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Very Heavy Vote Polled and Results Are Somewhat Unexpectedly Emphatic - Defeated Candidates Take it Gracefully - Oliver Thanks Ladies for Big Victory.

HUBBARD LEAVES BOARD... SPENCE TAKES HIS PLACE

VOTE ON BYLAW table with columns for Ward, For, and Agst. Total majority for Bylaw 10,920.

COUNCIL FOR 1908.

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Joseph Oliver is mayor of Toronto for 1908, his majority of more than 6000 being the largest that has ever been given a candidate for the office. In more than one respect the civic elections of yesterday established a record. The total vote, exceeding 32,000, was the greatest ever polled in the history of the city, the previous high-water mark, made in 1905, when 29,000 ballots were marked in the Urquhart-Gooderham contest, being easily surpassed.

THE MAYORALTY table with columns for Ward, Nesbitt, Oliver, Simpson, and Vokes.

WILL WORK FOR A TORY TORONTO... Beattie Nesbitt Regrets That It No Longer Exists - Threatens Reprisals.

Dr. Beattie Nesbitt was a tremendously disappointed man last night. Late in the afternoon, before the polls closed, he had expressed himself as supremely confident of a large majority. Even when the first returns showed adverse figures, he declined to abandon hope that the later results would tell a different story.

To a large crowd before The Mall and Empire, Dr. Beattie Nesbitt spoke as follows: "Gentlemen, the power bylaw is the result of the election. I have said time and time again that I would sooner be defeated than have the power bylaw defeated. They did everything they could to beat me, but they could not beat the power bylaw. It was defeat Nesbitt first, last and always. I wish to thank all the citizens who in this campaign, I have been five years fighting for this power scheme, and I am glad the citizens have voted in their own interests. To me it is immaterial whether I am elected to carry it out or not."

"I was threatened with all sorts of exposures by the emissaries of The Globe if I did not stop hitting at the electric ring, and I want to say that the fight has just started. I will go out to-morrow to shake hands with all my friends and try and unite the good old Conservative party. What do I care for votes? (Laughter.) I want to see Toronto a greater, better Toronto. I want to see Toronto to-morrow, and I will be there. I fight to a Finish."

"I have set out to obtain the mayorship, and I intend to persevere in that until I have obtained that honor. My candidature was not inspired by any selfish motive, but was decided upon early in the year, because of the wishes of a large section of the electorate. I am more than pleased with the campaign, because I have conducted it with very little funds - only a few hundred dollars that I was able to spare myself."

What Caused it? Then the crowds dispersed and the doctor went away to receive the condolences of his strongest supporters. One of them blamed the "influence" from Queen's Park as the cause of the landslide towards Geary; another laid it to the influence that Stratford affair had on the women voters. Still another pointed out that, after all, the boasted Nesbitt "organization" was a phantom. As a matter of fact, but few of the many carriages in use were in his interests, tho he had the use of a large number of autos. Some of his committee members were practically deserted during the day.



MR. MACDONALD (the family "meenster"): It's vera sad—but, my, 'twas th' graun' funeral.

EMPHATIC APPROVAL OF GOVERNMENT... PASSING OF BYLAW WILL ENCOURAGE PROVINCE... HON. ADAM BECK ON THE RESULT

Premier Whitney Will Have Something to Say Later - Mayor Expresses Satisfaction. COURSE TO BE PURSUED TO REALIZE CHEAP POWER. Hon. Adam Beck was interviewed by The World by long-distance phone at his residence in London on the result of the vote on the power bylaw. He was gratified to know that the people were in earnest a year ago when they endorsed the bylaw authorizing the negotiation of a contract with the Hydro-Electric Power Commission. At that time no financial obligation was undertaken and no liability was entailed upon the city. Now, when the expenditure of money is asked, and the theoretical problem becomes a practical one, the verdict is not different, but as emphatic in approval as a year ago.

"It is an emphatic approval of the policy of the government in dealing with the natural resources of the province," Mr. Beck remarked. "The majority in Toronto leaves no doubt in the minds of the representatives of the city about the course they are expected to pursue in carrying it to a conclusion. It will have a very important bearing upon the vote on the bylaw through the province on the 6th, and we may now rest assured of a similar result."

Mayor Coatsworth shared the general satisfaction with the bylaw vote. "It was a good thing it carried," he said to The World. "It puts the city in a position of great strength in dealing with the whole question, and to go on with the plan or do what ever we see fit to do. The city is sure to be greatly benefited by the results of to-day's vote." "With respect to expropriation of the electric light company's plant, the whole thing will have to be considered. We must try to avoid doing any injury to the interests of the shareholders, but the interests of the people generally are a first consideration."

VOTE FOR CONTROLLERS table with columns for Bidders, Dunn, Fleming, Harrison, Hobden, Hubbard, Lamborn, Macmahon, Noble, O'Hara, Shaw, Sheppard, Spence, Thompson, and Ward.

CITY HAS TAKEN A BIG STEP FORWARD

People of Toronto Decided Well in Face of Powerful Influences Against the Bylaw.

Toronto has taken the greatest step forward in municipal life since the waterworks were taken over by the city in 1878. That is 30 years ago, and 30 years hence the next generation will listen incredulously as they are told that prominent citizens of reputed public spirit like Sir Henry Pellatt, Frederic Nicholls, Senator Cox, Senator Jaffray, J. W. Flavell, in the year 1877 opposed the plan of Toronto distributing its own light and power as it distributes its own water. These gentlemen are theoretical financiers first and citizens secondly, but the citizen in them must feel stirred to the surface and rejoice with the rest of Toronto at the splendid victory by which the bylaw has been carried which will give light and power to the people at cost. The rich man in his palace and the poor man in his cot are alike interested in the result. Toronto depends on all the units of her society to build her up and make her the Queen City of North America. What benefit can she derive all? Nothing more beneficial to every class of the population could be devised than the measure which places Toronto in touch with Niagara, and pours the unparalleled resources of that mighty fountain of energy into the heart of the province. New vitality, abouting commercial and manufacturing activity beyond record, the hygienic graces of cleanliness and illumination, and more economical and pleasant residential conditions are the immediate and obvious advantages.

Strong Influences to Defeat. The influence at work to defeat the bylaw were of the most potent description. A large number of the leading capitalists in the city arrayed themselves against the interests of the people in general. Firms like the Massey-Harris Company exerted themselves to the utmost to poll an antagonistic vote. Many of the banks, not satisfied with the sharp lessons of the past season, had resorted to posing popular feeling, allied themselves in opposition. The electric combine, with the Electrical Development Company in the lead in battling against the popular interest. The street railway company, in the determination to cut Toronto off from any possibility of obtaining cheap power to run its cars, was with when the city takes over the road in a dozen years from now. The most unscrupulous methods were resorted to by the city's enemies. Even paper prostituted itself and sold its editorial columns to prove that the white arguments it had used in the past were black, willing to acknowledge itself knave or noodle for the regulation 30 pieces.

Unhappily all these mean influences were unavailing. Indeed, they only helped to defeat themselves. They were so obviously selfish and interested that they attracted attention under the sheepskin. The children of this world are not always wiser in their generation than the children of Light and shade. Even so, Dr. Orr will be glad to show a bigger balance of profit at the exhibition with cheap power for electricity. Dr. Orr will be glad to show a bigger balance of profit at the exhibition with cheap power for electricity. Dr. Orr will be glad to show a bigger balance of profit at the exhibition with cheap power for electricity.

