly. The only democracy in the world to-day is the democracy of England and her daughter states; the only democracy in the world to-day is to be found under the British flag; democracy is a true British institution and it is an institution worth defending. To-day Great Britain is in one of the greatest political crises in her history, but thru the flexibility of her political institutions it will all be over in two months and the issue decided. There is no legislative assembly in the world that can compare in democracy to the house of commons of England, and labor is represented there as in no other parliament. In New Zealand, in Australia and in Canada we have the only genuine examples of democracy. They boast of their republican institutions in the United States, but to-day the United States senate has arrogated to itself all the political power in the land and it defies reform, while the house of lords in England on the other hand has even of itself proposed reform. In the United States they have a plutocracy of wealth and altho there is a theoretical democracy which says that one man's vote is as good as another man's, democracy has in reality disappeared and the banking institutions, and the railways, and the great trusts that control the supplies of oil and beef and coal are a ruling plutocracy there.

to maintain British democracy in its entirety is because of its beneficial influence upon the world at large. If these British institutions are so valuable to the human race, if they constitute the best form of government, then enjoying them as we do we ought to be prepared to maintain them and the best way to maintain them is in my belief by a liberal money grant. Let us be prepared in this time of peril to take our stand by British institutions; let us declare that we are ready to do our share and ready to do it now, and let us not be led away from that idea by a mere proposal to start to build a navy which would take some years to accomplish. Let us, if you will, go on with a navy—but in the meantime let us do our duty and let it be done in the shape of a generous gift for the defence of the empire. The prime minister may be afraid of a bold proposition of this kind, and perhaps he may have to be led into it, but there was a time when, on his return from Chicago, he was afraid to send troops to defend the empire in South Africa, an idea which the country was glad he abandoned. And as he changed his views on that occasion, and as, when he declared for the defence of British rights in South Africa, and gave a good effect to his declaration, so in this case I believe he will come to the idea that Canada should contribute and contribute without delay. The right hon. gentleman can afford to lead this country in that matter, and I believe ere long he will

go to the length of saying that Canadians are prepared to give a Dreadnought or two Dreadnoughts. Is the minister of finance prepared to give a Dreadnought? I am sure he is, and I am sure his province is prepared to give a Dreadnought and two if necessary. I am sure that every minister in that cabinet, if he reads his own heart and the hearts of his people, will declare in favor of coming out with a bold termination that they shall propose to this house the making of a generous grant for the building of two Dreadnoughts and when that proposal is made I believe this parliament will declare that Canada is of the empire and mean to stand to the empire, and that we are ready if necessary to join in some system of taxation on foreign goods, portion of which taxation shall be applied to a scheme of joint naval de-

C.N.R. MUST WAIT

No action will be taken by this year's city council on the application of the Canadian Northern for a lease of city

Canadian Northern for a lease of 999 years on the east side of the Don, now on the question of a spur line into Ashbridge's Marsh, which the C.N.R.'s request has brought to the fore.

While the board of control has not officially announced an intention to allow the council of 1910 to deal with the matter, the members have reached a tacit agreement to defer a decision. The feeling is that, as the proposition

The feeling is that, as the project involves not only the creating of several level crossings, but also access to the marsh, careful investigation should be given the whole project. The commissioners regard the question as a ticklish one to settle on the eve of a municipal election, especially since the board of trade is opposing the application while the Riverdale Business Men's Association favors giving the C.N.R. what it wants.

It is probable that a special committee will be appointed next year to report on the issues involved.

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This historical map illustrates the Don River's path through several urban areas. The river flows generally eastward, with its main channel and numerous tributaries labeled. Key locations shown include Etobicoke, Dufferin, North Toronto, and Scarborough. The map details street grids, railway lines (G.T.R., C.P.R., B.C.R.R.), and various landmarks such as Mount Pleasant Cemetery and the Town of North Toronto. A projected Ottawa line is also indicated.

The World presents the above map of the new northern boundary of the City of Toronto. At midnight Tuesday night the portion north of Danforth-avenue came in, and on Jan. 10 Wychwood and adjacent districts south of St. Clair-avenue and north of Davenport-road will come in. The eastern boundary of the city is now the line of the Township of Scarborough. The upper portion of the western boundary is set out in this map; where it is not extended to the south it means the western boundary of High Park. So that the whole bounds of the city are practically indicated in the drawing.

