

LAY DOWN ARMS

Petition on Foot for the Release of Two Toronto Jewish Soldiers.

Eliaz Pullan, one of the best-known business men in the Jewish district of Toronto, is championing a very largely signed petition on behalf of two Toronto men who enlisted with the Royal Fusiliers, who saw considerable service in Palestine, and in June last disobeyed military orders in the act of laying down their arms as a protest against the, to their minds, inordinate delay in having them transferred from Palestine to Canada. The two men were arrested in June and sentenced in October last to two years' imprisonment. They are Private Harry Stronman, J. 5972, and Sam Kernerman, J. 5884, and Mr. Pullan stated that they came from among the most highly respected families in the Jewish centre in Toronto. He stated that in view of the fact that a general amnesty has been granted Canadian of-

fenders against the M. S. A., an act which grants amnesty to those who in many cases did their utmost to avoid enlisting, the two young men should be pardoned, having not only volunteered, but also done their duty in active service. The petition is being forwarded to Winston Churchill, Britain's minister of war.

PAYMASTER'S CHEQUES IMITATED BY YOUTH

Marcus Coates, a youth of seventeen, appeared before Magistrate Denison yesterday on four charges of uttering forged documents. Crown Attorney Corley reminded the court that the boy had passed no less than twenty-one imitations of military paymaster's cheques, supposed to have been issued by the D. S. C. R. W. B. Horkins, pleaded hard for the young prisoner, but Magistrate Denison sentenced him to 15 months in the Ontario Reformatory at Burwash.

WOMEN'S PRESS CLUB SHOWS GOOD BALANCE

Reports read at a business meeting of the Women's Press Club held yesterday at their rooms, 117 King street west, were of a very encouraging nature, showing no indebtedness of the club and a good balance on hand. A request from the teachers, asking for support of their request for higher salaries, was enthusiastically endorsed, a motion to this effect being moved by Miss Marshall Saunders and seconded by Miss Allan and carried unanimously. It was also announced that luncheon for members will be held twice a week on Tuesday and Thursday. The sum of \$25 for a summer cot at the island for the Sick Children's Hospital was voted as a Christmas offering. An interesting program for the beginning of the New Year was outlined.

HOSPITAL ISSUES WRIT.

A writ has been issued by the trustees of the Toronto General Hospital against the Toronto Railway Co., "to restrain it, its servants, workmen, and agents from taking up or removing ties, rails, standards and wires now upon the premises on the east side of St. Lawrence street (formerly Don street) save and except upon these portions of lots which were expropriated by the city of Toronto for the purposes of the Don-improvement and for damages."

REFUTE AID. RAMSDEN'S CLAIM.

Ald. J. G. Ramsden's claim to have suggested the placing of house numbers on Hydro light poles is controverted by the Riverdale Business Men's Association, who have copies of letters sent to the city engineer and city clerk on Dec. 9, 1910, and March 12, 1912, making the very proposal which is said to have originated from John Pearson, a member of the association.

THRASHED PET DOG

Woman Claims That Policeman Beat Her Terrier With His Baton.

A woman complained to the police yesterday that a policeman on duty outside of the Queen street entrance of Simpson's store had beaten her fox terrier dog with his baton. The woman had left her baby in the carriage in the doorway of the store and the dog was guarding the carriage. As people passed the carriage the dog snapped at them. A policeman from West Dundas division was growled at by the dog and he struck it several times, injuring it so badly the dog was sent to the Humane Society. A crowd of people gathered around, and it was a lively scene for many minutes. The commissioners may take up the matter today.

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BUSINESS TAX A

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Canadian Press De Ottawa, Dec. business profits v the present year renewal or its dis the four years it force it has provi of receipts from v million dollars. 7 the revenue has 406,000; 1917-18, 482,970,000; 1919, 000,000. Total, \$9

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Men's Slippers, in the Everett pattern, of grey felt, with felt and leather sole. Sizes 6 to 11. Today, pair, \$1.25. Second Floor, Queen Street.

EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

TODAY IS BARGAIN DAY

Hence the Reason FOR MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S

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In the Lot Are Storm Ulsters, Young Men's Ulsterettes and Some Large Sized Brown Melton Chesterfields

With velveteen collars. The ulsters are in double-breasted style with large storm collars, having convertible lapels and are of grey cheviot wool material in which is mixed a small amount of cotton. Are lined throughout with twilled Italian cloth.

The Ulsterettes Are in Double-Breasted Style and About Knee Length

Some have plain form-fitting backs, others have half belt. These are of wool and cotton, and cotton and wool fabrics.

The Brown Wool and Cotton Melton Coats Are in Single-Breasted Fly Front Chesterfield Style

With velveteen collars and well formed shoulders. These are in large sizes only, 40, 42 and 44. In the lot are sizes 34 to 44. Reg. \$28.50, \$30.00, \$32.50 and \$33.50. Today, \$23.75.

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Braw Music of the Pipes

Will "Skirl" Through the Store Today

The Band of the 48th Highlanders will play the old Scottish melodies and Miss Vera McLean in her tartan plaid will sing Scotch songs.

This is the final concert of the series which closes Jubilee Year. Hours of performances: Morning, 9.30 and 10.45; afternoon, 1 and 2.15. Third Floor, Yonge Street.

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Men's All-wool Plain Black Cashmere Half Hose, Sizes 10, 10 1/2, 11 and 11 1/2. Extra ply knitted into pieces getting harder wear. Neat-fitting, fine-ribbed cuff, knitted from English spun yarn, winter weight. Reg. \$1.10. Today, pair, 75c.

The Men's Wear List

Is Particularly Good Too. Read It Over

Men's Combination of good winter weight, in elastic rib knit, cotton and wool, light natural shade, with closed crotch, French neck and ribbed cuffs and ankles. Sizes 34, 36 and 40 to 44. Reg. \$2.95. Today, suit, \$1.98.

Men's Work Shirts of blue chambrays with collar attached, yoke and breast pocket; full bodies and sleeves, and finished with double sewn seams. Sizes 14 to 17 in the lot. Reg. \$1.25, \$1.39 and \$1.69. Today, each, \$1.19.

Men's Mufflers, of fibre silk, knitted in flat reefer style, with fringed ends in many striped patterns; about 46 inches long and 7 1/2 inches wide. Others are of silk and cotton in tubular style, with open hemmed ends, in plain shades only, these being about 42 inches long and 9 inches wide. Reg. \$1.98 and \$2.95. Today, each, \$1.48.

Men's Neckwear, including stripes, floral, figured, scroll and allover effects, in one and two-tone effects. Colors show many combinations of blue, purple, green, tan, grey and cardinal. They are in four-inch hand shapes, have flowing ends, good strong inner linings and firmly-sewn neckbands that will slide freely in the collar. Materials represent several mixtures of silk, artificial silk and cotton. Today, each, 79c. Main Floor, Centre.

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Are Men's Muskrat Lined Coats

Linings are of from heavily furred skins evenly matched and well sewn; the shell is an all-wool beaver cloth of good quality and collar is otter made, in notch style. Sizes 40 and 42. Today, \$169.00.

Men's Raccoon Coats of thickly furred pelts, evenly matched and strongly sewn. The collar cut in shawl style, and the lining is a quilted cotton of good wearing quality. Sizes 44, 46, 48 and 50. Today, each, \$165.00.

Men's Warm Fur Caps, in aviation style, adjustable fur band that can be pulled down over the ears and neck. The crown is an all-wool khaki material. Sizes 6 3/4 to 7 3/4. Today, each, \$1.29. Main Floor, James St.



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BUSINESS PROFITS TAX ACT EXPIRES

Becomes Ineffective Today—Question of Its Renewal Arises.

Canadian Press Despatch. Ottawa, Dec. 30.—Tomorrow the business profits war tax act will expire and the question will arise of its renewal or its discontinuance. During the four years the tax has been in force it has provided the major share of receipts from war taxes. Including the present year—returns for which are not yet available—the estimated yield of the tax since its inception is in the neighborhood of one hundred million dollars. For the four years the revenue has been: 1916-17, \$12,406,000; 1917-18, \$21,271,000; 1918-19, \$32,870,000; 1919 (estimated), \$30,000,000. Total, \$86,747,000. Strikes at Big Profits. The tax is imposed on a sliding scale and designed to strike at big profits. From a rate of 25 per cent on business profits between seven and 15 per cent, the tax reaches as high as 75 per cent on profits in excess of 25 per cent. Although in view of war conditions, objection to the tax has not hitherto been wide, manufacturers hold that it hinders expansion of industries. In fact, in his last budget speech, Sir Thomas White took up this point. "Our business profits taxation," he said, "unless repealed as soon as war conditions terminate, must have an adverse influence upon the investment of money in business enterprise in Canada. At present there is a widespread tendency thru-out the world to severely tax profits. Within bounds, such a policy is not open to criticism, but carried beyond a reasonable point it can only defeat its purpose with consequences detrimental to capital, labor and the community as a whole." Policy Unannounced. The government's policy in regard to continuance or discontinuance of the tax is not likely to be announced before the budget speech. Then, it is considered advisable (as has been done before) the tax can be renewed. The suggestion is made that, instead

NO HURRY TO HEAR RUSSELL APPEAL

Case of Strike Leader Stands Till Next Week—Refuse Bail.

Winnipeg, Dec. 30.—Possibility of the appeal in the case of R. B. Russell, strike leader, convicted of seditious conspiracy, being heard this week were stated to be very remote at the courts today, and it is not expected that the hearing will take place until about the middle of next week. Robert Cassidy, K.C., who is preparing the case for the defence, announced that he would be unable to go into court until next week. Counsel for the crown, however, stated that they were ready to proceed with the case before the court of appeal and only awaited completion of the defence's preparations. Bail Refused. Mr. Justice Metcalfe has refused an application to admit R. B. Russell to bail, pending the hearing of the reserve case on his trial. The application was made by Robert Cassidy, K.C., on behalf of Russell, who is being held in the provincial jail until the case before the court of appeals has been decided.

Dock Street Fire in St. John Does Hundred Thousand Loss

St. John, N.B., Dec. 30.—The fire which destroyed a large double brick building in Dock street last night did damage upwards of \$100,000. J. Marcus & Co., furniture dealers, had stock valued at \$40,000 with \$22,000 insurance. The American Clothing Company sustained \$9000 loss with \$2500 insurance. The building is owned by H. Roger Owen of London, England. It was insured for \$14,500.

JUDGE TO DECIDE BETTING APPARATUS

Montreal Court Considers Case Against "Billy" Moorehouse.

Montreal, Dec. 30.—Do telephone instruments of the regular Bell telephone kind, copies of the Racing Form and racing charts constitute gambling apparatus? This is a question which is under consideration by Judge Cusson. The case is that against "Billy" Moorehouse, well-known sporting man and promoter, laid by the city police under paragraph B of section 235 of the criminal code, which states "having in his premises apparatus for the purpose of recording bets or wagers." The case arises out of a raid by the city police on Mr. Moorehouse's premises at 19 Montee du Zouave, who found three telephones, a number of copies of Racing Form and several charts.

ORDER A REDUCTION WINNIPEG MILK PRICE

Board of Commerce Reduces "Pint Cost" by One Cent. Winnipeg, Dec. 30.—Immediate reduction in the price of milk in Winnipeg has been ordered by the board of commerce of Canada. The order, which was served on milk companies in the city today, comes into effect immediately and sets the price of milk at 15c a quart and 8 cents a pint, a reduction of one cent in each case. The sale of milk above this price, the order states, "will, until further notice, be deemed to include fair profits." The order is applicable to all vendors and is signed by W. F. O'Connor and J. Murdoch.

INFLUX TO MONTREAL OF "LIQUOR AGENTS"

Purpose Supplying "Dry" Ontarians—Law Blocks Move.

Montreal, Dec. 30.—During the past three weeks there has been an immigration to Montreal from Ontario of what might be called "liquor agents." About fifteen or twenty of these are said to have opened up offices here for the purpose of supplying the dry citizens of Ontario with liquor and still allow them to remain within the law. The plan outlined is that these agents will receive letters from their patrons in Ontario, turn them over to the wholesale dealers, who will ship the goods to the addresses given. This was thought at first look to be a brilliant method of circumventing the law, but it seems that the law provides for just such an emergency as this, for under a clause prohibiting the soliciting of orders these men are legally responsible. In fact, the act is so complicated that even the wary and practiced "bootlegger" has to work with extreme caution to avoid coming into the protection of the court.