Means Much to Province. Still more important influences are those which spread through the province from Toronto to-night. The passage of the bylaw is the herald of a great victory in Ontario for the power policy which Hon. Adam Beck has done so much to define and elucidate. What has been said of the advantages of Niagara power for Toronto may be multiplied a thousandfold for the rest of the province. In the cities and towns which are to follow the example of Toronto next Monday, in passing the bylaw, there will be a thrilling of the pulses and a jubilation of heart that the elder sister has shown her wisdom and led the way in presenting the popular interest to the interests of a clique. Every town and city where the issue is raised will hasten to follow the example set by Toronto and the province which can only be dimly anticipated by the scientific imagination. As a nation's inventors, workers in every field of labor are concerned with the future of electricity and the knowledge that Ontario has a treasure-store available for distribution and that the channels are built to convey it wherever it is wanted will make Ontario the centre of world-wide observation and commercial enterprise.

Premier Whitney, Hon. Mr. Beck and the Hydro-Electric Commission are to be congratulated upon the result. For Toronto virtue is its own reward. The future will tell the tale of its magnificent development.

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At Government House. The old custom calling on New Year's Day was much in vogue yesterday at Government House. Its hospitable doors were wide open, that the citizens of the province and of the City of Toronto might avail themselves of paying their respects to the Lieutenant-Governor...

Reception at White House. WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Theodore Roosevelt to-day officiated for the seventh time as President of the United States, at the New Year reception at the White House. Assisting him in exchanging the salutations of the season were Mrs. Roosevelt and the members and ladies of the cabinet...

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Express Runs into Light Locomotive Crossing Track. SUNBURY, Pa., Jan. 1.—The Pennsylvania Railroad express which left Buffalo at 9 o'clock last night, and which was due in Philadelphia at 2:31 a.m. to-day, was wrecked at Montanola ten miles west of here, early to-day and more than a dozen passengers injured...

Parrot Shouted Burglars

WINSTEDT, Conn., Jan. 1.—A belated Christmas present, a parrot, received on Saturday by George Strait of 230 Willow-street, from an unknown giver, caused a burglar scare in that home last night. When a boarder came in quietly late the bird shrieked "Burglars! Where's Nellie and Charlie?"...

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Hockey Season Starts in the O. H. A.

Boxing Featherweights in 25-Round Draw

Athletics Coley Wins at St. Kitts

NOTE AND COMMENT

Early last night it was given out at Ned Hanlan's home on Beverley-street that the great oarsman could not live out the night. Dr. McMahon was with the family at the bedside with no hopes held out for recovery. The famous sculler had been falling the past few years. A simple cold last week turned to pneumonia, and the once robust frame was in no shape to stall off the dread disease.

The old-timers will recollect the little island boy 31 years ago, who having beaten all the local watermen, went to Philadelphia and there triumphed over the best scullers in America, and that started the real career of the world's most famous sculler. Off to England a few years later, he gave them all the wash-nay, he could stop his boat in some races and playfully bathe his brow with water dipped up from beside his shell. So his victorious career continued until 1884, in Australia, when the climate assisted younger men in the battle for sculling honors.

Hanlan made a useful alderman, being returned to the city council from No. 4, the island ward. In later years he stayed to coach some crews, notably Columbia College, New York, but the work did not seem congenial. The past three years he lived retired, having had a sufficient portion of his earnings as a sculler judiciously invested, for the maintenance of himself and family.

Ned Hanlan was born at Hanlan's Point, Toronto Island, on July 14, 1855, and is consequently 52 years of age. During his career of 22 years as a sculler he took part in some 850 races of all sorts, besides giving innumerable exhibitions all over the world. Of these races he did not lose more than half a dozen, and practically all of these came after his defeat by Beach in 1884. He held the championship of Canada from 1877, the championship of America from 1878, the championship of England from 1879, and that of the world from 1880.

His first championship was that of Ontario, acquired on Burlington Bay in 1874, when a lad of 18. He repeated the performance at Toronto in the following year, and in 1876 again annexed the title and belt now in his possession. It was in 1876, at the Centennial at Philadelphia, that the meteor first shot across the sculling sky, and at 20 years of age he beat 16 of the picked scullers of the world for what was called the "World's Championship," and at the same time set a new mark for the world for three miles, 21.01. At that regatta were Higgins, the English champion; Morris, the American title-holder; Plaisted, McKean, Ward, John Smith and others of like calibre.

In the same year Trickett, the Australian, had gone to England and Hanlan packed his traps and also went to England, where he defeated Elliott and Trickett, and earned the undisputed title.

In 1880, at Washington, he was taken with a stitch in his side and stopped rowing in a regatta with Ross, Riley, TenEyck, Gaudaur and Oars. And then in 1884 came his downfall, owing, he says, to the influence of the Australian climate, and he never came back to his old prowess. Next he sculled in four or five doubles with Lee—and that pair were never beaten. He attended nearly two dozen regattas, in which the best scullers in America took part, and was never headed at any stage of any race. It was, indeed, a fitting climax to a magnificent career. Perhaps the busiest year of his career was in 1883—the year before he went to Australia—and it marked the climax of a glorious record, and at the same time immediately preceded his downfall from the highest pinnacle of fame. In that year he rowed 23 races.

CURLED ON NEW YEAR'S.

Parkdale President Wins Annual Match by Narrow Margin of 1 Shot

The ice at the rink not being in good condition yesterday, the Parkdale curlers decided to pull off their President v. Vice-President match on Grenadier Point, and some grand sport was the result. The President's rink won out by the narrow margin of one shot. Scores:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes names like R. M. Tutball, J. M. Godfrey, T. G. Parker, etc.

Scottish League Results.

Table with 2 columns: Team and Score. Includes teams like Celtic, Hamilton Academical, Kilmarnock, etc.

Many Holiday Hockey Games Took Overtime at Cobourg

Seafork Beat Goderich in a Close Game, While Bracebridge Defeated Newmarket—Exhibition Results.

COBOURG, Jan. 1.—(Special).—In the first Intermediate O. H. A. game of the season in this district, Cobourg defeated Whitby to-night in a fast and exciting game, it requiring ten minutes overtime to decide the winner. The score at full time was 5-5. The game was a clean exhibition, only six men being ruled off. Crossen's wrist shooting was the feature. F. C. Wagborne made an impartial referee. The teams: Cobourg (7)—Goal, Patton; point, Bond; cover, Crossen; rover, Bentley; centre, Page; right, McCallum; left, Moffitt; Whitby (6)—Goal, A. Humphrey; point, Doyle; cover, Miller; rover, A. Blanchard; centre, L. Doyle; right wing, C. Blanchard; left wing, W. Watson; left, C. Blanchard. Referee—F. C. Wagborne.

Bracebridge Beat Newmarket.

BRACEBRIDGE, Jan. 1.—The first O. H. A. game was played here to-night, resulting in a victory for Bracebridge by a score of 7 to 7. Neither team was in good shape, and both showed signs of weakness early in the game. The goal keeper for Newmarket was struck in the head with the puck early in the game and had to retire. This materially weakened the visiting team. The line-up was as follows: Bracebridge (7)—Goal, P. L. Fox; point, F. Doyle; cover, O. Brinson; rover, J. Kennedy; centre, L. Doyle; right wing, C. Elworth; left wing, W. Holloran. Newmarket (7)—Goal, G. Johnston; point, R. Jock; cover, C. Spelman; rover, W. Cowan; centre, H. Plumb; right wing, K. Rattray; left wing, W. McCarroll; centre, R. McDonald; right wing, R. Crossley; left wing, R. Thomas. Referee—Roy Thomas of Barrie.

Seafork 3, Goderich 2.

SEAFORK, Jan. 1.—Seafork defeated Goderich in the first game of the intermediate series here to-night by a score of 3 to 2. The ice was in poor condition, wearing thru to the boards and causing much slipping. The teams: Seafork (3)—Goal, Westcott; point, McKenna; cover, Charlesworth; rover, J. Smithers; centre, Reeve; right wing, McDart; left wing, J. Smith. Goderich (2)—Goal, D. McIvor; point, K. McLeod; cover, J. McLean; rover, G. Suet; left wing, D. McDonald.

