

ROBS—Easterly winds; mostly cloudy and a little colder; light local snow.

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## Three Canadians Knighted—Battle in Mexico Still Proceeds—Poultry Raisers Held Up

### VOTE TODAY FOR HOCKEN, McCARTHY, SMPSON AND THOMPSON

#### CONTROLLER FOSTER'S PROPERTY, ASSESSED AT 50 CENTS A FOOT, QUOTED YESTERDAY AT SIXTY DOLLARS A FOOT

### SIX CANADIANS ARE INCLUDED IN NEW YEAR'S HONORS LIST BRYCE BECOMES A VISCOUNT

Lieutenant-Governor Cameron of Manitoba, Chief Justice Archambault, Quebec, and Henry Egan, Ottawa, Are Knighted—Sir Francis Langelier Becomes K.C.M.G., and Aubrey White a C.M.G.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—(C.A.P.)—The following Canadians appear among the New Year's honors, the official list of which will be published tomorrow:

K.C.M.G.: His Honor Sir Francis Langelier, LL.D., lieutenant-governor of the Province of Quebec.

His Honor Douglas Colin Cameron, lieutenant-governor of the Province of Manitoba.

C.M.G.: Charles Jerome Jones, S.O., assistant secretary to the governor-general of Canada.

Aubrey White, Esq., deputy minister of lands and forests, Ontario.

Knight Bachelor: Honorable Horace Archambault, chief justice of court of king's bench, Quebec.

Henry Kelly Egan, Esq., Ottawa.

Bryce Most Distinguished. Of all the names which figure in the New Year's honors list, the most distinguished perhaps is that of Hon. James Bryce, who becomes a viscount.

The other four peers are Sir Rufus Sand and Alexander Ure, who were recently raised to the rank of baronets, and Sir Charles Cripps, M.P., who is thus honored by his political opponents.

Mr. Bryce is a brother of Lord Northcliffe.

The honors list comprises five peers, five privy councillors, six baronets, twenty-two knights, and an enormous number of decorations and promotions to the various orders in the home, Indian and colonial and civil services.

Arts Neglected. The single appointment to the order of merit goes to Sir Archibald Gelkie, president of the royal society. Literature and the arts are rather conspicuously neglected, the only notable names being James Bryce, the former British ambassador at Washington, who becomes a viscount; Sir Archibald Gelkie, Owen Seaman, editor of Punch, and Ernest Rutherford, director of the physical laboratory of the University of Manchester, and a writer on physical and philosophical subjects, who is knighted.

Commerce is largely represented and there are rewards for political service, as well as numerous distinctions for naval and military merit.

Sir Gerard Augustus Lowther, re-

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### "No, Thanks," Said Rogers

OTTAWA, Dec. 31.—(Special.)—Some surprise was expressed this evening that the New Year's honor list did not include the name of Hon. Robert Rogers. It was well known that he had been offered a knighthood, but until this evening it had not been known that he had refused the honor.

### HOUSE BURNED AT EARLSCOURT

Frank Crook's Home Was Totally Destroyed During First Hour of New Year.

The first hour of this year was a disastrous one for Frank Crook of Hatherley road, Earls Court. His house caught fire at midnight and was totally destroyed, despite the efforts of the Earls Court Fire Brigade to save it. The firemen arrived in good time, but the house was too short, the nearest hydrant being a quarter of a mile away. By the time additional hose had been secured the house had collapsed, and all the brigade could do was to see that the fire did no further damage.

The house was a detached frame building, fully furnished, but the loss is reported to be covered by insurance.

Mr. Crook is an employee of the Mc Knight Construction Company.

### BOY SCOUTS ARE GREETED BY DUKE OF CONNAUGHT

Hopes Organization Will Grow Steadily in Numbers and Efficiency.

OTTAWA, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—The following message of greeting has been addressed by his royal highness, the Duke of Connaught, to the Boy Scouts of Canada:

"As chief scout I cordially wish the happiest and most useful of New Years to all Boy Scouts and a substantial increase in the numbers and efficiency of the association. (Signed) 'Arthur'."

### TASMAN'S PERIL TOLD BY MADAME NORDICA

Steamer Now Able to Resume Voyage After Running Ashore.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—Mrs. Lillian Nordica sent the following wireless despatch today to the Associated Press telling of the peril encountered in the Gulf of Papua by the steamer Tasman, on board of which she is a passenger:

"On board the steamer Tasman, by wireless telegraphy to Cooktown, Queensland, Dec. 31.—All on board the Tasman speak highly of the splendid behavior of her captain, her officers and her crew and her wireless operator. The vessel struck on Saturday night and much uncertainty prevailed as to the possibility of refloating her. She had gone ashore on Bramble Cay reef, from which she was towed off only yesterday by a Japanese collier. The exact amount of damage sustained has not been ascertained, but the pumps are now keeping the water well under, and the Tasman is proceeding to Thursday Island under her own steam for repairs, after which she will continue her voyage to Batavia. (Signed) 'Lillian Nordica.'"

### BIG OCEAN LINERS TO CALL AT QUEENSTOWN

Hamburg-American Line Plans Cause Flutter in Shipping Circles.

QUEENSTOWN, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—Interest in shipping circles has been aroused by the report that the Hamburg-American Co. intends to place some of its biggest ships, including the Cincinnati and Cleveland, in a service making Queenstown a port of call during the summer season. The Hamburg will call at Queenstown Jan. 20, 1914, one day before the rate conference meets in Paris. She will be the first steamer sailing from Ireland for America without a previous call at an English port. It was planned to have the Hamburg make her first call at Queenstown on Jan. 6, but the magnitude of the civic reception which is being prepared for her caused a postponement.

### QUEEN'S PARK SENDS NEW YEAR'S MESSAGE

Progress, Prosperity and Happiness is Forecast Made by Legislative Assembly.

With the dawning of a new year the Ontario Government issues an expression of good cheer to the province at large. Coupled with it comes the word of Sir James Whitney's steady improvement.

"The best wish of the provincial government to the people of Ontario for 1914 is that they may enjoy to the utmost all that the new year has in store for them, and that progress, prosperity and happiness may be theirs in great abundance.

"Ontario holds a signal place in this Dominion, and may what is hers in health and wealth be also the lot of the other provinces. May it be a real happy new year."

### MORMONS WILL INVADE CANADA

Presbyterian Home Mission Board Learns Eight Thousand Are Coming to Alberta.

Eight thousand Mormons from Utah and other parts of the United States will arrive in western Canada next spring, according to the message just received by the Presbyterian home mission officials here from W. Shearer of Calgary.

The influx of thousands of Mormons into Alberta is regarded in Presbyterian home mission circles as a peril, because of their views respecting polygamy. Mr. Shearer says: "I have not yet met a gentle who has lived any length of time among the Mormons of Alberta who did not believe that many of them were polygamists."

The situation will be dealt with at the approaching meeting of the Presbyterian home mission committee.

### POULTRY MAKING GOLD STORAGE MEN RICH

Producers, Unlike Dairymen, Are Unorganized and Middlemen Are Enabled to Reap Rich Profits as Consequence—Evidence is Given Before Government Commission.

(Special to The Toronto World). OTTAWA, Dec. 31.—The commission on the cost of living had John A. Ruddle, dairy and cold storage commissioner, before them yesterday, and today they called William A. Brown, chief of the poultry section of the live stock branch. From both these government officials the commission got some useful first-hand information. Probably 15 or 20 officials in various departments will be examined in this way. The commission, after this morning's session, adjourned till next Monday, when they will try to arrange for a meeting with the ministers of their respective departments. Hon. T. W. Crothers, Hon. Martin Burrell and Hon. J. D. Reid. The premier may also be present.

### FEDERALS RESIST FIERCE ATTACK OF REBELS

Driven From Outposts to Adobe Buildings and Inner Trenches, Huerta's Troops Make Last Desperate Stand at Ojinaga—Result of Day's Fighting is Indecisive.

PRESIDIO, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—After withstanding bullets, shells and shrapnel poured in on them from the rebels, the federal army at Ojinaga, Mex., tonight was still entrenched within the village, but in the opinion of military experts, with small hope of beating back the attacking force.

Gen. Torribo Ortega's 6000 rebels, scattered over the surrounding hills, after driving the 4000 federals from all their outposts and into the shelter of the adobe buildings and inner trenches, were beginning at sundown to demolish the horse corral and other loopholed buildings where the bulk of the federals were housed.

Gen. Caraveo Killed. Numbers of the federal officers, including Gen. Marcello Caraveo, commander of volunteers, were reported to have been killed or wounded. Much of the rebel cavalry fire was of no effect, but when Gen. Ortega put into action the field pieces brought from Chihuahua, the outlying adobe houses crumbled into heaps of dried mud, leaving a clearer range into the heart of the settlement. How many dead or wounded resulted from the preliminary skirmishes with the field pieces was impossible to learn, but the losses from that cause were not believed to be heavy, as most of the bullets had been abandoned by the federals as they retreated.

The federals, the interior in numbers, had the advantage in position, because from the village they were able to sweep the valley commanding the approach. Despite the belief that they were running short of ammunition, the federals showed a revived determination to make a plucky stand.

Fighting Intensive. One of their shells burst on an opposite hill, and a host of rebels had ascended to command a range on the federal line. The explosion caused a scuffling of rebels and left a number on the ground. The sixty hours of fighting so far as was observed was indecisive, except that the rebels were steadily gaining ground, while the operation of the federals was becoming more limited.

To frighten the federals into a retreat across the border into Texas, and thus end the battle without a prolonged siege or without the fatal results of a close encounter, was obviously the purpose of the rebel commanders who repeated their promise not to direct the fire into United States territory. Only from the few deserters who wanted federal soldiers, who succeeded in gaining the American shore, was information brought as to the casualties. The word of these soldiers was taken with allowance for their excited condition.

### ITALIANS ROUT ARABS WITH SEVERE LOSSES

Chief Opponent of Italian Rule in Tripoli Among Slain.

TRIPOLI, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—Advices were received today of a battle in the neighborhood of Murzuk, capital of Fezzan. A column of Italian and native troops completely routed the Arabs after five hours of fierce fighting. The Arab leader, Mohammed Ben Abdallah, the chief opponent of Italian rule, and several other notables were killed. The Italians lost sixteen killed and seventy-seven wounded.

### PICTURE SHOW FIRE ALMOST CAUSED PANIC

One Thousand Dollars' Damage Done is Covered by Insurance.

Fire in a moving picture shown owned by Nicholas Tugietti, at 485 Dundas street, last night, caused considerable excitement amongst the inmates of the theatre, but happily every person got out safely. About 9.30 the film caught fire from the overheating of the machines; the exits were immediately thrown open and the crowd of 50 or 60 persons quietly told to evacuate the building. For a moment it looked as if there might be a panic, but the quieter spirits prevailed, and in a minute the theatre was clear.

The damage is about \$1000, most of which is to the contents. The loss is covered by insurance.

### DINEEN'S GREAT JANUARY FUR SALE

With the coming of the new year there are pronounced profits awaiting buyers of furs at Dineen's 140 Yonge street. The sale just commenced at this old-established house promises to draw crowds by reason of the extraordinary price inducements offered. The benefit of an early visit must be obvious to those who appreciate values, and prices marked on Dineen furs will surely impress all visitors.

### LOOKING FORWARD

Mayor Hocken's good wishes for the New Year: "It is with more than usual confidence that I extend to the people of the City of Toronto my most cordial wishes for a happy and prosperous New Year."

"After a year of financial and industrial difficulties, every sign points to a return of conditions that will make for the continued growth, development and prosperity of our beloved Dominion. In this prosperity the City of Toronto will have its full share, and I look forward to another year of industrial expansion and promise the people another year of aggressive and efficient municipal government."

### RUSH TO EVADE EUGENICS LAW

Medical Examination Requirement Before Marriage Certificates Can Be Issued Causes Flurry.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—A rush to evade the new eugenics marriage law, effective tomorrow, made today the busiest on record for the Milwaukee county marriage license clerks. At the regular closing time eighty-four licenses had been issued, and the office was so crowded with applicants that it was decided to issue licenses until midnight.

The new law requires a thorough medical examination of both applicants for a license to wed. It also stipulates that three dollars shall be charged by physicians for making the examination. Many doctors have declared that they will not make the necessary tests for this fee. Fear that county officials will refuse to issue licenses unless medical certificates states that comprehensive blood tests have been made caused the record demand for wedding permits in the closing days of the year. Reports from other counties in the state agree that an unprecedented number of permits have been granted.

Clerks in many counties have asked the attorney-general for an interpretation of the law, and several have indicated that they will issue licenses until the supreme court has passed on the statute.

### JURORS RETURN "OPEN" VERDICT

Calumet Jury After Deliberating Six Hours, Unable to Ascertain Who Raised Alarm of Fire.

CALUMET, Mich., Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—An open verdict, including a finding that the Christmas Eve panic which cost 72 lives in Italian Hall, was caused by an alarm of fire raised within the hall, was returned tonight by the coroner's jury after three days' hearing of the evidence of participants in the disaster.

Every allegation that enemies of the Western Federation of Miners were responsible for starting the panic was rejected by the jury.

The taking of testimony concluded shortly after midday, and it was well along in the afternoon before consideration of the testimony was begun. The jurors wrestled with their problem for six hours.

"By the evidence of the witnesses we find that the cause of the deaths was suffocation the same being caused by the victims being jammed on the stairway leading to the entrance of the Italian Hall, where a Christmas celebration was being held under the auspices of the Western Federation of Miners."

The Western Federation of Miners, caused by some person or persons unknown to the jury at the time raising an alarm of fire within the hall. It was decided that the "evidence showed that only those possessing union cards or vouched for by some members of the union were allowed to enter the place. Rejection of charges that deputy sheriffs, mine guards and company doctors had held back would-be rescuers was contained in a paragraph commending the work of men who cleared the stairway of its mass of dead and injured."

### SCULLIN DRIVEN FROM POSITION

Organizer of Industrial Peace Association Resigns Following Charges Made by E. M. Trowern.

At the request of the Toronto branch of the Industrial Peace Association, Organizer Scullin has resigned all connection with the association, and is thought to have left the city. His resignation followed upon the charges made publicly against him by E. M. Trowern, secretary of the Retailers' Association, and the charges were forcefully reiterated thru the press.

The Toronto branch of the association continues in existence with President Falconer of Toronto University as chairman of the board of directors.

### FOSTER ASKS \$60 A FOOT FOR HIS LAND

His Marjory Avenue Property Assessed at Fifty Cents a Foot, Was Quoted Yesterday at Sixty Dollars as a Site for Proposed New Factory.