With the Bloor-street viaduct, one can see that the next north boundary of the city east of Yonge will be the Toronto and Ottawa line of the Canadian Northern to its junction with the Sudbury branch, and from there to the southeast corner of North and the Lansdowne subway and the Dundas-street bridges, the extension of the city had an unimpeded flow to the west and to the north, and therefore the city rapidly grew in those directions.

The above map also shows the little portion of the city that touches the Town of North Toronto, or, to use the legal term, is contiguous therewith, namely, between Upper Canada Street and Yonge-street, both west of Yonge-street. If the Town of North Toronto were wise and well-advised, it would get into the city at once and have its roads, sewer and Yonge-street pavement, not to mention a double-track street car service at a College and Lawton-avenue, both west of Yonge-street.

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ORDINATION AT ST. ALBAN'S

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St. Alban's Cathedral was crowded to the doors Sunday morning with a large and reverent congregation, on the occasion of the Advent ordination service, when one young man was ordained to the diaconate and three deacons proested.

The candidates were presented to the Bishop by Rev. Canon Broughall, and Canon Macnab vested them in their stoles. The sermon was preached by Rev. Canon Walsh of Brampton. The service was followed by a service, being the first occasion on which a Bishop of Toronto has done so with the walls of St. Alban's Cathedral. His fine, resonant voice showed to good effect in the stately music of the service. The communion office was also fully choral, and was splendidly rendered by the large choir of the cathedral.

The newly ordained deacon is George Ernest Simmons of Trinity College. The new priests are Henry Oswald

Nath. Llewellyn Evans Davis, and Rev. S. D. Denyer.

Other clergymen who were present and took part in the service were Revs. Principal O'Meara, Provost Macklem, Canon Septimus Jones, and Archdeacon Warren.

NEW I.O.O.F. LODGE

Danforth, No. 413, Instituted by Senator Derbyshire, G.M.

A new lodge of the Independent Order of Oddfellows, known as Danforth Lodge, No. 413, was instituted on Saturday, November 24th, 1906, at 45, Danforth Avenue, Brookville, and master of Ontario, conducted the ceremony, assisted by the following grand lodge officers: J. B. King, grand secretary; W. S. Johnston, G.R.; P.D.G.M. and James Powell, P.D.G.M.

The officers elected and installed were: N. G. Thomas Meacham; V.G. M. Roberts; R.S. Joseph Edge; F.S. A. V. Pestell, treasurer; G. W. Humphries; R.S.N.G. R. Stockhill; L.S.N. G. George F. Smith; R.S.V.G. Wm. Brooks; G. G. H. Brooks; I.G. S. Burton; R.S.A. John Robertson; acting P.G. Thomas Robertson. This is the third lodge in Riverville.

Humber Bay Athletic Club.

The Humber Bay Athletic Club opened its doors Saturday evening, November 24th, with a series of social functions. A free concert by local talent was provided. W. Reilly presiding. An old-time ball will be held on New Year's Eve.

The object of the club is to foster an interest in athletics at the Humber. The members include many prominent marathons, rowers, swimmers, baseball and lacrosse players brought out as a result of this organization.

Amongst the promoters are: Dr. Forbes Godfrey, Daniel Macklem, Frank Reeves, Wm. Gilman, Jas. Deedy, Wm. Miles and W. Reilly.

Toronto City Mission.

The Toronto City Mission is making an appeal for funds for the purpose of supplying Christmas dinners to needy ones on Saturday next. The list of those has grown from year to year.

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HOLIDAY DULNESS

Characterizes Dealings on London Market—American Section Firm.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The approach of the holiday considerably reduced the volume of business on the stock exchange during the last week, and the market generally was featureless, but steady. Prices, with few exceptions, showed little change. The buying of industrial shares, trade reports, and mining stocks, on good traffic reports, and a light investment demand for foreign bonds by continental as well as local operators composed the principal dealings of the week and helped to make a market for foreign securities. Speculation on a large scale was checked by dearer money; while the early strength in home rails, on good traffic returns, gave way to a general decline.

The American section, the quiet and occasionally erratic, was the firmest department on professional basis, and rumors of a general strike in various directions led by the higher bidding announcement, helped the tone in midweek.