Junior Game To-Night—Perhaps.

The opening game of the local hockey season is slated for to-night at the Mutual rink, with Parkdale and Grenadier Point. The game is expected to be a very exciting one, and the rink is expected to be well filled. The teams are: Parkdale (7)—Goal, J. Smith; point, J. Smith; cover, J. Smith; rover, J. Smith; centre, J. Smith; right wing, J. Smith; left wing, J. Smith. Grenadier Point (7)—Goal, J. Smith; point, J. Smith; cover, J. Smith; rover, J. Smith; centre, J. Smith; right wing, J. Smith; left wing, J. Smith.

Berlin 3, Preston 2.

BERLIN, Jan. 1.—(Special).—Berlin defeated Preston to-night by a score of 3 to 2. The game was a very exciting one, and the rink was well filled. The teams are: Berlin (3)—Goal, Karges; point, Roeske; cover, V. Cochrane; rover, Brinkert; centre, Whidman; left, Rosch; right, M. Cochrane. Preston (2)—Goal, Pfeiffer; point, M. Clark; cover, I. Bernhardt; rover, Kinder; centre, Bennett; left, Smith; right, Wisner.

Mount Forest Beat Berlin.

MOUNT FOREST, Jan. 1.—The Lorne hockey team of Mount Forest played an exhibition game here to-night with the Berlin team before a large crowd of spectators. The score was 5 to 2 in favor of Mount Forest.

Cornwall 13, Montreal 3.

CORNWALL, Jan. 1.—(Special).—The Cornwall team picked up a very decisive score of 13 goals to 3. The game was very interesting, and the score would indicate, as the Montreal goalkeeper was away off color. A very large crowd was present. The teams were as follows: Cornwall (13)—Goal, E. Asselin; point, G. Brown; cover, Mason; forwards, Bishop, J. Laing, T. E. Norby, F. H. Thompson, C. Smith, skip. Montreal (3)—Goal, George Dunn, W. J. Taylor, P. J. Wray, W. C. Chisholm, Geo. Dunlop, skip.

Hockey Results.

Table with 2 columns: Team and Score. Includes Intermediate O.H.A., Exhibition, and various other games.

Bob Mallett, H. Manson, Reddy McMillan, 2 Rumples.

Referee—Deane Brown, Montreal. Assistant referee—E. C. Kennedy, Cornwall. Umpires—Donald Cameron and J. C. Brodwick, Toronto; J. P. Deane, Montreal, and F. Hall, Toronto.

Collingwood Beat Broadviews.

COLLINGWOOD, Jan. 1.—A fast game of hockey was played here this afternoon between Collingwood intermediate team and Broadviews of Toronto, resulting in a victory for the home team by a score of 10 to 5. Line-up: Collingwood (10)—Goal, Tyler; point, Spurr; cover, H. Smith; rover, Chesham; centre, A. Smith; left wing, Oliver; right wing, Wright. Broadviews (5)—Goal, Hammond; point, McDermaid; cover, Rickerman; rover, Balch; centre, Wright; left wing, Burns; right wing, Freddie. Referee—Charles Collins.

Barrie 10, Collingwood 1.

BARRIE, Jan. 1.—Barrie Juniors defeated Collingwood Juniors, 10 to 1, in an exhibition hockey match here to-day.

Stratford Midlets Win.

STRATFORD, Jan. 1.—Stratford Juniors defeated Woodstock Intermediate team to-day by the score of 10 to 2. The game was an exhibition one and the first of the season. The teams: Stratford (10)—Goal, Smith; point, Scott; cover, Pascoe; rover, Berlet; centre, Richardson. Woodstock (2)—Goal, Rankin; point, Richards; cover, Ramsay Rankin; rover, Frank Rankin; centre, Dorland; right wing, H. McDonald; left wing, Richard.

The Bucket Brigade.

The seconds of the fighters were announced following. For Attel: Battling Nelson, Kid Farmer, Monte and Caesar Attel. For Moran: Alf Wicks, Tiv Crailing and Prof. Jim Kelly.

Hockey Gossip.

The Ottawa Citizen in speaking of the Reinfrew-Ottawa victory game, says that Con Corbett is a good one. Wanderers defeated Fort William in the last match of their tour Tuesday night by 8 to 1.

Ernie Russell will play the Wanderers to-night against the All-Star team in the Hod Stuart memorial game, while Rod Kennedy, who was supposed to be a Victoria player, will play point. The team will be: Goal, Hen; point, Kennedy; cover, Rose; rover, Glass; centre, Russell; left wing, Johnson; right wing, Blatchford.

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On the Ice at Dufferin Park Toronto Driving Club Races

Al Patriot and J. B. Wilkes Are the Winners Each in Four Heats—Card For To-Day.

A large holiday crowd turned out yesterday afternoon to Dufferin Park to see the first day's racing of the Toronto Driving Club and they were well pleased. The winners, Al Patriot in 2:30 pace and J. B. Wilkes in the 2:30 pace, were the best horses without doubt, and although they were chased hard in all the heats, they had always a little bit left at the finish. In the first heat of the 2:30 pace, Al Patriot got a wheel torn off, the heat going to Prairie Oyster. Al Patriot won the next three, Prairie Oyster being fifth the second heat, while in the third heat, Prairie Oyster's driver drove him such a raw heat that he was fined \$10. In the fourth heat Prairie Oyster led for the first half, but blew up a final half. J. B. Wilkes won the initial heat in the 2:30 pace, with Joe Allen a good second. The next heat was the best one of the day. Joe Allen, J. B. Wilkes and Johnnie K. set the racing, with Joe Allen in front till the stretch was reached, when William C. came from nowhere on the outside and fought it out with Russell.

Entires For To-Day.

Free-for-all—N. Ray's John McEwan, J. Kettle's Captain Spinks, Bull Sheppard's Riley B., Dr. Parke's Paddy 2:30 trot—S. McBride's King Bryson, J. Burns' Gustie Scott, R. Hanna's Roger, J. Kettle's Billy, Dr. Drohan's Bay Billy, J. McFarlane's Tobe. Local race—St. Robert, R. McBride, Johnnie K., W. Robinson, F. Rogers, J. Robinson, Mammie Abbot, Little Mona, Joe Gotthard, W. Swartz, Lou, E. Duns, J. Kettle's Billy, Dr. Drohan's Bay Billy, Chasley B., J. Russell, Reservoir's entry, Russell.

INDOOR BASEBALL NEWS.

E. Co., Q.O.R., Withdraw From Senior League—Other Doings. At a meeting held by E Company, Q.O.R., in their armory Monday night, it was decided to withdraw from the senior series of the Garrison League. The general feeling seemed to be that they would have little or no chance against the strong teams which compose this series. The majority of the players will confine themselves to hockey for the rest of the season.

Los Angeles Results.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 1.—The results at the track to-day were as follows: 1. Sugar Maid, 10 (Mansueto), 10 to 1. 2. Soupe, 10 (C. Ross), 10 to 1. 3. H. C. Cap, 10 (Mansueto), 10 to 1. 4. Timothee, 10 (Mansueto), 10 to 1. 5. Fred Mater, 11 (W. Knapp), 10 to 1. 6. H. C. Cap, 10 (Mansueto), 10 to 1. 7. H. C. Cap, 10 (Mansueto), 10 to 1. 8. H. C. Cap, 10 (Mansueto), 10 to 1. 9. H. C. Cap, 10 (Mansueto), 10 to 1. 10. H. C. Cap, 10 (Mansueto), 10 to 1.

THE VANKEE'S ROUND.