BRINGING TROOPS.

Ottawa, Dec. 30.—The militia department has been advised that the liner Matsigama, carrying seven officers and 54 other ranks, is due at St. John on or about Jan. 2.

TRANSFER BIG GERMAN LINER TO CANADIAN PACIFIC SERVICES

Montreal, Dec. 30.—The steamer Prinz Friedrich, one of the seven German liners handed over to the British government by the United States, is to be transferred to the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, according to announcement made here yesterday.

SHOW "MOVIES" IN JAIL.

Kingston, Dec. 30.—(Special)—The movies have made their way to the penitentiary. As a Christmas treat yesterday, the warden had a film, entitled "A Trip Across the Continent," provided by the department of trade and commerce. The picture was both amusing and instructive and made a big hit with the convicts.

RECRUIT CREW IS ASHORE.

Quebec, Dec. 30.—The crew of the steamer Canadian Recruit, which is ashore near Tadoussac, arrived at Murray Bay early yesterday evening on board the Canadian government steamer Lady Grey. They all entrained at Murray Bay this morning en route for Quebec. The Lady Grey is expected at Quebec early tomorrow morning.

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NEW ARENA TO BE USED FOR MANY PURPOSES

Insures to Toronto Retention of One Hundred Million Dollar Industry.

The Arena by-law to be voted on New Year's Day is a sound business proposition. It has the endorsement of Finance Commissioner Bradshaw, the Board of Control, the City Council, the Canadian National Exhibition, the Board of Trade, Labor, all athletic bodies, the Automobile Association and other organizations.

It is urgently needed for the extension of the Canadian National Exhibition, which has had no new buildings for six years and requires this one for much-needed expansion. It means also the concentration for all time in Toronto of the headquarters of the basic industry of the country, live stock, and the erection of the most useful, most practicable building any city possesses.

There were marketed at the Union Stock Yards last year 1,104,627 animals valued at \$45,000,000. Upon these as raw material is based the packing house industry of the city, which has an investment in plant of perhaps \$10,000,000, which distributes in wages not less than \$5,000,000 annually and which puts through a total volume of business each year of \$100,000,000.

It is in the interests of all citizens that the live stock industry in Toronto should further develop. Other cities have sought and still seek to establish themselves as local live stock centres. Toronto at present profits by every additional head of live stock raised in the Province, which presumably will eventually be marketed through the markets of this city. The erection of the Arena will guarantee for all time this \$100,000,000 industry to Toronto.

Live stock judging is only one of the purposes to which this wonderful utility structure may be put. It will be available for horse shows, for live stock sales (a splendid revenue-producing business for the city), for huge poultry and dog shows, for military tournaments, automobile and trade shows, musical festivals and for anything requiring extra large space and accommodation, including winter athletic meetings and sports.

It will have a ring bigger than that of Madison Square Garden, New York, and will be an ideal place to train our athletes for winter international and inter-city meets, facilities for which the city now entirely lacks.

FOR NEW COURT HOUSE. New York, Dec. 30.—The board of estimate today appropriated \$7,000,000 for the construction of a new court house, which is to be hexagonal in design. The building will be situated on the court house site back of the municipal building.

FOUGER FOR CALM; FORGER SENTENCED

Son of Dean of Cornell Gets Indeterminate Sentence in State Prison.

WAS TWICE WOUNDED. New York, Dec. 30.—Charged with violating his parole by forging checks, committing thefts and getting drunk, Donald Hammond, the 24-year-old son of William Hammond, dean of Cornell University, was sentenced today to a term of three and one-half to seven years in State Prison. Hammond was placed on probation on a suspended sentence last August, after he had pleaded guilty to forging a cheque for \$3000 in the name of Norman Bradford Jr., a wealthy Newport, R.I. club man.

Hammond's escapades since being placed on probation took him to Atlantic City, Maine and New Hampshire. Finally his friends virtually deported him to Canada, in an effort to make him "go straight." The life in Manitoba proved too tame for him, however, and he went to Boston, where he stole \$15,000 worth of bonds, pleaded guilty in the name of an alleged murderer he met in the Tombs Prison, and succeeded in obtaining a suspended sentence on that name.

Hammond has a long war record. He enlisted in the Canadian army in 1914, and was wounded at Ypres. He came back to this country without being discharged, and later returned to England, where he joined the Royal Air Force and was again wounded. His victims are said to include a number of society people in this city. Newport and Atlantic City.

HIP-POCKET PARTIES NO GO IN CHICAGO

Police to Be Stationed in Hotels and Restaurants to Frisk the Guests.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Plans for "hip pocket parties" to relieve the dryness of New Year's Eve in Chicago have departed the way of the other dear, departed hopes for ushering in the New Year on a tide of vinous, distilled or brewed hilarity.

Police Capt. Morgan Collins, in charge of the police who are active in the loop district, has heard that invitations were being extended rather openly by cafes, bidding patrons to come and "bring your own." Thereupon, that officer today issued an order stationing policemen in all hotels and restaurants with the request that each incoming patron with the request that he stand and deliver any liquor he may have in his immediate possession. The state search and seizure law gives the police that right, and the law was but recently upheld by the supreme court.

And as for the hotels and safe-warehouses, the police have had no hand in anticipation of an open season for rosters at the birth of the New Year, has been seized by federal agents who locked it up and took the keys away.

FARMERS OF U. S. SPENDING FREELY

New York Chamber of Commerce Predicts Continued Industrial Activity.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Continued industrial activity is predicted by the committee on statistics of the chamber of commerce of the United States in its annual end-of-the-year review of business and crop conditions. Manufacturers, the report said, have orders in excess of their capacity and in the retail trade there is a feeling of confidence and expansion until another good harvest at least, of the demand for all classes of commodities.

Farmers are reported unusually prosperous because of the high prices of their products. The liberal spending of the farmers, the review asserted, is the backbone and sustaining power of the present volume of business throughout the country, as they are paying mostly cash and are purchasing more improved farm machinery and pure bred live stock than ever before.

Of the general crop situation, the report stated that rain did much damage to unharvested crops in the south and in the southern portion of some of the central states, reducing the yield and impairing quality. Winter wheat acreage will be materially reduced this fall, the report said, as the farmers believed winter wheat production at high prices was over for the present.

Great activity in building, the committee added, "is reported in sections except where crop failures were extensive, copper mining is in a poor state, silver mining is doing well, but production is good."

SUFFERED DAY AND NIGHT

The Tortures of Dyspepsia Relieved by "Fruit-a-lives."

Little Bras D'Or, C.B. "I was a terrible sufferer from Dyspepsia and Constipation for years. I had pain after eating, belching gas, constant headaches and did not sleep well at night. Finally, a friend told me to try 'Fruit-a-lives' in a week the Constipation was corrected, and soon I was free of pain, headaches and that miserable feeling that accompanies Dyspepsia. I continued to take this splendid fruit medicine, and now I am well, strong and vigorous." "Robert Newton."

MOTOR BANDITS NEARLY CAPTURED

(Continued From Page 1).

The robbers attempted to run for the car, but not seeing their associates at hand, attempted to board a moving street car. They could not get on the car, so ran west to Fuller avenue. Turning north on Fuller avenue they threw two trays of rings into a crowd of people.

Third at Window. Mr. Watson stated to The World that five men drove up in the car. When the two men were in the car a third one stood looking in the front window evidently ready to signal if the police were coming, while two others walked up and down the sidewalk of the street across the road from the stolen car. A garage man noticed the car and believing it to be a stolen one, informed Policeman King, Donald Mackey Cantell, son of Captain John Mackey Cantell, Jersey, Channel Islands.

Mr. Herman Fletcher gave a second lead last night in his being discovered at his home at 100 St. George street, who looked very pretty in pale blue and a giraffe of silver and carried a lovely bouquet of orchids, and other bouquets of roses, violets and freesias were on table beside where way. Bleakley at once informed the police of Cowan avenue station and detective headquarters.

No Arms for Recruits. Police regulations, it is stated, deny the privilege of recruits carrying revolvers until they have served one year on the force. Rose was a volunteer taken on along with about one hundred others during the past two months. Had he been armed with a gun last night, no doubt, Rose would have been able to stop one of the five hold-up men. There are recruits in numbers working from all of the downtown divisions on night patrols who, like Rose, are not issued with revolvers.

People who witnessed the Queen street dash for freedom of the motor bandits after they had opened fire upon Watson declared that Rose did attempt to stop one of the gunmen, but that the robber put a revolver to the policeman's head, which meant that he either had to guard himself or he might be murdered.

The police of No. 6 station admitted that Constable Rose did not have a revolver, and the reason for his not being equipped with one was due to the fact that the officer in charge could not commit a breach of the police commission's ruling.

Supposed Clue Found. The police of Cowan avenue station last night showed how the spectacles are drawn by a continuous line, which does not cross at any point.

ONE EVERY MINUTE. By Billy Scott. "Vaseline or I'll chack you more than a bit of a fall."

SELINA ABOUT TOWN. "No one what spotted me sprintin' down Yonge street at 3 o'clock Christmas eve, as my watch was winding overtime. You'll have to give me right it was some late when I got thru distributin' work baskets, what-nots 'n' things."

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SOCIETY NEWS

CONDUCTED BY MRS. EDMUND PHILLIPS.

Their Excellencies the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire are giving a masquerade dance for young people at Government House, Ottawa, on Friday evening.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario will hold his usual New Year's Day reception at Government House from 4 to 6 o'clock.

The marriage of Miss Elsie Keith to Dr. Ernest MacMillan will take place very quietly this afternoon in St. Andrew's Church, King street, at 3.30 o'clock.

Miss Donald Cameron has issued invitations to an at home on Friday, the 2nd of January, at 8 o'clock, in the Jenkins Gallery, for her daughter, Miss Winifred Cameron.

Miss Enid Snow, black and gold; Miss John A. Walker, green and silver brocade; Miss Margaret Byrie, sapphire velvet with gold embroidery; Miss Rose Proctor, lovely in flesh satin and blue tulle; Mr. Homer Proctor, Mr. Jack Walker, Mr. May Black, the Misses Lewis, Miss Lillian Hall, Miss Doris Lewis, Miss Quirius Henderson, Miss Shirley Hamilton, Miss Evelyn Walker, Mr. Napier Simpson, Miss Dorothy Pearson, Miss Marjory Davies, Miss Jean Cunningham, Miss Brodie, Miss Helen Heintzman, Mr. Allan Rough, Mr. Ross Byrie, Mr. King Grayburn, Mr. Murray Cooper, Mr. Frank Cook, Mr. Messersmith, Mr. Eric Haldenby, Mr. Carnegie, Mr. Curtis, Mr. Harold Watson, Dr. Alec Ewing.

Miss Gwen Ganwood is recovering in the Wellesley Hospital after an operation for the removal of a gall stone. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smyth, Annette street, West Toronto, have arrived at the Palm Air, West Palm Beach, Florida, where they will spend the winter.

Montreal Reports a Dozen Cases of "Sleeping Sickness." Montreal, Dec. 30.—Two cases of "sleeping sickness," one on Dorchester street and one in the north end, have been reported, and according to the opinion of one local neurologist there have been over a dozen cases in the city during the past three months.

WORLD'S DAILY BRAIN TEST

BY SAM LOYD. 17 Minutes to Answer This. No. 74. Remove the first letter from "disbursing and find something unfinished. Behold once more and you will see the finish. Remove the first letter from a species of stone and find an entrance. Behold once more and leave consumed. Remove the first letter from a word which means to instruct and leave a word which signifies to arrive at the head once more and leave a word which means separate things. Answer to No. 73. The diagram shows how the spectacles are drawn by a continuous line, which does not cross at any point.

ONE EVERY MINUTE



SELINA ABOUT TOWN. No one what spotted me sprintin' down Yonge street at 3 o'clock Christmas eve, as my watch was winding overtime. You'll have to give me right it was some late when I got thru distributin' work baskets, what-nots 'n' things. Every time a single male thing passed me I nearly cashed in I was so scared I nearly readin' after readin' all about the bandit guys what are spreadin' themselves among us pore unprotected civvies 'n' everybod.