Southern Pacific was bought by Walkers, with the low price offered, and the continental bond and the market closed firm in line, with prices unchanged to 6 points higher than a week ago.

Morale was not bad, and, in addition to the favorable features which we noted last week, there has been an important change over in the market which has materially improved the position of the market and the tendency of the close is up.

The price in Bonnay is Rs. 60, which is now only 4d below the London parity.

The market shows considerable reduction, and, after the receipt of news from London, a good deal less, £50,000 having been

shipped to China, and British and American buyers are taking advantage of the market.

China too shows a reduction on the week in the stock of stocks of 18 lacs. This improved position has been reflected in London, and spot and forward are now quoted at the same price.

Mocatta & Goldsmith say: Again we have to report continuing activity and strength in all metals, and once more it must be ascribed to the steady absorption of stocks in all the silver mines and to the gradual realization of this fact by the public. It may also have been a fair continental demand that has driven the quoted last week, the price has been reflected.

Charles Head & Co. to R. R. Bongard: The bank statement showed a large increase in loans, carrying reserve down \$3,000,000, and a corresponding fall, but this was the result of the lower rates of interest on the week and not a discount rate only slightly reduced. Closing was strong at near best, with outlook good for still higher prices next week.

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Cattle—Receipts 50 head; slow and 7c lower, \$6 to \$9.75.

Hogs—Receipts 5600 head; slow and steady; heavy and mixed \$8.50 to \$8.55.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts 5000 head; sheep active and steady; lambs slow and 5c lower; lambs \$3.25 to \$3.60; Canada lambs \$2.25 to \$2.40.

CATTLE MARKETS

Cables Unchanged—United States Markets Steady All Round.

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 18.—Cattle—Receipts 150 head; slow; prices unchanged.

Veal—Receipts 50 head; slow and 7c lower, \$6 to \$9.75.

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HOGS—Receipts 4800; nominally steady.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Beefs—Receipts 900; nominally firm; dressed beef quiet. Exports to-day, 922 cattle and 1736 quarters of hams.

Calves—Receipts 197; nothing doing; feeling steady for all sorts; dressed calves unchanged.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 6000 head; steady; good sheep sold at \$6; fairly good lambs at \$3.25.

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Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 1500; market steady; steers \$3.80 to \$4.30; western steers \$4 to \$6.30; stockers and feeders \$3.10 to \$5.10; cows and heifers \$2 to \$5.40; market lambs \$1.75 to \$2.25.

Hogs—Receipts estimated at 17,000; market steady; light \$3.00 to \$5.50; mixed \$3.25 to \$3.62; 1-2; heavy \$3.20 to \$7.20; rough \$2.25 to \$3.45; good to choice heavy \$2.70 to \$3.70; pigs \$7 to \$8; bulk of sales \$3.25 to \$3.60.

Sheep—Receipts estimated at 3000; market steady; native \$3.50 to \$5.80; western \$3.75 to \$5.65; yearlings \$3.35 to \$7.50; lambs, native, \$3.75 to \$5.60; western \$3.75 to \$5.60.

British Cattle Markets.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—London cables for live cattle, dressed weight: Liverpool 12½c to 13½c; refrigerator steer, 10½c to 11½c per lb.

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the Market—Outlook
For the Week.Erickson Perkins & Co. had the fol-
lowing: Stocks worked higher to lead-
ing firm, with standard issues lead-
ing Pennsylvania, Southern Pacific,
Union Pacific, U. S. Steel and Louis-
ville & Nashville were features of
strength. The activity of U. S. Steel
with some blocks of 3000 to 6000 shares
changing hands, had a good effect on
sentiment, giving the impression that
it is the intention to carry prices
higher next week. There appears to
be a clear track ahead for a few days
and a further rise of several points in
certain issues is well within the range
of possibilities. Should steel continue
to advance, other stocks will readily
follow. However, a great deal of steel
was for sale around 92 1-2 and the pool
would have to evince willingness to
take it all if the movement is to be a
success.Next week will be a mixed week in
stocks. While prices may work higher
if we get extensive gold exports to Eu-
rope, this would tend to check stock
trading. But, on the other hand, mon-
ey is coming this way from the interior
in such a large amount that this will
possibly more than offset any gold ex-
ports. There is nothing to worry about
in respect to the monetary situation.
The outlook for the local market is
good. There are indications where profit-
able liquidation, but the earning power
of both railroads and industries is
so great and strong that this consider-
ation here there is little reason for lack
of confidence in the future of the market.
If confidence continues to grow buying
power should increase and the market
will be able to withstand any further
sharp advances in the market.
January movements will shortly be
available and will naturally have at least
as a temporary stimulating effect as soon as
the holiday quiet is over.—Henry Clews.Railroad Earnings. Increase.
Twins city, 1st week Dec. \$10,532
Mo. Pacific, 2nd week Dec. \$23,000
Denver & Rio. 2nd week Dec. 5,950
West. Maryland, October. 10,783
United Ry. of St. Louis, Nov. 10,783
Great Western, October. 134,000
Can. Pacific, 2nd week Dec. 223,000

