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THE NEWS OF WORLD

OCCURRENCES RECOUNTED IN BRIEF FORM

Matters That Interest Everybody - Notes From All Over - Little of Everything - Easily Read and Remembered.

Ex-Ald. W. J. Reid died suddenly at Hamilton.

The latest convert to municipal ownership is D. D. Mann.

Julia Lalonde, fined \$500 in Montreal for usury, appealed and lost.

Mayor Samuel Stevels is mayor of London, Ont., for 1909 by acclamation.

Oliver L. Miller fell in front of a street car on Sherbourne street, Toronto, and was killed.

The C.N.R. will erect a new terminal hotel in Port Arthur, at a cost of a quarter of a million.

Miss Scraphine Ibouder, said to have gone away from Winnipeg with a Polish priest, has been brought back.

William Henry McEvoy, former mayor of Amherstburg, and a leading citizen, dropped dead at midnight in the Masonic hall.

The Grand Trunk Pacific is graded and rails are down most of the way from Winnipeg to a point fifty miles to the west of Edmonton.

Six criminals were killed while attempting to loot the Bank of Sicily, at Messina, where cash amounting to half a million dollars lay in plain view.

Dr. Harley Smith, Italian consul of Toronto, asked Mayor Oliver to have a popular subscription opened in Toronto for the relief of the poor who suffered in the Sicilian earthquake.

Joseph Jacks and a man believed to be named Matuk, were killed and Nakolag Maga badly hurt by the cave-in of a cake of frozen earth in a trench at the C.N.R. shops at Winnipeg.

D. McIlquham, a coal oil dealer at Alexander, Man., is being prosecuted by the inland revenue department for selling coal oil that exploded and caused the death of J. Raymond's daughter.

Dr. Sidney Silcox, assistant principal of the Hamilton Normal School, is to be principal of the new normal school at Stratford, succeeding W. H. Elliott, recently appointed to an inspectorship in Toronto.

Maj.-Gen. Sir Percy Lake, whose time of service in Canada has been extended two years, will, in addition to being inspector-general, act as military advisor to the minister of militia, with a seat at the militia council.

WERE WIPED OUT.

Villages Went Under—The Total Deaths Very High.

Rome, Dec. 30.—From the latest estimate, to-day, it is feared that the total number of victims in Sicily and Calabria will exceed one hundred thousand, while the damage to property will be several hundred millions.

News reached Catanzara, from the outlying districts in Calabria, that indicate that sixty-five towns and villages have been wiped out, with the number dead in that district alone exceeding 30,000. The few surviving are mad with terror, and have fled to the forest, clad mountain slopes, where they are subsisting on roots and the bark of trees.

Cannot Locate It.

Paris, Dec. 30.—A Palermo despatch says that a torpedo boat which went to Reggio has returned, being unable to locate the site of the city, and reporting that nothing remained but ruins.

A Good Gift.

Rome, Dec. 30.—J. Pierpont Morgan has sent \$10,000 for the relief of the earthquake sufferers.

Pirates At The Bijou.

Piratical raids by Moors have been not infrequent of late years in consequence of the chaotic conditions in the domains of Abdul Aziz. In the sea drama, "Taken by Moorish Pirates," an incident of this kind is portrayed. A European lady being captured and sold as a slave. That such events are far from impossible is evidenced by the recent capture of the American lady, Miss Stone, in Greece, carrying off of Pezacoala, the wealthy Greek merchant by Raisuli, and numerous other cases. Scenes and action in this drama are especially good and were made in Morocco, by the great French firm known as the "Etablissement Louis Gaumont." Together with this picture there will be shown a remarkably interesting series of pictures entitled "Life in a Harem," showing just what happens while your linen is being washed. There is also a rushing comedy called "The Mesmerist." Will West sings "Sweetheart," a ballad.

A Hot Contest Here.

All four aldermanic ward contests are of interest, but perhaps the one that will create the most enthusiasm will be in Cataracqui ward between Mayor Ross and John Tweedell. Nothing needs to be said of the mayor. His opponent, Mr. Tweedell, would also make a live representative. He has been a business man in Cataracqui ward for years, and has also resided in the ward for a long time.

The countryside was astir on December 16th, guests from far and near gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Hicks, Point Traverse, to witness the marriage of their only daughter, Evelyn LeLona, to Robert Wadsworth, a popular and enterprising young farmer of South Bay.

W. Boulter and wife, according to many years of custom, had all their family at the old farm, Sophiasburg, to celebrate their forty-seventh wedding anniversary.

An action for absolute divorce has been commenced by Bertha M. Lackey against John Lackey, both of Watertown. The parties were married at Alexandria Bay, November 10th, 1903. The steamer New Island Wanderer did not come over from Cape Vincent to-day owing to the heavy storm.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements Of The People—What They Are Saying And Doing.

Miss Mamie Wafer, Wolfe Island, is visiting friends in the city.