The night was some nippy, if you remember, and by the time I halted a night car, my feet were cold. I had been improved on I guess, but I should care." I says to myself lammin' and givin' the surpriser my eye to the lunka what was bound for mass. And, say, speakin' about, been scared, I never seen anything like the nerve of some wads. They think they can sling the friendly air at a skinned old time, specially if they're jammed behind the wheel of a buzzer.

CHOOSE CAR LINE OR CHOOSE M'BRIDE

Mayor Doubts Mt. Pleasant's Future With Sam in Saddle.

"What chance would we have to get a Mount Pleasant car line if the miraculous happens and McBride, Cameron and Hensden are elected to the Toronto City Council?" With these words W. Banton, president of the Mount Pleasant Ratepayers' Association, urged a meeting of electors in the Huron Street School last night to go out and work to re-elect T. L. Church to the majority. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Mt. Pleasant Ratepayers' Association and the Central Citizens' Ratepayers' Association of Deer Park and a fair sized gathering were present.

Ald. Beamish's Work. Ald. Beamish's work during the past year as chairman of the parks commission in the northern sections of the city, including the Mt. Pleasant district, and declared himself heartily in accord with a general clean-up. With reference to the Harris-Bradshaw agreement for the purchase of the Metropolitan, Mayor Church said that he would not support the proposal because it left a perpetual freight franchise on the streets of Toronto.

Con. W. D. Robbins was of the opinion that by refusing the offer of the purchase of the Metropolitan for \$500,000, allowing the city to reduce freight to three points, the city was saving thousands of dollars. He thought that North Toronto and the Mount Pleasant road were badly in need of a better transportation system and would do all in his power to assist them if elected.

Fred Hogg, adermanic candidate, stated that he could clean up the transportation problem in North Toronto in 24 hours, and claimed that the members of the city council were sincere in their attempts to clean up the city. He was in favor of all bylaws as embodying the principle of public ownership.

BIG SISTERS SEEK CANDIDATES' VIEWS

Ask Would-Be Mayors and Controllers Attitude Towards Detention Home. A letter has been sent out by the Big Sisters under the signature of their president, Mrs. Sidney Small, drawing attention to the candidates for mayor and the board of control to the inadequacy of equipment for detention homes for children of the city, and to ask what would be their attitude on the different candidates were they elected to office.

The communication reviews the situation from 1913, when the city refused to look upon the establishment of a detention home as its work and the aid, altho this was altogether apart from the work of the city, and is given the children's aid, but it is pointed out that many changes are now needed, the summary being: Proper juvenile court with detention home for girls and boys attached, including school rooms and hospital accommodation, school teacher and psychiatric specialist, in attendance to carefully study the children and advise the court of their mental condition.

Equipment for Checking. The detention home should be so equipped that it could be used as a corrective institution, so that a child might be placed there for a few months to be "checked up" and trained, which treatment might eliminate the necessity of sending him to an industrial school.

It is suggested that the detention homes for children in New York, Philadelphia and Detroit be studied as examples of what should be done. The letter concludes with the following request for support: "Now that you have these facts before you, be sure that you will desire to help remove the present system, which is a social injustice to the children of Toronto, and we ask you to elect to office a board of control of sufficient funds to equip and maintain a proper juvenile court and detention home for the city of Toronto."

SECOND WHEAT RAISE IS BEING PREDICTED

Secretary of Saskatchewan Grain Growers Makes a Prophecy. Regina, Sask., Dec. 29.—In an interview today J. B. Musselman, secretary to the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association, says that the action of the Canadian wheat board in advancing the price of wheat 59 cents on the bushel had been anticipated. He goes on to say that another increase may be looked for and that the present increase should be held for at least an earlier date. Mr. Musselman believes that farmers who have been hauling their wheat across the boundary will have some difficulty in securing seed wheat for next season.

Liquor Poisonous Enough To Kill 20,000 Men

New York, Dec. 30.—A conversation between a bartender and draymen, overheard by two internal revenue agents in an east side saloon, led to the seizure of 53 barrels of denatured alcohol and the arrest of two men in Brooklyn. Col. Daniel L. Porter, supervising internal revenue agent, said if the poisoned liquor had been consumed as whiskey it would easily have killed 20,000 men.

The names of the men arrested are being withheld. Col. Porter added, unless his men have rounded up several others, who are believed to be connected with a plot to sell the deadly liquor over New York bars.

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WARD SEVEN HEARS MUNICIPAL RIVALRY. Alderman Ball Stakes His Faith on Value of City Abattoir. The electors of Ward 7 had an opportunity to hear the election speeches and promises of the various municipal candidates at a meeting held in the Strathcona School last night.

JOHN VICK RE-ELECTED. Midnight last witnessed the finals in the elections of the officers of the International Union of Bricklayers in Toronto with a distinct victory for John Tristram Vick, who was elected business manager for the ensuing six months. William Jenovics was elected president and James Jones vice-president. Fred Howell was re-elected recording secretary while Ernie Trenwith was elected financial secretary. Joseph Bamberg will be the treasurer for the next six months if not longer.

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FOR NEW COURT HOUSE. New York, Dec. 30.—The board of estimate today appropriated \$7,000,000 for the construction of a new court house, which is to be hexagonal in design. The building will be situated on the court house site back of the municipal building.

IT'S NEVER TOO LATE TO MEND. A Suit these days, when clothing is so expensive, WE DO IT RIGHT. Cleaning, Dyeing, Repairing. PHONE MAIN 2236 and our driver will call. GILLAM The Cleaner. Cor. Dundas and Mutual Streets.

Winnipeg, Dec. 30.—With less than 300 positions available there are about 1200 persons, 720 of whom are returned soldiers, seeking employment in Winnipeg, according to a statement made today by unemployment officials. They said there is plenty of work for laborers and men with trades, but there is a decided shortage of clerical and office jobs.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, DEC. 31.

Church v. McBride.

Last night The Star had a front page article supporting Controller McBride for the majority on the grounds that he had voted against making a playground of the old lacrosse grounds in Rosedale and for turning them into a park. At a critical time of the city's career the election of a mayor must turn on a more important issue than the disposition of a playground in Rosedale.

For some years the city has been consciously approaching the great question of the municipalization of the street car system, and during that time the present mayor has served the city with satisfaction to the majority of the citizens on this matter. It is on this paramount question that the present election turns. The electors who realize the supreme importance of Toronto of regaining the street car franchise, and what is involved in the operation, are aware that Mayor Church on this subject has been faithful to the interests of the citizens and there has been no suspicion cast upon him with respect to the policies, the preparations, the steps to be taken to carry out the city's object.

Controller McBride asserts that he is heart and soul for public ownership, but he declares that there must be a five-cent fare on the street cars. This is no recommendation for Controller McBride. But it is a boost for any company that wishes to bid for a renewal of the franchise at the present rate of fares.

Again, if Controller McBride is heart and soul for public ownership, why has he put up the bitterest fight that has ever been made against the greatest public ownership statesman we have in Ontario? Controller McBride's enmity for Sir Adam Beck has been a feature of his activities in the city council. He has boasted that as far as he could prevent it Sir Adam would have nothing to do with Hydro electric policies in Toronto. Are Toronto voters going to support Controller McBride in view of these assertions, backed up as they were with Controller McBride's most vociferous action?

This is the major question of the time and the mayor for next year must be sound upon it. Must he have no doubt about his future attitude? Mayor Church satisfies these conditions. We all know exactly what he will do in the street railway question and we know he will co-operate with the Hydro Electric Commission to arrange the best radial policy for the city.

Can we afford to swap horses crossing the stream? Can we take any risks that may involve the suspension of the whole radial policy thru the factious hostility of Controller McBride? Can we jeopardize the future of Toronto as far as it depends on the municipalization of the street railway franchise by placing it in the hands of a mayor who wishes to charge a five-cent fare in order to gratify the corporation that has dealt with the citizens of Toronto as the Street Railway Company has done? And does Toronto want a mayor who in the event of Sir Adam Beck being proposed to represent the city in the arbitration proceedings attending the recovery of the street railway franchise, would oppose Sir Adam's appointment tooth and nail?

As between Church and McBride in this year's mayoralty contest the choice for the citizen who wants to see the street railway and radial situation cleared up will be dictated by reliance on Mayor Church's experience and trustworthiness on this question, and by doubts of Controller McBride's loose-tongued attacks on Sir Adam Beck and his erratic outbursts against all who disagree with him.

Controller O'Neill, a much abler man than Controller McBride, was 10,000 short of Mayor Church's vote last year. Mayor Church has lost no votes in the meantime and Controller McBride will not do better than Mr. O'Neill. He will not receive the Labor vote either, being opposed to the trades unions and their policies. Labor men who do not vote for their own candidate will vote for Church. Controller McBride relies on The Star, but as a Conservative leader it has not been a success.

The National Justified.

Trumpeted complaint in the press by the secretary of the Canadian Council of Agriculture about the operation of the Canadian National's branch railway between Trenton and Picton has brought ample reply from Mr. R. C. Vaughan, the able assistant to President Hanna. At 6 o'clock in the morning a country station agent wasn't on duty, but a good stove was, and it was no hardship for a conductor to sell tickets on the train. Delay of several days in delivery of goods com-

plained of is shown to have been due to seven days occupied in transmission over another line. Mr. Vaughan's detailed account of conditions and shipments, printed in the newspaper which editorialized the attack on the morning after the criticism appeared, shows that the National is getting efficient service from its officials, and is giving good service to its patrons. Perhaps the fidgety ones may accept a kindly intimation that if there should be heavy snowstorms and consequent traffic delays they will not be entirely due to public ownership.

The Six Bylaws.

There should be no hesitation about voting for the bylaws to be submitted tomorrow. The interests of the city are involved in their adoption. With one exception, they have aroused no opposition, and are submitted as matters of accepted principle. Their adoption is recommended in and even in the case of the commission to manage the street railway many will vote for it in view of what its rejection might appear to imply.

The bylaw in which the ratepayers are asked to vote for the management of, contains the stipulation that the members of the commission to which the system is to be entrusted are to act without salary. To this the Labor men object, stating that if this be passed no change can be made in it subsequently, and that without salary no Labor man nor anyone not in the millionaire class would be able to take up the work of the commission. The city hall authorities do not take this view, but say that the present bylaw should be passed so as to have the principle of commission management endorsed by the ratepayers. The commission is a detail which would have to be ratified by the legislature, and the new council can make any changes that may be desired.

Another bylaw badly drawn is the tax reform bylaw, reducing the assessment on small houses. This bylaw is not according to the terms of the act under which it would draw its authority, but an enforcement of the principle is desirable, and the change may be made later.

Another bylaw of great importance is that in which a new Arena for the city is provided. The whole city is interested in this building, and there is scarcely any organization, or group of citizens, that will not wish to use it at one time or another. The idea that it is for the Exhibition alone is erroneous. It will be as popular as the old Exhibition building in Allan Garden used to be. It will seat 7500 people, and many more if seats fill the ring space. As a convention building it will be one of the finest on the continent, and the ring will be larger than that of Madison Garden, New York. It is indispensable to Toronto, and besides, its use as a live stock show place, the athletic bodies, labor music, the horse show, military gatherings, motor and other trade shows, and many bodies needing space for large audiences are pleading its necessity.

The bylaw providing for the continuation of the civic abattoir under city control, and for an expansion of its activities, will appeal to all who desire to see some competition of a public character to curb the rapacity of the great beef and pork monopolies. The World has advocated the public ownership and operation of public utilities, where they form a natural monopoly. But it is equally necessary to restrain in some way the aggressive character of artificial monopolies like the beef trusts.

A technical vote is asked from the ratepayers to endorse the recovery of the street railway franchise by the city. There should be a minimum of opposition to this bylaw, and every ratepayer should vote in its favor.

