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Vote for

THE BY-LAW NESBITT



TORONTO'S NEXT MAYOR

Two Fatuous and Contradictory Arguments Against Dr. Nesbitt:

The same anti-Beck organization that circulates red-handed copies of the News will single out Dr. Nesbitt as the Mayorality candidate most deserving of its support.

The electric ring forces that find their ideal organ in the News also find their ideal candidate for Mayor in Dr. Beattie Nesbitt.

The same great moral agencies that fling free copies of the News broadcast with one hand are getting ready to help Dr. Nesbitt with the other.

—Telegram, Dec. 27, 1907.

What is there in Dr. Nesbitt's speeches or in his campaign literature to suggest that as "Mayor of all the People" he will prefer to make an arrangement with the Toronto Electric Light Co., or will hesitate to commit Toronto to a costly and unprofitable competitive struggle with a private company?

If we must have Nesbitt for Mayor, we had better defeat the by-law and keep a strong grip on the purse strings.

—News, Dec. 26, 1907.

PUBLIC MEETINGS

TO-NIGHT

Labor Temple, Brockton Hall, Brown's Hall (964 Bloor St. W.)

TUESDAY NIGHT Broadway Hall.

Persons desiring to volunteer vehicles for use in Dr. Nesbitt's interest on Election Day will please communicate with the Central Committee Room, 40 Adelaide St. West, 'Phone M. 7031.

When a FAIR, SQUARE FIGHTER like DR. NESBITT is STRUCK BELOW THE BELT, it is for the citizens to cry "SHAME!" and to BACK HIM UP by their VOTES.

1908 TORONTO 1908

VOTE FOR

Joseph Oliver

FOR MAYOR

And, Vigor, Sincerity and Integrity in the Administration of Civic Affairs

FR. McSHANE INDUCTED.
Well Received by People of St. Patrick's.

MONTREAL, Dec. 29.—(Special.)—Rev. Gerald McShane was inducted to the chief pastorate of St. Patrick's at high mass to-day before a very large congregation and the very enthusiastic manner in which the people received the idea that there was any very considerable part of the congregation which did not relish the change.

Before delivering the inaugural sermon the parish priest read the archbishop's letter, in which his grace said amongst other things: "You realize, my dearly beloved brethren, that all matters concerning the appointment or withdrawal of the pastors or rectors of our churches are of the domain of the episcopal authority and cannot be entrusted to the decision of public meetings of the faithful."

When this was read Father Gerald McShane preached an eloquent sermon, during which he paid a warm tribute to his predecessors, Fathers Connolly, Dowd, Quilivan and Callaghan, and Father Martin Callaghan have gone to Bermuda.

Shot Sweetheart, Then Self.

ABINGDON, Mass., Dec. 29.—Edith Ashley, the 18-year-old daughter, she had told her lover that he must give her up, and that "Sam" had then shot her.

OLIVER FOR MAYOR

MEETING MONDAY E'G

DEC. 30, AT 8 O'CLOCK, IN

I. O. O. F. HALL, BROADVIEW AVE., (Near Queen St.)

TWO LIVES LOST IN FIRE.
Oil Lamp Upset and Curtains Take Fire—Father and Son Victims.

OTTAWA, Dec. 29.—A sad tragedy occurred on Saturday night at 11 o'clock on Nelson-street, whereby a father and son lost their lives. Mrs. Desloges was sitting in her kitchen, while her husband and two children were sleeping upstairs. She had been sewing and in replacing the sewing machine cover, slipped upon an orange peeling and fell. The oil lamp was overturned and the curtains were soon ablaze. The woman caught up one child and screamed to awaken the sleepers, but was unsuccessful. Some little delay occurred in ringing a fire alarm. On the arrival of the fire brigade a small fire was well started and the firemen brought out F. X. Desloges, his 7-year-old son and a smaller daughter. The father could not be revived and succumbed to suffocation; the boy Alexander died of burns this morning and the girl, Rosetta, the hurt, will recover. The man was employed as a printer in the government bureau. The fire itself was insignificant.

VOTE FOR

MILES VOKES

AS

MAYOR

Municipal Experience
Civic Efficiency

MEETINGS TO BE HELD.
Tuesday—Broadview Avenue, Royal Canadian Bicycle Club.
Come, and Bring Your Friends.

GEARY FOR MAYOR

HE WILL WIN

VOTE FOR GEARY

MEETINGS TO-NIGHT:
I.O.O.F. HALL, QUEEN AND NORTHCOTE.
SIMPSON'S HALL, - 734 YONGE STREET.

HOLIDAY NIGHT CAR SERVICE
More Street Cars Tuesday Night and Wednesday Morning.

In compliance with requests of some of the churches and from other sources a frequent night car service will be provided New Year's Eve and early New Year's morning.

After midnight Tuesday a ten-minute service will be provided up to 3 a. m. on Yonge and Queen, and a 15-minute service on Dovercourt, Arthur, Winchester, Church, Avenue-road and Dundas.

Many balls, watch-night services and late amusements have inspired the company to afford this accommodation.

GEARY FOR MAYOR

Meetings to night 8 p.m. I.O.O.F. Hall, Northcote and Queen Sts. Simpson's Hall 730 Yonge St. Prominent Speaker.

J. ENOCH THOMPSON'S Platform for Controller

The Power By-law is receiving so much attention that questions of equal importance are overlooked.

WATER SUPPLY.—We are told that the water supply is contaminated by sewage and that typhoid fever is prevalent in consequence. The highest medical authorities in the city say that our typhoid death rate is 22, as against 8 for Hamilton, also using Lake Ontario water, because our sewage reaches the intake pipe. As the city increases, the sewage will push out farther, and we may any time have a typhoid epidemic. What has the Council done to remedy this? Nothing but talk and a by-law to BOLL THE WATER. What good is cheap power to people stricken with typhoid fever?