Capt. E. de B. Panet, Kingston, was in Montreal, on Tuesday.

Annesley Burrows is still in the Hotel Desai, and is not much better.

Miss Alice Harrison, Clergy street, is visiting relatives at Smith's Falls.

Constable Frederick Davies has been confined to the house, with a severe illness.

A. C. Rutlan, of Winnipeg, is on a visit to his father, Henry Rutlan, Brock street.

Alexander Yott, returned to Toronto, to-day, after visiting friends in the city for some days.

James Church and wife, of Kingston, left yesterday, to visit relatives at Brownville, N.Y.

J. Aton, advance agent for "The Cowboy Girl," at the Grand, on Wednesday, January 6th, is in the city.

George P. Quigley, "Deer Park," Toronto, spent the holidays the guest of Miss Olive G. East, Cambridge East.

Edward Murphy, Montreal street, returned to-day, after spending a few days with friends on Wolfe Island.

Miss Elizabeth McArthur, daughter of the late James McArthur, is spending the winter in Italy. She is at Florence.

L. Henderson, Capt. Fraser and Francis King returned from Montreal, this morning, after attending the funeral of the late James Cuttle. Mr. Henderson met the remains in Chicago.

A VERY HAPPY AFFAIR.

Was the First Baptist Sunday School Festival.

The Christmas tree entertainment of the First Baptist Sunday school took place on Tuesday evening, and was a great success.

The Sunday school hall was crowded with members of the school and their friends.

Choruses, songs and recitations were given by pupils. The part played by the little tots of the primary department was very entertaining.

Dr. Lake, superintendent, gave a series of snapshots of persons taking part in races, games, ball throwing, etc., at last summer's picnic.

This proved both interesting and amusing. Most interesting of all, however, were two beautifully decorated and heavy-laden Christmas trees.

The little cradle-rod tree bore many toys and pretty things for the babies in this department.

The other, a splendid large tree, was lighted with presents and prizes for members of the school.

Upwards of fifty beautiful volumes were presented to prize-winners. The entertainment was thoroughly enjoyed.

To Play In Belleville.

The Belleville papers advertise a big hockey match there on New Year's night between the Belleville seniors and Kingston seniors. The Mic-Macs are the Kingston players and they are going to play the Belleville intermediates O.H.A. seven. The Mic-Macs won the senior series of the Kingston Amateur Hockey League, but never considered themselves a senior team yet they may prove good enough to put it over the Belleville intermediate septette.

Separate School Trustees.

The following were elected to the separate school board by acclamation Monday: Sydenham ward, W. T. Brydon; C. Gallagher; Ontario ward, J. J. Behan; St. Lawrence ward, Dr. E. Ryan; Cataracqui ward, James Norris; Frontenac ward, A. McFadden; Rideau ward, T. J. Leahy; Victoria ward, E. Cochrane.

There were two vacancies in Sydenham ward owing to Mr. Cousins resigning during the year.

"The Gay Musician" Coming.

The remarkable success achieved in this city early in the season by Manager John P. Slocum's comic opera company in Julian Edwards' great composition, "The Gay Musician," led to hundreds of requests that the superb company once again play an engagement here. The negotiations have been carried through and "The Gay Musician" will play a return engagement at the Grand Opera House, on Tuesday evening, January 5th.

Oranges, Oranges.

Oranges from 10c. to 60c. doz. Grape fruit and bananas. Fresh dates and figs. Pineapples and lemons. Home-made raspberry vinegar. Lettuce, celery and cranberries. Carr's Scotch biscuit.

5c. tin peas, corn or tomatoes, 25c. Five teas and coffee. Edwards & Jenkin, 274 Princess street. Phone 775.

His Arm In A Sling.

Dr. George Dalton, better known to the followers of hockey and football as "Bunty," is carrying his arm in a sling, the result of a fall on Kingston's icy pavements. Dr. Dalton, walking along the street when, without warning, both feet slipped out from under him and he fell heavily. His wrist was sprained by the fall, and it will be some days before he will regain the use of his arm.

Women In Trouble.

Two women, who reside off Clergy street, will be given a chance, in police court to-morrow, to air their troubles. The women have been living together, one as a boarder, and one charges the other with theft. The case was set for to-day, but as the complainant did not appear, had to be adjourned.

Quite A Wild Day.

The weather to-day was decidedly blustery, the wind being very strong. Hall followed by rain fell during the morning, and this was succeeded by some snow. There was a huge circle around the moon last night, which told of a stormy day to follow. The walks were awfully slippery and dangerous.

On Holiday Trip.

Police Constable Brown, of Niagara Falls, Ont., was a visitor in the city yesterday, on a holiday trip. Constable Brown says that Niagara Falls is making marked progress in the industrial line, no less than six new industries being located in the city within the past year.

THE DAY'S EPISODES

LOCAL NOTES AND THINGS IN GENERAL

Occurrences In The City And Vicinity—Other Brief Items of Interest—Easily Read And Remembered.