Round 18—Attel had a good lead in this round and did some damaging face and body blows, particularly a right jolt over the heart early in the round. Moran, the better of the nineteenth round, Attel, characterized by a short-arm right jab, with a stinging left to Moran's nose, started the blood afresh in the latter part of the round. In the twenty-first round the men shook hands and Attel rushed to close quarters. Moran rocked Attel's head with a short-arm right jolt to the jaw. They wrestled again and Moran whipped in, pushing his right to the body. They fought viciously at close range, both landing telling rights to the head. The referee parted the men with difficulty. Attel then shot a wicked left to the face and they mixed it, wrestling and punching wildly. Moran forced his man to cover in a last desperate rally. Moran was first present to the referee and the men apart and declared the fight a draw.

Left For Home.

Manager Mike Kelly of the Toronto Baseball Club left last night for his home in Minneapolis.

SIS HOPKIN'S SAYINGS.

A well-bred man doesn't brag about his dog. Many a financial upset is the result of a tip. Some weddings are little else than a dress-up game. The man who writes with a quill is naturally a goose. When a man doesn't care a rap, he generally gets the sack. The man who lives in the valley of discontent should put up a bluff. Because a woman wears a chignon is no sign that she is chicken-hearted. You can go from New York clean to Pittsburgh—but you can't come away that way. South Bend and the Grecian Bend are the only way related—South Bend is straight. Ma's motto for framing: Keep busy, and you won't have to read books on how to be happy. When a man gets away from home he can wear a blue shirt with a red necktie—if he wants to. The man who wears side-whiskers and a white tie may be honest—but appearances are against him.

THE TAILOR 213 YONGE ST.

Overcoat and Suit Clearance Sale

This winter season has been very backward for business owing to the mild weather. I have decided at this time with three months of winter ahead of us, to hold, commencing to-day, what will be one of the best Clearance Sales for men ever held in Toronto.

My immense stock of Sutinings and Overcoatings, worth regularly from \$20 to \$30, will be made to your order by the best union tailors, with the best of trimming, for ...

Remember—This includes all Halifax tweeds, Scotch tweeds, Canadian worsteds, English worsteds, chevots, meltons, beavers, etc. Positively none reserved

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1. Ray Thom... 2. Hand Ry... 3. Time 1:13... 4. Time 1:13... 5. Time 1:13... 6. Time 1:13... 7. Time 1:13... 8. Time 1:13... 9. Time 1:13... 10. Time 1:13...

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Advertisement for 'Nervous Debit Itv' with text: 'Exhausting vital drains (the effects of early follicles) thoroughly cured; kidney and bladder affections; loss of vitality; syphilis, phthisis, loss of falling hair, etc. It makes no difference who has called your name, call or write for a copy of the Gentle-Urinary, Orleans is especially. It makes no difference who has called your name, call or write for a copy of the Gentle-Urinary, Orleans is especially. It makes no difference who has called your name, call or write for a copy of the Gentle-Urinary, Orleans is especially.'

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The Toronto World

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CHEAP POWER WINS HANDS DOWN.

Notwithstanding the tremendous severity and unscrupulous character of the electric ring's assault upon the by-law, it has been carried by a majority that leaves not the shadow of doubt regarding the determination of the citizens to secure the inevitable advantages of cheap electric light and power.

Very different was the case for the by-law, and for the power policy of the provincial government, of which it was the sequel. Supporters of public ownership do not fear publicity, nor do they hesitate to offer for public consideration the most ample and detailed information at their disposal.

Toronto's emphatic declaration in favor of the hydro-electric commission's proposals gives a clear lead to the province and should vastly strengthen the case for cheap electric light and power everywhere.

Now that the power bylaw has been overwhelmingly carried, it is only right to recognize the debt that the citizens of Toronto owe to the public men and newspapers who stood together in support of its right to share in the advantages that will come from the white coal of Niagara.

So overwhelming is the verdict of the people on this vital question that it is evident no efforts, however prolonged, strenuous and unscrupulous, could have quered the bylaw.

of the Bell Telephone system of that province. But a short three years ago few would have believed that the cause of public ownership would stand where it does to-day.

TAFT ON THE CRISIS AND ITS CAUSES. In his speech at Boston to the Merchants' Association of that city, Mr. William H. Taft, secretary of war in President Roosevelt's cabinet, discussed the recent financial crisis in the United States and its causes.

In so far as the world-wide aspect of the financial stringency is concerned, the secretary of war, agreeing with other authorities, found its raison d'être in the enormous expansion of building plants and business investments not readily convertible and in the waste of capital by extravagant living, war and such catastrophic factors.

Editor World: Allow me to use your paper to thank the friends of the newspapers who so freely gave their services on Tuesday night.

ROCHESTER'S POWER BILL. Editor World: Please let me know through your valuable paper the price per horsepower of Niagara power at Rochester.

Brown October Ale advertisement featuring an illustration of a man and a woman, with text describing the ale's quality and availability.

more completely suppressing competition. And the purpose of Mr. Roosevelt's administration, his secretary of war affirmed, was to make these men, however powerful and wealthy, to know that the laws upon the statute books were living things and must be obeyed.

Penetang Mail Train Rolled Down Embankment—None Fatally Hurt. BARRIE, Jan. 1.—(Special).—G. T. R. passenger train No. 94, from Penetang, due here at 8 a.m., jumped the track near Colwell.

PASSENGERS COMPLAIN. Shifted From One Coach to Another and Delayed Four Hours. An even half hundred signatures of travelers from the Canadian and American northwest and Ontario points are attached to a complaint against either the G.T.R. or C.P.R., there are at least two.

Editor World: In the report of the inquest on the death of William Curry it is stated that in spite of protests from several of the crown attorneys, a verdict was returned, which, it is said, was subsequently passed, "after pressure had been brought on the coroner's jury by the crown officials."

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OTAWA, Jan. 1.—The governor-general's New Year's Day letter was read by about 60 gentlemen, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Sir John A. Macdonald, Sir Frederick Borden and other distinguished residents of the capital were present.

EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

-This Store Opens at 8 a.m. and Closes at 5 p.m.-

Friday Bargains

If our January Sale values are stronger this year than ever, and they are; If our Friday Bargains mean lower prices than any other day of the week, and they do; then the first Friday of the January Sale should furnish you with unprecedented money-saving chances, and it does.

Women's, automobile style, also short jackets, fancy braid and button trimmings, stole or shawl collars, satin linings, black or brown. Friday bargain, \$3.75 to \$4.00.

Women's, fine cotton, frill of lawn, with tucks and lace, French band, lengths 38, 40 and 42 inches. Regularly 55c, for... 35c.

Women's, fine jean, straight front low and medium bust, short and medium hip, steel filled, white and drab, sizes 18 to 26 inches. Regularly 50c and 55c, for... 29c.

Women's, all-wool fancy worsted in dark mixed patterns, single-breasted, saque style, good linings and interlinings, sizes 36 to 44. Regularly \$11.50 and \$12.50, for... \$6.95.

Women's, imported black melton cloth, single-breasted Chesterfield style, all sizes. Regularly \$10.50, for... \$5.50.

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Eaton's Daily Store News advertisement listing various clothing items and their prices, including lace curtains, window shades, art cretonne, wall papers, silver enamel, drug sundries, table linen, flannelette, fancy linens, dress goods, gloves, umbrellas, hosiery, ribbons, women's boots, corset covers, gowns, drawers, grey cotton, bed spreads, pony coats, hats and toques, silks, dress goods, gloves, umbrellas, hosiery, ribbons, women's boots, corset covers, gowns, drawers, grey cotton, bed spreads.

Advertisement for household goods, including bed linen, kitchen linens, blankets, comforters, and kindred linens, with contact information for John C. Watson.

ESTABLISHED 1864. JOHN CATTO & SON

A Good Beginning

We have determined to make a good start in the New Year with a ROUSING HOUSEFURNISHING SALE

This will include interesting selections from our select stock of Household Linens, Bed Linens, Kitchen Linens, Blankets, Quilts, Comforters, Down Goods and all Kindred Lines.