CHEAP COAL.—During a hard winter the poor suffer hardships from buying coal in small quantities at high prices. The city annually buys 25,000 tons at \$2.00 to \$2.20 per ton. It would benefit many and not interfere with any business interests if the city contracted for double the quantity and sold orders on the coal merchants for half or quarter-ton lots at cost price, the same as the Gas Company sells coke orders.

POWER BY-LAW.—An attempt is being made to stampede the electors into carrying the By-law.

I have not forgotten how the Don Improvement Scheme (which I opposed) was rushed through in the same way. Estimate, \$200,000; cost, \$700,000; result, failure. St. Lawrence Market, estimate, \$75,000; cost, \$200,000.

Years ago I was instrumental in defeating a third bonus, to the Credit Valley, but we got the railway all the same. If we talked of pure water, trunk sewers, Yonge street bridge and viaducts, and they have talked and talked, but the judges have been working overtime to investigate their blunders. Give new men a chance to do something.

I submit it is time for a change in the City Council. Many of the retiring Council have been there for years. They have talked of pure water, trunk sewers, Yonge street bridge and viaducts, and they have talked and talked, but the judges have been working overtime to investigate their blunders. Give new men a chance to do something.

THE STREET RAILWAY should be compelled to provide proper accommodation for passengers. It is perfectly shameful the way the cars are packed. It should, moreover, be compelled to extend the system.

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J. ENOCH THOMPSON

VOTE FOR EX-ALD. ROBT. FLEMING CONTROLLER

Vote for the re-election of CONTROLLER W.P. HUBBARD

Your Vote and Influence Respectfully Solicited for

x-Ald. John Dunn AS CONTROLLER FOR 1908

VOTE FOR James O'Hara AS CONTROLLER FOR 1908

Your vote and influence are respectfully solicited to help do away with the salaries of controllers and aldermen. Any salaries paid should be approved by the ratepayers.

JAMES O'HARA

Ward 1 Candidates

Your vote and influence are respectfully solicited for the re-election of W. J. SAUNDERSON, AS ALDERMAN.

Your Vote and Influence respectfully Requested for E. F. LEIDY AS Alderman, 1908.

VOTE FOR THE RE-ELECTION OF Ald. E. Hales FOR 1908.

Ward 4 Candidates

VOTE FOR THE RE-ELECTION OF ALD. R. C. VAUGHAN FOR 1908.

Vote for the Re-election of Ald. Lytle FOR 1908.

Those wishing to volunteer their services, or cable for the election of

ALD. GEARY FOR MAYOR

On Election Day, Jan. 1st

Ward 2 Candidates

Your Vote and Influence Are Respectfully Solicited for the Election of W. N. Eastwood AS ALDERMAN FOR 1908

Ward 3 Candidates

VOTE FOR THE ELECTION OF W. D. EARNGEY As Alderman for 1908.

VOTE FOR DAVID G. LORSCH AS ALDERMAN 1908

Your vote and influence are respectfully solicited for

J. A. HUMPHREY AS ALDERMAN, 1908

Your Vote and Influence will be Greatly Appreciated

Jas. Phinnemore AS ALDERMAN FOR 1908

LADIES!

To the Lady Electors of Ward 3.

MARK BREDIN AS ALDERMAN FOR WARD 3

because a man who has been successful in business for himself is most likely to be successful assisting in administering public affairs.

Ladies wishing to be taken to the polls on Wednesday, Jan. 1st (Polling Day), between the hours of 9 and 5 o'clock, will please drop a card, or phone Mr. Bredin's office (North 133), 140 Avenue Road, and conveyance will be sent at most convenient hour desired.

SUPPORT THE POWER BY-LAW and at the same time

Frederick Hogg AS ALDERMAN FOR WARD 3

ONE OF ITS STRONGEST ADVOCATES

Your vote and influence requested for the election of

FRANK W. JOHNSTON AS ALDERMAN FOR 1908

Ward 5 Candidate

VOTE FOR WM. CARLYLE AS ALDERMAN

Your Vote will be greatly appreciated.

Vote for the Re-election of Ald. P. B. Whytock FOR 1908.

Your vote and influence are respectfully solicited for the election of

JAMES GLAXTON AS ALDERMAN FOR 1908

VOTE FOR J. T. V. May AS ALDERMAN

VOTE FOR John Aldridge AS Alderman

AND— Good Government

Your Vote and Influence are respectfully solicited for the Election of Ex-Alderman Alex. STEWART As Alderman for 1908

Ward 6 Candidates

Vote for the Re-election of Ald. J. J. Graham FOR 1908

Your vote and influence are respectfully solicited for

J. A. MCCAUSLAND AS ALDERMAN FOR WARD 6

Vote for the Re-election of Ald. J. H. Adams FOR 1908

Your Vote and Influence Are Respectfully Solicited for

G. H. Fairles THE FLOUR MAN AS ALDERMAN FOR 1908

PASSENGER TRAFFIC.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

NEW YEAR'S RATES

RETURN TICKETS between all stations are on sale at SINGLE FARE

Good going Dec. 31 and Jan. 1, return limit Jan. 2

FARE AND ONE-THIRD

Good going Dec. 28, 29, 30, 31 and Jan. 1, return limit Jan. 1.

C.P.R. CITY TICKET OFFICE COR. KING AND YONGE STS. Telephone Main 5555. C. B. FORTER, District Passenger Agent, Toronto

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

NEW YEARS EXCURSIONS

Between all stations in Canada, also to Detroit and Port Huron, Mich., Buffalo, Black Rock, Niagara Falls and Suspension Bridge, N.Y.

SINGLE FARE

Good going Dec. 31st, 1907, and Jan. 1st, 1908, returning on or before Jan. 2nd, 1908.