The bylaw authorizing the issue of bonds to cover the city's share in the eastern radial railway project will have no opposition, or next to none, but it is of importance that Toronto should set a good example, or what is actually the case, follow the good example set by the municipalities which have voted, and which have carried their respective bylaws by almost unanimous vote. The amount involved in the bylaw may seem large to those who forget the size of Toronto, and the experience the city has had with Hydro-Electric proposals of much greater magnitude. All these schemes carry themselves and have never cost the ratepayers a cent. Their credit that they have had the advantage of the large increase of values to their property thru the Hydro-Electric services. Toronto ratepayers will reap a similar profit from the services of the Hydro radials and the inauguration of the eastern system will give an early opportunity to prove this advantage.

Ratepayers will make no mistake in voting for all six of the bylaws. It is an after-the-war duty which will mean much in the next few years to Toronto.

The Marvel in Cotton.

England is going thru one of its periodical epidemics of company promotion, which has hit the Lancashire cotton trade with sure promise of developing trouble between capital and labor when in the unreckonable future the rates of exchange between labor and the products of labor are stabilized.

When Winston Churchill was M.P. for Oldham he described the Lancashire cotton trade as the economic

NEEDED—A NEW PAIR OF TROUSERS



And let the legs be the same length in the next pair.

After All It's the Little Crosses That Count

BY IDA L. WEBSTER.

marvel of the world. Like many marvels it was exposed to several special risks of diminution. Cotton cannot be produced within thousands of miles of Manchester, but within fifty miles of that dingy city more cotton was fabricated than in the rest of the world. But when cotton spinning and weaving machinery began to be exported to countries which for decades had bought only cotton goods, it was obvious that Lancashire could not indefinitely go on exporting to those countries, the machinery for making goods and the former quantities of goods the machinery made.

As soon as the Japanese, for instance, learned to use a power loom they could not only supply themselves with textiles, but thru cheap labor could soon drive Lancashire from her greatest market in China. Before this war in India, Russia and Germany which is most apparent, is caused from loss of sleep or morning exercises.

Yesterday his worship, the present mayor, seemed to be more confident than he had been on the previous days of this week. He is, of course, worried and perhaps his nervousness which is most apparent, is caused from loss of sleep or morning exercises.

Those folks who voted so solidly for him in the past years, or rather in the past four years, have either moved out of the town, or they are keeping very quiet on the subject of their intentions this season. However, there is no reason for thinking that Mr. Church is going to be defeated, in fact, on the other hand, there is every reason to expect that he is going to go back with a walloping majority.

And so far as personality is concerned both Sam McBride and Tommy Church are endowed with plenty of it. Either man would do anything in his power to help a friend or one less fortunate than he. Either man would literally walk from here to the Don in

order to grant a favor to someone who really needed it. Both men have wrangled in the city council chamber, but it is safe to say that after leaving the room both allowed the dissemination to immediately pass from their minds. In short they are both blessed with a temper, but it is a good-natured one.

The consensus of opinion in the east end of the city is that McBride will be elected, while in the wholesale district, Church is the favorite. At the meetings it is only fair to say that Mr. Church has had the most enthusiastic reception.

POSTOFFICE HOLIDAY

On New Year's Day, Jan. 1, 1920, the General Postoffice and postal stations will be open for the delivery of mail matter from 8.00 a.m. to 10.00 a.m., during which time the general delivery and registration wickets will be open.

The letter carriers will make but one delivery.

Outgoing mails due for despatch after twelve noon will be closed at that hour.

Money order, savings bank and postal note wickets will be closed.

One collection will be made from the street letter boxes, pillar boxes and parcel receptacles, commencing at 6.00 p.m.

COUNTESSE DE LESSEPS.

The Countess de Lesseps, wife of the noted French aviator, is on a short visit with her father at "Benvenuto," Avenue road, but will shortly return to Paris.

Wife's Action and Counter-Claim Dismissed Without Costs

Chief Justice Falconbridge yesterday dismissed the action and counter claim without costs in the suit of Annie Catherine Orr against her husband, Bertie Bleeker Orr. On Dec. 9, 1919, Angelina Pemberton, Mrs. Orr's mother, died. The sum of \$1,000 was bequeathed to Mr. and Mrs. Orr in consideration of the sum of \$1,000 Hastings County. Mrs. Orr sued her undivided half interest in the property was held in trust for her for \$1,000 she had spent in improving the property and a \$100 mortgage she had paid.

CASES OF SMALLPOX

There were 1,323 cases of smallpox in Ontario during December as against 1,128 the previous month. For the four weeks in December the cases were respectively 298, 271, 283 and 271.

MOONLIGHT AND MONEY

BY MARION RUBINCAM

CAROL'S PHILOSOPHY.

CHAPTER 75.

Mental and physical rest and devoted care were doing wonders for Louise. Day by day she grew stronger. Her cheeks began to take on the pink that made them so attractive, a color as faint and transparent as the glow that lies in the heart of a delicately tinted rose. Her eyes shone soft and almost blue under the shadow of her lashes, instead of the faded and lack lustre gray that they had been for months. For Louise was one of those rarely found creatures whose eyes can be either gray or blue—or sometimes almost brown, according to her mood—and to the colors she wore. She no longer wanted to be alone. So when Carol sent in a card she was glad enough to see her.

"Carol, all vitality and sparkling health was a tonic for my invalid. So you're up and dressed, my dear," she cried. "I'm glad to find you looking so well again. I've been worried sick over you—I couldn't get any news except from Anne here." She turned with her quick smile to the maid, who beamed with pleasure at being noticed.

"Anne's been a dear," Louise answered. "She's looking after me now, for I don't need a regular nurse any more."

"There are no people we welcome more heartily or bid good-bye to more cheerfully than doctors and nurses," commented Carol. "Now, then, since you're so fine you're going to put on my linen dust coat and come for a drive with me."

Settled comfortably in the car, Carol turned for another inspection of her friend.

"We were certainly worried over you, Harry and I sat in the hall over my little namesake. But there, I won't talk of things to make you sad. How is Harry, by the way?"

Louise, who had been smiling happily, sobered at once and a little shiver ran thru her at the mention of the lost baby and her husband. The truth had to come out, everyone had to know, she might as well tell it now and have it done with.

"I don't know how he is—I haven't seen him for days," she said slowly. Carol looked at her amazed. Gradually she understood. Louise said it in her face and knew she would

have to explain the very painful situation.

"I'm sorry, dear, awfully sorry," Carol said gently after a bit. "I'm sorry because I know you're fond about it, but I think in the end you'll be much happier."

"Perhaps," replied Louise, whose voice sounded not at all happy. "You will," Carol insisted. "I used to think you and Harry were ideally mated, but I've known differently for a long time, even before you were married. You are sweet and yielding, you should have married some man who could take all responsibility away from you, who could, well, run things for you so you would not have any money to be happy."

"But I'm not sorry," Louise said. "I still hope it will be all right—I don't see how it can be—now," Louise said.

"No, since it's over, I'm not sorry you married, either," Carol said thoughtfully. "I'm not sorry I married, either. I haven't found the romantic ideal mate in Brock."

"Aren't you happy?" Louise asked in surprise. "I know Brock has about a lot and sometimes is neglectful, but it's all quite harmless, isn't it?"

"No one's happy," Carol said, her mouth drawn down a little. "Look at my sister; she's miserable—and that marriage might have been saved, too, for the trouble started because she was so tired and nervous she developed weren't happy—and your troubles started because you hadn't enough money. I was rested, Brock has more money than he needs and I had very few illusions when we married—and yet—" she broke off suddenly.

"Would you marry him if you were free to do it all over again, knowing what you do now?" Louise asked curiously.

"Yes, indeed!" Carol said emphatically. "For the philosophy of the whole thing is this: It's better to have a few months, perhaps, of perfect love, than never to have had any of it at all. It's better even at the cost of your illusions, than never to have known about it at all."

"Perhaps you are right," Louise said slowly.

"I know I'm right," answered Carol.

Tomorrow—A Country Visit.

ORPHANS ENJOY TREE

G. A. C. Prince of Wales Post No. 15

Entertainments 200 Kiddies

G. A. C. Prince of Wales Post No. 15 gave pleasure to 200 orphans last night by erecting a great Christmas tree loaded with gifts in O'Neill's Hall, Colonel Campbell, president of the association, presided, and Mrs. Campbell dispensed toys to the children. Among those who helped to entertain were Miss Davis and Miss Nora Adams, both of whom sang. W. Benden with his Punch and Judy show, who as a lot of five brought down the house with "I want to kiss daddy goodnight," and retired for an encore "Vote for Mayor Church."

M. McCleod, Mr. Marsh and Colonel Campbell gave short addresses.

AUTO LICENSES OPEN

Lieut.-Colonel Carmichael, minister

automobile licenses are open for various districts throughout the province. Preference will be given to returned soldiers and applicants should communicate with the minister at parliamentary buildings.

I.O.D.E. WAR MATINEE.

Lord Salisbury Chapter, I.O.D.E.,

held a war memorial matinee yesterday at the Oakwood Theatre, at which four hundred soldiers from the Davisville, St. Andrew's, Spadina and Christie Street Hospitals were guests.

Kiwanis Club Elects Officers

And Directors for Coming Year

At the annual meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Toronto, held at the King Edward Hotel last night, Dec. 28, the following officers and directors and chairmen were elected for the year 1920: President, H. G. Colebrook; vice-presidents, L. G. L. G. Taylor, A. J. Blain; directors, Dr. H. Pocock, H. J. St. Clair, Walter Bateon, A. R. Malton, H. A. Lawrence; treasurer, F. P. Higgins; secretary, C. A. Mills; committees: Public Charles Elliott; classification, M. C. Thomas; speakers, H. C. Corley; automobile, C. A. Mills; entertainment, F. A. Trestrail; attendance, Dr. A. J. Blain; inter-city relations, H. J. St. Clair. It was unanimously decided that the motto of the club would be strictly adhered to "to realize more fully that there is in the good community work done in the past should be increased wherever possible, every member feeling that it is his duty to do his share in community and municipal work."

The membership in this organization is increasing very rapidly and it is expected that at the expiration of 1920 there will be but few vacancies.

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RATES FOR NOTICES Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, not over 50 words, \$1.00. Additional words each 5c. No Lodge Notices to be included in Funeral Announcements.

BIRTHS. KAY—At 125 University avenue, on Tuesday, Dec. 23, to Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kay, a daughter (Irene Agnes Josephine).

MARRIAGES. BEST—LANG—On Tuesday, Dec. 30, 1919, at Toronto, by the Rev. Canon Dixon, pastor of Little Trinity Church, Norman Best of Dauphin, Man., formerly of Collingwood, Ont., to Beaulieu (Bea) Lang, only daughter of the late Alexander Lang.

DEATHS. BROWN—Died suddenly of pneumonia, Emily E., eldest daughter of the late Henry and Caroline Brown, late of Welker avenue, Toronto.

IN MEMORIAM. In loving memory of the Brethren of Riverside Lodge, A.F. & A.M., No. 494, G.R.C., who, in the cause of freedom, have given their lives on land, or sea, or in the air, during the great war, 1914-18:

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DEWART ON TRACKS OF LICENSE BOARD (Continued From Page 1.) or further investigated. They will be dealt with in due course."

Warehouse Licenses. Hartley Dewart also requires some information from Mr. Nixon relating to the issue of warehouse licenses, and this part of his letter followed:

Ugly Rumor Abroad "In this connection, I am informed that a man named Sol Rotschild, of Port Arthur held such a license previously and was fined for an infringement of the law."

To Establish Farmers' Branch Of Ottawa Board of Trade Hon. F. C. Biggs, minister of public works, will visit Ottawa shortly with a view to bringing about the establishment of a farmers' branch for Carleton county of the Ottawa Board of Trade.

A WINTER PLAYGROUND Ideal weather conditions are being enjoyed by the guests at the "Highland Inn" in Highland Park, Toronto.

THE WEATHER Meteorological Office, Toronto, Dec. 30. (8 p.m.)—The depression which was over the Straits of Mackinac last night has now reached the Maritime Provinces, with reduced energy.

STEAMER ARRIVALS. Steamer. At From From Passengers. New York. New York. N. Amsterdam. Amsterdam. New York. Rimouski. Liverpool. Boston. Manchester. Plymouth. New York. Noordam. Rotterdam. New York. Stavanger. Christiania. New York. Belvedere. Palermo. New York.

