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MAYORALTY 1904. TO THE ELECTORS: Ladies and Gentlemen-I respectfully solicit your votes and influences to elect me mayor for the year 1904.

BARTLEY OPEN-BOOK HOLDER. HOLDS ALL BOOKS OPEN and saves them from ruin; 25 cents at McAuley's.

RUSSIAN POLAND. Said To Be Bordering On Revolt. Berlin, Dec. 1.—The Vorewarcitz, a socialist organization, says it learns that a portion of Russian Poland is bordering on revolt.

THE BRITISH CABINET. Met Two Days Running—Parliament May Dissolve. London, Dec. 1.—The unusual circumstance of the British cabinet holding a meeting on Friday and another on Saturday aroused conjecture that Great Britain's position as Japan's ally was discussed.

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MUCH AHEAD. Canada's Revenue Still Increases HALF A MILLION IN NOVEMBER; TWO AND A HALF FOR FIVE MONTHS.

No Credence Given to Rumor of Seizure of United States Whalers in Hudson's Bay—The Latest Tidings From The Capital. Ottawa, Dec. 1.—The customs receipts of the dominion are still growing. The present month shows an increase of nearly half a million dollars over November of last year.

The Russian Admiral. Strongly Favours Peace With Japan. Tokio, Dec. 1.—The Ashahi, one of the more reliable Japanese newspapers prints a despatch from Port Arthur, stating that Admiral Alexieff, Russian viceroy of the far east, in addressing his staff, said that if Russia had three docks at Port Arthur, and two at Dalny, she would not hesitate to fight Japan.

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SHE IS FIFTY-NINE. Queen Alexandra Has Another Birthday.



London, Dec. 1.—The bells of the parish church at Sandringham chimed a merry peal this morning in honor of the birthday of Queen Alexandra, who to-day entered upon her sixtieth year. The tenantry of the estate kept holiday in honor of the occasion, and the cottages and more pretentious residences for miles around were gaily decorated with bunting and evergreens. A large house party including besides the members of the royal family a number of the intimate friends of their majesties was present to celebrate the occasion. During the day private wire to Sandringham was kept busy with telegrams of congratulation from the queen's relatives in Denmark and other parts of Europe. Her majesty was also the recipient of a large number of notable gifts.

Fired A Salute. At noon to-day a squad of men of the R.C.F.A., fired a salute of twenty-one guns, with twelve-pounder field guns, in honor of the birthday anniversary of Queen Alexandra. The salute was fired from Fort Frederick.

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BITTER FEELING. There Has Been No Demonstration.

Washington, Dec. 1.—A dispatch from Bogota, says that the feeling in Colombia is still very bitter against the United States on account of the recognition of Panama, but that this has not resulted in any demonstration against any citizen of the United States.

To Imitate Panama. New York, Dec. 1.—A special to the Herald says that the United States Port of Spain, Trinidad, Dec. 1.—The secession of Panama, from Colombia is re-echoed from Venezuela and Guiana. A well informed Venezuelan official asserts that the opposition party in Ciudad Bolivar, contemplates imitating Panama and seceding from Venezuela because of the extortions daily committed by President Castro's representatives.

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