A manufacturer who is seeking a site for a large factory, asked yesterday for a price on the land on Marjory avenue, that is owned by Thomas Foster, who was controller last year.

The agent stated that the price is \$60 per front foot.

That property is assessed at 50 cents per front foot.

When Thomas Foster, who was controller last year, was asked a week ago how he managed to have the property on Marjory avenue assessed at 50 cents per front foot when it was worth nearer \$50 per front foot, he declared the property is not worth ten cents per front foot.

The property is one of the best manufacturing sites in the city, and is right up against the Grand Trunk Railway.

Thomas Foster, who was controller last year, and who is trying to be re-elected today, has publicly declared that the assessment commissioner should be dismissed for assessing the property on Marjory avenue at 50 cents per front foot.

Thomas Foster, who was controller last year, asks the electors to re-select him, notwithstanding that he has "worked" the assessment department for years. This land that he now asks \$60 a front foot for, and is assessed at 50 cents per front foot now, was a few years ago assessed at 25 cents per front foot.

Thomas Foster, who was controller last year, puts upon the assessment commissioner the blame for this enriching Thomas Foster at the expense of the ratepayers who put Thomas Foster at the head of the poll last year, and who are asked by Thomas Foster to put him at the head of the poll today.

Thomas Foster has put up a big bluff on the electors. He expects to get away with it, too.

### OUTLAY ON NAVY CAN BE REDUCED

Lloyd George Believes Opportunity for Retrenchment is Best Afforded in Twenty Years.

LONDON, Jan 1.—(Can. Press.)—In the form of a report of long conversations which Chancellor Lloyd George has had with close friends during the Christmas holidays The Daily Chronicle gives a sort of New Year's message from the chancellor to his supporters, throwing interesting sidelights on the chancellor's views on the armament questions.

Pointing to the enormous burden which armaments impose on the taxpayer and to the fact that the growth of armaments still leaves the nations in the same relative strength, Mr. Lloyd George thinks that the present is the most favorable moment in twenty years for a policy of retrenchment. He cites three reasons:

1. "War Clouds Gather." First, Great Britain's relations with Germany are more friendly than for many years, both realizing that there is nothing to gain and everything to lose by quarrel; secondly, the financial nations are now directing their attention to strengthening their land forces, Germany having realized that her exhaustive attempts to develop her naval power must give place to improving the army which is vital to the existence of the empire; third, the spread of revolt against military oppression throughout Christendom, certainly throughout Western Europe.

The third reason Lloyd George considers the weightiest of all, and he believes that this is the right moment for a bold step towards the restriction of the growth of armaments and thinks it's imperative that in the highest interests of civilization he should seize it.



# Semi-ready "Lonely" Selling of Suits and Overcoats



Sale Starts Friday at 8 a.m.

Extra superlatives will not describe the greater attractions of this sale—for I am going to take advantage of this first Winter "Lonely" Sale at the new store to sell real tailored

## Suits and Overcoats at Half Price

And I mean just exactly half the regular "label-price-in-the-pocket." You can't mark up and then mark down a Semi-ready suit, for any novice can tell if the label is tampered with—and that, by the way, is just why some merchants won't handle Semi-ready tailoring.

This is a man's store—where you can buy everything to wear between hats and boots. And to avoid disappointment on the part of any single individual who calls, the sale this year will include discounts of

- 20 per cent. off all new clothes, including Dress Suits and Serges.
- 20 per cent. off all the R. J. Tooke Shirts, Collars and Fine Furnishings.

As well "dig in deep" while you're at it—and that's why I make this Winter "Lonely" Sale a grand rout—a sale absolutely without reserve. I lose money, but I gain, when you realize the difference between real Semi-ready tailoring and the half-hundred ready-mades that think a fancy name will deceive you. A competitor may "steal our thunder" and make a noise like a Semi-ready garment, but so can a counterfeiter make a noise like a real bank bill.

### Semi-ready Tailoring

- 250 Semi-ready Suits at ..... Half Price
- 100 pairs of Odd Trousers at ..... 2.50
- 200 Overcoats at ..... Half Price
- 100 Ulsters at ..... Half Price
- All the new Suits and Overcoats and the Dress Suits and Serge Suits will be offered at these prices:
- All \$15.00 labels at ..... 12.00
- All \$18.00 labels at ..... 14.00
- All \$20.00 labels at ..... 16.00
- All \$22.50 labels at ..... 18.00
- All \$25.00 labels at ..... 20.00
- All \$28.00 labels at ..... 22.00
- All \$30.00 labels at ..... 24.00

It is not customary to include Dress Suits, Serges and new garments in a "Lonely" Sale, but they are doing it in Hamilton this season, and I won't be behind Hamilton.

Feel free to come and see, whether you want to wander, to just buy a 10c Collar Button for 8c, or for any reason. You are welcome.

## The Semi-ready Store

And R. J. Tooke Furnishings  
143 Yonge Street

## YORK COUNTY ...AND... SUBURBS

### BOARD OF TRADE ENDORSED BYLAW

To Purchase Stouffville Electric Light Plant—Annual Banquet.

### DISCUSSED NEW RADIAL

Also High School and New Rural Postal District—Many Present.

The annual banquet of the board of trade was well attended, about twenty-five sitting down to the tastefully-decorated table. After dinner short speeches were made by a number present. Vice-President Heise, who was largely instrumental towards the success of the banquet, occupied the chair.

Don't Approve. Objection was taken to the new rural postal district that was being formed south of Stouffville, with headquarters at Locust Hill. This new postal district comes within a short distance of Stouffville, and is not, in the board's opinion, in the interest of the agricultural community, as these farmers did their banking, shopping, express and freight business in Stouffville. A committee was appointed to enquire into the matter.

High School Necessary. The high school came up for discussion, but the consensus of opinion was against its elimination, thinking it well worth the increased cost of taxation. Of course, the radial railway route claimed marked attention, the majority feeling it would be in the best interests of all to have the line come up the centre of the Township of Markham, with a branch line from Unionville to Markham Village. The radial route is certainly a hot number to every concession, side road and village.

Bylaw Endorsed. The money bylaw (to be voted on on Jan. 1) for the purchasing of the present electric light plant, was strongly endorsed by the board of trade, and, no doubt, will carry.

The Hydro Commission is to advise, set the rate, and put everything in order for the hooking on of the hydro power when it comes to the city.

The board adjourned to meet in two weeks.

EARLSCOURT. In an interview between meetings at Earlscourt the other evening Mayor Hocken expressed satisfaction with the progressiveness of Earlscourt in which he has always taken a great interest.

He instanced the time, some years ago, when the district was opened up, and the enthusiasm with which he took the workingman in the purchase of lots, the mayor was confident that Earlscourt was the coming district after events proving his opinion to be correct.

Referring to the keen interest taken by the Earlscourt in municipal matters, he said it was difficult at one time to get the people to attend to their duties, but themselves are arranging gatherings, securing the halls and schools to meet the needs of the district.

Trouble in a heap has been the lot of W. B. Ross, a conductor on the St. Clair avenue civic car line, he having recently lost both parents, who died within five weeks of each other. Yesterday he received a phone message that his son Herbert, aged 22 years, conductor on the Dundas street route of the Toronto Street Railway, had got two ribs broken, his shoulder knocked out and other injuries while getting off a street car. He was taken to his home, where he is at present under the doctor's care.

A temporary corduroy road is being laid between McRoberts avenue and the Grand Trunk tracks on St. Clair street, and will be extended to Weston road, to provide for the vehicle traffic during the winter months.

Work is now in progress on the water main on the east side of Earlscourt avenue from Hope avenue to the city limits.

THORNHILL. The Canadian Order of Chosen Friends have elected the following officers for 1914: C. C. Dr. W. H. Carleton; V. C. Dr. Wallace; Arthur McNeil, Joseph Watson and Samuel McArthur, as follows: Secretary, J. E. Francis.

The annual oyster supper and entertainment of the Methodist Sabbath School will be held this evening.

The skating rink, which has been enlarged and much improved, will open on New Year's afternoon.

### WARD SEVEN'S MOST SUCCESSFUL YEAR

Annual Report of Building Permits Was Best Showing Yet Made.

### ELECTION EXCITEMENT

Twenty-Five Special Constables Sworn in to Attend Polls.

Ward Seven has just completed one of the most successful years of its existence, as shown by the annual report of building permits issued last night by Building Inspector W. J. Armstrong. The largest number of permits ever issued in West Toronto was last year taken out by Ward Seven contractors, and numbered 620. This list includes 633 dwellings and amounts to \$2,301,905. The largest number of big factories erected during 1913 made that year's total somewhat larger, but there can be no doubt as to West Toronto's growth, when the figures for 1913 are compared with those of other years. Since annexation over nine millions has been spent on buildings in Ward Seven. Some of the larger items for last year were the Keele Street School, costing \$85,000; the Western Avenue School addition, \$25,000; stores by E. J. Schinason, \$25,000; Kunnymede School, \$20,000; L'Air Liquide Societe's factory, \$16,000, and many others over \$10,000.

The eve of the elections found all ten candidates in high spirits and more or less quietly waiting for the strenuous work ahead of them today. The result will be most uncertain. In the southern part of West Toronto prospects look good for Ald. Ryding, with Jesse O. Wright as his probable colleague in council next year. In the north side many are working for Mr. Dalton.

Twenty-five special policemen for duty at the various Ward Seven polling booths were sworn in at No. 9 station, on Keele street, by Inspector Mulhall and Sergt. McDonald last night, and it is understood that the various candidates have appointed a number of agents to represent them at the booths.

George Hunt Hurt, of the Toronto Plaster Company, on Keele street, yesterday, George Hunt met with a serious accident. Hunt had just leaped down from the shipping platform to the track siding when a large box car was shunted along. Hunt was struck against the platform, breaking it and severing the arteries. Dr. Chas. Gilmour was called, and the badly injured man, who lost a limb, was taken in Spens' motor ambulance to Grace Hospital.

The men of the congregation of St. John's Church held a banquet in the parish hall last night, followed by an entertainment of excellent quality. After the concert the men attended the watch-night service in the church and sang in the new year.

The Westdale Club are holding their annual New Year dances in the Masonic Temple, Annette street, this evening.

### WHO WILL GET THE NOMINATION?

Todmorden Ratepayers Will Hear Candidates for Township Vacancy.

There will be a special meeting of Todmorden Ratepayers' Association in St. Andrew's Hall, Pape avenue, on Friday, Jan. 2, to consider the nomination of a candidate to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Third Deputy Reeve John Buhanan of York Township. Among those who are talked about as probable candidates are Robert Barker, Geo. Cross, and John Nelson. While there may be some debate as to who should be chosen, it is not likely that the township will be involved in the cost of an election to fill the vacancy.

All those mentioned have taken a keen interest in municipal affairs for years, and are known to be active workers in any movement they endorse.

The executive committee of the association hopes that the ratepayers will give the matter the serious consideration it deserves, and will turn up to the meeting, which is sure to be interesting.

SUPERINTENDENT DENIES IT. Head of London Asylum Says No Foundation for Report of Treatment.

LONDON, Ont., Dec. 31.—(Can. Press)—Dr. Robinson, superintendent of the asylum for the insane, denies a story published in Toronto that an attendant in that institution had brutally beaten a patient, and an investigation had been ordered by the department.

CONTESTS IN GUELPH. GUELPH, Dec. 31.—(Special).—The following have qualified for municipal offices: For mayor, J. E. Carter, Samuel Carter, Sewerage and public works, C. J. Eisele, John Kennedy, Light and heat, M. F. Gray, D. E. Rudd, Aldermen, D. H. Barlow, R. H. Brydon, Charles Burgess, E. Crawford, W. Doughty, T. Dumphy, T. H. Gemmill, James T. Hamill, Joseph Lawson, Harry Mahoney, R. McKenzie, John Newstead, H. Occomore, Wm. Parker, S. Penfold, Wm. Reid, James Ryan, H. C. Steel.

The nominations for school trustees for the separate school board, which were held today, resulted in all the trustees being elected by acclamation.

## AMUSEMENTS

**ALEXANDRA** MATS. THURS. and SAT. at 2 SHARP EVENINGS ..... at 8 SHARP

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**BANK LEAGUE**  
2 GAMES THIS AFTERNOON

SENIOR O.H.A. CHAMPIONSHIP  
**ARGOS vs. TORONTO & A.**  
Friday, 8.30 p.m.  
Seats on Sale at Arena

**Bank League—Two Games Saturday Afternoon**  
1.30 p.m.—ROYAL vs. IMPERIAL  
3.00 p.m.—DOMINION vs. COMMERCE

**PRO. HOCKEY—SAT. 8.30 p.m.**  
Quebec vs. Torontos  
Reserved seats at Arena, Spalding's, Mooney's and National Sporting Goods.

**NEXT WEEK SEATS NOW**  
Return Engagement. PRICES: Ev'g & Sat. Mat., 50c to \$2.00. Popular Mat., Wednesday, best seats, \$1.50.

**BROADVIEW RINK**  
275 Broadview Ave.

**Band Afternoon and Evening**

Admission, Gentlemen, 15c; Ladies, 10c. Broadview and Parliament cars.

**PARKDALE COVERED RINK**  
Queen and Cowan Ave.

**ICE SKATING TONIGHT BAND**

**Loew's Yonge St. Theatre**  
(Opposite Eaton's)  
Week Dec. 29th—Porter J. White & Co. "The Punch," Jarvis & Harrison, Cogan & Co. Picchiani Troupe and others. Continuous from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. Boxes reserved evenings only. Main 3800. ed

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# Housekeeping, Nursery, Gardening and News of Interest to Women

## EASY RULES FOR A CLEAN KITCHEN

### Hygienic Living Emphasizes That Housekeepers Observe Fundamentals.

In these days of applied domestic science, and when hygienic living is being emphasized, it behooves housekeepers to see that some simple rules for cleanliness, especially as regards the kitchen, are enforced.

Take the matter of the kitchen sink. It should be kept scrupulously clean, for drain pipes not in good condition breed disease. Flush the sink often with boiling water and soda, and if at any time the water fails to run off freely, use one of the vacuum pumps and remedy the stoppage immediately.

See that the hands are clean before touching cooking utensils.

Pots and pans need careful attention. Not only should they be carefully washed in soap and water, but they should be rinsed in scalding water and then wiped with clean cloths.

Too little attention is given by many housewives to the matter of dish cloths, dish mops and dish towels. These washing helps should themselves be washed after every meal and the dish mop and dish cloth should be scalded at least once a day.