Decrease.

Money Markets. Bank of England discount rate, 4% per
cent. London call rate, 3% to 4% per
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4 Shopping Days Till Christmas

THE ROBERT SIMPSON COMPANY'S CHRISTMAS STORE

The Store Will Close at 5.30 To-Night, Monday

A Whole New Department for Christmas Week



Ladies' 8-piece Toilet and Manicure Set; the case is black leatherette, with white, green or purple lining, and the fittings, including brush and mirror, are solid silver. Special price for Tuesday \$7.50.

Ladies' 8-piece Manicure Set. Case is made of leatherette, with satin lining, and contains buffer, two salve boxes, file, cuticle knife, scissors and corn knife. Regular \$5.00 value. Tuesday \$3.75.

Same set, with silver mountings, complete, \$2.75.

50 pairs only of Men's Military Brushes, made with rose-

CHRISTMAS goods of the most Christmassy kind — Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, Shaving Sets, Smoking Sets, Collar and Cuff Sets, Tie Boxes, Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, Brushes, Mirrors, and such like. Visit it and choose early — the first who come are always best rewarded.

wood backs and 12 rows of long stiff white bristles, in a soft grain leather case. Regular value \$4.50. Tuesday \$2.25.

36 only Men's Three-piece Shaving Set. The case is satin lined, and contains a large size silver shaving mug, gold handle, with massive silver shaving brush of extra good quality, and good quality razor. A \$5.50 outfit. Tuesday \$3.48.

Men's Brush and Comb Set, genuine ebony brush and hard rubber comb, in a satin lined leatherette case. Regular \$2.75. Tuesday \$1.89.

In the Jewelry Store

SUGGESTIONS, ideas, inspirations by the thousand when you come.



Watches—We are strong on Waltham Watches. Other movements. See our \$5.00 Watches Tuesday. See our \$5.00 Watches Tuesday.

50 Watches, chain complete, for \$5.00, which you pay \$10.00 for ordinary.

Silverware at Simpson's prices—Wm. A. Rogers' Spoons and Forks, \$1.00. Six Teaspoons for 94¢. Six Dessert Spoons for \$1.00. Six Tea Spoons for 94¢. Butter Knives, Sugar Spoons and Pickle Forks for 25¢. All Wm. A. Rogers' guaranteed quadruple plate.

English Plated Ware in plenty—Entree Dishes, Tea Sets, etc. All Entree Dishes, silver plated, nickel silver, bead border, detachable handle. For \$5.00. Tuesday. Just 25 of them—worth twice our price. Dishes, silver and gold, and China combinations. \$5.00. Doulton china, gold stipple handles or servers to match the bowls.

A Sale of Calendars

WORKS of art they are, too, although only practically useful for a year.

500 only Calendars for 1910, four page photograph, after famous artists; size 20 inches by 18 inches, very artistic, tied with ribbon; boxed for mailing. Never sold less than \$1.25 each. Our price while they last, 99¢ each.

On Book Department. See window.

CHRISTMAS PAPERIE.

500 assorted Christmas Box Papers, 24 sheets of paper, 24 envelopes to match, good quality, handsome boxes. Regular 25¢ and 35¢. While they last, 15¢ each.

On sale Stationery Department.

A Choice Collection of Christmas Suspenders

Prices 50¢ to \$1.50.

Three separate counters, on account of their popularity—

"Rea" Store.

New Store.

Old Store.

Put into handsome Christmas boxes.