FARE AND ONE THIRD

Good going to-day and until Jan. 1st, 1908, returning on or before Jan. 3rd, 1908.

For further information and tickets, apply at City Office, Northwest Corner King and Yonge-streets.

CANADIAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY

NEW YEARS Single Fare

Dec. 31st, Jan. 1st, return Jan. 2nd.

FARE AND ONE THIRD

Dec. 28th, Jan. 1st, return Jan. 3rd.

Parry Sound train 9:00 a. m., Washago Local 9:30 p. m., 1908. Offices, corner King and Toronto-streets and Union Station, Main 5179.

H. F. TABRELINE, Past French Mediterranean Service New York—Naples—Genoa—Marseilles. SPECIAL SAILING SS. "VENEZIA" JAN. 1st, 10,500 TONS, TWIN SCREW, BUILT 1907. OUTSIDE PROMENADE DECK STATEROOMS, 160. R. M. McELVIE, Agent, corner Adelaide and Toronto-streets, Toronto. 135

WABASH It is now located at 63 Yonge-street (ground floor, Traders Bank Building). The office is new, furnished, and up-to-date; nothing finer. Passengers who are contemplating a trip for the winter, either to Texas, Old Mexico or California, or any point south or west, call and see us in our new office. No trouble to answer questions. A. A. RICHARDSON, District Passenger Agent.

HOLLAND AMERICA LINE New Twin-Screw Steamers of 12,500 tons—NEW YORK—ROTTERDAM, via BOULOGNE. Sailings Wednesdays as per sailing list: Jan. 22nd Ryndam Jan. 29th Rotterdam Feb. 5th Statendam New Twin-Screw Steamer New Amsterdams 17,250 registered tons, 20,400 tons displacement. R. M. McELVIE, General Passenger Agent, Toronto, Ont.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COY., Central and Oriental Steamship Co. and Toyo Kisen Kaisha Co. Hawaii, Japan, China, Philippine Islands, Straits Settlements, India and Australia. SAILINGS FROM SAN FRANCISCO Nippon Maru Jan. 16th Mongolia Jan. 21st Hongkong Maru Feb. 11th Korea Feb. 25th For rates of passage and full particulars, apply R. M. McELVIE, Canadian Passenger Agent, Toronto. 1-3-5

Mont' Trace Hermit Editor. MONTREAL, Dec. 29.—(Special.)—The story of the Milford hermit, Powell, loses interest inasmuch as no one in the Gazette from Mr. Richard White down remembers such a man being editor of that paper.

ESTABLISHED 1854. JOHN CATTO & SON

Compelling Reductions In Ladies' Garments

We have determined upon an onslaught upon LADIES' JACKETS and SUITS, which must be cleared out before stock-taking.

LADIES' COATS

LOT 1—Comprising Tweeds and Plain Cloths, including black and other colors; some pattern garments in the lot

Formerly \$25, \$30, to \$50. Now \$15, \$20, \$25.

LOT 2—

Comprising Cloth and Tweed Coats; all colors, black included; the balance of this season's stock—

Formerly \$8 to \$18. Now \$5, \$8 and \$10.

LOT 3—

A large range of Ladies' Fine Waterproof Coats—greys, fawns, etc.

Formerly \$10, \$12, \$15. Now \$7, \$8, \$10.

OPERA WRAPS

Fine lot of this season's imported OPERA WRAPS, in all suitable material; smart, dressy designs; every color represented, as Fawns, Greys, Blues, Champagne, Greens, Browns, etc.; beautifully trimmed and finished—

Formerly \$25, \$30, to \$75. Now \$15, \$18, to \$40.

LADIES' SUITS

LOT 1—Full range of shades, latest features, splendidly tailored, silk-lined, in plain Broadcloths, Chevots, Venetians, etc., etc.

Were \$33 to \$45. Now \$20 to \$25.

LOT 2—

A number of serviceable Tweed Suits, in every shade of Greys and Fancy Mixtures, including Stripes, Checks, etc., etc.

Considered Special Value at \$20 to \$25. Now Clearing at \$10.

Mail Orders Carefully Filled.

JOHN CATTO & SON

55, 57, 59, 61 KING ST. EAST. (Opposite the Postoffice).

TORONTO.

FOREST CITY NEWS.

Call to Rev. R. J. Ginkster—Sale of Dentures.

LONDON, Ont. Dec. 29.—(Special).—At a meeting of the First Presbyterian board of managers last night a call was extended to R. J. Gordon Inkster of the Presbyterian College, Montreal, at present visiting in St. Thomas, and a committee will visit him to-morrow.

Over the long-distance phone to-night he said he was not in a position to give out any statement regarding his intention.

An special meeting of the city council yesterday No. 1 committee reported their decision to disapprove of city debt, as follows: \$10,000 worth at 100, \$10,000 at 100 1/8, and \$33,925 at par.

Rev. Charles Smith, Methodist, died this afternoon after a year and half's illness of heart trouble. He had charges in Oil Springs, Wyoming, Cookstown, Tillsonburg, Essex, Wallaceburg, Exeter, Meaford, Markham and London.

Planes to Rent. Planes rented on very reasonable terms. Six months' rent allowed in case of purchase. Haztman & Co., 111-117 West King-st., Toronto. 133

Try Watson's Cough Drops.

Death of Mrs. Maybury. OTTAWA, Dec. 29.—The death occurred to-day of Mrs. Maybury, wife of Dr. Maybury and secretary of the Ottawa Ladies' Golf Club. Mrs. Maybury, on account of her connection with golf, was well-known all over Canada. She was a daughter of Dr. Graham of Hull and was married only a year ago.