Not only should all fruit be washed before it is used, but one should be sure that vegetables are clean. It is difficult to be sure that such vegetables as lettuce, Brussels sprouts, cauliflower and cabbage are clean unless they stand in salted water for some time. The salt water will draw out the insects lodged in the vegetable.

Pay careful attention to the refrigerator, within and without. Use plenty of hot water and soap in washing the refrigerator; flush the drainage pipe thoroughly and scald out the drip pan daily. Slime in the drip pan means disease.

In putting away food, put it away in the right way. Do not leave soups or other warm vegetables closely covered. If you do, they will sour. Use the screen tops when close-fitting ones are not practical.

Do not leave bottles or pitchers of milk uncovered. If you have not the celluloid metal cap paper tops, put an inverted glass or jelly tumbler over the bottle.

To aid in keeping the air of the refrigerator clean, keep a saucer of powdered charcoal on top of the shelves.

Make it a rule to clean it up at once.

## CHANGE OF BILL AT ALEXANDRA

### Julius Caesar Will Be Given on Saturday Night of This Week.

The unprecedented sale of seats for the first performance of Julius Caesar at the Alexandra Theatre for this evening has induced Mr. Faversham to give an extra performance of his marvellous production of this play on Saturday night next instead of Romeo and Juliet, as previously announced. This will give Torontonians four performances of this Shakespearean play that last season broke all records in point of attendance and receipts at the Alexandra Theatre.

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## THE WOES OF MRS. NEWLYWED



"Here I have a dozen biscuits becoming stale," remarked Mrs. Newlywed, to which kind Mrs. Neighbor replied that they might be made "nice and fresh" if placed in a moderate oven for a very few minutes.

## LAND SHIFTING IN WASHINGTON STATE

### Curious Phenomenon on Columbia River Affecting Fifteen Square Miles.

According to the state forester of Washington there is a portion of land in that state, three by five miles in dimensions, situated a few miles back from Stevenson on the Columbia River in Skamania County, that absolutely refuses to remain stationary. Part of this land is the property of the state.

One man living within five miles of Stevenson planted his garden in a fertile little area, just below the house. A year later he planted in the same spot, which nature meanwhile had elevated to a position considerably above the house. This rancher pumps his water from a lake into a tank and carries it from the tank to the house in buried pipes. Several times he has had to remove joints from the pipe to counteract the contortions of the earth on his farm.

Just below the house ran a creek a few months ago, along the bank above running the county road. Now the creek is running along the road and the creek bed is elevated to a point considerably above the present stream.

A lake that used to be in a certain corner of the field is now removed to another quarter, while the old lake bottom is transformed into a little hill.

In the centre of a little lake in another portion of the area an island has appeared within the past few months.

An acreage owner started to clear his land, but by the time he had it half cleared a hillock had arisen beside it and tumbled over it and the rest of the heavy land, making former clearing waste labor and removing the necessity of clearing any more.

The trees of the area have become all tangled up among themselves, their bases having shifted their positions so frequently and so much within a short time before were level stretches or even depressions.

By actual measurements and calculations a nearby mountain had an elevation of 2100 feet two years ago, but today is between 1600 and 1800 feet above the sea level.

It is believed there may be a subterranean lake over which the over-shifting area lies. The sinking earth would exert pressure enough to cause the surface disturbances. As the shifting surface is comparatively level the phenomena cannot be explained on the basis of slides.

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## EFFICIENT HOUSEKEEPING

### BY HENRIETTA D. GRAUEL DOMESTIC SCIENCE LECTURER

### A French Favorite--Souffle.

ANY dish made very light and delicate may be correctly called a souffle, and such mixtures are extremely well liked.

These French favorites are made with eggs alone or with cream, eggs, vegetables and delicate meats, they may also be sweet mixtures and used toward the end of the meal in the place of the "sweet courses."

But no matter of what your souffle is composed or whether its nature is delicate or heavy and satisfying, one thing is certain—it must cook slowly and must go to the table the moment, no, the instant, it comes from the oven. Recognizing this need for quick service, the French use souffle pans which can be placed in a handsome silver holder and sent in to the diners without delay.

The following recipe will give you an idea of souffle making whether you use cornstarch or rice or bread crumbs for your dish when you come to make it for yourself:

Thicken a pint and a half of new milk and, if you wish a sweet souffle, add one and a half tablespoons of sugar, a tablespoon of butter and a little flavoring. Beat the yolks of three eggs until thick and light and the whites of six until they are stiff enough to slice. Put these and the thickened milk together gently and without stirring, but by folding. That is, lift the mixture up from the bottom and turn it over until the eggs are in the milk with the air cells still unbroken.

Now turn it into the buttered baking pan and place in a moderate oven. Watch the baking. The first few moments the mixture will puff up and will then begin to brown delicately.

If the oven is too hot the eggs will cook before they rise; if too cool, they will not rise, but this last condition can be remedied by giving the oven more heat. The cooking should be very gradual, 30 minutes being required to raise and brown this mixture correctly.

The above is called an omelet souffle; the following a cream souffle. In the latter, veal, sweetbreads or any delicate cold meat may be used.

Use creamed rice or a white sauce for the base, and to one cup of this add a cup of shredded or minced chicken, meat, one tablespoon of parsley, one-half teaspoon of salt and a tablespoon of melted butter. Beat three eggs, yolks and whites separately until they are as light as they can be made. Fold them into the mixture gently and pour into a baking pan and bake 20 minutes or until light and brown. Serve in the same dish it is cooked in as quickly as possible after taking from the oven.

Once upon a time, when there was snow on the ground, two boys named George and Charlie lived in the country, and at Christmas they had been given as presents air-guns which they were very anxious to try on real game.

Charlie's father said one Saturday morning, when there was no school: "Why don't you go out in the woods and see if you cannot get us a rabbit for stew tonight?" Of course he was joking as air-guns would not be strong enough to kill rabbits, so father thought.

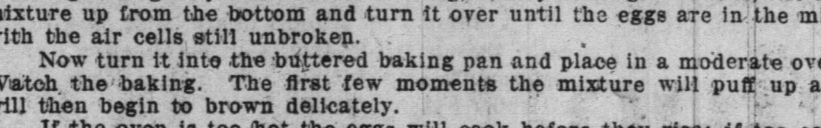
The boys started off with their guns over their shoulders and were very sure that they would bring home not one, but several rabbits. They found a lot of tracks in the snow in the woods, which they thought must be rabbit tracks, and one track that looked very big even for a large rabbit made them decide to follow it, for they thought it might even be a bear, and such mighty hunters as they would not be afraid of a bear you may be sure.

Suddenly they heard a noise behind some bushes and they began to be a little nervous and shaky, for they thought, "What if it should really and truly be a bear?"

Just as they decided that they must be brave, and had raised their guns to fire into the bush there was a terrible noise, the bushes split apart and bounding toward them came old Rover, Charlie's big Newfoundland dog. They were frightened at first, but, oh, what a relief when they realized that it was not a bear, but their old friend Rover. It was his tracks they had followed and not a bear; not even a rabbit.

They had had enough of rabbit shooting, however, and gladly romped home with Rover to tell father what a narrow escape they had had from perhaps wounding their old friend. They decided, too, that it would be wicked to shoot the poor little rabbits, and that they would only shoot at a target thereafter.

## THE WISE GOOSE SAYS



### A DAILY STORY FOR CHILDREN

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### CONDUCTED BY RACHEL R. TODD, M.D.

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Who brings sunshine into the life of another has sunshine in his own.

The question for each one to settle is not what he would do if he had means, time, influence and educational advantages, but what he will do with the things he has.

Grow old along with me, the best is yet to be, the last of life for which the first was made; our times are in his hand, and youth shows but half; trust God; see all, nor be afraid!

Happiness comes from striving, doing, loving, achieving, conquering, always something positive and forceful.

There are nettles everywhere, but smooth green grasses are more common still; the blue of heaven is larger than the cloud.

He who goes down into the battle of life giving a smile for every frown, a cheery word for every cross one, and lending a helping hand to the unfortunate is after all the best of missionaries.

As my life today has been determined by the way I lived yesterday, so my tomorrow is being determined by the way I live my today.

Every day is a fresh beginning. Every morn is the world made new.

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## Vote For Hospital Bylaws

LONDON, Ont., Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—Counsel for Tom Riley, the Kansas accused of the murder of George Blackburn at the Hotel Cecil in Oct. 3, will move for a postponement of the trial from the winter assizes until spring.

The ground on which the application will be made is said to be that Edmund Meredith, K.C., who has taken charge of the defence, has not had sufficient time to prepare his case.

Crown Attorney McKillop states that the prosecution will not consider any proposition for reduction of the charge and that the grand jury will indict the prisoner for murder.

NO HOODOO ABOUT THIS. SARINIA, Dec. 31.—(Special.)

Major Bell is not at all superstitious regarding the number thirteen for it happened that this year's council had its first meeting on Jan. 13 with thirteen members present, in the year 1913. The mayor thinks that this is the most prosperous and successful year Sarina has ever had. During the past twelve months nearly all, if not all, the industries in town have increased their capacity, and the town has gained several new factories.

Australia is irrigating more than 2,000,000 acres of grazing lands with artesian wells.

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"Why, it's twenty years ago since I saw you. How are you getting on, old boy?" These and many other remarks of a similar nature were to be heard yesterday afternoon at the reunion of the old scholars of School Section No. 5, Scarborough Township. Fifty-five hundred most pupils of the school were present, and an excellent program, terminating with a regular home supper, was arranged by the committee.

The chair was taken by John Richardson, ex-M.P. for East York, and speeches were made by the greater part of the attendees.

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Modern School. The new school when completed will be one of the finest in the township, every modern convenience being installed.

The committee who had charge of the reunion were, Messrs. W. D. Annis, A. Baird, R. McCowan, J. G. Corbett, Thomas Jackson, John Empringham, secretary-treasurer.

The company included the Misses Gertrude Humphreys, Jean Kennedy, Marion Neilson, L. Kennedy, F. Eversett, John Muir and Mrs. Muir, Mrs. R. Stobo, Mrs. George Chester and Mrs. R. Oliver, Messrs. Archie and Alex. Muir, James McCowan, W. H. Patterson, F. T. Wheeler, D. W. F. and C. Morrison, J. and G. Mabey.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES HAD LIVELY TIME

Ratepayers of S. S. Twenty-Six, York, Turned Out in Force.

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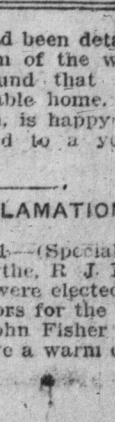
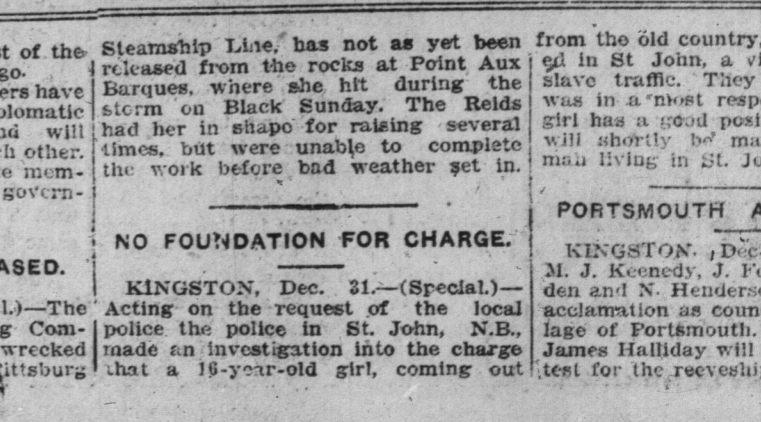
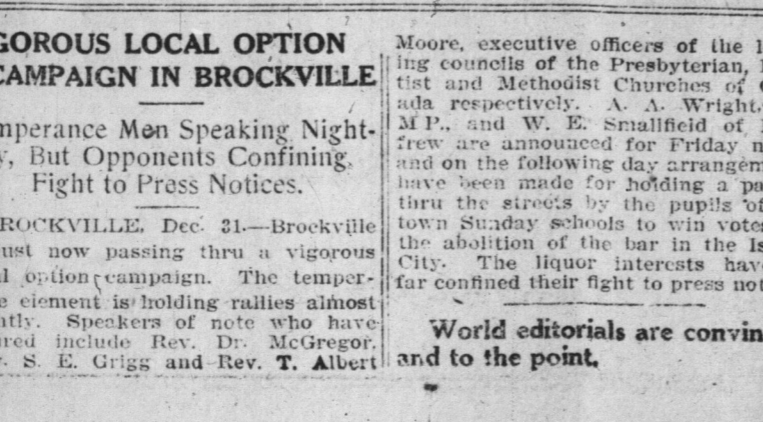
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CELEBRATION IN PARIS IS ON AMERICAN PLAN Midnight Suppers in Cafes Feature of New Year's Birth.

NO FOUNDATION FOR CHARGE. KINGSTON, Dec. 31.—(Special)—Acting on the request of the local police the police in St. John, N.B., made an investigation into the charge that a 16-year-old girl, coming out from the old country, had been detained in St. John, a victim of the white slave traffic.

PORTSMOUTH ACCLAMATIONS. KINGSTON, Dec. 31.—(Special)—M. J. Keeney, J. Forsythe, R. J. Egan and N. Henderson were elected by acclamation as councillors for the Village of Portsmouth. John Fisher and James Hatfield will have a warm contest for the reeveship.



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THURSDAY MORNING, JAN. 1, 1914.

WHO IS TO GET THE \$72,000,000?

The Telegram has been trying hard to make it appear that an effort to deliver Toronto once for all and to get rid forever of the Street Railway Company and all its connections, is an attempt on the part of Mayor Hocken to sell out the city to Sir William Mackenzie.

The Telegram will tell you that, as the experts state, you will pay Sir William \$72,000,000 in the next eight years for the privilege of hanging to a strap and paying another fare when you get to the end of the Toronto Railway Company's track.

Make sure of Risk and Wicket in ward two; of Rawlinson and Spence in three; of Farmer in four; of Dunn and May in five; of Ryding in seven.

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ETHICAL OR ETHNIC? By the way, is the conscience of The Toronto World still satisfied if it keeps within the criminal law? Has it really no higher conception of newspaper ethics than it confesses to?—The Telegram.

THE FREE WHEAT MOTION. Public attention will soon be focused upon Mr. Simpson, Conservative member for Virdee, who will move in the Manitoba Legislature that the Dominion Government be requested to remove the duties on wheat and flour coming from the United States, and thus bring about reciprocal free trade in these products.

A TAX REFORM CANDIDATE. Those who object to the miserable anomalies of assessment methods are voting in the fourth ward for Mr. A. B. Farmer, who is a brilliant exponent of tax reform views.

