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# Ballots by the Hundred Tempered With In Several of the Divisions of Ward Six

### Stunning Evidence of Fraud Unearthed in Board of Education Election.

### NEW PHASE OF THE CORRUPTION

Interest in the civic election scandal suddenly shifted yesterday when five divisions investigated when five returning officers and clerks. Wholesale frauds have been discovered, and Judge Winchester asserts that more than half of the ballots in the subdivisions investigated show gross irregularities. He declared that a most atrocious condition is revealed by the examination of the votes cast in subdivisions 3, 4 and 9, Ward Six. The sensational developments from this source overshadowed in importance the reports of some eight more cases of personation in the votes for controllers discovered by the detectives in the second division of Ward Five. Interest remains keen in view of official intonations of further summonses being issued for at least one councillor and persons who the records show have voted more than once contrary to law. Those involved by the new summons are:

- COL. JOHN GRAY, polling clerk No. 3, Ward 6, residence 1457 West Queen-st.
- FRANK A. GRAY, D.R.O., No. 3, Ward 6, druggist, 1406 West Queen-st.
- JOHN E. LATON, D.R.O., No. 3, Ward 6, a contractor, residence 1459 West Queen-st.
- ALFRED W. H. GIANNELLI, D.R.O., No. 1, Ward 6, manager Standard Store Service Co., residence 122 Empress-st.
- LOUIS H. GIANNELLI, poll clerk, No. 4, Ward 6, watchmaker, residence 135 Argyle-st.

**Unearthed a Heavy Vote.**  
This is the section in which Dr. Rowland B. Orr received his exceedingly heavy vote for school trustee. Dr. Orr's vote was swelled by the fraudulent work in these divisions. The ballots were marked with illegible heavy vote for school trustee. Dr. Orr's vote was swelled by the fraudulent work in these divisions. The ballots were marked with illegible heavy vote for school trustee. Dr. Orr's vote was swelled by the fraudulent work in these divisions. The ballots were marked with illegible heavy vote for school trustee.

### POLL BOOK ON SLATTERY.

The further the poll books are investigated the more comes out that interests the public. It has been discovered that the well-known solicitor, who is counsel for ex-Ald. Burns, T. Frank Slattery, is charged with having voted twice for controllers, in sub-division 14 of Ward 4 and sub-division 21 of Ward 6. Mr. Slattery denies the charge, and says that the only votes he cast were as follows: In Ward 4 for controllers and aldermen; in Ward 5, Mr. Slattery has fallen into the same error as his client, and has wrongfully voted twice for the bylaw.

## Blown From Their Beds By a Cyclone in Alabama

### Twenty-Eight Persons, Most Negroes, Killed and Over 100 Injured.

Tuscaloosa, Ala., Jan. 22.—The most disastrous cyclone that ever swept over this section struck Monday, Ala., a town of 500 inhabitants, 15 miles south of Tuscaloosa, this morning, at 1 o'clock, and as a result twenty-eight (mostly negroes) were killed, and more than 100 injured and every business store in town, with the exception of a small drug store, was completely destroyed. The cyclone struck the town from the southwest. Its path was a quarter of a mile wide right thru the town.

## Independent Phones 'Shun Time to Put in Application

### To Have Connection or Communication With or Within a Railway Station.

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—(Special.)—The Railway Commission Act comes into force on Feb. 1, and it behooves municipalities that have independent telephone lines which are not desirably connected, to move in the matter and have their desires satisfied. Much interest is being taken in the launch of the Railway Commission, and especially in the possible working along the line of granting independent telephone companies connection with railway stations. The Municipal Telephone Company of Port Arthur has already been given connection with the C.N.R., and will once apply to the Railway Commission for admission to the C.P.R. station. At Locust Hill, the Farmers' Co-Operative Telephone Company is still awaiting the C.P.R. station, but the members of the Co-Operative Company are moving and will immediately apply to the Railway Commission for power to connect with the C.N.R. and C.P.R. stations.

### BELOVED LITTLE ADMIRAL.

Queen Alexandra's Tribute on Wreath for Sir Henry Keppel.

London, Jan. 22.—The remains of Sir Henry Keppel, Admiral of the Fleet, who died on Jan. 11, were removed from London and interred at Whitechapel, yesterday afternoon. The funeral was a grand affair, and a detachment of five hundred bluejackets and marines forming the escort and bringing the coffin was seen. The only floral tribute on the admiral's coffin was a wreath from the King, Queen Alexandra, and the Emperor William and the Prince of Wales all sent special representatives, and the Duke of Devonshire, Lord Roberts, many naval and military officers and the Hon. Mrs. George Keppel were present.