The Savoy

YONGE AND ADELAIDE

Serve special light lunch for business people in their Japanese Tea Rooms and Parlor. Try it to-day

THE WEATHER

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, Dec. 29.—(8 p.m.)—Fair weather has been general throughout Canada to-day, but this evening there is an important disturbance centred over the Upper Mississippi Valley, which has moved rapidly from the southwest states during the day, accompanied by snow and rain.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Atlin, 16-28; Victoria, 36-42; Vancouver, 36-42; Kamloops, 29-39; Calgary, 24-34; Edmonton, zero-24; Prince Albert, 14 below-4; Regina, 4-16; Winnipeg, 2 below zero-4; Toronto, 21-38; Ottawa, 8-23; Montreal, 10-28; Halifax, 26-46.

Probabilities. Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Strong winds and gusty snow and rain. Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Strong winds and gusts, easterly and southerly; snow and rain.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Increasing easterly winds; cloudy; snow before night, turning in some places to sleet or rain.

Martime—Cloudy and not much change in temperature; sleet or rain's height. Lake Superior—Mostly fair and cold, but some snowfalls, more particularly in eastern districts.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan—Fair and cold.

Alberta—Fair; stationary or higher temperature.

THE BAROMETER.

Table with 4 columns: Time, Bar., Wind, and other weather indicators.

TODAY IN TORONTO.

Dec. 30. Toronto Jewish Benevolent Society ball, Temple Buildings, 8.

Nesbit meetings—Lamp Temple, Brockton Hall, all at 8 o'clock. Hill, 864 West Bloor-st., 8 p.m.

Oliver meeting—Broadway Hall, 8.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

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BIRTHS.

CLARKE—To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest S. Clarke, 43 Palmerston-avenue, Toronto, a daughter. Both doing well.

DEATHS.

ANDERSON—At her late residence, 47 Liberty-st., Hamilton, Ont., on Saturday, Dec. 29, 1907, at the age of 73 years, William Anderson, aged 73 years.

CARNEGIE—At Toronto, on Sunday, the 29th December, 1907, Charles Carnegie, 29th December, 1907, Charles Carnegie.

DAVIS—On Sunday, Dec. 29th, 1907, at Grace Hospital, Julius Davis, aged 50 years.

FALLIS—At Brampton, Dec. 28, James Fallis, aged 74.

HOWARD—On Saturday, Dec. 28th, 1907, at the Western Hospital, Alfred Howard, aged 85 years.

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SOME COMMENTS

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should not only vote, but vote soberly and thoughtfully.

Sees Three Good Ones.

"The chief magistrate should be above reproach," he said. "We have five candidates to select from. Three of these are business men. One is a doctor and one is avowedly a Socialist. Some one has said that this is a poor group to choose from. I do not agree with that. I should be well content if any one of three should be elected. I am not in favor of class distinctions and therefore would not favor one of the candidates, and as for the other I think no self-respecting citizen would wish that he should represent him. We should have some standard. A city like this should demand that its mayor should at least have the confidence and respect of the whole community. The chair of the mayorality should be far beyond the reach of any low-down, wire-pulling, unscrupulous politician.

"It is our privilege, opportunity and duty to select a man for that high position whose record entitles us to believe that the best interests of the city are safe in his hands. And then we should associate with him on the board of aldermen a group of like character, men who are known, who have been tried and tested, whose history, private and public, is beyond reproach."

Should Vote Ca. fully.

"There is some good timber among the candidates for mayor and board of control, and, with a little discrimination the city should be well represented."

Views as above were expressed by Rev. E. N. Baker in Broadway Tabernacle last night. The speaker expressed the hope that the public mind was not sufficiently seized with gratitude towards civic representatives who handled the city's business with ability and conscientiousness.

The importance of municipal government was not to be overestimated and the ballot, which was most precious heritage, should be regarded as a sacred institution. The choice of representation was a most important and body thing. They should be chosen in the bar-rooms or question-able spots in any city, but rather near the altar of God.

A readiness of municipal, provincial and Dominion life was that ignorance and indifference were shown by the people when it came to choosing their representatives.

CLARKE—To Mr. and Mrs. Ernest S. Clarke, 43 Palmerston-avenue, Toronto, a daughter. Both doing well.

ANDERSON—At her late residence, 47 Liberty-st., Hamilton, Ont., on Saturday, Dec. 29, 1907, at the age of 73 years, William Anderson, aged 73 years.

CARNEGIE—At Toronto, on Sunday, the 29th December, 1907, Charles Carnegie, 29th December, 1907, Charles Carnegie.

DAVIS—On Sunday, Dec. 29th, 1907, at Grace Hospital, Julius Davis, aged 50 years.

FALLIS—At Brampton, Dec. 28, James Fallis, aged 74.

HOWARD—On Saturday, Dec. 28th, 1907, at the Western Hospital, Alfred Howard, aged 85 years.

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PUBLIC IS APATHETIC REGARDING MARKETS

And Will So Remain Until a Demonstration is Made—Local Stocks Quiet.

World Office. Saturday Evening, Dec. 28. A cleverly manipulated market is the essence of the Wall-street transactions since a week ago.

The market bent has followed closely the range of the rates for call money. Advances and reactions in call loan rates during the week have been concurrent with stock fluctuations.

The week has witnessed very little change as far as the general financial situation is concerned. A belated demand for gold caused another engagement at London.

January disbursements appear to have been made without causing any special disturbance. It would be difficult to expect that the total draft on the current movement up to about \$100,000,000.

The weekly bank statement accounted for the rally near the week end. The sharp replenishment in reserves, the marked decrease in loans and the comparative small loss in deposits were items of considerable interest.

With the Canadian stock market broken up by the holiday season there has been a natural decline in the volume of business transacted, and a corresponding lack of buoyancy in the list.

F. W. BROUGHALL - General Manager

heavy during the last few days before Christmas. Bradstreet's says trade as a whole has been quiet and industry has slackened perceptibly, but financial situation has eased.