This Sale Starts Thursday Morning. JOHN CATTO & SON

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

MURDEROUS ATTACK BY JAPS

Three Firemen Terribly Mangled by Knives in Hands of Orientals.

VANCOUVER, B.C., Jan. 2.—(Special.)—Three firemen, Frost, Anderson and McDonald, were set upon by a mob of armed Japanese to-day and left for dead at the corner of Powell-street and Gore-avenue, two blocks from the police station.

By accident, Frost, a fireman, fell thru the window of a Japanese store in an instant the Japanese proprietor rushed out. Many of his countrymen came to join in the fight, for it was in the centre of the Japanese district.

The firemen were overpowered after a fight, when the flesh of their faces had been torn into ribbons by the razor-like knives which the Orientals carry.

Frost was mortally hurt, for his neck was cut, slashed and laid open for four inches and two inches deep alongside of the jugular vein.

The men were rightfully mangled about the arms and breasts, but McDonald and Anderson, the other two firemen, were still fighting over the body of Frost when a squad of police arrived.

Four Japanese were arrested and the three firemen were taken to the hospital. The Japanese fought like demons and the knives carried were a foot long.

NED HANLAN, The Famous Orator Who is Reported to be Dying by Pneumonia.

LOFTUS WINS. Defeats Terence Cunerty for Separate School Trustee in 4th Ward.

THE SAVOY YONGE AND ADELAIDE When down town try a cup of our delicious hot coffee or cocoa.

THE WEATHER

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, Jan. 1.—(8 p.m.)—Fine weather has prevailed to-day through the greater portion of Canada. Showers have occurred in light local snowfalls and flurries in New Columbia and Nova Scotia, and in Ontario. Lower temperatures have been experienced in all districts except British Columbia and Southern Alberta, where they have been somewhat higher.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 22 below-4 below; Athol, zero-4; Victoria, 28-44; Vancouver, 2-4; Edmonton, 23 below-2 below; Battisford, 23 below-3 below; Calgary, 10-34; Regina, 23 below-4; Winnipeg, 12 below-8; Port Arthur, zero-18; Parry Sound, 23-30; Toronto, 38-34; Ottawa, 10-34; Montreal, 15-25; Quebec, 8-18; St. John, 18-30; Halifax, 24-28.

Probabilities. Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate winds, mostly westerly; fine and a little colder.

Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence—West winds; fine and cold.

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

Maritime—Move to fresh westerly to northwesterly winds; fair and colder; local snow flurries.

Lake Superior—Fair and about the same temperature.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan—Fair and clear.

Alberta—Mostly fair and a little milder; some local snow flurries.

THE BAROMETER. Time. Ther. Bar. Wind.

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Mean of day, 26; difference from average, 6; highest, 34; lowest, 25.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS. Jan. 1. At From

Statenland, New York, Rotterdam, L. Champlain, St. John, Liverpool, Cymric, Boston, Liverpool, Coolahine, New York, Liverpool, Majestic, Southampton, New York, Columbian, London, Boston, Italia, Naples, New York, Finland, New York, Antwerp

TO DAY IN TORONTO. Jan. 2. Anglican Women's Auxiliary, St. Philip's Church, 10 a.m. Board of education, city hall, 8.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

Continued From Page 1.

and encumbered with so many handshakes and congratulations from the moment that Mr. Oliver's election was beyond doubt, that a trust could easily have been formed on the spot in these pleasant features of the proceedings.

Dr. Hawke and Mr. Reed were especially anxious at The Star office—where Mr. Oliver awaited the result—that their candidate should obtain a vote exceeding the combined Geary and Nesbitt poll, and when their wishes became gratified their exuberance hardly knew bounds.

Friends kept passing thru the crowd to congratulate Toronto's new mayor, and at this juncture appeared ex-Mayor Urquhart, who was not only hearty but enthusiastic in his congratulations.

One of his supporters called for three cheers for his worship, the mayor, and these were given, Mr. Oliver advanced on the platform in front of the window and spoke briefly, as follows:

"Ladies and gentlemen, fellow-citizens of Toronto, and especially the ladies—I want to thank you, one and all, for giving me the largest majority ever received by a mayor of Toronto. I will do everything in my power to merit that majority, and I wish you one and all a bright and happy and prosperous New Year."

(Cheers.) A few minutes before he addressed the throng from The Star office window, Mr. Oliver said to those about him, "I want to thank you all, gentlemen, for your assistance."

Get 2000 Women's Votes. In private conversation Mr. Oliver said he was confident that 2000 votes had been polled for him by the women electors.

Mr. Oliver then proceeded to the Globe office with the intention of addressing the people assembled there, but the number being rather few when he arrived, and The Globe windows being rather difficult for this sort of post-elections oratory, he contented himself with saying to those gathered in the reportorial rooms:

"I want to thank all my friends for the magnificent victory that we have gained to-day. I do not know that I have anything else to say, except to wish you all a happy New Year. You know what it is to fight for two or three months for an office. I am tired out, but I wish to thank all my friends for what they have done for me. Three cheers were then given, and the curtain was rung down on the day's election proceedings.

A number of delighted relatives, including Mrs. Joseph Oliver, Jr., and Mrs. Kent and Mrs. Doran, niece, whom he warmly kissed, were awaiting him in The Globe's editorial corridors.

Joseph Oliver, the new mayor for 1908, has been in business in Toronto for many years as a lumberman. He first entered the city council in 1888 as alderman for the Second Ward, but retired in 1901, when he was re-elected, serving for the two following years.

In 1903 he served as controller, but in 1904 he was defeated, returning to council as alderman for the Second Ward in 1906, retiring at the end of the year.

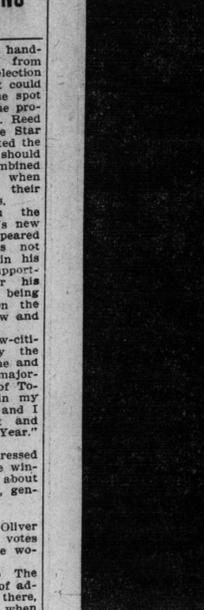
Hocken's vindication. The tremendous sweep of Controller Hocken is evidence that the public warmly approve his fighting methods as directed against the parks department. No more powerful evidence of the general sentiment could be afforded than the fact that more than

17,000 electors planned their faith to his methods. The vote is heavier by about 5000 than any controllership candidate has received heretofore.

The large personal following of F. S. Spence was counted upon to insure his return to the board, and not in vain, as the sequel proved. Mr. Spence received many scores of "plumbers," but for the most part electors linked together, both being Liberals and temperance advocates. The "church vote," so-called, was arrayed pretty solidly behind the twain.

Controller Ward drops back from head of the poll to fourth place. His friends attribute the fact to the desire of voters to make Controller Harrison safe.

MAYOR-ELECT JOS. OLIVER



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VAUGHAN 3392 HARRIS, RICH. 3400 LITTLE 3240 Gibbard 2299

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BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Miss Clara Brett Martin is Returned Head of Poll. In the election for the board of education the electors said "ladies first," and Miss Clara Brett Martin is at the head of the poll.

H. A. E. Kent, chairman of the 1907 board, is second. Ex-School Trustee R. R. Davis is re-elected and Messrs. W. H. Houston and Dr. Bryan are new faces. The vote:

MARTIN 14728 KENT 15194 BROWN 10730 HOUSTON 7284 DAVIS 6389 BRYANS 6847 Smallpelce 4244 Smith 3585 Frost 320 Gribble 2148 Drury 2088 Sundstein 778

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are being sent over a line 57 miles long, or a mile further than the Toronto-Niagara one.

It will take from 15 to 18 months to build the transmission line and construct the transmission plant. The by-law debentures are for issue in July, so that ample time remains to complete arrangements before any expense is incurred. In the meantime the committee will build its transformer station at the city limits.