CITY HALL NOTES ALL the candidates seeking election to next year's council, and more especially those aspiring to become mayor or controllers seem to have forgotten that there are a series of most important questions vital to the city to be voted upon by the people on Thursday next.

OTHER PEOPLE'S OPINIONS The World will gladly print under its head letters written by our readers, dealing with current topics. As space is limited they must not be longer than one column, and written on one side of the paper only.

FARMERS ORGANIZE NEW U.F.O. BRANCH Twenty-Six Members Enrolled at Don Road School by New Body.

Veterans' Association in Ward 1 is Arthur J. Stubblings, who is seeking one of the aldermanic seats.

A NEW SUMMER RESORT. Information has been received at Grand Trunk headquarters that the Canadian Hotel will have next year a summer resort hotel that will surpass in size any similar enterprise previously created in the Dominion.

Veterans Speak at St. Julien Theatre St. Julien Theatre, Bloor street and Lansdowne avenue, was last night the scene of a pictorial and chatty entertainment.

HAPPY CHRISTMAS FOR PATIENTS Thru the generosity of the friends of the Women's College Hospital the patients spent a happy Christmas day, each patient receiving a gift from the board of directors, and from the hospital workers of the Dovercourt Presbyterian Church.

THE STERLING BANK OF CANADA SAVE, Because-- Youth is the time for earning, old age the time for enjoying.

CLOTHIERS MAKE STATEMENT. Editor World: I have been requested by a number of ladies of the Retail Clothing section of the Retail Merchants' Association to announce that the article appearing in the Evening Telegram of Dec. 29 is misleading and to state that it was not the unanimous decision of the Retail Merchants' Association to endorse the action of the defendants.

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OSGOODE HALL NEWS ANNOUNCEMENTS (Second Divisional Court—Judgments will be delivered on Friday, January 2nd in the following cases: Ried v. Anderson; re Dominion Permanent; Brown v. Crawford; Marler v. Marler; a Lynet; (Harranah estate); Godfrey v. Cooper; Hart v. Cooper; Warburton v. Cooper; National Equipment v. Jones; Sheehan v. Mercantile Insurance Co.

OSGOODE HALL NEWS ANNOUNCEMENTS (Continued) Before J. A. C. Cameron, Master of the Court: Dovercourt Land Co. v. Dunvegan Heights—Stands to 6th January. Wilson v. McLagan—R. S. Robertson for plaintiff moved for order for security for costs; J. H. Fraser for plaintiff. Order made. Costs in defendant's favor.

OSGOODE HALL NEWS ANNOUNCEMENTS (Continued) Before J. A. C. Cameron, Master of the Court: Royal Bank v. Roberts—R. T. Behune for plaintiff obtained charging order for moneys in court. Dominion Oil Co. v. P. R.—J. Q. Maunsel for defendant obtained order for costs on consent dismissing action without costs.

OSGOODE HALL NEWS ANNOUNCEMENTS (Continued) Before Falconbridge, C. J. K. B. Orr v. Orr—E. G. Porter, K.C., for plaintiff. W. C. Mikel for defendant. Defendant by plaintiff for declaration that she is the owner of certain lands conveyed by Angelina Pemberton, plaintiff's mother. Counter-claim by defendant for recovery of moneys advanced for exclusion from property. Judgment: I shall leave the parties just as they were, dismissing the action without costs and dismissing the counterclaim without costs.

Amusements. Big Special Attraction for the Holiday Week STRAND CHARLIE CHAPLIN In His Latest and Fourth Million Dollar Comedy, "A DAY'S PLEASURE" Commencing 12, 1.45, 3.30, 5.15, 7.00, 8.45 and 10.30.

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Amusements. PRINCESS—TONIGHT MRS. IN "Mis' Nelly FISKE of N'Orleans" MAT. NEW YEARS SEATS TODAY JOHN CORT'S Greatest of All Musical Comedies

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Amusements. ALLEN PLAYING Eugene O'Brien IN "THE PERFECT LOVER" ALSO "THE KITCHEN LADY" ONE OF MACK SNETT'S FUNNIEST.

Amusements. ALHAMBRA BLOOD AT BATHURST "BROKEN BLOSSOMS" "IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE" Special Matinee New Year's.

Amusements. MADISON HARRY T. BLOOR AT BATHURST "THE DARKEST HOUR" ARENA PRO. HOCKEY TONIGHT Canadiens vs. St. Patricks

Amusements. Watch Night Service December 31st, 10.30 TEMPLE—ALBERT STREET Commissioner W. J. Richards SPECIAL MUSIC AND SINGING PUBLIC CORDIALLY INVITED Toronto General Hospital Pursuant to the provisions of the Toronto General Hospital Act, E.S.O., Chapter 299, a meeting of the subscribers will be held at the Toronto General Hospital for the purpose of electing the Trustees for the year 1920.

Amusements. STAR THEATRE PACE MAKERS SPECIAL ATTRACTION "LA BERGERE" IN ARTISTIC POSES MIDNIGHT SHOW NEW YEAR'S EVE, 11 P.M. SHEA'S ALL VALERIE BERGERE & CO. DIANE & RUBIN, "PLAYMATES" HERBERT CLIFTON

Hockey

O.H.A. Scores

COLDWATER UNABLE TO SECURE PLAYERS

Parkdale Opens Senior O.H.A. Season on Friday Night at Kitchener.

The O. H. A. senior championship season will open on Friday night, when Parkdale will play at Kitchener. The clubs have agreed on Tom Munro of London as referee.

The Coldwater club, which applied for permission to take Meaford's place in Group No. 14, intermediate series, has been forced to drop out owing to the inability to secure players. This leaves Meaford, Collingwood and Collingwood in the group. Not having a rink at their own, Orillia will play Meaford at Coldwater, Collingwood at Barrie, and Barrie at Longford in their home games. Friday night Orillia will play at Midland and Collingwood at Barrie.

N. G. Schaefer is president of the Milverton O.H.A. intermediate club. Louis Toyle manager, W. J. Bundschu secretary, and M. H. Bundschu coach. They play their first game at home on Friday night against St. Mary's.

Additional registrations are as follows:

Milverton (Int.)—J. James Orr; 2. G. Meyers; 3. W. R. Bundschu; 4. L. H. Bastendorff; 5. W. J. Kellerman; 6. W. Miller; 7. W. A. Atkins; 8. Allan Cook; 9. W. H. Zimmerman; 10. H. L. Orr; 11. E. Racy; 12. W. J. Bundschu; 13. Jack Clime.

Elmira (Int.)—1. Otto Rook; 2. H. Welker; 3. Elroy Schefele; 4. C. S. Otto; 5. L. Ruppel; 6. Norman Ruppel; 7. Albert Kicht; 8. Detweiler; 9. W. N. Huiler; 10. D. Edmiston; 11. H. O. Weichel; 12. H. E. Haack.

Paris (Junior)—Harold Sugme; 2. G. Porter; 3. Kenneth Baird; 4. Samuel Hutchison; 5. Charles Maguire; 6. Stanley Liley; 7. Thomas Eddy; 8. Wm. Garth; 9. R. Rowe; 10. Howard Moore.

Mitchell (Int.)—1. Harry McManus; 2. Clifford Barrie; 3. Arthur Blowers; 4. John Rogers; 5. Arthur Blowers; 6. D. Erickman; 7. W. C. Thorne; 8. Leighton Sawyer; 9. L. Davidson; 10. John Cook; 11. Leslie Gatenby; 12. Harry Campbell.

Port Colborne (Int.)—1. R. N. Wilson; 2. Norman Shaw; 3. A. M. German; 4. A. P. McAvoy; 5. C. Irwin; 6. W. J. Agnew; 7. G. H. Bricken; 8. E. Earl; 9. R. W. Thompson; 10. J. P. Cross; 11. N. W. Irwin.

Parkdale C. C. (Junior)—1. J. B. Smith; 2. George Walker; 3. John Malone; 4. Harry Sider; 5. Jack Bond; 6. Pete Halloran; 7. H. Cotton; 8. Geo. Ritchie; 9. E. Bowen; 10. Archie Melmas.

Kitchener (Int.)—1. Norman Johnston; 2. Leo McManis; 3. Allan King; 4. Earl Jamieson; 5. John Krug; 7. Arthur Scharr; 8. George Stewart.

Intermill (Int.)—1. George Stewart; 2. Niagara Falls (Int.)—R. McKee.

Granites (Senior)—Hugh J. Fox.

Cannington (Int.)—1. F. Halward; 2. Earl Hodgen; 3. F. Halward; 4. Reginald Paul; 5. George Welsh; 6. Ted Halward; 7. Lewis Ritchie; 8. James Pearson; 9. Edward Williams; 10. Garnet Woodward; 11. Neil McPhadden; 12. Edward Galt; 13. Edgar Jewell; 14. Walter Callaghan; 15. Edgar Jewell; 16. Hillard Coombs.

Kitchener (Senior)—1. George Hainsworth; 2. Edward Clarke; 3. Otto Salomon; 4. Frank Trushinski; 5. George Karner; 6. E. Y. Menick; 7. G. Hillman; 8. Eric Parkes.

Newmarket—1. Frank Duncan; 2. A. V. Epworth; 3. Bert Doyle; 4. E. McCaffrey; 5. Verne Lepard; 6. Wm. Epworth; 7. A. R. Pringle; 8. Louis H. Bovari; 9. Wm. Gibney; 10. Fred Thompson; 11. Wm. H. Baines; 12. Leslie Bell; 13. Herbert Hugo; 14. Bert N. Day; 15. Norman Blair.

Parkdale canoe club juniors are getting open their junior O.H.A. season here on New Year's eve at 7:30 p.m. Parkdale will line up as follows: Goal, Smith; defence, Malone and Walker; forwards, Bond, Bell, and Cotton, Ritchie or Cowen.

A winning despatch says: After one of the greatest finishes ever staged on local ice, and played before a packed house of 6000 hockey fans, the Selkirk team evened up the lead in the Manitoba Senior Hockey League race here Monday night by defeating the Falcon team in overtime play by 5 to 4.

At Moose Jaw, Monday, in an overtime period, Moose Jaw defeated the Saskatoon hockey team, 3 to 2.

STRAFORD SCORED THIRTEEN.

Galt, Dec. 30.—The Junior O. H. A. series in group eight opened here this evening with Stratford defeating the local team 13 to 4 in a fast and hard-fought game in which superior speed, team play and the weight of the visitors were the deciding factors. Few penalties were imposed by referee, Steve Mackay. While their team was beaten, the local fans were not discouraged, and general opinion was that the team that beat Stratford will be champions. Line-up: Stratford (13)—Goal, Baechler; right defence, Soguch; left defence, Lechurby; centre, Moran; right wing, Carson; left wing, Ketterberg; subs, Davello and Laird.

Galt (4)—Goal, Himes; right defence, Skeely; left defence, Gardner; centre, Graham; right wing, Evans; left wing, Bell; sub, Burgess.

Referee—W. E. Tackaberry, Toronto.

KITCHENER READY.

Kitchener, Ont., Dec. 30.—(Special).—Kitchener senior O.H.A. players have been going it hard getting into shape for the Parkdale engagement Friday night. The ex-champions report in good shape and promise some surprises for the Parkdale aggregation.

HOCKEY SCORES

Midland	14	Bradford	3
Stratford	13	Collingwood	4
Bracebridge	20	Huntsville	3
Sun Life	10	Grand & Toy	2
Hamilton	10	Tate	5

Toronto League Senior Schedules Drafted

The following Toronto Hockey League schedules have been drafted:

Senior Group No. 1.

Jan. 6—Dons at Melbas, Connaught School.

Jan. 7—Classics at Broadviews, Kew Gardens.

Jan. 8—Melbas at Classics, Kew Gardens.

Jan. 9—Dops at Broadviews, Broadview rink.

Jan. 12—Broadviews at Melbas, Connaught School.

Jan. 12—Classics at Dons, Connaught School.

Jan. 15—Melbas at Dons, Connaught School.

Jan. 16—Classics at Broadviews, Broadview rink.

Jan. 19—Classics at Melbas, Connaught School.

Jan. 20—Broadviews at Dons, Connaught School.

Jan. 23—Dons at Classics, Kew Gardens.