New York Central adding men at Grand Central to push work on new terminal as rapidly as possible.

New York Bank Statement. Short Statement of clearing house banks for the five days this week shows that the banks had \$20,150,000 less than the requirements of the 25 per cent. reserve rule.

Railway Earnings. G.T.R., 2nd week Dec. \$4,463. Twin City, 3rd week Dec. Decrease.

Money Markets. Bank of England discount rate, 7 per cent. Money, 5 1/2 to 6 per cent.

Price of Silver. Bar silver in London, 24 1/2 per oz. Bar silver in New York, 23 1/2 per oz.

Foreign Exchange. Glasgow & Crown, Jan. Export Exchange (Tel. Main 7817), to-day report exchange rates as follows:

Table with columns: Toronto Stocks, Dec. 28, Ask. Bid. Includes entries for Bell Telephone, Can. Pac., Canadian National, etc.

Table with columns: On Wall Street, Dec. 28, Ask. Bid. Includes entries for Dominion, Hamilton, Merchants, etc.

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Table with columns: Montreal Stocks, Dec. 28, Ask. Bid. Includes entries for Canadian Pacific Railway, Illinois Traction, etc.

IMPERIAL BANK

HEAD OFFICE—WELLINGTON ST. EAST, TORONTO. Capital authorized \$10,000,000.00. Capital paid up 4,875,000.00.

SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT. Interest allowed on deposits from date of deposit and credited quarterly.

New York Stocks. Marshall, Spader & Co., King Edward Hotel, reported the following fluctuations on the New York market:

Table with columns: New York Curb, Dec. 28, Ask. Bid. Includes entries for Amal. Copper, Amer. Car & F., etc.

Table with columns: London Stock Market, Dec. 28, Last Quo. Last Quo. Includes entries for Consols, Amalgamated, etc.

New York Cotton. Marshall, Spader & Co., King Edward Hotel, reported the following closing prices:

Table with columns: Grand Trunk Railway System Holiday Rates From Toronto. Includes entries for Buffalo, Chatham, Detroit, etc.

COBALT STOCKS FIRMER WITH RISING TENDENCY

Offerings Are Less Free Because of Belief That Prices Will Advance.

World Office. Saturday Eve. Dec. 28. The Cobalt mining market was quiet during the fore part of the week, but towards the end it hardened somewhat in anticipation.

It will be observed that ore shipments from Cobalt are good and are likely to continue so. The output from the camp is a trifle over 14,000 tons for the year—an estimated to be worth between \$10,000,000 and \$12,000,000.

Charles Head & Co. report the following New York curb: Nipissing closed at 5 1/2 to 5, 500 sold at 5; Buffalo, 1/4 to 1/2; Cobalt Central, 2 1/4 to 2 1/2.

Table with columns: Toronto Stock Exchange Unlisted Securities, Dec. 28, Ask. Bid. Includes entries for Gold Fields, Cobalt Lake, etc.

DEATH OF WM. BINGHAM. Two Sons Are Professional Men of This City. BOWMANVILLE, Dec. 29.—(Special)—A veteran in church, municipal and political life passed suddenly away last night in the person of William Bingham, Ennisville, father of Dr. George A. Bingham, 65 Isabella-street, Toronto, and Dr. Hugh S. Bingham, Dovercourt-road, Toronto, and Dr. Jas. R. Bingham, New York City.

American Fleet Sails. PORT OF SPAIN, Dec. 29.—The American fleet sailed at 4 p.m. to-day for Rio Janeiro.

THE METROPOLITAN BANK. Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of this Bank for the election of Directors and the transaction of other business, will be held at the Head Office of the Bank in Toronto, on Tuesday, Jan. 28, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO. ESTABLISHED 1857. PAID-UP CAPITAL \$10,000,000. TOTAL ASSETS \$113,000,000.

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OFFICE TO LET. Ground Floor Office, corner Richmond and Victoria-streets, Confederation Life Building. This is a desirable office, with large vault.

STOCKS FOR SALE. 300 shares Diamond Coal, Alta., 5 cents. 200 shares B. A. Coal, 5 cents. 100 shares California Diamond Oil, 15 cents.

WANTED. Diamond Vale, North American, Dominion Permanent, Nova Scotia, Gold new stock, Canadian Gold Fields.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—The Post's special financial cable from London says: The Bank of England's rate has not been reduced next week, but will probably go to 6 per cent. on Jan. 9, always supposing conditions at New York and at Berlin to favor the change.

WILLS & CO. 19 Adelaide St. E. Phone Main 7366. We make a Specialty of this class of Securities.

THE CANADIAN BIRKBECK INVESTMENT AND SAVINGS CO. HALF-YEARLY DIVIDEND. Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of six per cent. upon the paid-up stock of this company has been declared for the half-year ending Dec. 31st, 1907.

CHICAGO MARKET

Bullish Operations. Are Contingent. Chicago, Dec. 28. Saturday. Liverpool wheat 1-1/2 to 1-1/4 lower.

Chicago grain market. Chicago, Dec. 28. Saturday. Northwest car 153 last week 291.

ST. LAWRENCE. Receipts were 11 and only a limited number of cars were loaded.

FARM PRODUCTS. The prices quoted class quality: low correspondingly low.

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STOCKS, GRAIN MINING SHARES. HERON & CO. 16 King St. W. Phone M. 981.

DIVIDEND NOTICES. GRAIN AND MEATS. The following were the prices on the local board of trade.

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CHICAGO MARKET FIRMER LIVERPOOL IS LOWER

Bullish Operations in Grain Options Are Continued at the Chicago Pit.

World Office, Saturday Evening, Dec. 28. Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day 1-8-4 lower, corn 1-4-4 up.

At Chicago, December wheat closed 1 1/8 higher, December corn 1-4-4 up, and December oats 1-2-4 higher.