### DIED OF STARVATION.

Hubbard of Outing Lost in Wilds of Labrador.

Quebec, Jan. 22.—Word was received here today from Chateau Bay, on the Labrador coast, that a courier had arrived there yesterday from Northwest River with the information that Mr. Hubbard of the exploring party sent out on the "outing" of New York had died of starvation in the wilds of Labrador on the 18th October last, and that the remains were by the other members of the expedition, which expected to reach Chateau Bay some several hundred miles below Chateau Bay.

### TORONTO CLEARING HOUSE.

The annual meeting of the members of the Toronto Clearing House was held in their office on the 21st inst. The following banks were elected a Board of Management for 1904: Bank of Commerce, Bank of Montreal, Bank of British North America, Bank of Toronto, Dominion, Imperial and the Standard.

### STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

Jan. 22. At. From. To. ...  
New York, ...  
Boston, ...  
London, ...  
Liverpool, ...

## GEO. WOODCOCK DECLINES GEORGE PROCTOR CHOSEN

### At Large and Enthusiastic Convention of Conservatives of North Ontario at Sunderland.

Sunderland, Jan. 22.—(Special.)—This is a day that will go down in the annals of the North Riding of the County of Ontario as a red-letter day. Never in the history of this grand old riding did the Conservatives evince greater enthusiasm, and that is saying much, than that displayed today at the nominating convention. Delegates were present from every part of the riding, and all took great interest in the business as it came before the meeting. The chair was occupied by S. B. Todd of Uxbridge, and on the platform were such well-known work-woulds and wardens as Mr. Todd, Mr. G. H. Gilchrist, Mr. J. Gibbs, Mr. Charles Kelly, W. B. Bennett, Philip McCree, W. H. Black, Charles Junkin, P. Todd, W. H. Hoyle, M.L.A., A. Broder, M.P., W. A. Falloway, J. H. Chisham, Allen Gray, Hugh Wilson and a number of ladies.

**Metastatic Declines Honor.**  
At 2 o'clock the chairman called the meeting to order, and explained the object of the convention, and requested the secretary, R. A. Sinclair, to read the minutes of last meeting, which were read and approved. The convention was then opened by the speaker, Mr. Todd, who was greeted with cheers. He explained that owing to George McCormick's large interests in the Dominion, he was unable to accept the nomination of the Conservative party of North Ontario, adding that Mr. McCormick would do all his power to assist in the election of whoever was the choice of the convention.

**Old Liberal at North Oxford Street: I get off here, young man. I made a mistake—thought I was on a Mowat Liberal Line car.**

### MURDEROUS ASSAULT.

Young Man in London strikes Woman with Iron Bolt.

London, Jan. 22.—A murderous assault was made on Mrs. Parker, an aged lady who keeps a small grocery at the corner of Colborne and Simco streets, this city, today. A young man whose name is thought to be Brooks, stepped into the store and asked for a pound of tobacco, and when Mrs. Parker handed him a tin, he struck her on the head with a large iron bolt.

### STATIC SPARK BROUGHT LIFE.

Interesting and Successful Experiment Tried by Petrolina Physicist.

Petrolina, Jan. 22.—A successful experiment was tried by a local medical man the other day. Dr. R. S. Maclean, a little more than a year ago, had the habit of showing no signs of life, ordinary means of establishing respiration were used with no avail. Dr. Calder, who was called in consultation, had read of a similar case in Essex County, where respiration had been restored by means of the static spark. He resolved to try it in this case.

### CHARGED WITH EMBEZZLEMENT.

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—A. H. Bruenker, who was allowed to go on suspension sentence by Magistrate Giesbrecht on a charge of fraud this morning, is held by the police on a telegram from London, Ont., which says a warrant has been issued against him on a charge of embezzlement.

### David Hopkins, P. C. A., Chartered Accountant.

Mr. Hopkins, P. C. A., Chartered Accountant, has removed to 100 St. George Street, Toronto.

## Rev. Dr. Mackay on R. Butler's Platform Whitney and Foy Speak at Woodstock

### Resounding Conservative Meeting—Dr. Welford Changes His Politics After 23 Years.

Woodstock, Jan. 22.—(Special.)—The largest gathering ever seen at Woodstock under Conservative auspices assembled to-night in the City Hall to respect to the leader of the party in Ontario and his lieutenant. The hall was tastefully decorated with flags and bunting, and a large banner across the stage spoke the common sentiment, "Welcome to our leader." The gallery was filled with ladies who were equally enthusiastic with the men in showing their appreciation of the speaker.