Jan. 23—Melbas at Broadviews, Broadview rink.

Senior Group No. 2.

Jan. 5—St. Simons at D. S. C. R. R.

Jan. 5—Maitlands at Blythwood.

Jan. 8—D. S. C. R. R. at Blythwood.

Jan. 8—St. Simons at Maitlands.

Jan. 12—Maitlands at D. S. C. R. R.

Jan. 12—Blythwood at St. Simons.

Jan. 15—Blythwood at Maitlands.

Jan. 21—Maitlands at D. S. C. R. R.

Jan. 21—Blythwood at St. Simons.

Jan. 25—D. S. C. R. R. at Maitlands.

Jan. 25—St. Simons at Blythwood.

Senior Group No. 3.

Jan. 6—Eaton M. C. at Victoria Pres. Ravens Rink.

Jan. 7—Bellwoods at Aura Lee, Aura Lee Rink.

Jan. 8—Aura Lee at Eaton M. C. Varsity Rink.

Jan. 9—Victoria at Bellwoods, Ravens Rink.

Jan. 15—Aura Lee at Victoria, Ravens Rink.

Jan. 14—Bellwoods at Eaton, Varsity Rink.

Jan. 16—Eaton at Bellwoods, Ravens Rink.

Jan. 17—Victoria at Aura Lee, Aura Lee Rink.

Jan. 20—Bellwoods at Victoria, Ravens Rink.

Jan. 21—Eaton at Aura Lee, Aura Lee Rink.

Jan. 23—Victoria at Eaton, Varsity Rink.

Jan. 25—Aura Lee at Bellwoods, Ravens Rink.

O.H.A. Champions Easily Defeat Yale

Hamilton, Dec. 30.—Yale's crack hockey team got its first taste of the Canadian six-man game at the local arena tonight, the Tigers taking them into camp by a score of 10 to 5. A goaded crowd witnessed the exhibition, which was closer than the score would indicate. Yale was ahead 2 to 0 at the end of the first period, but the O.H.A. champions, while in a lousy play, looked like a Yale uniform. The teams lined-up as follows: O.H.A. (10)—Goal, Beaume; defence, Rols, Matter; centre, Reid; right wing, Cooper; left wing, Mitchell; subs, M. Smith, J. Smith.

Yale (5)—Goal, Day; defence, Ingalls, Martin; centre, Carson; right wing, Reid; left wing, Lawrence; subs, Billam, Davidson.

MIDLAND BEAT BRADFORD.

Midland, Dec. 30.—Midland juniors defeated Bradford here tonight in the first O.H.A. game played in Midland this season. At the finish of the game the score stood: Bradford 3, Midland 14.

The line-up: Goal, Gardner; left defence, Creighton; right defence, Evans; centre, Webb; subs, McLeod and McCullough.

Midland (14)—Goal, Hamby; left defence, Day; right defence, McMillen; centre, Evers; right wing, Lechurby; left wing, Wallace; subs, Byrne and Galt.

Referee: McKinnon, from Victoria Harbor.

SUN LIFE WINS OPENER.

Sun Life defeated Grand Toy by 10 to 2 in a Mercantile League hockey game at Varsity Rink last night.

THE PROS. TONIGHT.

St. Patricks yesterday morning held their final practice preparation for tonight's game against Canadiana. Newsy Lalonde, Piro and F. Panquetta will form the regular forward line, while McNamara and Corbeau will play defence. Fezina, who is a whole team in himself, will guard the net.

NORTHERN LEAGUE ADOPTS SCHEDULES

Senior Series Strong—Notes and Gossip of the Players.

Walkerton, Dec. 30.—The following Northern Hockey League schedules have been drafted:

Senior Group No. 2.

Jan. 6—Walker at Southampton.

Jan. 6—Midway at Hanover.

Jan. 9—Southampton at Midway.

Jan. 9—Durham at Walkerton.

Jan. 12—Walkerton at Hanover.

Jan. 12—Midway at Southampton.

Jan. 15—Hanover at Walkerton.

Jan. 15—Midway at Southampton.

Jan. 19—Walker at Southampton.

Jan. 19—Durham at Walkerton.

Jan. 23—Walker at Hanover.

Jan. 23—Durham at Walkerton.

Jan. 25—Midway at Southampton.

Jan. 25—Southampton at Walkerton.

Feb. 2—Durham at Midway.

Feb. 2—Southampton at Hanover.

Feb. 5—Walker at Durham.

Feb. 5—Hanover at Walkerton.

Feb. 13—Hanover at Midway.

Senior Group No. 4.

Jan. 6—Luskow at Clinton.

Jan. 12—Wingham at Brussels.

Jan. 15—Ripley at Luskow.

Jan. 16—Clinton at Wingham.

Jan. 19—Brussels at Clinton.

Jan. 19—Wingham at Luskow.

Jan. 22—Luskow at Wingham.

Jan. 23—Ripley at Clinton.

Jan. 23—Brussels at Wingham.

Jan. 25—Wingham at Clinton.

Jan. 25—Clinton at Wingham.

Senior Group No. 5.

Jan. 12—Wingham at Clinton.

Jan. 12—Clinton at Wingham.

Jan. 25—Wingham at Clinton.

Jan. 25—Clinton at Wingham.

When Lloyd Cook of Vancouver hockey team took the puck from behind the net in about 20 seconds of overtime play, he and the rest of the team were in a state of excitement. The puck hit the net, but when Cook banged the puck into the goal, the Capitals, the winning counter, the pandemonium broke out. The final score was 4 to 2. The game was played in Vancouver.

The game was one of the most sensational that have been played on the Pacific coast. Vancouver was favored by the odds, but for minor accidents that had their effect upon the Capitals, the result might easily have been reversed.

St. Francis' senior and junior hockey teams will play a practice game at Trinity Park on New Year's Day at 11 house at 10:30 a.m. The following seniors are requested to be on hand: Gibson, Cronin, Finley, Sullivan and Harrington.

BRACEBRIDGE BEAT HUNTSVILLE.

Bracebridge, Dec. 30.—In the intermediate O.H.A. played here tonight, Bracebridge defeated Huntsville by 20 to 3. The line-up: Goal, H. Jackson; right defence, E. Jockey; left defence, W. Walker; centre, E. Jockey; right wing, W. Kinsey; left wing, E. Dunn; forwards, Jim Kinsey and Cecil Ingles.

Huntsville (3)—Goal, Blackburn; left defence, J. Shand; right defence, G. Kellock; right wing, Ross; centre, G. A. Kendrick; subs, E. Simmons, G. Grahame.

Referee—Ernie Jupp, Orillia.

FIRST-HAND INFORMATION WAS NOT FORTHCOMING.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Charles A. Commissioner of the Chicago American League Baseball Club, today reiterated his offer of \$10,000 for direct information proving the dishonesty of secretary of his team, after an investigation of rumors that White Sox players in league with the Chicago White Sox syndicate, "three" games during the 1919 season and during the world's series.

At the conclusion of a secret conference of officials of the team, at which the offer of \$10,000 was discussed, Harry Grabner announced that no evidence to support the charge had been produced.

"The St. Louis parties came here at the request of President Comiskey," said Grabner. "There had been many rumors that they could give information of value. It developed, however, that they had told them, and they knew nothing we had not heard before."

"One of the rumors was to the effect that three members of the team had approached the St. Louis gamblers with an offer to throw one game worth the championship race for \$200 each.

TREMENDOUS BOOM IN WEST OF ENGLAND Association Football Gates Biggest on Record—Old Country Notes.

J. Playfair, Kilmarnock's latest recruit, made an excellent debut at night last night against Laird. Laird, a right hander, he comes from Cambuslang, a reputation for playing the game with judgment and a keenness that had the effect of keeping the Laird team from being able to play. Laird is a very good player, and he is a very good player. He is a very good player, and he is a very good player.

Will the Half-Milers Bear Investigation?

It is stated that the half-milers must prove to the commission at an early date that they are of some benefit, or they are to be legitimized out of existence. The merry-go-rounds of Toronto and Montreal are to have a hearing before Dr. Rutherford, who will give the promoters a chance to make out a case for themselves.

TODAY'S ENTRIES

AT NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, Dec. 30.—Entries for Wednesday are:

FIRST RACE—Purse, two-year-olds, maidens, 5 1/2 furlongs: 1. M. J. Dickey Van, 107; 2. Big Idea, 107; 3. Maiden Voter, 107; 4. Hiss Off, 107; 5. Salsina, 111; 6. Gaining, 111; 7. Arrowhead, 110; 8. Bala, 110; 9. Lieut. Seas, 110; 10. Gen. Glenn, 110; 11. Bonstelle, 111; 12. Dewitt, 115.

SECOND RACE—Claiming, three-year-olds and up, 5 1/2 furlongs: 1. Tommy Waac, 49; 2. Ruth, 49; 3. Spokane Queen, 410; 4. Onco, 410; 5. Queen of the South, 410; 6. Mattell, 410; 7. Heavy Weapon, 410; 8. Helms, 410; 9. Hattie McCarty, 410; 10. Leinster, 410; 11. My Grace, 410; 12. Irish Maid, 410; 13. Scarpia II, 410; 14. Murphy, 410; 15. The Pirate, 410.

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FOURTH RACE—Claiming, three-year-olds and up, 1 1/2 miles: 1. Charlie Holters, 104; 2. Caballo, 101; 3. Indian Boy, 104; 4. St. George, 104; 5. High Note, 104; 6. Lucille P., 104; 7. Summer Sight, 106; 8. Gen. Byng, 106; 9. Maud Verma, E., 105; 10. Little String, 112; 11. P. G. King, 112; 12. Quartette, 112; 13. Little Gink, 111.

FIFTH RACE—Handicap, all ages, six furlongs: 1. Sweepin' Glance, 102; 2. Assume, 109; 3. W. H. Hastings, 110; 4. The Boy, 117; 5. War God, 120.

SIXTH RACE—Claiming, three-year-olds and up, one mile: 1. Eddie McBride, 95; 2. Tiger Rose, 97; 3. Evelyn Harrison, 106; 4. Graefwood, 106; 5. Sentimental, 100; 6. Plenty, 104; 7. Phone Ward, 100; 8. The Gallant, 106; 9. Frank Shannon, 108; 10. Sybil, 105; 11. Thea Blue, 112; 12. Mose T., 102; 13. Mumbo Jumbo, 112; 14. Sauer, 109; 15. Frank Hanson, 111.

SEVENTH RACE—Claiming, three-year-olds and up, one mile and seventy yards: 1. Judge David, 96; 2. Astrea, 96; 3. Poutline, 101; 4. Medusa, 104; 5. Mountain Boy, 107; 6. Steets, 96; 7. Antoinette, 98; 8. Polu, 104; 9. Little Cottage, 107; 10. Yowell, 111.

AT HAVANA.

Havana, Dec. 30.—Entries for Wednesday:

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs, 2-year-olds, claiming, purse \$600: 1. Miss Patsy, 108; 2. Col. Lillard, 105; 3. Major Bradley, 110; 4. Punctual, 110; 5. Steve, 110; 6. Punctual II, 111; 7. Saxon, 110; 8. Five furlongs, all ages, claiming, purse \$600: 1. He's a Bear, 102; 2. Lady Ivan, 108; 3. Sholey, 111; 4. Magic Mirror, 111; 5. Baby Bonds, 113; 6. The S. Wing, 116; 7. Jellison, 116; 8. Shiro, 111; 9. Third, 116; 10. Skyman, 108; 11. Little Nephew, 116; 12. Bars and Stars, 116; 13. Little Nephew, 116; 14. Bars and Stars, 116; 15. Little Nephew, 116; 16. Bars and Stars, 116.

SIXTH RACE—Five furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, purse \$600: 1. B. of Elitown, 97; 2. Phedon, 99; 3. Currency, 105; 4. Premium, 102; 5. High Gear, 104; 6. Poucher, 108; 7. Skeerface, 112.