"Expropriation under the circumstances is a mistake—a rotten plan," was the frank remark of one critic of the situation.

"Toronto is undertaking a public ownership scheme. If it is loaded up to start with overcapitalized with the expense of buying out an obsolete plant at several times its value, and further handicapped with the extra cost of operating such a plant, which is far greater than the operating cost of a modern equipment, it cannot be said to be doing justice to the principle of public ownership."

These remarks are commended to the consideration of the new mayor and council.

The Water Situation. The men who have exhibited so much anxiety over the condition of the water supply will be glad to hear that the passage of the by-law assuring cheap electricity for the city will enable the water to be entirely freed from disease germs at an inappreciable cost. The new process of electro-sterilization is really one of ozonizing the water, by passing an electric current thru it. As a result all germs, microbes and bacilli yield to circumstances and go out of business. With cheap power such as the city will have at its disposal, there will be no excuse for an epidemic of anything but health.

Seasonable. Poe was writing his "descent into the Maelstrom." "A good timely title," quoth he. "People will think it's a story about Christmas shopping."

How Local Option Hurts Owen Sound. Creates Discontent, Increases Drunkenness, Harms Business, Promotes Disorder. "I CONSIDER Local Option detrimental to the best interests of the town from a business point of view, as it has created discord and set up one portion of the town against the other. From a moral or temperance standpoint, I consider it the worst blow the temperance cause ever had in the town. I believe it will take a great many years before the sympathy of the people as a whole can again be secured through temperance movements, such as we had before Local Option was carried. It has created more drinking among young men than there ever was in town under a good license system. The arguments advanced when Local Option was advocated that the working classes would have more money to spend in foodstuffs have been proven to be absolutely wrong, as it has not been the case at all."

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Central Federated Union Will Ask Government to Provide Relief Measures.

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- Skilled mechanics 25,000
Miscellaneous trades 20,000
Unskilled labor 80,000

Every winter New York has thousands out of work, not because work is entirely lacking, but from unwillingness or inability of many to do anything except the task to which they have been trained.

Pronounced Socialist delegates to the Central Federated Union declared that the warehouses should be thrown open and the poor fed and clothed; that the government, instead of closing its navy yards and throwing thousands of mechanics out of work, should supply more work for the idle.

Garment-Workers Badly Off. Statements of some of the union delegates concerning the conditions in their trades revealed a percentage of idleness of which the public has received no intimation.

Prosperity better only a few months ago, thousands of the unemployed are still living on their savings or on the assistance of relatives or friends.

At the Fleischmann Bakery the bread line is the longest in the city. It is estimated that 100,000 people are dependent upon the bread line.

Open Winter Blessing. The open winter alone has prevented referring. So far there has been no evidence of actual unemployment.

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Few wear the stamp of the Boverly "bum," while hundreds are young men, bright-eyed and ruddy checked, fresh from the country.

FED 500 CHILDREN. Salvation Army Affords Youngsters a New Year's Treat.

Some 500 children enjoying a substantial dinner was the pleasing sight to be seen at the Salvation Army Temple on Albert-street yesterday afternoon.

Kindly women, members of the Salvation Army, made attentive waitresses and were most careful in looking after the clothes of the little guests.

Commissioner Coombs gave a brief address to the children after the good things had been done away with. He reminded them to remember that all the good things they got came from above.

"Take a looking rather than tell a lie," said the commissioner, and the children responded "Yes" with hearty assent.

DEPENDS ON HIS WIFE. If Mrs. Cooke Wants to Prosecute, Rector Will Be Arrested.

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—"I will immediately ask for the extradition of Jere Knode Cooke, who eloped with Florence Whaley of Hempstead, Long Island, just as soon as I receive word from Mrs. Cooke that he is to be made defendant in abandonment proceedings," said District Attorney Franklin J. Conroy.

"Under present circumstances I do not see any way open to me," he added, "I shall be glad to have him brought back and tried for whatever crime a Nassau County grand jury indicted him, but I do not feel like sending those thousand miles for him, unless his wife takes the initiative. I am waiting to hear from her."

MAY CALL CONFERENCE. LONDON, Jan. 1.—(C.A.P.)—The Times is hoping that Consul-General Moore, with his great knowledge of Canada and conditions and feeling well called on by the Japanese Government to assist in the final stage of the negotiations with Hon. Mr. Lemieux, and replies that at best the situation can hardly be an exhaustive statement of the whole difficult question of oriental immigration.

A number of papers agree on the desirability of summoning the imperial conference to discuss the question.

Shot by Burglar. NEWARK, Jan. 1.—George A. Fisher, a city building inspector, was shot and fatally wounded at his home today by a burglar who escaped.

Mr. Fisher was awakened early this morning by a noise in the adjoining yard. In the rear of his garage, where he was aroused, he saw a man who was looking over the back yard. His wife heard him call out "What are you doing there?" The words were quickly followed by the report of a revolver.

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NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—J. C. Campbell, editor of The Charleston News and Courier, has made a call to the Democratic party to support Gov. Joan A. Johnson of Minnesota. "It is Bryan and a defeat or Johnson and victory," he says.

MEETING AT FORT ERIE. Prominent Speakers Discuss the Bridge and Ferry Service.

SOLDIER'S SUICIDE SENSATIONAL AFFAIR. Goes to Home of His Divorced Wife, Attempts General Slaughter, Then Slays Himself.

LONDON, Jan. 1.—Major Coates Phillips, an officer, who distinguished himself in the South African war, committed suicide here last night under sensational circumstances.

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TOKIO, Jan. 1.—The Japanese Government last evening handed to United States Ambassador O'Brien a memorandum...

N.Y. STATE LEGISLATURE MAY STOP RACE BETTING... Recommendation by Governor Hughes—Amendments to the Bank Laws.

According to the articles of agreement drawn up and signed on Dec. 9 by Tommy Burns and Jack Palmer...

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WILL INVESTIGATE THIS NEW YORK LIFE COMPANY

Report Shows a Serious Impairment of Financial Strength—History of Trouble.

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—Such serious impairment of the financial conditions of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Co. of New York is shown by the report of Examiners Hadley and Hughes of the state insurance department that it will not be made public until it has been investigated by the attorney-general.

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"It discloses a serious impairment of the company's financial condition, and upon the advice of the attorney-general and pending his consideration of matters included in the report and papers submitted to him in connection therewith, the report is withheld from public inspection."

President Archibald C. Haynes of the Mutual Reserve was asked last night if he had any statement to make on Mr. Kelsey's statement, and said:

"I simply mean that we will get what I have wanted for six months—an official ruling on the condition of the company."

"We have contended that the company is all right. The insurance department has thought otherwise. Now it is up to the attorney-general to settle it."

The trouble in the Mutual Reserve began in the summer of 1898, when First Vice-President T. L. James, General Manager Moss and Treasurer Frohman resigned.

Frederick A. Burnham, president at that time, denied that the resignation had any significance. In September, 1899, charges of dishonest management were made against President Burnham and an attempt was made to have him indicted. Nothing was done at that time.

In January, 1902, the company decided that mutual insurance was a failure and that it should be reorganized into an old line company. Shortly afterwards application for a receiver was made by some of the policyholders, but it was denied.

There was more or less scandal and many charges made against the Burnham administration during the next few years, but in 1906, at the annual election, the Burnham people won.

In the following month the affairs of the company were brought to the attention of the grand jury, and on March 8 President Frederick A. Burnham, his brother, George Burnham, a director and counsel for the company, and Vice-President George D. Eldridge were indicted for grand larceny in the first degree and forgery in the second degree. There were five counts against each man.

The sum named in the first larceny indictment was \$750,000 and in the second \$100,000.