**Another One Struck by Avalanche of Snow and Third Broke Leg on Icy Walk.**

There were many accidents yesterday from various causes.

### ROSEBERY AND HARCOURT UNITE UNDER DEVONSHIRE

Parliamentary Commission to Investigate Fiscal Changes Suggested to Defeat Chamberlain.

Birmingham, Jan. 22.—The Post today says the movement for placing the Duke of Devonshire, president of the Liberal Unionists, at the head of the Free Trade party has incidentally effected a complete healing of the breach between Lord Rosebery, former Premier, and Sir William Vernon Harcourt, the well-known Liberal, and that the latter will shortly make clear his position and will warmly support the Devonshire-Rosebery combination, which is opposed to the protective tariff advocated by Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, former Colonial Secretary.

### PERFECT MIXER.

A mineral water, to be a good mixer, requires a certain peculiar combination. Nature seldom provides so skillfully as she does in her grand old workshop, the Laurentian Mountains, far removed from the crowded haunts of man, and very secretly, 500 feet below the surface, it is there that the most careful hygienic supervision, for the use of mankind in general and Canadians in particular, "Drink Radnor, the best of mixers."

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### Bible Society Anniversary.

Association Hall should be well filled on Tuesday evening next when Rev. Dr. Poole, Rev. Canon Welch, Rev. A. L. Giesbrecht, Rev. Dr. Perry and J. C. Corp. will read in fifteen minute addresses, with different features of the work of the Upper Canada Bible Society.

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### TO-DAY IN TORONTO.

Prof. R. G. Moulton on "The Bible as Literature," Wesley Hall, 2 p.m.  
Laying of the foundation stone of the new building of the Ontario Agricultural College, at Guelph, 2 p.m.  
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## END IS NOT YET IN SIGHT SEVERAL MORE TO SPEAK

### Hon. E. J. Davis and Mr. Downey Held the Floor Yesterday Till Adjournment.

The end of the debate on the address in reply to the speech from the throne is not yet in sight. It is not likely that there will be a vote on the new member for North Oxford seated. Among the opposition members who are to speak yet are J. W. St. John, W. J. Hanna, R. G. Ganey and A. A. Mahaffey. Joseph Downey of South Wellington had the floor when the house adjourned at 5 o'clock on Friday afternoon. His vote remains on Monday afternoon, probably taking about an hour, and the Attorney-General will follow him. It has not yet been decided what other government members will speak in this debate.

There were few spectators in the gallery yesterday, when Hon. E. J. Davis took up the debate. He dealt with the home-education and asserted that the attitude of a newspaper must be judged from its general tone, not from a few isolated statements. The Globe had said some things of the opposition which were not complimentary. Mr. Davis dealt with the protest, defending himself from attacks of opposition speakers. Apart from the speeches, which were able, the only matter discussed was the side-tracking of questions addressed to the government. Col. Matheson charged that they were about to be set on the effect they might have on the vote in North Oxford next Tuesday.

Col. Matheson entered another protest against the questions on the order paper being put aside in favor of the debate with the speaker on the address.

The Premier intimated that the address being under discussion and the effect involving what was practically a vote of want of confidence in the government, he thought it should go on and more especially as there are no pressing business on the order paper.

Col. Matheson still objected to the establishing of a practice entirely contrary to the rules. Some of the questions were important and might seriously affect the vote in North Oxford.

The Attorney-General defended the procedure. It was very inexpedient and inconvenient that a different course of business should be going on parallel with the debate on the address.

Hon. Mr. Davis resumed his speech, but declined to call the attention of the house to the fact that the transaction of all public business should be avoided till the adoption of the address. The speaker read from Bouring page 251, to the effect that the order of Canadian practice to discuss public business during the consideration of the address, and further that the transaction of all public business should be avoided till the adoption of the address.

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## THE ONTARIO LEGISLATURE

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"the main stream must govern." The few sentences quoted from the Globe articles do not represent its general tone. It is not a new thing that Liberals speak their mind freely. They think for themselves, and they may not always agree with the suggestions thus thrown out had done great good. Also friends of the government pointed out where there might be improvement, it did not mean that they wished the opposition to cross the floor and take the government benches. The article in the Globe had also stated that the opposition had steadily degenerated in power; that it was a far cry from Whitney to Meredith, and that Mr. Ross was the equal, if not the superior, of any leader the house had had.