A FEDERAL BANKRUPTCY LAW. We venture to think that business men generally favor the passage of a national bankruptcy law. It would provide a uniform procedure throughout the Dominion and would grant relief to a class of men who, the unsuccessful in their first business venture, have the ability to make good if allowed to start anew.

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estimates as the only business on one or two days of the week. Indeed that could be done by a slight extension of the existing rule on the subject.

Also some Ontario and Quebec members might protest. We think it quite likely that the house when it comes to revise the rules will drop the Saturday holiday and work six days a week. As representation from the west largely increases and with it the number of members who cannot possibly run home for the week-end, the propriety of utilizing every working day will become more and more evident.

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which prevents it printing his advertisement, or saying one word in appeal to the electors thru its advertising columns?

THE TELEGRAM HAD A COLUMN and a half last night headed "Before the Battle." The battle was all over on nomination day when the Telegram clubbed Ald. Burgess and presented Frederick the Little with the Telegram sword of state, while the people cheered for Hocken.

EIGHT DEAD AND FIFTEEN INJURED. Early Morning Tenement Fire in New York Proves Disastrous.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—Eight persons, five men and three women, were killed in the early morning tenement house fire at 36 Mott street, in the crowded east side district, today. Fifteen persons were injured, some seriously, by jumping from fire escapes. The fire broke out at 10:30 p.m. and was extinguished at 11:30 p.m.

THIRTY FAMILIES HOMELESS. More than thirty families were made homeless by the fire at 36 Mott street, in the crowded east side district, today. Fifteen persons were injured, some seriously, by jumping from fire escapes.

MUNICIPAL FRANCHISE REFERENDUM COMMITTEE. Through an error in the wording of a report of the referendum committee's work, it was stated that the committee were endorsing the candidature of the women candidates for board of education. The committee wishes to state that it does not campaign for any candidate whatsoever, and that its work is exclusively confined to getting the municipal franchise for the married women.

GAMBLERS SENTENCED. William Gallagher, the self-confessed operator of a gambling joint in the city, was sentenced to three months in jail for a gambling offence. He was also fined \$100. Other gamblers were also sentenced to jail terms and fines.

WINTER TOURIST TRIPS. Are becoming popular every year, largely owing to the increased transportation facilities and modern luxuries of the Grand Trunk Railway System. The Grand Trunk Railway System offers a variety of winter tourist trips to the coast, including the Grand Trunk Railway System.

SCHMIDT'S SECOND TRIAL. NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—Hans Schmidt, in whose trial for the murder of Anna Smith the jury disagreed yesterday, will be tried for the second time beginning Jan. 12, before the criminal branch of the state supreme court here. This decision was reached today at conference between District Attorney Whitman and Supreme Court Justice Davis. A special panel of one hundred talesmen will be ordered.

AT OSGOODE HALL

81st, December, 1913. ANNOUNCEMENT.

No motions have been set down for single court for Friday. Judge's chambers will be held at 11 a.m. Master's Chambers.

Before Falconbridge, C.J. Mulholland v. Barlow—J. L. Counsell (Hamilton), K.C., for plaintiff. S. F. Washington, K.C., for defendant. An action for damages for trespass and for an injunction restraining defendant from entering on plaintiff's property and from otherwise injuring or preventing plaintiff from erecting a fence on west boundary of her property. Judgment: The value of the property involved and its superfluous area are so small as to be almost incapable of description or estimation. I have never tried or heard of a case where the land involved was of such small value to the plaintiff.

Before Britton, J. Linazuk v. Canadian Northern Coal and Ore Docks Co.—W. D. B. Turville (Port Arthur), K.C., for plaintiff. W. F. Langworthy, K.C., for defendant. Action by widow to recover \$10,000 damages for the death of her husband, who was caught in the cogwheels of the defendant's machinery while operating the machinery on 14th October, 1913. Judgment: There was evidence to go to the jury upon the question of contributory negligence, and they have found that there was failure by the employer to perform a statutory duty and that there was contributory negligence on the part of the deceased. The action will be dismissed but it will be without costs.

Before Latchford, J. Hopkins v. Canadian National Exhibition—R. U. McPherson for plaintiff. G. R. Geary, K.C., for defendant. Action by plaintiff, claiming return of money paid by him to defendants under two agreements under which defendants granted plaintiff the right to sell hamburger steak and frozen fruit on the Exhibition grounds during the Exhibition of 1912, and \$1600 damages. Judgment: I think Mr. Orr was bound to do anything which he did not do, and that he acted through reasonable and in good faith. There is no attempt to oust the jurisdiction of the court. What the parties did was to establish a domestic forum for the settlement of the questions that might arise between them, and that forum having acted with judgment and discretion in the way the parties agreed it should have power to act the dispute cannot go behind his contract. The action fails and is dismissed with costs. Stay of thirty days.

Before Kelly, J. MacDonell v. Thompson—J. F. De la Plante for plaintiff; B. N. Davis for defendant. Action for a declaration that the defendant, Mary Stuart Thompson, holds lot A on north side of Blood street and east side of Clinton street, Toronto, Ontario, and that she is entitled to the same. Judgment: The uncontradicted evidence of defendants is that the purchase was made by the defendant, Mary Stuart Thompson, and that her co-defendant, Thompson, and that her co-defendant, Thompson, acted only as her agent and attorney in the buying of the land and erection of the buildings and looking after the property. In the face of this direct testimony, much of which is corroborated by the party from whom the land was purchased, I am unable to hold that the property belongs to W. S. Thompson, or that his co-defendant

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The Economical Home Light GIVES GAS LIGHT AT HALF THE COST OF ELECTRIC LIGHT 100 Candle Power—23 Hours for 1 Cent. 50c Cash Down—Balance Monthly. CONSUMERS' GAS COMPANY 12-14 Adelaide Street W. Telephone Main 1933-1188

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Vote For Hospital Bylaws

continued after trip of Jan. 4, from Winnipeg, and Jan. 4 from Fort William and Port Arthur. This train will resume service March 5, 1914, from Winnipeg, and March 6 from Fort Arthur and Fort William.

THE CHIEF CONSIDERATION Is the safety of your money your chief consideration in deciding upon an investment for 1914? If so, you cannot find a more satisfactory investment than this Corporation's Debentures.



Boxing Gunboat Smith 5 to 4 Favorite Hockey Parkdale 8 Whitby Trotting Entries for Toronto D.C.

GUNBOAT SMITH V. ARTHUR PELKY MEET TODAY AT SAN FRANCISCO

Battle Will Decide White Heavyweight Championship—Winner Will Be Matched With Jack Johnson.

The prize fighters start off briskly with the new year and today will prove no exception. With Arthur Pelky meeting Gunboat Smith in a heavyweight championship battle...

Winning Owners At Palmetto Park

Table listing names and amounts for winning owners at Palmetto Park, including names like J. L. Holland, J. O. Talbot, etc.

PARKDALE SWAMP WHITBY JUNIORS

Opening Fixture Supplied—Poor Brand of Hockey—Easterners Helpless.

It may have been the lack of ice that was responsible for Whitby's poor showing in their initial appearance at the Arena...

BANK LEAGUE READY FOR OPENING GAME

Torontos, Last Year's Runners-up, and Unions, the Newcomers, Clash Today.

The Bank League will get off to a good start this afternoon at the Arena, when the Toronto and Union teams will meet...

FEDERAL LEAGUE TO SPEND MONEY

Each Club Must Grab Five Major League Stars or Forfeit Fortune.

CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—Every club in the Federal League must secure five major league ball players for the 1914 season...

HOCKEY RESULTS

Parkdale 8 Whitby 1, Kingston 5 Ottawa College 2

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Toronto University defeated the Ottawa University seven, 5 to 2, tonight in a swift, clean hockey match at St. Nicholas Rink...

Canadian Port Wine

Comparatively few people know what really excellent wine is produced on Pelee Island, in Lake Erie, and in the Niagara Peninsula.

HOTEL LAMB

Corner Adelaide and Yonge Sts. Special Dinner 50c Quick Service 11.30 to 2. SUNDAY FROM 5 TO 7.30 P.M. Large and Varied Menu.

Brockton Shoes

ARE NOW \$3.00 and \$4.00 SOLD AT 119 AND 264, YONGE STREET.

Canadian Champions 1913

Table listing various sports and winners for 1913, including Professional-Quebec and Victoria, Amateur-Winnipeg, etc.

Boxing Results

Table listing boxing matches and results, including Jim Coffey, Fred McKay, etc.

Frontenacs Tie Sarnia at Home

SARNIA, Dec. 31.—The Kingston Frontenacs and the Sarnia team played a tie game here tonight, the score being one apiece.

Trapping

Eight-man team—Hamilton Gun Club, Canadian Individual—H. Smith, Chatham.

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Score's Clothes GREETINGS. R. Score & Son, Limited, take this opportunity of wishing their patrons and friends a PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.

The World every morning prints the best live stock reports in Ontario.

Trapping results and other news items.

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Yule-Tide Is the Season of Good Cheer. The time is past when it was thought sacrilegious to enjoy the good things of life. Beer, even though a strength giver and invigorator, was tabooed in some homes simply because it was a delightful beverage. Now more families than ever have a case of Cosgraves (Chill-Proof) Pale Ale in the cellar or the refrigerator at the home. It is not only a delightful beverage, but it sends fresh vigor and vitality to every nerve and muscle cell—for its barley, malt, and fine hops become transmuted into energy almost instantly. Keep a supply on hand. Phone for a case to-day. Brewed and bottled in the COSGRAVE BREWERY The only Chill-proof Beer.





### STUDENTS' REUNION AT SAN FRANCISCO

Is Planned for Nineteen-Fifteen at Congress in Iowa City.

IOWA CITY, Iowa, Dec. 31.—University of Toronto International Polity Club delegates have taken a prominent part at the convention of the National Association of Cosmopolitan Clubs in session in this city.

Over twenty nationalities were represented at the convention by students attending U.S. and Canadian universities.

A world student reunion is being planned for San Francisco in 1915. A. K. Watanbe, a Japanese, and president of the local chapter of Cosmopolitan Clubs, declared that national isolation was no longer tenable and that exclusion must be out of international politics.

Dr. George Nasmith, the past president of the association and one of the most prominent men at the convention, accepted an invitation from the International Polity Club of the University of Toronto to speak to its members on Jan. 9.

### NEW YORK'S BUILDING MECHANICS GET RAISES

Twenty Thousand Men Start New Year With Advances of From Five to Ten Per Cent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—More than 20,000 building mechanics in this city will start the New Year with increases in wages, according to an announcement made by the Building Trades Employers' Association.

### HENRY CLAY BARNABEE

Master of Mirth in Music. America's Master of Mirth is the loving title given to Henry Clay Barnabee. Known in America and Europe as one of the most active singers of opera roles of his time.

### DUKE'S SON WILL HUNT DUCKS IN BEHRING SEA

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—Lord William Percy, son of the Duke of Northumberland, has asked the government for permission to go on the revenue cutter Bear when she leaves San Francisco for Behring Sea next spring.

### KARL SMUCK TOO YOUNG

Because of his youth, the license commissioners refused to allow Karl W. Smuck to purchase the Parkdale Hotel, 1302 West Queen st., now owned and run by William Hall.

## January 1st, 1914

On this first day of a New Year we aim to impress on every purchaser of a motor car—yes, on every citizen—how much his own personal interests are advanced by the developments in Canada of a manufacturing enterprise of the size of ours.

The building up of such an industry requires years of time and large expenditures of money, but it has a real value to every citizen to an extent that few realize.

### \$3,711,532.00 IN WAGES, MATERIALS, ETC.

In the past two years this Company has paid out for wages and salaries in Canada the sum of \$1,678,132.00. In its own shops and offices it has directly employed the year round an average of 1,240 people.

This is only part of the employment afforded. Although the Company manufactures the greater portion of its cars, it buys raw materials and supplies outside, such as lumber, steel, rubber, rubber tires, bodies, leather for upholstery, for belting, oils, greases and lubricants, copper, brass and aluminum, electric fixtures, glass, plate glass, brushes, brooms, factory supplies, building materials, structural steel, hair for upholstery, canvas, bolts, nuts, screws, machinery, paints, varnishes, catalogues, printed material, electricity for power, gas for lighting and manufacturing purposes, and a host of other minor items.

So great a volume do these attain, that in the two years, our purchases amounted to the sum of \$2,033,400.00, distributed among 1,014 Canadian corporations and firms.

In other words, this company did an average business of over \$2,000.00 each, with more than 1,000 Canadian corporations and firms.

### SUPPORTS 8,000 PEOPLE

This means that our industry has been, and is, responsible for the employment of approximately eight hundred more work people in the other offices and factories in Canada from whom we buy. Add these to our 1,200 employes. That makes a total of 2,000 people in employment in Canada as a result of our factory.

We have only one request to make, viz.: That you who are in the market for the season of 1914, resolve that, before purchasing elsewhere, you will inspect and try the car in which you have such a direct interest.

This is all we are entitled to. A manufacturer in Canada has no right to expect more. Nor do we. The Russell car has been developed to a point where it asks no favors. Steadily, year by year, there have been built into it qualities of excellence of which many who purchase outside have no conception.

We invite your business on merit alone. We expect it on no other basis.

## RUSSELL MOTOR CAR COMPANY, LIMITED

Head Office and Factory: WEST TORONTO

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### A NEW CITY

The area of the City of Toronto is (roughly) 34 square miles, or 21,600 acres. The population in 1912, according to the Police Census, was 425,000, or 20 inhabitants per acre.

If this business is developed to double its present size, it means the addition of another 8,000 people to the country's population. It means a new town in Canada larger than any of the following: Collingwood, Lindsay, Orillia or Oshawa in Ontario; New Glasgow or North Sydney in the East; Portage la Prairie, Pince Albert or Medicine Hat in the West.

Is there a public corporation manufacturing firm, merchant, newspaper, real estate dealer, or professional man who does not, directly or indirectly, benefit by the growth and extension of such an industry?

Other manufacturers should consider what it means to them. Not a few of them may be seen riding down in imported cars to meetings and conventions to boost the sale of "Made-in-Canada" goods, in which they themselves are interested. Is their position sound?

### WHAT IS THE CONCLUSION?

Should everyone buy a car from our company because it is made in Canada? No! They should buy the car which suits their requirements, which, according to their peculiar needs, offers the most for their money. But this much we are confident is clear from the above, viz.: That before they send their money away, they should try the car produced at home.

### WANT CITY TO PAY.

MONTREAL, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—A formal demand for compensation for damage suffered to their premises in the Ontario street fire on Monday was today made upon the city by the owners of property who suffered loss.

### ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION.

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 31.—Hon. H. F. MacLeod, formerly provincial secretary, was elected by acclamation today in York County, for the seat vacated by O. S. Crockett, who was elevated to the bench.

### GEORGE GARRETT GIVEN SILVER TEA SERVICE

Presentation Was Made by His Bible Class at St. Stephen's Church. George Garrett and Mrs. Garrett were the recipients of a handsome silver tea service on Monday evening, the gift of the officers and members of the Garrett Bible Class of St. Stephen's Church.

### YONGE STREET MISSION WANTS OLD CLOTHING

Superintendent Makes His Appeal Earlier This Year Than Usual. Superintendent J. C. Davis, of the Yonge Street Mission, in making his annual appeal for clothing for the poor people of Toronto, wishes to thank the many who in the past have been so kind as to contribute clothing and money for the relief of the needy.

### OFFICERS' INDOOR BASEBALL LEAGUE.

The first game in this league will be played Saturday night when the Body Guards will play the Highlanders at 8 o'clock, and the Grenadiers meet the Army Medical Corps at 9.30. As all the teams in this league have been strengthened this winter some very exciting matches are expected.

### JUDGE WINCHESTER GETS NEARLY TWO THOUSAND

Bills Are in for Three Year Probe Into Board of Education. Bills for the Judicial investigation into the contracts and accounts of the board of education are all in, and total \$5598.07. The investigation lasted nearly three years. The largest items are as follows: Judge Winchester, \$1747.20; E. Nield, stenographer, \$1450; Charles Doughty, expert, \$975; H. Johnson, expert, \$171; Prof. Angus, \$600; R. Jermoluk, \$467.70; James Craddock, \$391.

## That Son-in-Law of Pa's



By G. H. Wellington

DAILY MAGAZINE PAGE FOR EVERYBODY

Daddy's Good Night Story

By GEORGE HENRY SMITH



MRS. SQUIRREL was sitting on a little bank of moss at the foot of a tree eating a nut when she spied Brer Rabbit coming down the lane. When he came up to where she was, she asked: "What are you so sad about?"

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Peter's Adventures in Matrimony

By LEONA DALRYMPLE

Author of the new novel, "Diane of the Green Van," awarded a prize of \$10,000 by Ida M. Tarbell and S. S. McClure as judges. Copyright, 1913, by Newspaper Feature Service.

The truth, plain and unvarnished, about the "girl in the case" distinguishes this new series by Miss Dalrymple. Her character studies will not appear unfamiliar to the majority of readers, who will trace the fortunes of Peter with growing interest.

Following the engagement, "Peter" begins to be disillusioned; the flurry of a fashionable wedding is distasteful to him, and he rebels mildly against the exactions of his bride.

VI. The Wedding Night

IT was my wedding night. Downstairs Jack Hunter, a most perniciously attentive best man, was telephoning something or other about cabs and ushers. Across the hall dad was fussing in audible discontent with his tie, and mother, in the fashion of mothers, was flitting helpfully from dad to me and back again, her white hair piled beautifully upon her head and her silken gown rustling. What gives the beautiful mother-look to some women's eyes and not to others? Mother always has it.

Strenuous Training. "I understand that Jawbert is training hard for his fight with Broese."

Intentions Not Realized. "I understand that your wife and several other women have organized a secret society."

"Mother," I asked, "I wonder if you'd mind keeping Jack busy for a while downstairs? He's hung to me like a leech since dinner, and I want to slip away and see Mary for just a minute before the ceremony. It's so—so sort of unfair for everybody to see her before I do."

There was much rustle and laughter in the library. I made my way past a busy caterer and his assistants, and halted with a thrill of expectancy in the doorway of the library doorway. Some one was preparing to take flashlight of Mary and the bridesmaids. My heart beat a little faster at the sight. Frost and silver my lovely bride, with lace billowing in feathery masses about her and a wonderful oobweebly veil upon her head!

Better Equipped. "Do you believe all men are born equal?"

Occasionally. "Does he ever tell the truth?"

It occurred to me—and rarely in a time of simple quiet happiness. For another—the talk was entirely of clothes and veils and flowers, and Mrs. Penfield—stout and tearful—was mauling about with a lace handkerchief in her hand conducting herself as if the occasion was Mary's funeral.

The flashlight leaped. Mary's demure lashes swept her cheek with the wistful loveliness of a young saint. I fancied she was thinking of me—that she, too, in thought, was apart from the gaiety about her. For I was a peevish fool and I did not know that the joyful uplift in the woman's eyes may be inspired by the consciousness that she is looking her best. Then there was a rustle and a general hum.

The Real Difficulty. First Lawyer—But is that statement susceptible of proof?

Experienced. He—Do you think you could learn to love me?

Learn this Verse And Spell Correctly

SPELLING is a difficult matter with many persons in spite of the efforts made by Andrew Carnegie to simplify the formation of words by arranging letters in rotation. The words containing "ie" and "ei" bother most spellers and so an obliging college professor has compiled certain rules and a list that goes with them which seem to offer a solution of the difficulty. The verse is designed to perform the same sort of service as the ever useful "Thirty days hath September."

'Till the Novelty Wears Off

THIS is the month which starts the year, when men, at least a few, resolve to keep a diary all of the twelve months through. Yes, they begin, all right, all right, and think it fun immense to write in it small items of their doings and expense.



They keep on writing things like this for seven days or nine, and then the diary passion fades and goes in a decline. The book beneath a bureau falls, or roasts upon a shelf. If you have tried to keep one you know how it is. The diary is all right when it is fresh and new, like rose petals, but it cannot change the ways of man. It does no good to scoff. He can't enthuse about things when the novelty wears off.

READ THE TORONTO WORLD

Cornwall Mayoralty Guilty on Local Option Kingstons Painful Scene At Penitentiary

CHATHAM FAVORS BUYING GAS PLANT Public Meeting Hears Mayor Price of St. Thomas and Engineer Jeffrey.

WOULD REDUCE TAXES Purchase is in Connection With Installation of Niagara Power.

CHATHAM, Dec. 31.—(Special).—A public meeting, held tonight to discuss the advisability of the city purchasing the Chatham gas and electric plant, in connection with the installation of Niagara power, was discussed by Mayor Price of St. Thomas and Engineer Jeffrey of the Hydro-Electric Commission.

Commission Recommends It. Engineer Jeffrey dealt with the local proposition of buying the Chatham Gas Company's entire plant for the sum of \$110,000. After the purchase is made he said, it will be necessary to add \$50,000 to the plant to make it serviceable for the distribution of Niagara power. The Hydro-Electric Commission was stated to have gone thoroughly into the equipment and business of the Chatham Gas Company, and had recommended the city to make the purchase. Mr. Jeffrey pointed out that it would eliminate competition and reduce the present price of electricity by at least one-half, while the revenue from the gas and electric power business would take care of the debentures, pay for operating, maintenance and depreciation of the plant, and provide a sinking fund which could be applied to extensions and towards a direct reduction of the city tax rate. Save Two Mills on Dollar.

The World has unique features that appeal to men, women and children.

PATHETIC CASE FROM KINGSTON PENITENTIARY Fifteen-Month-Old Baby Taken From Convict Mother and Placed in Infants' Home.

KINGSTON, Dec. 31.—(Special).—There was a most pathetic scene at the penitentiary when Clifford Bayford, aged 15 months, was taken from his mother and placed in an infants' home. The parents of the child are serving seven-year terms for extreme cruelty to an adopted daughter. The child was born in the big prison shortly after the mother arrived there.

WELLAND HAD HEAVY YEAR OF BUILDING Operations, Including Suburbs, Ran Well Over Million Dollar Mark.

(Special to The Toronto World). WELLAND, Dec. 31.—During the past year the amount of building done in Welland nearly doubled that of 1913. The permits issued by the city engineer show a total of \$811,575.00, which includes only the factories and houses inside the town. There is a large industrial section just outside of Welland, and the estimated building there in factories and residences is \$450,000, bringing the total well over the million mark.

CORNWALL MAYORALTY GOES TO D. J. GILLIES Reeveship Will Be Contested, But Deputy Reeve Is Elected by Acclamation.

(Special to The Toronto World). CORNWALL, Dec. 31.—D. J. Gillies has been elected mayor for 1914 by acclamation, his opponent failing to qualify. Dr. Munro retired from the contest for reeve, leaving the fight between R. Larmour and J. E. Chevrier. For deputy reeve M. Hermeton is elected by acclamation. The centre ward councillors are elected by acclamation, but there will be contests in the west and east wards. A bylaw to grant a bonus of \$2000 to the Glenagarry and Stormont Railway, for the purpose of purchasing a right of way into Cornwall, will be voted on by the ratepayers.

HAPPY NEW YEAR WISHED TO ALL Bells and Whistles, With Exchange of Greetings, Usherred in the Year.

Adhering to the custom they have observed in the old land, the English and Scotch population of Toronto spent New Year's Eve in a festive manner, the greater part of them attending banquets or dances in various halls throughout the city, every one of which was occupied. The festivities began early in the evening and continued until the early hours of the morning. The Prince George, King Edward, Woodbine and other hotels, many of the citizens who had been so fortunate as to reserve tables in advance, spent the last hours of the old year and the first hours of the new in a most pleasing manner. The various theatres, which gave special midnight performances, were filled to capacity, while the moving picture houses received their share of the evening during the earlier part of the evening. Nearly all the skating rinks remained open until after midnight, and were well patronized. Most of the clubs and societies had arranged for a more or less elaborate celebration of the coming of the new year. Even among the pedestrians on the streets, the greatest good-fellowship prevailed and "Good evening" and "Good bye" were replaced by the most appropriate salutation of "A Happy New Year."

GUELPH'S BUILDING PERMITS. GUELPH, Dec. 31.—(Special).—The building permits for December show a large increase over the same month last year, but the total for this year shows a falling off compared with the last year. This is chiefly due to the fact that no new industries or big buildings were in course of construction during 1913. Building permits for December, 1913, \$17,815; for December, 1912, \$17,715. Total this year, \$557,325. Total last year, \$388,499.

LEEDS YOUNG CONSERVATIVES. (Special to The Toronto World). "BROCKVILLE, Dec. 31.—The annual meeting of the Young Conservative Club of Lansdowne, the following officers were elected: President, Dr. J. M. Shaw; vice-president, J. H. Warren; secretary, Fred Mitchell; treasurer, Thomas McRae. Resolutions of confidence in the provincial and Dominion administrations were passed. Letters of regret at their inability to be present were received from Hon. W. T. White, Hon. Senator Taylor and John R. Dargavel, M.L.A. Stirling speeches were made by Dr. Edwards, M.P., Kingston, and John G. Mitchell of Ottawa.

MURRAY PLEADS GUILTY TO SIX SERIOUS CHARGES Brantford Negro, Who Ran Amuck With Gun, Now Before Court—Adjournment Made.

BRANTFORD, Dec. 31.—William Murray, the negro who ran amuck with a gun, again appeared before Magistrate Livingstone today. Six charges were brought against him, and to each he pleaded guilty. He elected to be tried summarily. Murray was charged with shooting with intent at M. Sears, with robbery from J. O'Neill, with shooting at Wesley Turner, with unlawfully shooting at Joe Hartley and Mrs. Saunders and with unlawfully wounding Emma Jones. The offences were committed on the early morning of Dec. 24. The charge of shooting and wounding P. C. Colborn was not presented.

DEATH OF MRS. E. C. SAXON. Was Daughter of Late Capt. Christie, R.N., Who Fell With Nelson at Trafalgar.

ST. CATHARINES, Dec. 31.—(Special).—Mrs. Elizabeth Saxon, widow of a former local lawyer, died here last night. She was the daughter of the late Capt. Robert Christie of the Royal Navy, who was aboard the battleship Victoria when Admiral Nelson received his death wound at the battle of Trafalgar. He was afterwards one of those who guarded St. Helena during Napoleon's stay there.

WELLAND ELECTIONS. WELLAND, Dec. 31.—(Special).—Sixteen candidates will stand for election to the council. Mayor Goodwin had no opposition, and while opponents were nominated against L. H. Pursell, reeve, and J. H. Crow, deputy reeve, they withdrew. W. J. Best, a member of the water commission, whose term expired this year, was nominated to oppose Mr. Crow, but according to the new municipal law he could not run as he had not resigned from the commission ten days before nominations. Fred Gourlay, J. R. McCallum and William Hanna qualified for election to the water commission. D. Ross, George Collins and J. J. Hatley go back to the school board by acclamation.

LAWYER AGAIN IN TROUBLE. LONDON, Ont., Dec. 31.—(Can. Press).—T. H. Luscombe, prominent as a barrister here for many years, was arrested today on a charge of theft. The charge is laid by R. McCracken, who claims that Luscombe took \$16,000 of his (McCracken's) money. Luscombe was arrested on a similar charge several weeks ago for which he will stand trial.

NEW YEAR'S HONORS (Continued From Page 1.) The honors create only one parliamentary vacancy, namely, in (Wynemore division) Buckingham, which Sir Alfred Cripps has represented in the Unionist interest the past 28 years.

Another by-election is to take place in Northwest Durham, the appointment of whose sitting member, L. Atherley Jones, to be judge of the City of London court vacates a seat. Sir Henry Egan, Henry Kelly Egan, whose name appears in the list of New Year's honors, is one of the capital's most prominent and wealthy citizens, and comes of an old Elytown family. He is a son of the late John Egan, a native of Lixavane, County Galway, Ireland, who represented Ottawa and Pontiac Counties successfully in the Canadian Assembly, 1848-57. Born in Avignon, Quebec, Jan. 15, 1848, Sir Henry was educated at the Montreal High School. He is now managing director of the Hawkebury Lumber Co., a director of the Bank of Ottawa, British Canadian Bank Note Co., and the Ottawa and Montreal Transmission Co. A Conservative in politics, Sir Henry has several times declined nomination for the house of commons. He is a member of the Ottawa Improvement Commission, and has always taken an interest in charitable and social work.

Sir Horace Archambault. Sir Horace Archambault was born at L'Assomption, Que., in 1857. After graduating from Laval University, he practiced law at Montreal, where he was called to the bar. He was appointed professor of commercial and maritime law in Laval University in 1882, and in 1889 was appointed Q.C. He became attorney-general of the Province of Quebec in 1897, holding office until 1905, and was appointed judge of the court of appeal in 1908.