Calendars, half price. Uglov's. Read the advt. of Crawford & Walsh, page 5.

There was no session of the police court, this morning.

When buying underwear ask for Imperial brand.

Sweet cider and raspberry vinegar. Edwards & Jenkin.

Support the Wormwith by-law; it means good things for Kingston.

William Swaine, piano tuner. Orders received at McAuley's. Phone 775.

"Buy Infants' Foods" at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store. Always fresh there.

Just the thing for New Year's, beautiful calendars at half price and under. Uglov's.

H. Cunningham, piano tuner from Chickering's. Leave orders at McAuley's Book Store.

Lennox Cascara Laxatives for Constipation. Regular price 25c. each. 2 for 25c., at Wade's drug store.

The citizens should not support the mud road by-law. The experience of their permanency is known to every resident.

All fancy calendars to be closed out at half price and under, at Uglov's.

A successful Sunday school entertainment was held at the Methodist church, Hartington, on Thursday evening.

"Horehound Candy," for coughs and colds. The strong kind is sold in Kingston at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

Imperial underwear is swell.

The steamer Rosemount discharged the balance of her cargo of wheat, at Richardson's elevator, yesterday, and was laid up in the M. T. Co.'s slip.

Toronto Star; in San Farthing says that Kingston is a drunken city. He must have been misled by reports of Kingstonians seeing the Thousand Islands.

All calendars must be sold at Uglov's. Half price and under.

The heavy wind, to-day, did much damage to trees in different parts of the city. Large branches were broken off and carried away by the fierce gale.

The heavy sleet storm, to-day, caused the street railway company all kinds of trouble. For some time the cars were not running on time, and it was very hard for them to get up the hills.

"Throat Tablets," Zymole Troques, Bark's Pastilles, Menthol with Eucalyptus. Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

Ald. Couper has carved out his own way in the world. He has done it well. His aim is no other than the chair and every citizen should help him in his laudable ambition.

"Wild Cherry" Cough Cure. Regular price 25c. each. 2 for 25c., at Wade's drug store.

Kill the mud road by-law. Why spend money to put mud on roads and then draw it off again. Permanent roadways are needed. Withhold money until a feasible scheme is decided upon.

The annual Christmas tree and entertainment at Rockwood hospital was held on Tuesday evening. A large number were present and a most enjoyable time was spent. A fine musical programme was rendered.

"Order by telephone" your drug store wants. Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store has the most prompt delivery in the city. Phone 230.

The Whig is positive—there is no thinking about it—the Ald. Couper is the best man the citizens can have as mayor for 1909. He is a man of principle, of activity and of integrity. Elect him.

"Epsom Salts and Rochelle Salts." When you want the best money can buy go to Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

A young lad named Beecher fell into the lake at Anglin's Bay on Tuesday afternoon and received quite a ducking. He was just starting out for a skate when the accident happened. He was quickly rescued by some companions.

O. H. A. Liment put up in any quantity desired. Sold only at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store. Phone 230.

Ald. Couper will not let any corporation or class have any advantages over others. Such a man is needed in the mayor's chair in 1909. There will be something doing next year and a man of pluck is wanted as mayor.

Engineer Craig, before the scheme of earth roads was adopted by the council, expressed disapproval of the plan. He thinks Kingston should get something permanent. The citizens should cease throwing money away on mud roads.

"For Hockey Players" O.H.A. Liment is sold in Kingston only at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store. Phone 230.

A meeting of the Social and Moral Reform League was held in St. George's hall, on Tuesday evening. At the meetings of the Evangelical Alliance, next week, it was decided to arrange that a part of each evening be devoted to the temperance movement.

Many citizens were forced to chase their headgear for blocks this morning. The wind was so heavy that hard hats were carried around like blossoms, and caps were tumbled all over the street. More than one person found the walks very slippery, so slippery that he could not hold his feet.

R. L. Cowan & Co., stock brokers, Toronto, are announcing their removal to their new offices at No. 36 King street east, directly opposite the King Edward hotel. This progressive firm have found it necessary to get larger premises in order to accommodate their ever-increasing business. Recently an addition has been made to the firm when A. Lyall Scott, one of the late members of the firm of Usher, Playfair & Martens, became a partner. Mr. Scott's wide connection in the stock broking business should be a distinct strength to the firm.

Cowan & Co. will be pleased to receive a call from the out-of-town public while visiting Toronto, when quotations from all markets on Cobalt stocks can be had.

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12.75 Coats for 6.38

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If not quite ready to buy, come and choose one and have it placed aside.



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For Children, in all sizes and different makes.

Drawers and Vests to match. Also Black Tights for Children of all ages.

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Drawers and Vests to match, in great variety.

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Good and high and easy to put on. For Small Girls and Boys, 3 buckles, sizes 6 to 10, \$1.50.

For Larger Girls, sizes 11 to 2, \$1.15.

For the Bigger Girls, sizes 2 1/2 to 7, \$2.00.

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