**As Sunday School Teacher.**  
Mr. Lucas had remarked that judging from the Premier's present acts it was a long time ago since he had taught Sunday school. Mr. Davis declared the flippant manner of Mr. Lucas in that connection. He could not believe that the laughter of the opposition had been caused by the allusion to the Premier's record as a Sunday school teacher.

Mr. Davis had changed his custom of quoting from The World or The Mail, to the Globe, and Mr. Lucas had quoted from the Globe. Mr. Davis had said that if it were not for the fact that the Premier had not believed that the laughter of the opposition had been caused by the allusion to the Premier's record as a Sunday school teacher.

**Applied Geography.**  
J. W. St. John had made no such statement with regard to the seven members of the cabinet. He had distinctly said that personalities should not be indulged in. He had referred to the actions of the government and saw no reason to retract his words.

Mr. Davis asked if he was to understand that the Premier was not to apply personally to the members of the government.  
Mr. St. John: Personally, as members, certainly not.  
Mr. Davis thought the distinction very fine, and wished to know, if it did not apply to them as individuals, did it apply to them as public men?  
Mr. St. John wished it to be applied to their public acts, and Mr. Davis desired to use the strongest language in saying that there was any foundation for such language.

**Loose Hat Debate.**  
"Mr. Davis quoted from The Ottawa Free Press of Dec. 30, and wished to call attention to Mr. Drake's denial of the interview attributed to him, and which he denounced as a fake. He accepted the responsibility of his friend's blunder."  
Mr. Davis defended the railway policy of the government. A rate of one cent a mile had been obtained from the Canadian Northern, and other railways since reduced rates and also on settlers' fleets.

**Questions of corruption money engaged.** Mr. Davis: He was anxious to know who paid Mr. Birmingham, Mr. Wright and others in North Oxford, and Buffalo detectives in earlier campaigns. He thought that if there was one thing Higgins despised it was when a man had a habit which he concealed openly and continually, while he was constantly condemning the same thing in others. He expected that North Oxford would be a rebuke to his leader, who only a couple of days before had hurried across the floor of the house in the indignation that there were millions on hand the opposition ship. Mr. Downey had read from Mr. Preston's paper a statement that the appointment of S. Jackson to an office was a disgrace to the Liberal party. Mr. Preston had also condemned the delay in holding the election in North Renfrew, declaring it would not bring a moral wrong but a tactical error.

**Loose Hat Debate.**  
The member for South Wellington

# WORK AND LEISURE

**Miss Armenia Charlton, Teacher at Toronto Junction, Resigns After Five Years Service.**  
**MISS WADDELL MAY SUCCEED HER**

Complaint that the Suburban Railway is Not Giving the Town an Adequate Service.  
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# KAY'S "QUALITY THAT COUNTS" KAY'S

## LAST WEEK

Record-Making January Sale

15, 20 and 25 Per Cent. Straight Cash Discount Off Lowest Marked Prices.

YOU have seven days to secure some of the very unusual opportunities in home furnishings offered in the leading departments of this great store.

Acting on our policy that no goods are allowed to stagnate in the store, we make discounts of the regular selling price that compel attention from the home buyer.

REMEMBER that these goods are of the well-known "Kay Quality," which means distinctive goods. Then mark the price:

## Carpets and Linoleums

15 Per Cent. Discount

—This means that our grand value Brussels—no value to compare with in the city—at 90c, will now cost the shopper 76 1/2c.

## Entire Rug Stock

20 Per Cent. Discount

—By way of illustration we may speak of our celebrated Kashmir Rugs that are found in many sizes. Size 8x10.2, marked \$60, will be \$48; 9x12, marked \$75, will be \$60; 10x12, marked \$85, will be \$68; and so on up to the largest sizes.

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20 Per Cent. Discount

—This means that Nottingham Curtains at \$1 per pair will cost only 80c; \$1.38, for \$1.08; \$1.50, for \$1.20; \$1.85, for \$1.48; \$2.50, for \$2; and the same discount applying to whatever price curtain is selected.

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25 Per Cent. Discount

—Our range of Wall Papers contains the finest goods in English, French and American manufacture, very special designs, and in many cases designs exclusive to our own business.