Sir Francis Langelier. Sir Francis Langelier, Charles Stanislaus Langelier was born in St. Bonaville, Que., in 1838; was one of the leaders of the provincial bar and a member of the law faculty; was mayor of Quebec, 1882-89; sat in parliament, 1881-1893; was one of the signers of the Liberal petition to the Pope resulting in the appointment of a delegate to Canada in 1894; was in the Quebec Cabinet, 1878-82; appointed as judge, 1898; was knighted in 1907, and appointed lieutenant-governor in 1911, was opposed to reciprocity.

minister of lands and forests for Ontario, was born in Omagh, Tyrone, Ireland, 26 years ago. He was educated in Dublin and came to Canada in 1882. He was engaged in lumbering until 1876, when he became a government forest ranger, and after holding various other offices in the forestry department, became deputy minister of the Massey Agricultural College of Ontario in 1911.

The Order of St. Michael and St. George is conferred upon those who have rendered conspicuous colonial or imperial service during the past year. The lowest rank in the order and carry no title. Sir Gerard Augustus Lowther, Bart. Sir Gerard Augustus Lowther, Bart., was created a K.C.M.G. in 1907. He is the second son of Hon. William Lowther and is 50 years of age. He entered the diplomatic service in 1879 and has served in Madrid, Paris, Constantinople, Vienna, Sofia, Bucharest, Tokio and Budapest. He has also been secretary of the British embassy at Washington, and was envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary for Chile from 1901 to 1904, and minister at Tangier, 1904-1908, subsequently becoming ambassador at Constantinople.

Sir Owen Seaman. Owen Seaman, M.A., D. Litt., was born in 1881. After a brilliant Cambridge career he became professor of Durham University in 1908. He began writing for Punch in 1894, and also contributed extensively to other publications. He is also the author of numerous works of light fiction. He has been editor of Punch since 1906. As a sportsman he has won considerable prominence, his past hobbies being shooting, tennis, croquet and golf.

Rt. Hon. Viscount Bryce. Rt. Hon. Viscount Bryce is a distinguished educationist and diplomat, as well as a man of letters. A Liberal in politics, he was secretary of state for Ireland from 1905 to 1906. Previous to this he held minor office under Mr. Gladstone and Lord Rosebery's successive ministries. He became a civil member of the Order of Merit in 1907. Viscount Bryce's title of rank coming next below that of an earl. The title originally stood for deputy-earl. The first viscount was created in 1446. It entitles the holder to a seat in the house of lords.

LINDHASTENS TO PRESIDENT Envoys Understood to Be Conveying News That Huerta Regime is Practically Ended.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—(Canadian Press).—With the scout cruiser Chastor speeding across the Gulf of Mexico tonight, due to drop anchor about midnight off Ship Island, on the coast of Mississippi, John Lind, President Wilson's personal representative in Mexico, expects to breakfast with the president at Pass Christian tomorrow and lay before him a full report of what has happened in Mexico during the past few months.

MAN NOW IN TORONTO IS SUED FOR DIVORCE (Can. Press).—Mrs. Marion W. Lunney of Minto, Sunbury County, is the plaintiff in a divorce case here against her husband, George W. Lunney, a railway train man, now of Toronto. The usual statutory charge of infidelity is made, but the co-respondent is not named, also said to be a woman living in Toronto. Mrs. Lunney asks for an absolute divorce, custody of her children and alimony. No defence has been filed.

MONSTER TURKEY THIS ST. CATHARINES, Dec. 31.—At the poultry show here today a white turkey tipping the scales at the tremendous weight of 48 pounds was exhibited. It is owned by John Smith, a professional farmer, and is said to be the biggest and heaviest in Canada.

**SUTHERLAND'S OFFER HAS BEEN REJECTED**

Lloyd George Refuses to Buy Large Portion of Duke's Scottish Estate.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press).—David Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer, has rejected the recent offer of the Duke of Sutherland to sell to the government a large portion of the duke's Scottish estates, at prices ranging from 22 to 25 shillings per acre. The duke made the offer, it is said, to controvert a statement of the chancellor of the exchequer to the effect that valuable land was being used as deer preserves despite the fact that the farmers were in need of it.



A. J. H. ECKARDT.

30 years in extensive manufacturing, employing about 200 hands annually and never had a strike or any labor troubles in any shape or form. Gave steady employment annually all this time and never cut a man's wages, good times or bad times. His Eckardt not been a true friend of labor.

Important notice to the citizens of Toronto, our home.

When I accepted the nomination to be your candidate for controller, practically nothing on Monday afternoon, the polls with one exception had their slaves changed. Of course I am against the proposed purchase at the price named in the case as this account could not expect any of the papers in favor of the purchase at the proposed price to cite me. While against purchasing at the price asked I would be in favor of purchasing at a price in keeping with what is right and just, and in the people's interests. I made up my mind right at that time to enter this or which municipal elections in Toronto campaign on different lines from those have been conducted. That is to direct a successful business man's campaign by presenting a policy which has already been presented to you by me through the press, and through circulars. If you have not already read it, read it now.

I know for a fact and feel confident I am elected as your controller on the principles that I gave carried out in this campaign, doing without committee rooms, manager, canvassing or speaking from platforms all over the city, that you will have absolutely no trouble in the future in securing some of the very best business men in our city to enter the field in connection with your interests. I know this for a fact, and when entering the field, and since entering the field, some of my friends have stated it cannot be done. However, I made up my mind, at the outset, to test this matter, to see if a municipal election in Toronto can be carried out on this basis. Now, Mr. Citizen, it is up to you.

Another matter. Why should ward 2 have three controllers? Why not distribute them for the general good of all concerned? So Elect for one of your controllers. Wishing you a very happy and prosperous New Year.

I am cordially yours,

A. J. H. ECKARDT.

**F. S. SPENCE**  
As Alderman in Ward 3, will be a good New Year's Day Vote for any elector. It will count for the public good and the city's welfare. Remember the last name on the Aldermanic ballot paper.

**WARD 4**  
**A. R. WILLIAMSON**  
FOR ALDERMAN

Against buying obsolete plants but out for Rapid Transit

**HUMBER VALLEY SURVEYS**  
The properties have been carefully subdivided and laid out with streets, following the topography of the land, and are being developed so as to retain their natural scenic beauty. Purchasers are protected by restrictions which prevent congestion and assure an artistic and attractive locality. With the completion of the Humber Boulevard and the Harbor Commission's Lake Front Drive, there will be a parkway approach to the properties from the foot of Bathurst street.  
**HOME SMITH & Company**  
18 King St. W. Phone Ad. 886

**Election Cards.**



**A. E. Hacker**  
Electors of Ward 4 Should Make Sure of Mr. Hacker for Alderman.

**WARD SEVEN**

Re-Elect  
**SAM RYDING**



Some of the Things He Has Done

He fathered Annexation and suggested immediate start of the Sewers for Ward Seven, which is now well under way.  
Completed Weston Road Bridge.  
Re-surfaced Dundas Street.  
Obtained Pavilion in High Park, near Bloor Street.  
Had the Telephone rates cut in half.  
Stopped the trains from blocking pedestrians and vehicular traffic at Weston Road.  
Widened Royce Avenue.  
Agitated extension of Bloor and Dundas Street car lines to westerly limits.  
Sidewalks have been laid to the extent of 2 1/2 miles.  
57,453 gallons of Oil have been used for Ward Seven during 1913 to eliminate the dust nuisance.

**What He Will Do If Re-Elected**

Complete the Sewers of Ward Seven.  
Have permanent Roadways.  
Agitate Rapid Transportation and extension of cars from Dupont Street along Royce Avenue to Dundas St.  
Have Subways constructed to dispense with Level Crossings.  
Obtain Athletic Grounds on the North Side convenient for the people, east and west of Weston Road.

Attend to Your Wants and Complaints Punctually As in the Past.

**WARD 4**  
**VOTE MILES VOKES**

For Board of Education  
Vote For Hospital Bylaws

**Election Cards.**

**In the Interests of Better Civic Government**

Vote As Follows for Aldermen:  
**WARD 2**  
Ald. S. Morris Wickett.  
**WARD 3**  
F. S. Spence,  
Ald. Rawlinson.  
**WARD 4**  
Ald. W. Vokes,  
P. H. Cameron,  
A. E. Farmer.  
**WARD 5**  
R. W. Deckeray,  
Geo. Garratt.  
**WARD 6**  
Walter Harland Smith.  
And for Board of Education.  
**WARD 1**  
Mrs. Courtice.  
**WARD 3**  
William Houston.  
**WARD 4**  
Miles Vokes.  
**WARD 5**  
W. O. McTaggart.

Walter Harland Smith was induced to offer himself as a candidate in Ward 6 by the electors of that ward, and a petition signed by 1,700 business men and taxpayers of Toronto. The election of these candidates at the head of the polls will be a step forward for BETTER CIVIC GOVERNMENT.  
Municipal Improvement Assn.  
John Macdonald, President.

**WARD 3**  
**FRED HOGG will see to the proper administration of the**



**BOARD OF EDUCATION affairs if elected as TRUSTEE FOR WARD 3.**

**WARD 4**  
When polling your vote today be sure to vote for



**ARTHUR B. FARMER**  
FOR ALDERMAN WARD 4

**ELECTORS of WARD 7**



As 1914 will be an important year in the history of our city, especially Ward Seven, your aid to elect me as alderman will be appreciated. As I have had five years' experience in Municipal Council and nine years on Public School Board, I am confident I can give you valuable service.

**WARD 6**  
**W. H. WEIR**  
1914 WARD SIX

Your vote and influence are respectfully solicited for the election as alderman of **WALTER HARLAND SMITH** a man of broad, constructive and executive ability.

**Election Cards.**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF TORONTO**

DEAR SIRS:  
The Executive Committee of Toronto Branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association endorse the bylaw to provide the sum of \$500,000 for the Canadian National Exhibition.  
The public should understand that the money the Association is asking for is to be expended over a period of from five to ten years, and it is required for the purpose of enabling the Association to erect a new Machinery Hall, to build an extension to the Art Gallery, to provide more public conveniences, and to increase the accommodation for live stock; to meet an insistent public demand.  
We would ask the citizens of Toronto to give the work of the Association their hearty support by voting in favor of this Bylaw.  
Yours faithfully,  
R. D. FAIRBAIRN,  
Chairman.

**OPEN LETTER TO THE VOTER**

From Chairman of the Municipal Franchise Referendum Committee  
This committee desire to urge all electors to go to the polls and vote for the Referendum, which is at present before the people.  
Electors opposed to enlarging the municipal vote so as to include the wives and mothers must surely recognize the absurdity of their position; inasmuch as marriage no longer debars women from holding and disposing of their own property; women are rated and taxed; therefore, to longer continue electoral disabilities for the home-makers and exclude them from participation in municipal government is illogical and unjust.  
When women have assumed the highest duties and responsibilities in our nation (viz. wifehood and motherhood), the nation should realize the importance of their direct participation in the community, and remove all disqualifications which many municipal questions are interwoven with home-making—sanitation—pure food—pure water—light efficiency of our schools—are surely questions of given such civil rights as will enable them to protect and safeguard the children, the home, and nation. The committee urge all candidates to work for the Referendum among their adherents.  
As the originator and chairman of this campaign, I wish to express my appreciation of the courtesy extended by the Mayor and members of the City Council and to the daily papers of Toronto. It is also my desire to extend thanks to the chairmen of the various political meetings who have been so gracious to our different workers and public speakers, as well as cordial thanks to our chairman of public speaking, Mrs. J. H. Stowe, and to the women who addressed the various meetings, namely, Mrs. Flora Macdonald Denison, Dr. Augusta Stowe Gulien, Mrs. J. W. Bengough, Mrs. H. Prenter, Mrs. L. A. Hamilton, Miss Inez Perry, Mrs. George Dixon, Miss Melville, Mrs. MacIvor, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. W. R. Lang, Miss Constance Bouton and all others who have worked so ably in support of this campaign.  
Anyone who requires assistance in getting voters to the polls, telephone C. 1968.  
Wishing you all a Happy New Year.  
(DR.) MARGARET GORDON,  
728 Spadina Avenue.



**RE-ELECT C. A. RISK**  
For ALDERMAN WARD 2

**Ratepayers of WARD 7**  
If you want a candidate who will do things to make Ward 7 and the whole City of Toronto more worth while living in, vote and work for

**Jesse G. Wright**  
For Alderman 1914

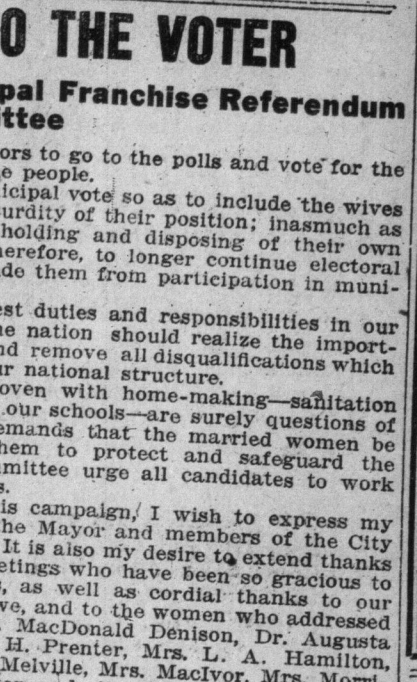
**Ratepayers of Ward 6**



**ALD. C. H. MAYBEE**  
"One Good Term Deserves Another."

**Election Cards.**

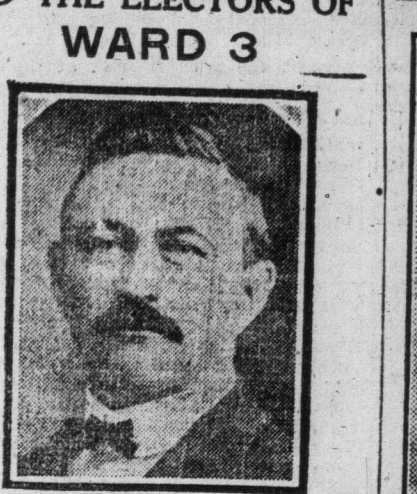
**VOTE SIMPSON FOR BOARD OF CONTROL LABOR'S CANDIDATE**



**WARD 4**  
**Vote Wantless**  
Safe -- Experienced -- Fearless



**WARD 4**  
**SWEENEY**  
Vote For Alderman  
Against Purchase of Toronto Railway and Toronto Electric Light



**RE-ELECT SAM McBRIDE**  
Vote to Re-Elect Alderman

**M. Rawlinson**  
For Ward 3  
A Business Man for a Business Ward

**BE SURE ... TO VOTE FOR ... SINGER**  
FOR ALDERMAN IN WARD 4

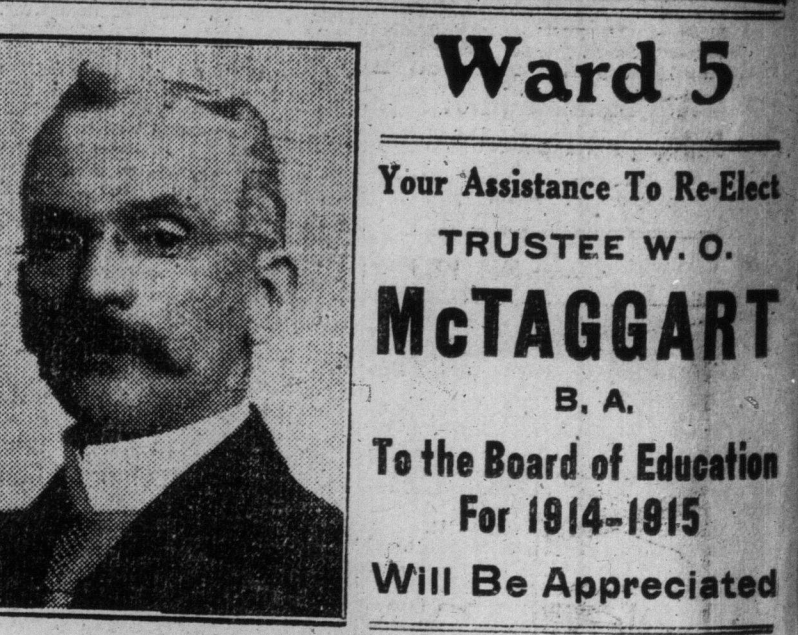
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**WARD 5**  
**McTAGGART**  
B. A.  
Your Assistance To Re-Elect TRUSTEE W. O. McTAGGART  
To the Board of Education For 1914-1915  
Will Be Appreciated  
A Successful Business Man and an Ex-Teacher, Now Chairman of the Board.