George Burnham was placed on trial a few months later, found guilty and sentenced to prison. After serving four months he was released, pending a new trial. During his last trial Assistant District Attorney Knott made the charge that Leonard Payne, at that time superintendent of insurance, had demanded \$100,000 from F. A. Burnham, under threat of showing that the Mutual Reserve was insolvent. Mr. Knott said that Mr. Burnham had finally induced Payne to come down to \$40,000 and had paid that amount out of his own pocket.

The company was reorganized, the Burnham crowd being ousted and Archibald C. Haynes elected president. Retrenchment began at once. The president's salary was cut from \$39,000 a year to \$20,000, the vice-president's from \$20,000 to \$10,000 and the counsel's from \$20,000 to \$10,000.

company was well under way when the company decided to radically change its business methods. This change has been going into effect by degrees for the past few months, but no decisive action was taken because of the investigation.

The main point aimed at by the officials of the company was the changing of certain liens against policies, amounting in all to \$750,000, from the liability to the asset column on the books. It was stated by counsel for the company that it should be done and that it might save the company from insolvency.

John B. Stanchfield, special counsel for the company, admitted that the liens were needed to save the company, and said that otherwise it might go into the hands of a receiver.

PICTURE TO CURE INSANE

Unique and Impressive Experiment in Ohio Institution Encourages Doctors

MASSILLON, O., Jan. 1.—The physicians at the State Hospital for the Insane today tried the experiment of exhibiting to the patients a big painting of Christ illuminated by electric lights. It is believed that by thus concentrating the attention of the insane upon this picture a beneficial therapeutic effect will be produced and may result in their recovery.

The experiment was made today at the religious services. A big picture entitled "Christ Knocking at the Door" and painted by Hoffman's masterpiece, painted by it, was placed on the wall of the hospital. The picture was illuminated by electric lights, ready to be concentrated upon the picture by the patients.

The lights were then turned out, and after the physicians in the hospital were satisfied with the experiment, they believe that in the cases of some of the patients the effect has been most beneficial.

The picture was donated to the hospital by citizens of Akron.

NEWS OF INGERSOLL

New Election Necessary—Fire in Grocery.

INGERSOLL, Jan. 1.—(Special.)—Only five of the aldermanic nominees filed their declarations of qualification, and they have been declared elected by acclamation. They are W. J. Elliott, F. Richardson, Walter Mills, F. G. Walley and J. T. Patterson. There is still one vacant seat and it will be necessary for the new council to authorize another election to fill the vacancy.

The grocery stock of S. M. Fleet was practically ruined by smoke and water last night as the result of a fire which broke out in the cellar. Mr. Fleet resided over the store and part of his household contents and the building were seriously damaged. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

Haywood Deposed by Miners. DENVER, Col., Jan. 1.—William D. Haywood is no longer secretary and treasurer of the Western Federation of Miners. Ernest Mills has been elected to that position by the executive board and now fills that office. It is rumored that Haywood is out for good, and that he will not in the future be associated with the organization in which he has been recognized as the leading spirit, but this is denied some time ago, but the announcement of it was held back.

Withdrawals at Ottawa. OTTAWA, Jan. 1.—There are two withdrawals from the list of candidates for municipal honors on Monday next. E. J. Lawerdu drops out in the second ward and J. Forwood in Dalhousie ward, as prospective aldermen.

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NORTH TORONTO AGAIN RETURNS MAYOR FISHER

Death of Col. Button One of Markham's Oldest Residents—York County News.

PICKERING, Jan. 1.—(Special.)—A most distressing accident occurred here today by which N. J. Chapman, one of the most respectable and well known residents of the township, was seriously injured. Mr. Chapman was engaged in feeding the straw into the cutting box at the time, when his hand became entangled in the rollers and was drawn under the knives, completely severing the right hand. As soon as possible the unfortunate man was liberated from his position and Dr. Bell was immediately summoned. Later in the afternoon a further amputation took place. Owing to the shock to his nervous system, coupled with heart weakness, his condition to-night is regarded as very serious. Mr. Chapman is the father of F. M. Chapman, agricultural editor of The World.

NORTH TORONTO. Contest Brings Out Record Vote—Local Option is Retained.

NORTH TORONTO, Jan. 1.—The hottest municipal campaign in the history of the town was fought out today, with which local option was carried by a plurality of 17 votes over Lawrence.

The personnel of the council for the year 1907 will be: S. J. Douglas, with 454 votes, J. W. Brownlow 421, C. Murphy 388, W. Parke 388, F. Howe 324, and E. Irwin with 240 votes.

The bylaw to repeal the local option measure was defeated by a majority of 111 or five times the majority with which local option was carried two years and a half ago. A plebiscite vote was also taken re-

MAYOR JOHN FISHER Of North Toronto.

annexation to the City of Toronto, which carried by a majority of 124. The complete returns are:

Name	1	2	3	4	T.
Fisher, John	84	83	55	80	292
Lawrence, W.	84	85	47	42	278
Brown, A. J.	18	23	60	75	176

For Councilors—Douglas, S. J., 110 146 87 111—454; Murphy, C., 71 93 107 118—389; Parke, W., 114 111 66 87—388; Brownlow, J. W., 83 129 77 142—431; Howe, F., 49 59 78 138—324; Irwin, R., 74 77 40 49—240.

For School Trustees—Davis, J. S., Jr., 60 149—209; Gillespie, Jas., 94 44—138.

For Plebiscite—Yes, 61 67 83 103—314; Against, 103 130 78 114—425.

When the official returns were completed, a public meeting was held, T. A. Gibson presiding, at which Mayor Fisher, W. J. Lawrence and A. J. Brown briefly spoke, thanking the electors for the work performed in their behalf. Mayor Fisher, owing to a severe cold, spoke for a few moments only, and was represented by Solicitor Gibson.

Councillor S. J. Douglas, who this year heads the list by a substantial majority, and the other members, Councillors Brownlow, Howe, Murphy, Parke and Irwin, also spoke in commendation of the bylaw.

Mayor John Fisher, who to-day enters upon his fourteenth year as chief magistrate of the town of North Toronto, possesses in a marked degree the confidence and esteem of his fellow-townsmen.

LOCUST HILL. Venerable York County Pioneer Passed Away Yesterday.

LOCUST HILL, Jan. 1.—(Special.)—The death of Lieut.-Col. William M. Button, which took place at the family residence here to-day, removes one of the oldest and best-known residents of York County.

Born in 1816, the deceased had reached the great age of 92 years, practically all of which had been spent in

Markham Township. The late Br. Button was prominent in municipal and military life and had served with distinction in Markham Township council, where he had for 18 years served as reeve and in the county council. He was appointed magistrate 52 years ago, had been grand secretary of the Orange Society, and was a number of years a lieutenant-colonel of the First Light Dragoons, to which he was gazetted during the regime of Governor Monk.

The First Light Dragoons, known as "Button's Troop," was organized by Lieut.-Col. Button (husband) in 1852, and the first body of cavalry organized in Canada, was by the latter under a commission from Gen. Brock.

Known as a veteran of the war of 1837 and 1838. Lieut.-Col. Button is survived by five daughters and two brothers, the latter being Newberry and Francis of Ringwood.

In politics deceased was a Liberal-conservative, a member of the Masonic Order, and identified with the Methodist Church.

The funeral will take place on Saturday at 10 o'clock, at home at 230, to Locust Hill Cemetery.

EAST TORONTO. Candidates Adopt New Plan to Adjust Election Matters.

EAST TORONTO, Jan. 1.—The public meeting called to discuss municipal matters will be held in the Y. M. C. A. hall tomorrow (Sunday) night at 8 o'clock. As this will probably be the only meeting held to discuss these matters, and as all the candidates who qualified are expected to attend, views, and a big gathering of the ratepayers is anticipated. Ladies are invited to attend.