Braces, Armlets and Garters in sets, all together in a Christmas box for 75¢, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

1000 PAIRS OF 35¢ SUSPENDERS AT 25¢.

1000 Men's Fancy Christmas Suspenders, in gift boxes, a large variety of shadings, kid ends. Clearing Tuesday 25¢.

Furs for Men at a \$5 or \$10 Limit

Men's German Otter Collar, best grade \$5.00
Men's Nutria Beaver Collar, best grade 5.00
Men's Persian Lamb Collar, best grade 5.00
Men's German Otter Gauntlet Mitts 5.00
Men's Canadian Raccoon Mitts 5.00
Men's Persian Lamb Fur Cap 5.00
Men's Canada Beaver Fur Cap 10.00
Men's Extra Choice Persian Lamb Fur Cap 10.00
Men's Imitation Buffalo Coat 10.00
Or a Fur Robe, in black goat skin, best quality, plush lined, very suitable for motor car or sleigh and carriage purposes 10.00

Another Car Load of Oranges

One car Redpath's Standard Granulated Sugar, 20 lbs. \$1.00.
2000 lbs. Choice Valencia Raisins, 4 lbs. 25¢.
2000 lbs. Currants, cleaned, 31-2 lbs. 25¢.
New Orleans Molasses, 2-lb. tin 10¢.
Mixed Pastry Spice, 3-oz. tin, shaker top, per tin 7¢.
Canada Corn Starch, per package 7¢.
Prepared Icing, all colors, 3 packages 25¢.

Perfection Baking Powder, 3 lbs. 25¢.
Woodstaff's Pure Crabapple Jelly, 1-lb. jar 18¢.
One car choice Mexican Oranges, good size, per dozen 18¢.
Choice Side Bacon, paemalized ham, 2 lb., per lb. 20¢.
Grape Wine, Sterling Brand, reported quart bottle, 25¢.
Christmas Poultry, prices right.
Telephone direct to department. Main 7841.

Prize Winners for Competition No. 11

Ward 1-Bertram Cameron	182 First Avenue
Ward 2-B. Motterich	250 Ontario Street
Ward 3-H. Holley	125 Yonge Street
Ward 4-Vincent Pelletiere	275 Yonge Street
Ward 5-Stella McClure	116 Yarmouth Road
Ward 6-Mabel McLean	238 Hallam Avenue
Ward 7-Billie Miller	7 Ferguson Avenue
Suburban—Fred Miller	Evercourt
Ontario—Roy Dimma	Mount Joy

Shop in the Morning — Take Small Parcels — Use Transfer Card

The Christmas Time Table

Store opens 8 a.m. daily.
Closes Monday 5.30 p.m.
Closes Tuesday 5.30 p.m.
Closes Wednesday 10.00 p.m.
Closes Thursday 10.00 p.m.
Closes Friday 10.00 p.m.
Restaurant serves until closing time.

Combs, Barrettes, Hair Pins and Hair Ornaments



"A WOMAN'S glory is in her hair," but hair unadorned and unrestrained by pretty combs looks positively disreputable now-a-days. To please a modern Psyche, show her that you know what becomes her hair. We can advise you.

We have experts at such matters, and a stock culled from all Europe's and America's newest and best.

We have just placed in stock two large sets of Combs, different from makers in Paris. We have neither the room nor space to tell you about these exclusive novelties at length, so come in and take a peep into our comb cases.

Back Combs we have in all the latest Parisian designs and mounts, at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50.

SPECIAL TUESDAY.

300 Sample Paris Combs to sell at \$1.00.

In regular way they would sell at \$2.00.

Leather Novelties for Tuesday



THIS leather goods stock of ours would be noteworthy in any city. We are marching in the very front rank this Christmas.

On Tuesday we have prepared for a big Battle and a Victory. See the array:

Writing Cases on the counter inside Queen Street door, at 29¢ and 35¢.

Fitted Work Boxes for children at 25¢.

Children's Small Hand Bags, real leather, gilt frames, etc., 99¢.

2100 Women's Hand Bags, 8, 9, and 10-inch frames, fitted with change purse, in black and colors, 12 styles to choose from, and the finest qualities and best bag styles in Toronto, for \$1.25.

Handsome Leatheroid Handkerchief and Glove Cases. Each 25¢.