**EVERY GOOD CITIZEN WILL VOTE TODAY**  
As the railway purchase proposal cannot be adopted unless it is first endorsed by the Provincial Hydro Commission, whose chairman is Adam Beck, and the Governor-in-Council, which is the Whitney cabinet, and unless it is later voted upon favorably by the people, the elector should CAST HIS BALLOT FOR HOCKEN, A MAYOR WHO IS A CREDIT TO THE CITY.

**WARD 6**  
**RE-ELECT Ald. D. Spence**  
Successful Business Man.  
FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION  
Polling Day, January 1st. 71234

Election Cards. VOTE SIMPSON FOR BOARD OF CONTROL LABOR'S CANDIDATE s Time for a Change ELECT Joseph E. Simpson Controller COMMISSIONER OF INDUSTRY FOR THE CITY OF TORONTO Telephone Main 6000

WARD 4 I hereby make oath that I have knowledge of particulars contained in the foregoing statement and that the same are in every respect fully and truly stated to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WARD 5 Assistance To Re-Elect TRUSTEE W. O. TAGGART B. A. Board of Education For 1914-1915 Be Appreciated An Ex-Teacher, Now Board. CITIZEN TODAY

WARD 6 RE-ELECT D. Spence

HOW FOSTER GOT AWAY WITH LOW ASSESSMENT ON INCOME

He Made Out the Statement Himself on File at the Assessment Department, Showing That He is Assessed on Only One Thousand and Sixty-Two Dollars.

Thomas Foster, who has been alderman for 11 years and controller for three years, has much property in the city that is revenue-bearing or yields enormous unearned income. He has also much money in mortgages.

EXAMPLES OF RETURNS. Return to be delivered by all persons as to their income. Name. Occupation. Address of Residence. Address of place of business.

OATH. I hereby make oath that I have knowledge of particulars contained in the foregoing statement and that the same are in every respect fully and truly stated to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHICAGO HAS RADIUM MYSTERY DEATH LURKING IN TINY SPECK

If Strange Mineral Has Been Stolen, Theft May Cost Possessor His Life, Say Physicians of Hospital From Which Radium Has Vanished.

CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press)—Search today by police and hospital authorities failed to disclose any clue to thirty-five milligrams of radium believed to have been lost or stolen several days ago while being used in the treatment of a cancer patient.

AND THE WORST IS YET TO COME

HALIFAX, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press)—The Morning Chronicle, reviewing industrial and business conditions, says: "Nova Scotia did not pass unscathed through the stress of financial stringency and commercial depression which set in over western and central Canada last year."



WHITE STAR LARGEST STEAMERS IN CANADA

WINTER SERVICE From Portland, Me., to Liverpool, Direct Canada, Jan. 3, at 10 a.m. ATLANTIC TRANSPORT New York, London Direct.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM TIME TABLE CHANGES A general change of time will be made Jan. 4, 1914. Time Tables containing full particulars may be had on application to the Office, northwest corner King and Yonge Streets.

ONLY DOUBLE TRACK ROUTE, TORONTO AND MONTREAL 9 a.m., 8.30 p.m., 10.45 p.m. Daily Dining and Parlor-Library Cars on day train; Pullman sleepers, electric light, etc.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY THE ONLY ALL CANADIAN ROUTE To the Atlantic Seaboard Are You Going to Europe HALIFAX

NOVA SCOTIA CAME THRU STRESS WELL Financial Depression Had No Serious Effect on Maritime Province.

BANK MANAGER HELD CHARGED WITH THEFT D. A. Keen Seven Hundred Dollars Short in His Account.

NEW S.S. "Gulfina" and other steamers at 2 p.m. alternate Saturdays from New York for St. Thomas, St. Croix, St. Kitts, Antigua, Guadalupe, etc.

HOLLAND-AMERICA LINE New Twin Screw Steamers from 12,500 to 24,170 tons.

60 BERMUDA S.S. "BERMUDA" Twin Screw, 10,515 tons displacement. Sails from New York 10 a.m., 14, 21, 28 January.

WEST INDIES New S.S. "Gulfina" and other steamers at 2 p.m. alternate Saturdays from New York for St. Thomas, St. Croix, St. Kitts, Antigua, Guadalupe, etc.

PRESBYTERIAN MISSIONARIES FOR WESTERN MEDICAL WORK. Rev. Herbert Gray and Miss Botting Will Be Tendered Banquet.

LINER ADS

Farms For Sale. Wm. J. Ground's List FARMS NEAR TORONTO for sale by Wm. J. Ground, Thornhill, Ont.

ACRE LOTS ONE DOLLAR WEEKLY YONGE STREET THE NEAREST acre lot subdivision to the city, good roads and car line pass the property.

BRAMPTON RESIDENTIAL and business properties, factory sites and building lots, acreage, H. W. Dawson, 90 Colborne St., Brampton.

LAWRENCE PARK Here is a beautiful, partly-built, well-developed tract on north Yonge Street, near the street cars.

SIX-CYLINDER CAR Good Running Order Will Sell Cheap APPLY BOX 78 WORLD OFFICE

GARAGE WANTED Advertiser desires to rent a small one-car garage, or space for one car in a larger garage, in the vicinity of Isabella and Sherbourne streets.

CHICAGOANS ENJOYED FLOOD OF CHAMPAGNE "Sane" New Year's Eve Regulations Failed to Diminish Ardor of Midnight Revelers.

MANY ACCLAMATIONS. KINGSTON, Dec. 31.—(Special)—H. C. Nickle, Dr. A. W. Richardson and J. M. Hughes were elected aldermen by acclamation.

SHOES REPAIRED while you wait. Sugar, opposite Shea's, Victoria street.

REPAIR WORK—Plaster relief decorations, Wright & Co., 30 Mutual.

CANNERS BUMPED ON TORONTO MART

Liquidation Forces Further Fall of Nine Points in Price.

BRAZILS ALSO WEAK

Last Session of Year Unfavorable to Holders of Certain Securities.

Half a day sufficed to transact all the business on the Toronto Stock Exchange yesterday. It was the last session of the year and not at all a pleasant one for the holders of Canners, which in the easiest way fell 9 points during the session.

Bank shares were moderately active and Dominion, Imperial and Hamilton changed hands at steady prices. Future business in local stocks will be conducted on the new exchange on Bay Street.

FURTHER DECLINES ON LONDON MARKET

Canadian Pacific the Heaviest Loser—Grand Trunk Also Figured.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—Money was scarce and discount rates were quiet today. The Bank of England secured most of the \$3,000,000 new gold offered in the open market.

WALL STREET HAD A VERY LEAN YEAR

Less Than Half the Brokers Now Actively Engaged in Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—The year 1913 will be long remembered in Wall street as one of the quietest in almost a decade. Compared with 1912, when stock and bond sales on the stock exchange aggregated 180,735,700 shares and 672,000,000 respectively, there was a decrease in stock sales of 44,700,000 shares and in bonds of \$170,000,000.

NOT SOUND FINANCING OF MEXICAN SYSTEMS

LONDON, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—Miguel Covarrubias, ex-minister of Mexico to Russia, and now confidential agent in London of the Mexican Constitutionalists, today issued a warning against the proposed scheme for the payment of interest in under way.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Sterling, 60 days, 4.8125. do, demand, 4.8540. Cable transfers, 4.8625. Marks demand, 94 1/2. Francs demand, 5.21 1/4-1.64. Bank of England rate, 5 per cent. Open market discount rate for short bills, 4 1/2 per cent.

EUROPEAN BOURSES.

PARIS, Dec. 31.—Prices were easy on the bourse today. Three per cent. notes, 86 francs 3/4 centimes for the account. Exchange on London, 20 marks 1/2 premium. Private rate of discount, 3 1/2 per cent.

IF YOU WANT ALL NEWS, GET THE WORLD.

DULL TRADING IN NEW YORK MART

Speculative Interest at Low Ebb, But Undertone Fairly Good.

STRENGTH IN READING

Poor Statement of Earnings No Damper—C. P. R. Also Higher.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—The year's trading on the stock exchange came to an end with a quiet, colorless session. The day's news was unimportant, speculative interest at low ebb, and a holiday at hand, so that traders were content to permit the market to drift along idly.

Realizing sales after leveled down the market, and in many cases the early gains were canceled. Movements thereafter were unusually narrow, except in a few instances, American Telephone was heavy.

MONTREAL STOCKS AT LOWER LEVEL

Dominion Canners Dipped Nine Points—Losses Were Quite General.

MONTREAL, Dec. 31.—The year ended rather dimly on the Montreal Stock Exchange today, with a few stocks achieving the unenviable distinction of selling at their lowest prices for twelve months and more of the majority hanging heavy not far from like levels.

EXCHANGE MOVES INTO NEW HOME

Yesterday Last Day in Old Building—Fine New Quarters.

After 13 years' occupation the Toronto Stock Exchange members concluded their business at their quarters in King street yesterday, and future business will be undertaken at the fine new quarters on Bay street. To celebrate the event the members were the guests of Gordon Osler, the president, at a luncheon after the close of the exchange yesterday morning.

NEW ADDRESS.

The Royal Securities Corporation, 24, limited, has announced the removal of their Toronto office to the Toronto General Trusts Corporation building at 85 Bay street.

MONTREAL, Dec. 31.—The Montreal clearing house reports clearings for the year of \$2,718,000, compared with \$2,547,000 in 1912, an increase of \$171,000.

For December the clearings were \$251,501,382, an increase of \$4,710,000 over the same period in 1912. There were several monthly decreases in the latter part of the year, but these were overcome by the increases in December. The clearings amount to \$173,904,855, an increase of \$25,444 over 1912, and \$38,820,140 over 1911.

WILL INCREASE OFFICERS' PAY.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—With a view to making service in the regular army more attractive, the war office today issued an order increasing the pay of commissioned officers and facilitating the promotion of non-commissioned to commissioned officers.

THE STOCK MARKETS

TORONTO STOCKS

Table of Toronto Stock Market prices for various companies including C.P.R., Dominion Canners, and others.

TORONTO SALES.

Table showing total sales for various categories like Op. High, Low, Cl. Sales.

UPS AND DOWNS IN N. Y. MARKET

Erickson Perkins & Co. report average of 10 leading industrial and 10 leading rails for 1913 as follows:

NEW YORK COTTON

Erickson Perkins & Co. (J. G. Beatty), 14 King street West, Toronto, report the following fluctuations on the New York Cotton Exchange:

ACCIDENTAL DEATH.

A verdict of accidental death was returned last night by Coroner's jury, which enquired into the death of Cornelius Martin, who was drowned by falling off the Millen Coal Company's wharf at the foot of Church st. on Dec. 27. The jury was of the opinion that the defective condition of the wharf contributed to the accident.

BAD SCALP WOUND.

As a result of falling from his wagon yesterday night by Coroner's jury, Arthur Hogshead received a bad scalp wound, and was removed to the General Hospital in the police ambulance.

FOUND BLOODY CLOTHES.

A constable patrolling his beat along the waterfront yesterday made a startling discovery in the waters of the bay when he fished out a bundle of bloody clothes, loaded with a brick, to which they smelt. The police so far, however, have found nothing to lead them to believe a murder has been committed, but are watching the case.

FORMER TORONTIANIAN DEAD.

BUFFALO, Dec. 31.—(Special.)—Mrs. Margaret Campbell, formerly of Toronto, but for years a resident of London, Ont., expired last midnight at her home, 350 French street, after an illness of three weeks, in her 48th year. She leaves one son, Smith Campbell. Mrs. Campbell lived at 14 Albany avenue, Toronto, for three years. The body will be shipped for burial to London.

NOTICE

Alarmed when her four-months-old child did not awaken at its usual hour, Mrs. James Smart, 3 Bruce street, attempted to awaken the infant at six o'clock yesterday morning, and discovered the baby had been dead some hours. No inquest will be held.

CHAS. E. GORDON.

Secretary, Pringle, Thompson, Burgess & Co., 417 Ottawa Agents.

COOK & MITCHELL.

Barristers, Solicitors, Notaries, etc., Temple Building, Toronto; Kennedy's Block, South of Queen.

HOLLINGER PROFITS SHOW REDUCTION

There was quite a reduction in the gross profits of the Hollinger mine for the period ending Dec. 25, the total being merely \$118,000. There is, however, now a cash surplus of \$785,665. Dividends this year amounted to \$1,080,000.

NEW YORK CURB.

Table of New York Curb market prices for various commodities like Buffalo, Dome Extension, etc.

MINING QUOTATIONS.

Table of mining quotations for various stocks like Cobalt, Baley, etc.

STANDARD SALES.

Table of standard sales for various commodities like Cobalt, Dome, etc.

TORONTO CURB.

Table of Toronto Curb market prices for various commodities like Dome, Hillinger, etc.