Northwest car lots of wheat to-day 153 last week 391, last year 630.

Chicago car lots of wheat to-day 453 contract 8, corn 151 contract 4, oats 148, contract 8.

Winnipeg car lots to-day 153, last year 151.

Broomhall cables—media shipments same and predict nothing next week.

Estimated world's shipments—Wheat 67 Monday, 7,600,000 bu., \$2,640,000 last week and \$1,120,000 last year.

Toronto Sugar Market.

St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, \$4.00 in barrels, and No. 10, \$4.00 in barrels. These prices are for delivery here; car lots less.

Table with columns: Dec, Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, Jun, Jul, Aug, Sep, Oct, Nov, Dec. Rows for various sugar grades.

Chicago Markets.

Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Beatty), King Edward Hotel, reported the following fluctuations in the Chicago Board of Trade:

Table with columns: Wheat, Corn, Pork, Lard, etc. Rows for various commodity prices.

Chicago Gossip.

Marshall, Spader & Co., to J. G. Beatty: Wheat—It was like reading a book to see what was sure to take place in wheat this morning.

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CATTLE MARKETS.

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EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 28.—Cattle—Receipts 155 head, slow; prime steers, \$5.25 to \$5.75; lower, receipts 100 head, active, 25 lower, \$5 to \$9.25.

British Cattle Markets.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—London cables are firmer at 10c to 1 1/2c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9 1/2c per pound.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Beaves—Receipts \$4. No trading in live cattle; nominally steady. Dressed beef, slow, at 7 1/2c to 8 1/4c per lb.

Junction Live Stock.

There are 12 car loads of live stock at the Union Stock Yard, closed at Monday's market.

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Items Condensed From The Sunday World.

LOCAL. Fire in the top floor of the Hees building at 52 Bay-street caused about \$100,000 damage.

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MASS MEETING WARD CANDIDATES WERE THERE

Geary Finds Strong Support—Simpson Preferred to Nesbitt—Bylaw Endorsed.

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Advertisement for Bank of Hamilton Savings Accounts, Interest Paid Quarterly.

Advertisement for Gillette Safety Razor, Price \$5.00, Shaving Brushes, Stropps.

Advertisement for Toronto Furnace & Crematory Co. Limited, Office: 72 King St. E.

Advertisement for P. B. BARNES & CO., Have opened COAL and WOOD Yards at Corner of Huron and Dupont.

Advertisement for The Geo. W. Bewell Co., Limited, Real Estate Brokers and Planners.

Advertisement for TRANSVAAL ENFORCING ASIATIC REGISTRATION, Since the Passage of the Act 50,000 Residents of British India Have Left the Colony.

Advertisement for WINDSOR TABLE SALT, never cakes. The sparkling crystals keep dry and full-savored to the last.

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It is a custom of ours to have a Stock-taking Sale at this season of the year, and although we always reduce prices, we're going to have a wholesale slaughter this year.

The time, then, is to-day; the place, our store, and the opportunity is to buy best quality furs below cost price.

We have on hand at present time over One Hundred Thousand Dollars' Worth of high-class Fur productions, and our staff of workpeople are turning out new goods daily, giving the public all the benefit of the very latest fashions of Fur Garments at prices that have never been heard of in the Fur trade. The stringency in the money-market, as well as the unfavorable weather conditions, left our stock very much heavier than we would like. In order to make this sale a success, and not to carry any stock over, we are reducing our prices in some cases from 25 to 50 per cent. Read carefully the below list of prices, which will appear from day to day:

Genuine Alaska Seal Blouses	Value \$375.00	\$275.00
Genuine Alaska Seal Box Front Coats	Value 350.00	250.00
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Extra Choice Persian Lamb Coats, Mink trimmed	Value 210.00	158.00
Extra Choice Persian Lamb Coats, Military and Box Front style	Value 185.00	131.25
Ladies' Persian, Plain and Mink-Trimmed Coats	Value 150.00	81.50
Near Seal Coats, Blouse and Reefer styles	Value 45.00	27.50
Extra Choice Labrador Mink Long Throws	Value 90.00	59.75
Natural Canadian Mink Empire-Shape Muffs	Value 35.00	19.75
Extra Fine Canadian Mink Empire Shape Muffs	Value 50.00	27.75
Dark Natural Canadian Mink Empire Muffs, 6 stripes	Value 60.00	34.75
Natural Alaska Sable Scarfs, 70 in. long	Value 25.00	14.75
Ladies' Muskrat Lined, Mink Trimmed Coats	Value 110.00	79.00
Ladies' Hamster Lined, Sable Trimmed Coats	Value 50.00	29.75
Natural Alaska Sable Pillow Muffs	Value 18.00	11.25
Alaska Sable Ties, 60 inches long	Value 15.00	9.25
Sable Squirrel Butterfly Ties	Value 10.00	5.25
Sable Squirrel Throw Ties, 72 in. long	Value 18.00	9.25
Sable Squirrel Empire Muffs	Value 18.00	11.75
Natural Raccoon Ties	Value 12.00	7.95
Natural Raccoon Empire Muffs	Value 12.00	6.95
Fox and Leopard Hearth Rugs, naturalized heads	Value 10.00	5.50
Children's Iceland Lamb Coats	Value 16.00	8.75
Children's Iceland Lamb Carriage Rugs	Value 5.00	2.95
Blue Natural Lynx Stoles	Value 30.00	19.75
Blue Natural Pillow Muffs	Value 25.00	14.75
Natural Canadian Mink Ties, 70 in. long	Value 50.00	32.75
Genuine Ermine Neck Pieces	Value 50.00	32.50
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ANOTHER BAD BLAZE \$75,000-DAMAGE DONE

"Skyscraper" Fire in Heart of the Wholesale Section on Saturday.