SEVENTH RACE—3 1/2 miles, 3-year-olds and up, claiming, purse \$700: 1. Woodrush, 108; 2. Bill Hunley, 108; 3. F. H. M., 108; 4. Nearer, 108; 5. F. H. M., 108; 6. Nearer, 108; 7. F. H. M., 108; 8. Nearer, 108; 9. F. H. M., 108; 10. Nearer, 108; 11. F. H. M., 108; 12. Nearer, 108; 13. F. H. M., 108; 14. Nearer, 108; 15. F. H. M., 108; 16. Nearer, 108; 17. F. H. M., 108; 18. Nearer, 108; 19. F. H. M., 108; 20. Nearer, 108; 21. F. H. M., 108; 22. Nearer, 108; 23. F. H. M., 108; 24. Nearer, 108; 25. F. H. M., 108; 26. Nearer, 108; 27. F. H. M., 108; 28. Nearer, 108; 29. F. H. M., 108; 30. Nearer, 108; 31. F. H. M., 108; 32. Nearer, 108; 33. F. H. M., 108; 34. Nearer, 108; 35. F. H. M., 108; 36. Nearer, 108; 37. F. H. M., 108; 38. Nearer, 108; 39. F. H. M., 108; 40. Nearer, 108; 41. F. H. M., 108; 42. Nearer, 108; 43. F. H. M., 108; 44. Nearer, 108; 45. F. H. M., 108; 46. Nearer, 108; 47. F. H. M., 108; 48. Nearer, 108; 49. F. H. M., 108; 50. Nearer, 108; 51. F. H. M., 108; 52. 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MRS. HAMILTON GETS EXCELLENT BACKING

Woman Candidate for Alderman Addresses Gathering of Supporters.

An interesting gathering in favor of Mrs. L. A. Hamilton's candidature as an alderman took place at the Diet Kitchen yesterday afternoon...

on correct information or to go to their nearest school or to the women's municipal bureau at 87 East King Street...

WILLS AND BEQUESTS.

Upon certain contingencies happening, the following bequests are made by the late Dr. Charles E. Treble...

By a will made August 5, 1911, William Leslie Cameron, formerly of Simcoe, who died in Toronto on October 23 last...

ALD. DONALD MACGREGOR

Elector of the Sixth Ward should make certain that Ald. MacGregor is returned for 1920. He is a tried and true friend of Public Ownership...

MACGREGOR X

FIRE PROBE RESUMED

Books of National Dry Goods Company Again Before Fire Marshal Heaton.

Circumstances surrounding the fire on the National Dry Goods Company premises early in December were further investigated yesterday.

T. E. Copeland, the accountant, in reply to questions from Fire Marshal Heaton, stated that the balance from the trading account for the past three months was \$7,548, against this was \$11,131 overhead.

Mr. Copeland: "Yes, I see by the books that the reserve account was swallowed up and some small capital stock."

Replying to another question, the witness stated that a considerable part of the goods had been sold on drafts subject to reduction or renewal.

District of Toronto Boy Scouts To Be Greeted by Bishop

The District of Toronto Boy Scouts will be out in numbers tonight when they assemble in St. Anne's Hall to receive greetings from their officers and the Bishop of Toronto.

Besides His Lordship Bishop Sweeney, Commissioners John G. Kent, Charles Mitchell and H. A. Laurence will have something to say to the boys...

ORATORIO CONCERTS.

Much anxiety has been felt amongst the supporters of the Oratorio Society as to the possibility of the appearance of the Detroit Orchestra on January 6...

Mr. Heaton: "So that for the three months there was a loss of about \$3,500?"

CITIZENS' LIBERTY LEAGUE

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS, JANUARY 1st, 1920

The Citizens' Liberty League endorse the following candidates:

CONTROLLERS.

Lt.-Col. Jesse G. Wright, Joseph Gibbons, C. A. Maguire, J. G. Ramsden.

ALDERMEN—WARD 1.

A. J. Stubbings, A. H. Wagstaffe, W. J. Storey.

ALDERMEN—WARD 2.

C. A. Risk, Henry Hines, J. N. Day.

ALDERMEN—WARD 3.

Wm. Harper, C. W. Mogridge, George M. Rose.

ALDERMEN—WARD 4.

Joseph Singer, Lewis Legrow, A. G. McIntyre.

ALDERMEN—WARD 5.

George Gustar, C. E. Blackburn, J. J. Hubbard.

ALDERMEN—WARD 6.

George Birdsall, A. L. Gadsby.

ALDERMEN—WARD 7.

Samuel Ryding, George T. Bond.

ALDERMEN—WARD 8.

Walter Brown, Francis H. Maxwell.

CITIZENS are requested to mark their ballots accordingly.

T. L. CARRUTHERS, General Secretary, 22 College Street.

For the Final Preparations to Take Over the Toronto Street Railway. For the Safety of the City's Great Hydro-Radial Interests.

Re-Elect T. L. Church as Mayor For 1920

Mayor Church's record is the citizens' assurance that the city's interests will be safeguarded in the acquirement of the street railway...

Mayor Church understands the needs of Toronto in the way of transportation.

Mayor Church has always been a strong and consistent supporter of the Hydro and public ownership. Citizens may be certain of his utmost co-operation in the construction of Hydro-radials.

A LAST WORD---

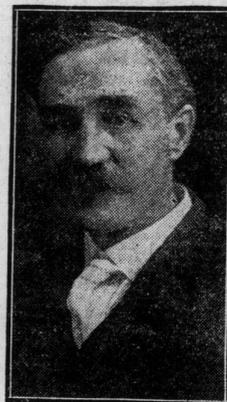
Mr. Elector,—Tomorrow is the most important day of the year in the city's life. It is the only one in 365 that you have an opportunity to express yourself on matters of vital importance affecting your health, your comfort and your pocket.

BOARD OF CONTROL---

For the year 1920. If you consider that my experience of four years as alderman and controller merit a renewal of your confidence, I shall be pleased to serve you again and continue to fight for your interests against all influences injurious to its welfare.

R. H. Cameron Candidate for Controller.

performances of the Prophet in "Elijah" during the last season. Toronto people had looked forward greatly to the appearance of the Detroit Orchestra in November...



ALD. BALL

for Controller

Simplification of the Assessment Act is essential to a fair and equitable distribution of taxation. ALD. BALL has worked hard along this line...

Vote Ball

for Controller

I will use all my best endeavors to assist in the carrying on of an honest, economical and progressive administration of our city.

WARD 4

VOTE

JOSEPH SINGER

FOR

ALDERMAN



WARD FOUR

VOTE

A. G. MCINTYRE

FOR

ALDERMAN

The Business Men's Representative.

HARRY WINBERG ALDERMAN

WARD 3

MY PLATFORM

Economy—consistent with progress; honest, efficient expenditure of city's money; support all plans leading to extension of public ownership.

Full support of Hydro System. Proper publicity to attract industries and capital to Toronto.

Devise methods of relieving the house shortage difficulty. Homes for workers at reasonable rental.

To the Electors of Ward 1

In placing myself before you as a candidate to represent you as Alderman in the 1920 City Council, I ask for your support on the following grounds:

- 1. I am in no sense a newcomer to Ward One, where I was born and have always lived.
2. Having enjoyed your favor on a previous occasion as Alderman for Ward One, I can represent you in the City Council with all the benefit that previous experience gives.
3. I am a producer and employer of labor, interested in not only one section or subdivision, but in the whole east end.
4. As a heavy taxpayer myself, I appreciate the position of other ratepayers, and can promise an earnest endeavor to not only reduce the present rate, but to encourage a more equitable system of assessment.
5. I believe in prompt steps being taken individually to develop the industrial Commission's Department, with a view to not only satisfy and help the great body of laboring men in the city, but reassure and encourage the manufacturers, to avoid the present tendency of some to keep away from Toronto and others to move from the city, which, if not corrected, will work harm for which Toronto will pay.
Therefore, if the above sentiments or platform appeal to you and you wish as a representative a consistent believer in "Live and Let Live," on January first make sure by voting.

A. H. WAGSTAFF for Alderman WARD 1

1920 VOTE FOR 1920

J. N. DAY

ALDERMAN

WARD 2

The Endorsed SOLDIER CANDIDATE

WARD 7

Vote for AN AGGRESSIVE BUSINESS MAN for A PROGRESSIVE WARD ERNEST A. DALTON FOR ALDERMAN, 1920

WARD 5 ELECTORS JAMES PHINEMORE

ALDERMANIC CANDIDATE will outline "The New Idea of Social Service Work and Police Court Reform" at the following public meetings: TUESDAY NIGHT, St. Clair Methodist Church, WEDNESDAY NIGHT, West End Y.M.C.A. Auditorium.

VOTE FOR

John W. Huggins

(Cartage Agent) AS ALDERMAN FOR WARD 5

WARD THREE

RE-ELECT

ALDERMAN MOGRIDGE

FOR ALDERMAN WARD 3

GEORGE M. ROSE

President The Hunter-Rose Co., Limited

WARD 6 VOTE

O. EARL HODGSON FOR ALDERMAN THE CITIZENS' CANDIDATE

WARD 4

Re-Elect

John A. Cowan As ALDERMAN

WARD 4

ELECT GEO. J. CASTLE AS ALDERMAN.

"IT'S TIME FOR A CHANGE" VOTE LABOR CANDIDATES

- FOR MAYOR JAMES H. H. BALLANTYNE
FOR CONTROLLER JAMES SIMPSON
FOR ALDERMAN Ward One W. J. STOREY Ward Two H. HINE Ward Three WILLIAM STEPHENSON Ward Four LEWIS LOGROW Ward Five WILLIAM B. HUNTER Ward Six A. L. GADSBY Ward Seven GEORGE BOND Ward Eight WALTER BROWN
BOARD OF EDUCATION Ward One NORMAN BEAMISH Ward Two F. J. CARNEY Ward Three J. E. FOWLE Ward Four ROLAND H. PALMER Ward Five ANDREW GLEN Ward Seven F. HENRY Ward Eight R. C. BROWN

Clip This for Reference When Voting.

It's Time for a Change-- MAKE McBRIDE MAYOR

If length of service and devotion to public duty merit reward, then Controller McBride deserves promotion.

Controller McBride has given to the city service thirteen years crowded with strenuous endeavor.

The council minutes are eloquent with Con. McBride's achievements, but just to mention a few of them, take the eight-hour day measure, votes for married women, the double-platoon system in the Fire Department and the protection of residential districts against all kinds of nuisances.

Controller McBride has defeated more than one scheme directly opposed to the city's interests, and in doing so he has made enemies, but McBRIDE'S ENEMIES are not the CITY'S FRIENDS.

Do you believe in the principle of promotion in your own business? If you do--

Your Duty is Plain-- ELECT McBRIDE MAYOR

Information and cars on election day: Central, Coll. 4279; Ward One, Gerr. 269, Gerr. 1393, Coll. 4279; Ward Eight, Beach 1822, Beach 322, Beach 1825, Beach 184, Beach 424, Gerr. 5708, Coll. 4279.

An evening paper, opposed to Mr. McBride, has cancelled its contract to insert his election cards. WHY?

FOR THE PROGRESS OF THE CITY

Controller C. A. Maguire stands by public ownership twelve months in the year. Citizens need never worry about his attitude on any question affecting this all-important issue.

Controller Maguire has always been found in the forefront of the battle for ownership of public utilities by the people.

Controller Maguire should be kept on guard at the City Hall against the enemies of public ownership.

Progress of the city and prosperity of the citizens have been his constant objectives.

Toronto's development is bound up with Hydro-Electric and Hydro-radials and municipal ownership of the street railway.

LET NOTHING MENACE THE CITY'S FUTURE. ON HIS PUBLIC OWNERSHIP RECORD

RE-ELECT

C. A. MAGUIRE

FOR 1920

WORK STOCKS HAVE GOOD RALLY

American Woolen Up Thirteen Points, and U. S. Rubber Five.

New York, Dec. 30.—High money market imposed further restraints upon the stock market during the early and middle stages of today's session, but the rally was more than offset later by encouraging industrial prospects.

The day's favorable developments included another advance in the price of copper metal and reports of additional heavy bookings by steel producers. Some manufacturers, it was reported, have been obliged to reserve further orders.

Several stocks stood out in the day's irregular movement, especially American Woolen and U. S. Rubber, at extreme advances of 13 and 5 points, respectively, on prospective "extra" dividends.