CUSTOMS REVENUE OF U.S. DECREASED

Receipts Were Three Millions Below Those for Preceding Year.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—(Can. Press.)—That customs revenues and other receipts at the port of New York were \$2,200,000 less this year than in 1912 is shown by a statement made public today by Dudley Field Malone, collector of the port. The total for 1913 reaches \$209,494,152, as against \$212,961,958 last year. Of the total revenues for 1913, \$204,231,126 was derived from import duties.

NOTICE

The Kettle Valley Railway Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an act:

(1) Extending the time for construction of the following lines of railway described in section 2 (a) (i) and (ii) of Chapter 110 of the Statutes of 1912, namely:

(a) From a point fifty miles up the North York on the Kettle River, thence Northwesterly to Vernon, thence westerly to a point at or near Vancouver.

(b) From a point on the line above described at or near the junction of the coast fork and West fork of the North York on the Kettle River to Franklin Camp, thence to Killybeg.

(c) From point at or near Hedley, Northwesterly along Twenty Mile Creek for a distance of about twenty miles.

(2) Authorizing it to construct a branch from a point at or near the Outer Summit by the most feasible route to the Aspen Grove Mineral district, not exceeding 30 miles.

(3) Ratifying and confirming Agreements with the Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company respecting a Joint Section of the Kettle Valley Railway, and of other purposes.

Dated at Toronto the 23rd day of December, 1913.

CHAS. E. GORDON, Secretary, Pringle, Thompson, Burgess & Co., 417 Ottawa Agents.

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THE DOMINION BANK advertisement with details of capital, savings department, and Toronto branch information.

THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA advertisement with details of capital, branches throughout Canada, and London/New York offices.

THE DOMINION PERMANENT LOAN COMPANY advertisement with details of dividend notice and company information.

WATT & WATT advertisement with details of services offered and contact information.

HERON & CO. advertisement with details of stock exchange membership and services.

CHICAGO WHEAT advertisement with details of private facilities for trading business.

BUCHANAN, SEAGRAM & CO. advertisement with details of stock and bond services.

ERICKSON PERKINS & CO. advertisement with details of stock exchange membership and services.

GEO. O. MERSON & CO. advertisement with details of stock exchange membership and services.

DOMINION SECURITIES CORPORATION LIMITED advertisement with details of services, office locations, and contact information.



Linens in the January White Sale

HORROCKSES SHEETS, \$1.56 PAIR. Plain Bleached Sheets, heavy quality and free from dressing...

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' EVENING DRESSES, \$9.25. Crepes de chine, charmeuse silks, and dainty chiffons...

Warmth for Winter Winds Daintiness for Winter Pleasures

In women's wear the extremes meet—fluffy, filmy gowns and indoor wraps must be supplemented and covered out-of-doors by cosy enveloping coats...

The January Black Silk Sale

Black "CHARMEUSE-DUCHESSE," 39 INCHES WIDE, \$1.29. Of Swiss manufacture, this fine-grade dress satin has all the requirements for present style...

Jewelry Toilet Goods

Gold-filled Necklets, curb pattern and curb and fancy bar link design, best gold-filled quality \$1.49

Special Picture Framing Prices for January

An opportunity to have photographs, engravings, and prints of all kinds framed at small cost.

Waterman Fountain Pens

Gold Mounted Pens, for presentation, from \$3.50 to \$25.00.

Boots, Slippers & Leggings at Friday Bargain Prices

MEN'S GOODYEAR WELTED BOOTS. Standard, Braided Goodyear Welled Button and Laced Boots, gummetal, patent coil, viscolized tan calf, viel kid, and black Winter calf leathers...

WOMEN'S AMERICAN BOOTS \$1.99. 1,250 pairs High-grade Boots, including many well-known brands made on new and popular lasts...

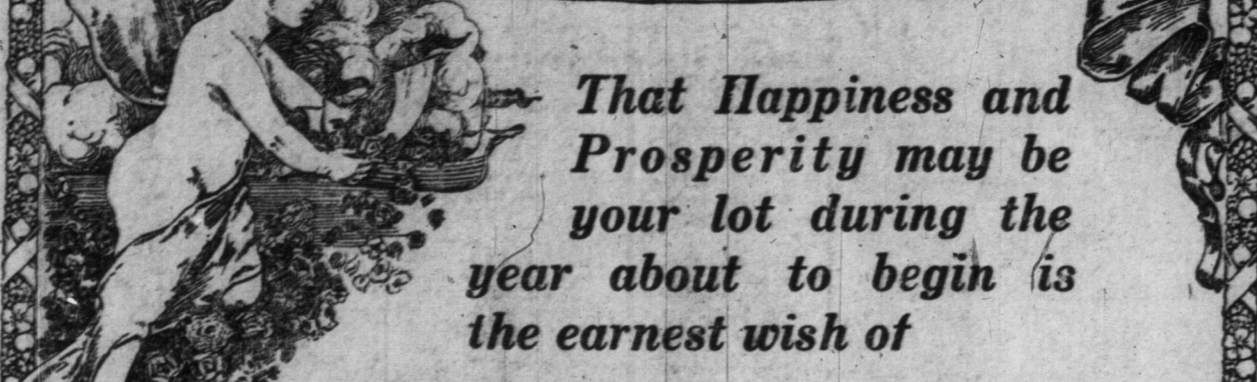
BOYS' BOOTS \$1.99. 420 pairs Boys' Winter Calf, Dongola Kid, Patent Coil, and Box Kip Boots, in laced Blucher style; double-solid leather soles...

CHILDREN'S BOOTS. "Mother Hubbard" and "Adams" brands; made from fine chocolate and black kid, in button and laced styles...

LIGHT CITY-WEIGHT RUBBERS. Bright finished, reinforced, corrugated soles and heels: Men's sizes 6 to 12. Regularly \$9c. Sale price 5c.

STORM RUBBERS. These are bright, new Rubbers, with extra high fronts, perfect in material, fit, and finish: Women's sizes 6 to 12. Regularly \$1.15. Sale price 75c.

FIRST DAY OF SIMPSON'S JANUARY SALES



That Happiness and Prosperity may be your lot during the year about to begin is the earnest wish of The Robert Simpson Company

The Store will remain closed To-day, New Year's Day. Friday morning we will launch our January Sales, Stock-Clearing Sales, and White Sale, with a huge bargain day such as has never been equalled in the store for wealth of opportunity.

You are invited to be present at this first bargain day of 1914, and are assured of the heartiest possible welcome.

The January Sale of Whitewear

The great event of January, the White Sale, is ushered in by a list that is representative of the values to come. Numberless lines enter into the splendid stocks, and every price is special. The Sale begins at 8.30 o'clock Friday morning.

HANDSOME \$2.00 MODEL. \$1.00—Women's Corsets, in one of the latest styles; fine white coutil; medium low bust; extra long skirt and back; finest rustproof boning; wide side steels; six wide, strong garters; bust draw cord; dainty embroidery trimming. Sizes 19 to 26 inches. Price \$1.00

A charming C. C. a la Grace Corset, in the latest straight tip shaping; extra fine, white coutil; empire bust; very long back; finest rustproof boning; four wide side steels; very deep skirt, with hook in front; six wide, silk elastic garters; bust draw cord; dainty embroidery trim. Sizes 18 to 26 inches. Price \$1.75

Slip of nainsook, dainty embroidery yoke, run with silk ribbon, embroidery edges on arms, deep flounce of embroidery. Sizes 34 to 42 bust. Regularly \$1.50. Friday \$1.00

Combination Corset Cover and Drawers, all-over embroidery, front run with silk ribbon, neck, arms, and drawers edged with Val. lace. Sizes 34 to 42 bust. Regularly \$1.50. Friday \$1.00

Drawers, heavy fine cotton, umbrella ruffle style, deep ruffle with wide hemstitched tuck and deep hem, open or closed styles. Lengths 23, 25, 27 inches. Regularly 35c. Friday's special price 25c

Corset Cover of nainsook, extra deep lace yoke run with silk ribbon, lace edges on arms, pearl buttons. Sizes 34 to 42 bust. Friday special \$1.00

A set of fine lingerie, six beautiful pieces—Night Dress, Corset Cover, Princess Slips, Combination Underskirt, and Drawers—of very fine nainsook and beautiful eyelet embroidery, beading, insertion, and deep flounces. Set of six pieces, regularly \$16.00. Friday \$11.50

Our range at this most popular price has never been surpassed. Slip-over, high neck, and V-neck styles, in fine cottons and nainsooks, with trimmings of Valenciennes lace or dainty embroidery. Lengths 56, 58, 60 inches. Friday special \$1.00

Girls' Night Gowns, fine cotton, solid tucked yoke, ruffles of embroidery on neck, front and cuffs. Sizes 2 to 12 years. Friday \$1.00

Underskirt, fine, strong cotton, wide insertion and edge of strong lace Lengths 38 to 42 inches. Regularly \$1.50. Friday \$1.00

Underkirt, fine nainsook, deep flounce of beautiful embroidery with wide insertion to match. Lengths 38 to 42 inches. Regularly \$2.75. Friday \$1.95

The Robert Simpson Company, Limited

Men's Overcoats & Ulsters

Regular \$10.00, \$12.00, and \$12.50. Special \$6.95. Broken lines and odd sizes, also a clearing line of Men's Ulsters from a leading manufacturer. The colors are grey and brown, in heavy diagonals, also plain patterns, made up single and double-breasted, with convertible storm collars, well tailored and perfect fitting. Sizes 34 to 44. To clear at \$6.95

MEN'S ENGLISH TWEED SUITS. Regular \$10.50, \$12.00, and \$13.50, for \$7.45. In English tweeds, medium and heavy Winter weights, assorted patterns, dark grey and brown grounds, with neat colored stripe effects, made up in single-breasted, three-buttoned style, lined with fine twilled mohair lining. An excellent suit for business wear. Sizes 34 to 44. On sale at \$7.45

MEN'S CHAMOIS-LINED BLACK BEAVERCLOTH OVERCOATS. Black English beaver, lined with a heavy silk-finish twill woolen, interlined to the waist with chammois skins, double-breasted, with deep shawl collar of Persian lamb, and Persian lamb trimmed down front, well tailored, warm, and will give fine wear. Sizes 34 to 44. On sale at \$42.50 and \$45.00

BOYS BLUE SERGE DOUBLE-BREADED SUITS. Regularly \$7.50 and \$8.00, for \$4.95. A very special clearing sale of Boys' Smart Double-Breasted Two-Piece Suits, fine English cassimere worsted, in a rich navy blue, high-grade tailored and lined with serge linings. Sizes 25 to 32. Special Thursday sale \$4.95

YOUNG MEN'S LONG-TROUSERED SUITS, \$5.95. Regular Value \$7.50, \$8.50, and \$10.00. Smart Single-Breasted Sacco Coats, single-breasted vests and medium-cut long trousers, made from dark serviceable English tweeds, in brown and grey shades, well tailored, with twilled linings. Sizes 32 to 35. Special Thursday (Main Floor) \$5.95

Men's Fur Coats. In first grade black Galloway, made from most pliable and best furred skins. Extra well lined, deep shawl or rolling collar. Regular \$65.00. Friday bargain \$29.00

Men's Neglige Shirts for 88 Cents. Odd and broken lines of Men's Neglige Shirts from regular stock. Plain or fancy shirts, with pleated or plain bosom, all cut coat style, some have the detached soft collar and double French cuffs. All sizes in the lot. Regularly \$1.00, \$1.25, and \$1.50. Sale price \$88c

SWEATER COATS WORTH WHILE AT \$3.98. \$1.00, \$2.00, and \$3.00 to be saved on our better lines. All sizes, styles, and colors. Regularly \$5.00, \$6.00, and \$7.50, for \$3.98

HEAVY UNDERWEAR AT 63c. 1,000 garments of Men's Heavy Winter Weight Underwear, Shirts and Drawers, double-breast styles, some of the best makers, including Lamb-down, Fleeces, Stralian, Pen-Angle, and Ellis brands, in natural or Scotch wools, the best quality fleece lined, etc. A splendid range of sizes in each line. Regularly 89c, \$1.00, \$1.25, and \$1.50. To clear, Sale price, a garment \$63c

Gloves. Women's Tan Suede and Glace Finish Wool-lined Mitts elastic wrist, assorted tan shades, sizes 6 to 7 1/2, regularly 75c. Friday \$50c

Women's Fleece-lined Black Cashmere Gloves, 3-dome fasteners, best finish, sizes 6 1/2 to 7 1/2, regularly \$1.00. Friday \$65c

Women's Fleece-lined Black Cotton Hose, fine thread, fast dye, applied heel, toe, and sole, 5 1/2 to 10, Friday \$1.00

Children's All-wool Worsted Black Ribbed Hose, heavy, close finish, soft, bright yarn, applied heel, toe, and sole, sizes 8 to 10, 25c value. Friday \$20c

Upholstering Tapestries Sterling Values. English, French, and German Upholstering Tapestries, 50 inches wide, in various conventional, Oriental, and Oriental effects. Per yard \$1.25

Qualified men will call at your house and give estimates on all kinds of upholstering work. Free of charge. Measures taken and estimates given on window shades, curtains, etc.

MADRAS CURTAINS, 75c PER PAIR. 2 1/2 yards long, pretty designs, cream only, attractive and durable. Friday, per pair \$4.00

Novelty Embroidered Curtains, a lovely collection to select from, suitable for bedrooms, drawing-rooms, and sitting-rooms. Regular value \$2.50 and \$4.00. Friday, per pair \$2.00

EXTRA SPECIAL UP TO \$2.50. Serim Curtains, with pretty laces and insertions, cream, ivory, and white, a wide range of high-class curtains to choose from. Regular value \$4.50, \$6.00, \$6.75, and \$7.00. Friday, per pair \$4.25

KEEP OUT THE COLD. By having the Crown Metal Weather Strip on your windows and doors. It is the best. Place your order at once. We are getting busier every day.

The Crown Metal Weather Strip is a sure preventive against colds, keeps all drafts out, reduces the doctor's and coal man's bills, and wears a lifetime. Installed complete in your home, on windows and doors, at per foot 10c (Fourth Floor)

Friday's Grocery List. 4,000 tins Canned Peas (only 4 tins to customer) 4 tins, 25c

1,000 tins Canned Corn 3 tins, 25c

4,000 tins Canned Sweet Pumpkin 3 tins, 25c

One Car Standard Granulated Sugar 20 lbs. cotton bag 95c

2,000 Eggs Choice Family Egg 3 packages 25c

Choice Canned Raisins 1 1/2 lbs. 50c

Choice Currants cleaned 3 lbs. 25c

Choice Cooking Figs 1 1/2 lbs. 50c

Pure Kettle-rendered Lard per lb. 10c