Fire, which destroyed the top flat of the five story building owned by George Hees, Son & Co., at 62 Bay-street, provided a spectacle for a crowd of thousands of men and women late Saturday afternoon. The loss totals about \$75,000. Two firemen were injured while working with the water tower. Although in the heart of the city, the flames had broken thru the roof before they were observed, and then it was James Pritchard, from the sixth floor of the I. O. F. Temple, several blocks away, who first sent in the alarm by telephone. That was just about 5 o'clock, and some of the apparatus were delayed a little in getting thru the crowded thoroughfares. When the Bay-street section arrived, within two minutes, flames were shooting ten feet from the upper windows. The Hees building is isolated and had the appearance of a huge torch. The Bay-street hose at once began a climb up the four flats with a lead of hose and when Deputy Chief Noble arrived, with Richmond-street hose, also made his way to the top. Later Hose 4 was sent up. The situation there called for the sterner kind of fire fighting. The whole flat, with lots of inflammable material, was entirely in flames. A partition separated the stairway from the rest of the flat and the firemen had to lift the nozzles of their hoses over the partition. At times the heat and smoke was so terrific that the men had to retreat downstairs. Surrounded by flames. It was in this way the real fight

against the flames was waged and Chief Thompson, having assured himself that the deputy had the situation well in hand, directed operations from the street. Unfortunately Aerial 1 was first erected without the fly extension and fell short of the top of the tower. This caused a brief delay, while lack of water pressure caused by coupling only one line of hose to the tower also caused some delay. Meanwhile, however, Queen, College and Dundas-street hose sections had mounted ladders from Piper-street and from a lane in the rear to the top floor, and were hard at work and the lack of water from the front didn't matter much. Branches were also used from the Brock and Brown Bros. warehouses. The Hees building is built on fire-proof lines of mill construction. The ceilings are of three-inch hardwood, and there was a space between the upper ceiling and the roof of about 20 inches. The fire got in here and burned tenaciously and the deputy and his assistants kept a big crowd in the street and extinguishing the last vestige of fire. While lowering the water tower, the chinch in the reel slipped and the large handle got beyond control. Lieut. Davidson of Aerial 2 had his right arm broken in two places and the hand ruptured, causing the hand to be terribly swollen. Lieut. Gordon of the water tower had his arms severely bruised. Both were taken to St. Michael's Hospital and attended to by Dr. E. E. King. Lieut. Davidson will be incapacitated for two months. Fireman Guinane had his nose broken and Fireman Hurd also went off duty yesterday as a result of injuries. All the men are from Bay-street station.

The Losses.

The losses are: George Hees, Son & Co., window blinds, etc. Damage to building \$5000; damage to stock \$25,000. Building valued at \$30,000, insured up to 80 per cent. Stock fully insured. Turner & Hamilton, manufacturers' agents; loss between \$7000 and \$8000.

insured in the London and Lancashire for \$40,000. As the company cannot be replaced for from two to six months, loss of business will be considerable. F. C. Pook, stock valued at \$80,000, damage \$20,000; insured in the Alliance \$100,000, the Home \$100,000, the North British and America \$100,000, the Phoenix and England \$100,000, the Yorksire \$3000, the Liverpool, London and Globe \$3000, the British America \$5000. W. H. McLaughlin & Co., smallwares, etc., stock worth \$20,000, loss about \$8000, fully covered by insurance. The loss by water could largely have been eliminated had the building been provided with so-called "scrubbing" floors, which are slightly curved to allow water to run into drainways on either side, and so led direct from the building. As it was, the water rushed down the stairs in torrents and the entire building was drenched. Inspector Davis directed the police and kept a big crowd in the street. It is only a month ago that the Hees Co. factory was damaged to the extent of several thousand dollars by the collapse of a huge water tank.

Election Notes.

Controller W. P. Hubbard, who is again a candidate for the board of control, has been 14 years continuously in the council and is, in years of service, the oldest member of the board of control. For the past three years Mr. Hubbard has been vice-chairman of the board. His election is generally regarded as being assured.

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JUNCTION MAY HAVE THREE-CORNERED FIGHT

Ex-Mayor Smith Resigns Duties on School Board Council Matters to the Fore.

TORONTO JUNCTION, Dec. 29.—The approaching municipal elections are developing more interest than has been noticed for many years. This is probably due to the fact that the townspeople have been greatly inconvenienced by the cessation of the street car service to and from the Junction. Mayor Baird has discharged his duties in a creditable manner. Councilor Irvin has also taken a lively interest in the welfare of the town, and will doubtless make the result of the election doubtful. Whether ex-Mayor Jesse Smith will enter the contest this year remains to be seen. At a meeting of the Collegiate Institute board last night the resignation of Mr. Smith as a trustee was received and accepted. This leaves him free to become a mayoralty candidate if he so desires tonight. Mr. Smith stated to The World that he was quite undecided as yet whether he would or would not be a candidate. He would leave it entirely in the hands of the people, and if they choose to nominate him he is ready. "On account of being in charge of the school board I resigned my position as school trustee, but I am not at all anxious to enter the contest unless the people show decidedly that they desire it. I have had my term of office and have now my private business to attend to, but I will give my services to the town willingly if they are required."

The nominations for mayor, council and school trustees will take place to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock. The Collegiate Institute board at their meeting last night adopted the resignation of Mr. Smith with regard to the revision of the salaries of the teaching staff, with the following amendment, viz.: That the salaries of Mr. Johnson, secretary, and Miss Charles, modern languages, be fixed at \$1400 for the year 1908 with an annual increase of \$100 till a maximum of \$1800 is reached. The following salaries are: Mr. Colbeck, principal, \$2300; Mr. Gourlay, vice-principal, \$1800; Mr. Johnson, secretary, \$1400; Miss Charles, modern languages, \$1400; Miss K. McLenan, commercial, \$1150; W. A. Evans, assistant, \$1100.