Steele, equipments, motors and oils also participated in the vigorous rally in the last hour with metals, shipping, leather and several of the rails, also the latter as a class made comparatively little headway. Sales amounted to 1,350,000 shares.

Trading in bonds was on the largest scale of almost any day of the year, but the trend was lower, especially among rails and industrials. Total sales for values aggregated \$28,400,000. Old U. S. bonds were unchanged on call.

At a recent meeting of beneficiaries of the Pressed Metals Company of Canada, Limited, the following committee was appointed to handle and distribute among common stockholders shares and cash held in trust for them by the Toronto Agency Company, Limited: C. E. Calvert, J. W. Lighton, H. L. Nussbaum, R. E. Eady and W. R. Johnston. They report having sold 128 shares to net \$225 per share. The sum, together with cash held in balance of shares, will be distributed among common stockholders on Jan. 31, as follows: A share for every 25 held and a 2 per cent. cash distribution. These distributions accrue also to shares to be issued Jan. 25.

It is rumored that the General Motors Company has purchased control of four important glass companies in the United States, namely the Columbia, Saginaw, Federal and Continental. The great demand for closed cars has resulted, it is said, in the General Motors finding difficulty in obtaining sufficient glass for its steady output, has been deemed advisable that it control its own glass manufacturing plants.

A meeting of shareholders of the Colonial Investment Company was held yesterday in connection with the proposal to absorb the Imperial Trust Company. The selling of the stock of the latter has been entirely favorable to the benefit of the plan, but it was thought advisable to present at another meeting on January 30.

Trading on the New York curb today was rather quiet and irregular. The early influence in this direction was given by the high call money rate, around 25 per cent. The close was steady, with some recovery by issues which had moved lower.

General Asphalt, on short selling, based on the high money rates, moved down to 107, but recovered quickly, and at the close sold at 110 1/2. American Safety Razor was steady around 17 1/2. Most oil stocks were lower, including Merritt Oil, Merritt sold at 15 1/2. The Tonopah and Divides were under pressure all day. Tonopah Divides advanced to 4, while Divides Extension closed at 1 1/2.

STERLING IS WEAKER New York, Dec. 30.—Futures demand 107 1/2; cables 107 1/2. Marks demand 106; cables 208. Sterling displayed further weakness later in the day, the following being recorded: Sterling 60 day bills 370 1-2; commercial 60 day bills on banks 370 1-2; commercial 60 day bills 370; demand 37 1/2; cables 37 1/2.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE. London, Dec. 30.—Money 3 1/2 per cent. Discount rates: Short and three-month bills, 5 1/2 per cent.

Paris, Dec. 30.—Trading was active on the bourse today. Three per cent. bonds 59 francs; 4 per cent. bonds 60 francs 80 centimes. The Cote was quoted at 10 francs 7 1/2 centimes.

Washington, Dec. 30.—The treasury today established a credit of \$416,000,000 in favor of Italy. This makes a total credit of \$1,621,338,000 for Italy, and of \$2,447,924,000 to all of the allies.

WE BUY VICTORY BONDS

W. L. MCKINNON DEAN H. PETTIE

Colonial Investment Moves Up Another Point—Steel Issues Are Neglected.

A bullish demonstration in Atlantic Sugar, in which the E. S. sections reached the top of 74 1/2, was the total of 625 shares, was an outstanding incident in yesterday's well-scattered trading on the Toronto exchange.

The opening price, 73, showed no change from Monday, but spirited bidding caused an advance to 74 1-2, the closing being at the high point of the day.

Another strong stock was Canada Bread, for which demand revived, the price advancing half a point to 29 1-4. Colonial Investment, which for some days has been regularly scoring a gain, moved up a point to 79, closing there. The steels were almost entirely neglected, a small lot of Dominion Iron coming out 1-4 higher at 75, while Steel of Canada at 86 1-2 was off 1-4. Brazing was traded briskly and sold off 1-4 to 50 3-4. Cement at 73 was down nearly a point and Mackay fell back an even point to 73. The day's trading was almost entirely neglected, a small lot of Dominion Iron coming out 1-4 higher at 75, while Steel of Canada at 86 1-2 was off 1-4. Brazing was traded briskly and sold off 1-4 to 50 3-4. Cement at 73 was down nearly a point and Mackay fell back an even point to 73.

CHICAGO MARKETS. J. P. Bickell & Co., Standard Bank Building, report the following prices of the Chicago Board of Trade:

Open High Low Close. Corn: Jan. 1.20 1.23 1.20 1.23. Feb. 1.19 1.22 1.19 1.22. Mar. 1.18 1.21 1.18 1.21. Apr. 1.17 1.20 1.17 1.20. May 1.16 1.19 1.16 1.19. Jun. 1.15 1.18 1.15 1.18. Jul. 1.14 1.17 1.14 1.17. Aug. 1.13 1.16 1.13 1.16. Sep. 1.12 1.15 1.12 1.15. Oct. 1.11 1.14 1.11 1.14. Nov. 1.10 1.13 1.10 1.13. Dec. 1.09 1.12 1.09 1.12.

CHICAGO STOCKS. Open High Low Close. Swift 123 1/2 124 1/2 123 1/2 124 1/2. Swift Int. 59 59 58 59 59 59. Car. 75 75 74 75 75 75. Libby 30 30 29 30 30 30. Nat. Leather 17 1/2 17 1/2 17 1/2 17 1/2.

BRANCH IN URUGUAY. The Royal Bank of Canada announces the opening of a branch of the bank at Montevideo, capital of Uruguay.

NEW YORK CURB. Closing quotations on the active issues Saturday as received by Hamilton B. Wills, over his direct private wire to the New York curb, were as follows:

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A Mother Likes her Boy

To be dressed in a way that will meet her demands for economy and durable material, and yet will please him. Knowing this the Boys' Clothing Dept. (2nd Floor) has in hand a stock which will meet the desires of both mother and son. Every day certain suits or garments are selling at reduced prices.

\$25.00 Junior Overcoats \$19.45

Exclusive patterns in brown, gray and olive mixtures, in soft woolly chevots. Double-breasted Ulster style, with patch pockets, inverted pleat in back and half-belt. Sizes 4 to 10 years. Sale price 19.45

Blue Serge Suits \$18.50

Single-breasted Belter and Norfolk models, lined throughout with durable body linings. Full-fashioned bloomers. Governor fasteners. Sizes 7 to 12 years 18.50

Junior Eton Norfolks \$7.50

A variety of colorings, blue worsteds, brown and novelty mixed tweeds, with straight knee pants. Sizes 4 to 8 years 7.50

Extra Knickers for Boys

Blues, grays, in dark and light shades, in Junior Knickers. Sizes 2½ to 10 years. \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50.

Simpson's—Second Floor

A Soft Fur Collar

At your neck on these biting mornings sends a warm glow through the whole system. In addition it adds a final touch to a well-cut substantially built overcoat.

You will find a nice model in our double-breasted, form-fitting dark gray melton, with Hudson Seal collar, slash pockets, deep centre vent and general lines. Sizes 36 to 42. Priced at 50.00



Fine Gray Worsted Suits

Here are some which will interest you. Single-breasted, 3-button, soft roll lapel, semi-fitted sacque, medium height vest. Trousers finished with cuff or plain bottom. Sizes 36 to 44 38.00

\$35.00 for a Chesterfield Coat

The average man finds that a coat of this style suits him best of all. It looks well, hangs well and is built well, as a matter of course.

This coat will meet your wishes: In dark gray melton, fly front, Chesterfield model, with slightly fitted back, self collar and regular pockets with flaps. Sizes 36 to 44. Price... 35.00

Reliable Shirtings

Arrow and Forsyth brands, in silk, fibre cloths, also with crepe and silk stripes; assorted patterns and different sleeve lengths. Sizes 14 to 16½. Price 5.00

Forsyth Shirts, in fine English wool taffeta cloths. Patterns in narrow and cluster stripes. Sizes 14 to 16 7.50

Arrow Shirts in crepe cloths, in blue, black, helio and cluster stripes. Different sleeve lengths. Sizes 14 to 16½ 3.00

Forsythe Shirts in fine crepe and flannel cloths, in blue, mauve and green narrow and cluster stripes. All have different sleeve lengths. Sizes 14 to 16½ 4.00

Arrow and Forsythe Shirts in heavy crepe cloths, all absolutely guaranteed colors, assorted patterns, different sleeve lengths. Sizes 14 to 16½ 4.50

Arrow and Forsythe Shirts in silk fibre cloths, also with crepe and silk stripes, assorted patterns, and different sleeve lengths. Sizes 14 to 16½ 5.00

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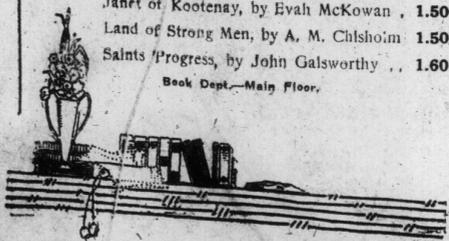
Simpson's—Main Floor

Reading for 1920

In this list of books appear several which have been selected by the book reviewers as the best products of the year. Style, interest and ability to tell a good story as it should be told, figured in the decision. You should have these books on your table.

- The Crimson Tide, by R. W. Chambers 1.75
- Rainbow Valley, by L. M. Montgomery 1.50
- Michael Forth, by Mary Johnston 1.90
- Red and Black, by Grace Richmond 1.50
- Storm in a Teacup, by Eden Phillpotts 1.75
- Girls of OK Valley, by Robt. Watson 1.50
- Heart of Cherry McBain, by Douglas Durkin 1.50
- Ladies in Waiting, by Kate Douglas Wiggin 1.65
- Rim o' the World, by B. M. Bower 1.60
- Dangerous Days, by Mary Roberts Rhinehart 1.50
- Janet of Kootenay, by Evah McKowan 1.50
- Land of Strong Men, by A. M. Chisholm 1.50
- Saints' Progress, by John Galsworthy 1.60

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Dainty Baby Wear

White Angora Caps

Edges with mercerized silk. Big white satin ribbon rosette on one side. Sizes to 1 year. Today 4.50

Infants' White Flannelette Nightgowns

Button back style. Edges stitched with white mercerized silk thread. Today... .85

White Voile Short Dresses

Square yokes, trimmed with embroidery and white, pink or blue ribbon. Sizes 6 months to 2 years. Today, special98

Triangular Diaper Pads

Firmly padded and quilted and covered with strong white cotton. Today, 2 for .25

Baby Record Books

Illustrated. Front cover with gold lettering and baby's head in color. Today .75

Infants' Overalls, With Feet Attached

White wool. Thick wool draw cords, with tassels at waist and ankles. Sizes to 1 year. Today 1.65

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THE PALM ROOM, AND SELF SERVICE LUNCH ROOM—On the Sixth Floor.

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Solitaire, Tiffany Rings, hexagon and fancy Dinner Rings, Platinum and white gold Lavallieres and little finger Rings, also Earrings and Bar Pins. Regularly from \$40.00 to \$50.00. Today 29.75

\$30.00 to \$35.00 Pearls, \$19.75

30-inch, 24-inch and 15-inch Pearl Strings, indestructible quality and graduated in size. Regularly from \$30.00 to \$35.00. Today, extra special 19.75

14K Necklaces, \$23.50

Solid 14k gold Necklaces, in large grape design, set with real pearls. Regularly \$40.00. Today 23.50

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Fox Trot, Jazz, Classic, January Records Today

90 Cents for 10-Inch Double-Sided Victor Records

- 216068—Wait Till You Get Them Up in the Air, Boys. Billy Murray.
- They're All Sweeties. Billy Murray-Henry Burr.
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- Golden Gate (Hawaiian Guitars). Ben Hokea-Al Nani.
- 216072—Freckles. Fox trot. Coleman's Orchestra.
- Tenis of Arabs. One step. Lincoln's Orchestra.
- 216074—Patches. Fox trot. Coleman's Orchestra.
- Dardanelles. Fox trot. Coleman's Orchestra.
- 18616—I Want a Daddy Who Will Rock Me to Sleep. Medley fox trot. All Star Trio.
- All the Quakers Are Shoulder Shakers. Medley fox trot. All Star Trio.
- 18621—Wonderful Pal. Sterling Trio.
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