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Our great annual January clearing of furniture is nearing its close. There is just one week left, and we will make it an extremely interesting one in the matter of splendid values offered. Our stock of furniture, covering three immense floors, offers you an unequalled choice. Special prices on every piece.

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THE BALLOT AS AN AID TO CRIME

There is good ground for saying that the ballot system is condemned by its history in this country. The single merit of protecting voters against intimidation is claimed for it. But it is possible to exercise intimidation, or to procure evidence that a bribed voter has kept his contract, by ordering him to stay away from the polls. At all events, whatever advantage the ballot may have in this respect, there is a heavy account on the other side of the ledger.

The ballot has given rise to new crimes against the elector, including the use of bogus ballots and the destruction of good ones. It has facilitated repeating and perjury, by making it more difficult to trace the crime. As a result of this we have had an army of pluggers and perjurators. The female suffrage voters are a favorite mark, and women can be found who make a practice of perjury.

Governments are entrenched in power, and corporations are enabled to elect their agents, by using the army of professional perjurators, ballot-stealers and ballot-pollers. Each political party has charged the other with the crime of perjury, and find that they are called on in municipal elections on an enormous scale.

The poll book under open voting answers two purposes. It protects the honest voter. It aids in tracing out and discovering the perjurator. It is a clear and intelligible record, which a heap of ballot papers in a box never state for whom each person votes, it facilitates the discovery of fraud.

We do not say that as yet the case for the restoration of open voting is established. We admit that the ballot affords a certain protection, but not complete protection, to timid voters. But the question is clearly up for discussion. It must be either open voting or an absolute and honest system of balloting. In England they seem to have an honest ballot, at least we hear no complaints on that score, and it would be worth one's while to investigate their methods. In this country it seems almost impossible to ensure an absolutely honest election by ballot.

As far as we are concerned, we are one of those who believe that the ballot is a forced back on voting as the less of two evils. Voting by ballot seems to be as much in discredit as trial of election protests by judges. The "pluggers" and the "saw-off" are the loathsome features of one or the other.

NO LONGER A MAN OF PEACE. Hon. E. J. Davis tells of his gallant but futile effort to induce the Ross government to hold the election trials before calling a session of the legislature. He is one of those Liberal members whose seats are menaced by election petitions.

When the question of calling the legislature on Jan. 14, to hold of the election trials, came up in the cabinet council, Mr. Davis insisted that the petitions should be disposed of first. He argued, with his usual vigor, with his cabinet colleagues. If the truth were known it would be found that Mr. Davis went further, and that in the heat of the cabinet controversy, he heaved a paper weight at Hon. G. W. Ross, slipped an ink bottle at Hon. J. M. Gibson and concluded by kicking over the cabinet table. But all to no purpose. His colleagues were determined to meet the legislature on the day fixed by the courts for the trial of the petitions. Thoroughly exhausted by his righteous exertions, Mr. Davis surrendered to the will of the majority.

The part played by Mr. Davis at this memorable cabinet meeting occasions surprise by reason of his well-known peace tendencies. Less than a year ago, Mr. Davis resigned his seat in the legislature rather than cause the friction and heat of a heated election trial. He had only to intimate to the Ross government that he would resign his seat and his portfolio rather than leave himself and his party open to the charge of burling election trials.

It is inclined to habitual constipation and should be given to the constipation of Mandrake and Butternut, which cleanse the system and regulate the stomach and bowels. For mild and sure relief use only Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Price 25c.

HOW THE SCANDAL HAS GROWN.

The surprise in the result of the municipal elections on New Year's day was the defeat for controller of William Burns, alderman and controller in the Council of 1903, and who, for various reasons, was accounted sure of election for 1904.

In civic politics, Dame Rumor never was her tongue more industriously than just before and just after the election. This time she gave vague hints of crooked voting, having some of its objects in the polling of the vote. Some there were who listened, believed and set out to verify that which was, up to Friday morning last, "generally said."

The friends of William Burns, chagrined at his unsuccess, urged that he take steps to inquire into the causes of the vote as polled in those sub-divisions which gave Controller Richardson majorities in comparison with those secured by himself and the other candidates. James Hales, defeated for the Board of Education, believing that a recount would give him a place, instituted proceedings.

Jan. 13—Inspection of Board of Education ballots begun. Jan. 14—Mr. Burns, thru his solicitor, secures order for inspection of controllers' ballots. Jan. 15—The World intimates that the inspection will show that a controller candidate voted for himself more than once; inspection is called off after brief examination of a few sub-divisions; irregularities of a serious nature alleged in sub-division 3, Ward 4, and sub-division 3, Ward 10.