A motion was carried unanimously that the board place on record their appreciation of the valuable services rendered by the Collegiate Institute by Trustee Ellis in superintending the work of decorating and repairing the building. There was a man, whose name could not be learned, but who is a resident of Weston, fell off a Suburban car Saturday evening while it was going at a fast speed, and his head badly cut, necessitating the putting in of five stitches by Dr. Hopkins.

NORTH TORONTO.

Townpeople Still Talking Annexation—Chief Collins Makes Haul.

NORTH TORONTO, Dec. 29.—A public meeting was held in the town hall on Saturday evening for the purpose of discussing annexation to Toronto. James Logie was chairman, and to-morrow's D. D. Reid was the first speaker. Mr.

DOVERCOURT.

Davenport Road Presbyterian Church School Has Big Enrollment.

DOVERCOURT, Dec. 29.—There will be great doings at Davenport-road Church (Presbyterian) to-morrow, Tuesday, night at 7:30 o'clock, the last day of the year. The Sunday school, which by the way has an enrollment of 500 pupils, will celebrate its annual Christmas festival. Over 300 gifts will be given out, some useful, some non-sensational and some swart or hard work and study. An interesting program by the children will be rendered and will be followed by the singing of hymns and readings, and at 12 o'clock the church bell will be rung to ring out the old year and to ring in the new. All parents are specially invited to be present.

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held could not see any other way out of the difficulty of getting a more sane than of annexation. He blamed the old electric car service, and why Toronto had grown east and west at the expense of the north, but now, with the electric car service, the difficulty of obtaining this was overcome and the city will have a chance to spread northward. He said that, on the other hand, newspapers are in favor of a "Greater Toronto."

Speaking of Toronto's assessment system, Mr. Reid said, "It is based on stability instead of being led away by fictitious boom prices." He said that this district was suffering from a boom, and if a depression should set in it would not be as severe as the collapse of the last boom. Annexed to the city, North Toronto citizens would have to pay \$2 a year in car fare on the Metropolitan, which in itself was a large annual tax bill. H. H. Ball said: "I would have liked to have had someone speak against annexation," and it seemed to him that there were no disadvantages to enumeration. "If the town can get city privileges," said Mr. Ball, "linked with the present advantages of the town now has so much the better."

Toronto could float bonds at 4 per cent, where North Toronto has to pay 5 per cent, which would be a decided advantage. W. G. Ellis could not see wherein North Toronto would be benefited by annexation to the city, in such a healthy condition. If North Toronto should go in with the city, it has to go conditionally. T. S. Gibson, J. S. Hubbard, Mr. Donnelly, George Rennie, W. Farke, W. J. Lawrence, J. W. Brownlow and others spoke warmly.

Mayor Fisher and Town Clerk Douglas have appointed these agents for and against the bylaw—Ebenzer West, for P.S.D. No. 1; A. E. Cummer, for P.S.D. No. 2; S. B. Langstaff, for P.S.D. No. 3; Benj. Dunn, for P.S.D. No. 4. For the final summing up of the votes cast, a meeting will be held in the town hall to-morrow (Monday) evening for the furtherance of the cause of local option. The speakers will be: Rev. Dr. George C. Pidgeon, Toronto Junction; Col. Gaskin, the Salvation Army staff, and John Hamilton, superintendent of the Workingmen's Home.

SCARBORO.

Scholars Will Be Good and Busy—Gun Club Organized.

SCARBORO, Dec. 29.—The Christmas tree and concert in connection with the Gun Club was organized. The following officers were elected: Hon. president, David Seldan; president, George Annis; vice-president, Will Scott; secretary-treasurer, George Patton; committee, W. A. Kennedy, D. Annis, H. Mason, J. Corry, A. Muir and A. McEwan. Their first shoot will take place at Scarboro Village on New Year's afternoon.

STOUFFVILLE.

Many Reunions in Town Over the Holidays.

STOUFFVILLE, Dec. 29.—Dr. F. E. and Mrs. Warriner of Bracebridge are spending the holidays with the doctor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Warriner. The Christmas tree and entertainment in connection with the Methodist Church was a great success, the hall being filled to the doors.

EAST TORONTO.

Elections Will Be Fought Out With Old Time Vigor.

EAST TORONTO, Dec. 29.—The song service in Emmanuel Presbyterian Church to-night was largely attended and most enjoyable. Robert Bain, head bookkeeper, in the L. A. DeLaplane Co., has severed his connection with the company. From present appearances the contest for the mayoralty will be of a triangular nature. Mayor Rose will in any event be a candidate and ex-Mayor Richardson will probably be in the field. The question will be definitely settled at the nomination to-morrow, which take place in the town hall at 10 o'clock. For the re-appointment, Joseph Hind has many votes, with every prospect of winning. Mr. Hind is a practical man, of wide experience and withal progressive and economical. Mr. Hind may be opposed by Mr. Dudley. Election will be accorded his old seat without the worry of an election. The next meeting of the East Toronto Progressive Association will be several weeks later. The members will seek re-election, while several new names are suggested. The next meeting of the East Toronto Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock Association will be held on Jan. 2, when "barred

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WYCHWOOD.

After a keen contest the anti-annexationists on Saturday elected their candidate, John Devers, over Hamilton (annexationist), for school trustee, by 147 to 97 votes.

CENTRE YORK RETURNS.

MARKHAM, Dec. 29.—(Special).—Owing to the fact that some of the returning officers have not yet, in some of the sub-divisions, sent in complete returns, the official count in Centre

Prominent Mason Dies.

OTTAWA, Dec. 29.—John Sweetman, one of the oldest and most prominent Masons of the capital, died to-day, aged 88.

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