A peculiar condition of affairs is said to obtain in Ward 1, where a big list of candidates were on Monday nominated for municipal honors. With a view to expedient matters and in a sportive mood the nominees are said to have last night cast lots, the three lacking of municipal qualification, while the others failed to comply with the necessary formula. The result will be to obviate the necessity for an election in Ward 1, with the exception of the mayor.

Councillor T. N. Phelan, who last year headed the list in Ward 2, is again a candidate. It is expected that this election of a largely increased majority is assured.

The men of the ward are making a vigorous campaign, and being a mass of shrewd practical experience, will be a valuable assistance in council matters.

To-day was wholly given up to pleasure, many of the townspeople visiting friends in the city and at outside country points.

AGINCOURT. Knox Church May Shortly Consider Question of a Call.

AGINCOURT, Jan. 1.—There appears to be quite an epidemic of dissent among the members of this locality this winter. Several cases have developed, only a few have so far proved fatal. Rev. Mr. McErmann, occupied the pulpit of Knox church last Sunday morning, and gave a splendid address in dress to a large congregation. On Sunday next Rev. Mr. McErmann, late of St. George's Church, Toronto, will preach in Knox Church.

A meeting of the congregation will be held within a short time to discuss the question of a call to a minister.

TORONTO JUNCTION. Looks Like as Tho Keelie-Street Service Would Soon be Resumed.

TORONTO JUNCTION, Jan. 1.—Everything was quiet in town today. Dundas-street was illuminated by electric lights. A group of men, discussing the outcome of the election in Toronto. The tracks on Dundas-street between Keelie-street and Humboldt-avenue, have been cleaned and the construction of the new streetcar route resumed. Mayor Baird took the trip to-day and held a conference with the city engineers and returned the "Y" to the city.

A pretty home building took place today at 7 Brighton-avenue, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Brown. The young daughter, Miss Stella, was married to William Hunter of Toronto. Rev. Dr. Edson of Victoria, Presbyterian Church officiated. Miss Georgina Buchanan, Miss Elizabeth and Elmo Johnson were groomsmen.

Miss Elizabeth Kirk of Maria-street was married to Robert Taylor of Toronto. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Hazelwood at the parlour of the bride's home.

Special band concert this evening (Friday) at the Grand Hotel. "Good bye, my darling," was the theme of the evening. The band will save money by dealing in bulk.

Holiday prices on special pipes for New Year's. The tobacconist, at 41 Dundas East.

BRADFORD. Sunday Schools Have Enjoyable Outing.

BRADFORD, Jan. 1.—At a magistrate's court held on Monday, P. Hallam was committed to the Barrie Jail for three months on the charge of vagrancy. Hallam was arrested while sleeping in the G.T.R. engine house.

C. Browning, recently from Traverse City, Mich., was tried on a charge of assault and sent to Barris for further trial. Browning was arrested on Christmas Day for a serious assault on Robert Ingalls, who was found unconscious and bleeding in the sheds of the Central Hotel. Ingalls has been under a doctor's care and for a time it was thought that he might not recover.

The Christmas decorations in one of the Whitmer & Wilcox windows took fire on Saturday evening, and in a very few seconds the decorations were a mass of flames. Fortunately there was little damage except the decorations, and it is estimated that one thousand dollars will cover the loss.

The scholars of the Presbyterian Sunday School had a sleigh ride to Bond Head on Friday, followed by tea in the Methodist Sunday school. The annual Christmas tree, when Santa Claus will come on Monday, will be a great success and a number of the visitors.

On Friday evening quite a number from town drove out to see the Christmas tree entertainment.

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Boys' Two-Piece Norfolk Suits, grey tweed in neat check patterns, also plain navy blue serge, coats made with box plait and belt, sizes 24-32, regular 2.75, 3.00 and 3.25, Friday... 1.98

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Men's and Boys' Fur Caps, in wedge shape, in German Otter, Electric Seal, Astrachan and Russian Lamb, regular up to 3.50, Friday... 1.50

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CANARY BIRD SHOW PROVES BIG SUCCESS

Entries are Numerous and Excellent—Winners of the Special Prizes.

The annual show of the Toronto Canary Club was held yesterday in the King Edward Hotel, with a big entry list, including some exhibitors from Hamilton, London and Woodstock. H. S. Tibbs, secretary of the Canary and Cage Bird Society, expressed himself in high terms as to the excellence of the exhibits.

The following is the list of special prizes: Best, H. S. Tibbs; second best, Mackenzie and Walls; third best, H. P. McKerhen; fourth best, H. P. McKerhen; fifth best, H. P. McKerhen; sixth best, H. P. McKerhen; seventh best, H. P. McKerhen; eighth best, H. P. McKerhen; ninth best, H. P. McKerhen; tenth best, H. P. McKerhen.

THE LASH FOR DRUNKARDS.

Editor World: Not one, I am sure, of the many thousands of World readers who have read the editorial about them but will render a hearty and ungrudging assent to the very ably-reasoned and humane letter of the president of the Canadian Blue Ribbon League.

Any of your correspondents or readers who have but once witnessed, as Mr. Mathison has often done, the brutal and disgraceful, not to say disgusting scene of a "hogging" within the jail precincts, will surely and strenuously record their unequivocal protest against the foolish and absurd "recommendations" of the grand jury, and in too many instances (as it has since been proved), innocent persons.

General-Championship gold medal (50 points); largest entry, Mackenzie and Walls.

Result of voting contest for the Hendry and cage will be announced later.

SOCIALIST GAINS.

Editor World: It is not often we have to find fault with leading articles in your progressive paper. But I must take exception to one or two statements in your article, "British Parliamentary Session."

You say, "The result of the municipal polls showed a considerable electoral revolution, due probably to alarm in full, with his armorial bearings emblazoned underneath."

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MORE BULGARIANS BOUNCED.

Seven Dominion immigration officers were scouring the eastern part of the city all day yesterday, gathering another squad of unemployed Bulgarians who are unwilling to work forty-five minutes in full, with his armorial bearings emblazoned underneath.

BAKER'S LUCK.

"Baker is the luckiest man alive." "What now?" "He has a fifty-horse-power car and a wife who's afraid to go out in it."—Harper's Weekly.

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RARE AUTOGRAPH COLLECTION.

LONDON, Jan. 1.—There has just come into the possession of a London bookseller a very remarkable collection of parliamentary and Episcopal "franks" or postpaid letters, which must be as rare as it is interesting.

Previous to the introduction of the penny post members of both houses of parliament had the privilege of "franking," or causing the free delivery of the letters of themselves and their friends, and from Aug. 21, 1774, to Jan. 9, 1840, when the custom was abolished, many thousand envelopes passed through the post signed in the left-hand bottom corner with the name of a member of the house of lords or commons.

An enterprising gentleman has been collecting these signed envelopes for many years past, and the result is to be seen in the score of gorgeously full morocco-bound gilt-edged volumes at Mr. Thorp's, 100 St. Martin's-lane, the scope of the collection may be gauged from the fact that the index alone is in four stout volumes.

There are the signatures of Lord Nelson, Lord Byron, various members of the royal family, and George Canning. Sir John Lubbock, created Lord St. Vincent in 1877, dates his letter "Brentwood, June twenty-two, 1818." Most of the signatures use the full spelling of the date of the month, the last man to do so habitually was probably Charles Dickens.

There is a volume of the franks of the archbishops and bishops of England and Wales between 1784 and 1840. You say, "The result of the municipal polls showed a considerable electoral revolution, due probably to alarm in full, with his armorial bearings emblazoned underneath."

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Next year's Henley regatta was fixed on Saturday for July 12 and 13. According to statistics issued at Toronto, only 25 per cent. of the morning drink intoxicating liquors.

"If Mr. P. endorsement Toronto Railway men to the regard for of the public for the belief in before successful a ten days the for the street."

Councillor interest in