Jan. 16—Police set to work to collect accurate and official evidence of impersonation. Jan. 17—Mr. Slattery, solicitor for Mr. Burns, declares that on the day prior to the inspection, Controller Richardson phoned him to meet Controller Loudon, who said that if he scrutinized them "they would make trouble for William Burns."

Jan. 18—Sam Thompson, D.R.O., sub-division 9, Ward 4, arrested. Jan. 19—William Burns summoned for the Board of Education. Jan. 20—Burns remanded until Tuesday next; City Council takes up question of civic investigation, mentioning Hon. S. H. Blake, K.C., as counsel.

Jan. 21—George Maguire, D.R.O., sub-division 3, Ward 3, summoned; 20 witnesses subpoenaed for charges against Thompson. Jan. 22—Board of Education report shows apparent fraud in certain ballots cast for Dr. Orr, and summonses are issued against John Gray, D.R.O., and Frank Gray, poll clerk, sub-division 9, and A. S. Gianelli, D.R.O., and Louis Gianelli, poll clerk, sub-division 4, Ward 6; Hon. S. H. Blake expresses willingness to act, the fearing his connection with the Street Railway Company will act as a barrier; Maguire remanded until Thursday.

such a case as that of the United States, the great bulk of whose imports into the United Kingdom consists of foodstuffs, would support a limited retaliation as a means of redress. And he ignores altogether the imperial side of the question. But there is still hope for the Duke. If he is so strongly convinced of the righteousness and effectiveness of a retaliatory tariff it may be the schoolmaster that will ultimately lead him to a sane system. Meantime he is regarding the issue in too insular a manner and must cultivate the broader standpoint of those who are learning to think imperially.

Flushed with the victory over Russia, there will be no end to Japan's aggressiveness, and one of these days they may have the temerity to square up to Canada.

THE CROWN BANK OF CANADA. The business announcement of the Crown Bank of Canada appears in another column. The bank, without the complete organization having been opened at No. 23 West King-street, Toronto, has issued a total of \$1,000,000, being one-half of the authorized capital. Mr. G. de C. O'Grady, late manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce at London, and Edward Gurney, president of the Royal Bank, are the directors. Mr. G. de C. O'Grady, late manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce at London, and Edward Gurney, president of the Royal Bank, are the directors. Mr. G. de C. O'Grady, late manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce at London, and Edward Gurney, president of the Royal Bank, are the directors.

G.T.R. ROLLING STOCK. Editor World: May I call attention to figures taken from the statistical book of Canada for 1903, page 309, and which show that the Trunk rolling stock: Number of engines June 30, 1903, 715; June 30, 1902, 715; June 30, 1901, 715; June 30, 1900, 715; June 30, 1899, 715; June 30, 1898, 715; June 30, 1897, 715; June 30, 1896, 715; June 30, 1895, 715; June 30, 1894, 715; June 30, 1893, 715; June 30, 1892, 715; June 30, 1891, 715; June 30, 1890, 715; June 30, 1889, 715; June 30, 1888, 715; June 30, 1887, 715; June 30, 1886, 715; June 30, 1885, 715; June 30, 1884, 715; June 30, 1883, 715; June 30, 1882, 715; June 30, 1881, 715; June 30, 1880, 715; June 30, 1879, 715; June 30, 1878, 715; June 30, 1877, 715; June 30, 1876, 715; June 30, 1875, 715; June 30, 1874, 715; June 30, 1873, 715; June 30, 1872, 715; June 30, 1871, 715; June 30, 1870, 715; June 30, 1869, 715; June 30, 1868, 715; June 30, 1867, 715; June 30, 1866, 715; June 30, 1865, 715; June 30, 1864, 715; June 30, 1863, 715; June 30, 1862, 715; 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Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation.

Annual Meeting. The annual general meeting of shareholders of this corporation will be held at the head office of the Corporation, Toronto-street, Toronto, on Saturday, the Sixth Day of February, 1904.

GEO. H. SMITH, Secretary.

STOCKS STILL ACTIVE WITH AN EASIER TONE. Prices React from the High Prices at New York—Canadians Steady.

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GRAIN TONE'S EASIER REACTION IN FUTURES

All Options Quoted Lower at Chicago—Liverpool Prices Steady—Grain Shipments.

World Office. Friday, Jan. 22, 1904. Liverpool wheat futures to-day closed higher than yesterday, and corn futures higher.

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