Collar Bags, something extra good, at 75¢.

Handkerchiefs of Swiss Perfection

THIS is a Handkerchief Christmas, and this is the Handkerchief Store.

Such variety!

Such designs!

Such quality at moderate prices!

See our selections at

3 for 25¢.

2 for 25¢.

3 for 50¢.

2 for 50¢.

Nothing quite so dainty for Christmas to be found anywhere at such trifling cost.

Silk Department is Offering a Special Lot of Waist Lengths

Plain and fancy silks, neatly put up in boxes for holiday gifts at \$1.98, \$2.75 and \$3.50 each.

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PROBABILITIES

Fresh westerly winds; fair and cold, with some snow flurries.

A Clearing Sale of Men's House Coats

\$4.50 and \$5.00 Coats for \$3.95 — just the thing for any man who has a wife and a home. Many a man will expect a new House Coat this Christmas. Don't disappoint by buying him something that he doesn't want instead.

We offer a "special" price on House Coats tomorrow:

Men's House Coats or Smoking Jackets, made from soft, smooth imported tweeds, in wine, grey, brown and olive shades, in two-tone effects, finished with silk cord edgings; cuffs and pockets; newest style of coat. Regular \$4.50 and \$5.00. Tuesday, \$3.95.

MEN'S OVERCOATS

Men's New Stylish Chatelefond Overcoats. In rich black English melton cloth; made up with the fur edge and double-stitch raised seams; hand tailored best trimmings. Special price. Tuesday, \$12.00.

Men's College Ulsters, in the best English tweed coating, brown and grey mixtures, with faint colored thread; newest Prussian collar; handsome coat; tailored and finished latest style—\$12.50.

Paris Model Petticoats

\$18.50, \$20.00, \$25.00 AND \$35.00 SKIRTS FOR \$8.95.

Twenty only!

Imported Parisian models; sky, pink, ivory, black and white stripe effects; trimmed with fine laces, hand-colored velvet applique and ruchings; deep pleated flounces of chiffon over taffeta.

Only one in each style. Tuesday, \$8.95.

No Phone or Mail Orders.

What 25¢ Will Do in the Toy Department

BUT after all it's not so much what 25¢ will do in the Toy Department that matters—it's what it will do in the home of a happy little child.

This department is overflowing with the joy-making materials of childhood. Toys — what an importance they hold for little ones. And what a paltry expense when you come to a store like this. Just see what you can get here for the trifling sum of 25¢ — a mere shilling!

A Canadian Boy Must Have a Sleigh

ON SALE FOURTH FLOOR WEDNESDAY.

50 only Rover Sled, regular \$1.10. Babies' Sleighs, regular \$1.10. Monday 79¢. Girls' Sleighs, regular 90¢. Bob Sleighs, regular \$2.25. Monday 79¢.

Fourth Floor.

A Half Price (and Less) Sale of Cabinet China

BEAUTIFUL is the one word—but it is such a hard-worked word! When we tell you these half-priced China Cabinet Pieces are "beautiful" we don't mean to class it with the cheaper grades of china that, in default of another word, are called beautiful, too. Print may be designed so prettily as to be called beautiful, but you can distinguish between the beauty of printed cotton and the rich imperial glow of a courtly silk.

Similarly this china may be compared. Its beauty is the aristocracy of beauty. Much of it was imported to this country for exhibition purposes, to demonstrate the highest development of the art of pottery as known and practised to-day. We secured them early this season at an enormous sacrifice on the part of the potters concerned. They preferred to dispose of the ware rather than ship it back across the Atlantic and re-run the risk of breakage.

A perfect mine of inspiration for Christmas!

Royal Worcester Fruit Jar, Reg. \$25.00. Tuesday \$20.00.

Royal Worcester Vase, Reg. \$7.00. Tuesday \$5.00.

Royal Worcester Vase, Reg. \$4.50. Tuesday \$3.00.

Royal Worcester Vase, Reg. \$13.00. Tuesday \$9.00.

Royal Worcester Rose Jar, Reg. \$18.50. Tuesday \$15.00.

Royal Worcester Fern Pots, Reg. \$13.00. Tuesday \$9.00.

Royal Crown Derby Vase, Reg. \$52.00. Tuesday \$26.00.

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