

The Best Place Is Best's

To buy Cameras, Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, Shaving Sets, Gigs, Humidors, Perfumes, Chocolates, Thermos Bottles, Perfume Sprays, Leather Hand Bags, Purses, Card Cases and Bill Folds, Safety Razors, Fine Fancy Stationery, Ebony Brushes, Waterman and Swan Fountain Pens.

Cameras, always acceptable, \$1.50 to \$20.00.

SPRAYS for perfume, \$1.00 to \$3.00.

Hand Bags, solid leather, 50 cents to \$5.00.

CHOCOLATES — Ganong's, Moir's, Patterson's, Clark's, Lundy's, the best makes, in fancy packages, 50c up.

Safety Razors, Gillette, Auto Strip, \$5.00.

Every Ready and Gem, \$1.00.

PERFUMES — Good extracts, fancy boxes, 25c to \$5.00.

Toilet and Manicure Sets, \$1.50 to \$25.00. In Ivory, Ebony and Silver.

XMAS MORNING

We deliver all chocolates especially ordered.

At Best's

The Popular Drug Store. Open Sundays.

SEE US WHEN YOU CANNOT SEE

A Paradox? No!

We provide proper glasses through which you can see.

Being eyesight specialists we know when eyes are wrong and why glasses are right.

See us—we understand our business.

KEELEY Jr., M. O. D. O.
OPTOMETRIST AND OPTICIAN
226 Princess Street
2 doors above the Opera House



Xmas Buying Made Easy

Our Forethought and Plannings at Your Disposal.

Great preparations made for Xmas shoppers. Smoking Jackets, House Coats, Dressing Gowns and Bath Robes.

Very early buying enables you to secure any of these lines at old prices.

They are made expressly for us in London, England.

They combine comfort and durability.

E. P. Jenkins
Clothing Company.

Tom Smith's CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS And CHRISTMAS CRACKERS

Christmas would not be complete without these fun makers.

- CRACKERS, per box 15c
- CRACKERS, per box 20c
- CRACKERS, per box 25c
- CRACKERS, per box 30c
- CRACKERS, per box 35c
- CRACKERS, per box 40c
- CRACKERS, per box 45c
- CRACKERS, per box 50c
- CRACKERS, per box 60c
- CRACKERS, per box 75c
- CRACKERS, per box 85c
- CRACKERS, per box \$1.00
- CRACKERS, per box \$1.25
- CRACKERS, per box \$1.50
- CRACKERS, per box \$1.75
- CRACKERS, per box \$2.00
- CRACKERS, per box \$2.25
- CRACKERS, per box \$2.50
- CRACKERS, per box \$2.75

CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS

- STOCKINGS, each 10c
- STOCKINGS, each 20c
- STOCKINGS, each 30c
- STOCKINGS, each 40c
- STOCKINGS, each 50c
- STOCKINGS, each 75c
- STOCKINGS, each \$1.00
- STOCKINGS, each \$1.50

Jas. Redden & Co.

PHONES 20 and 990.

THOMAS COPLEY
Telephone 987.

Drop a card to 19 Pine street when wanting anything done in the carpentry line. Estimates given on all kinds of repairs and new work; also hardwood floors of all kinds. All orders will receive prompt attention. Shop in Queen Street.

PHOTOS!

THE COOKE STUDIO
Has Removed to
159 Wellington Street,
One Door South of
Brock Street.

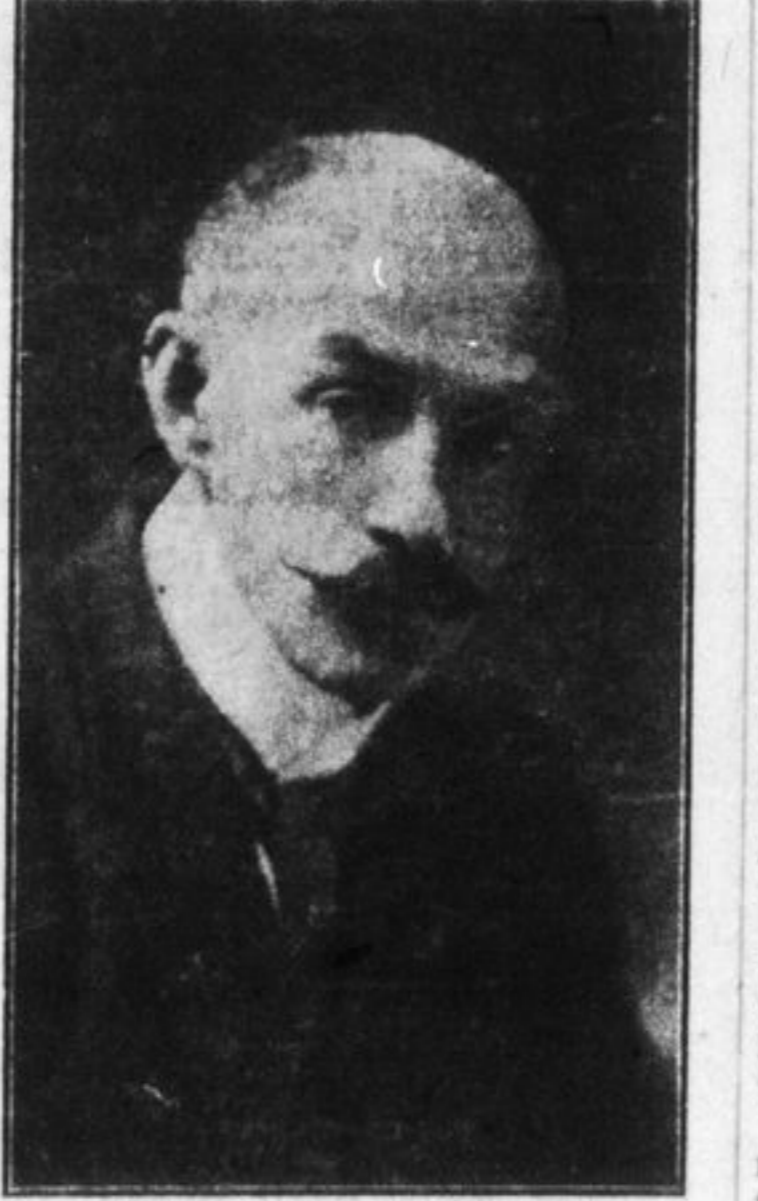
THE MUNICIPAL POT

BEGINNING TO BOIL IN THE CITY OF KINGSTON.

A Lively Contest Is On For The Mayorship Between Aids, McCann and Richardson—Some of the Aldermanic Candidates.

The Municipal pot, is beginning to boil. Up to a few days ago, it looked as if the smouldering fire under it would quite die out, but it is now being freshened into a more lively blaze. Candidates for the City Council in the different wards are now making their appeals to the electors, and it is expected that many more will be added to the list before the week is out.

In the Mayorship field, we have Dr. A. W. Richardson, who now sits



DR. A. W. RICHARDSON.

in the Council as Alderman from Cataract Ward. He is well and favorably known throughout the city. Dr. Richardson is considerably of a society man, being a prominent Oddfellow, Mason, etc. He has served in many public capacities, viz., for years on the Board of Education, where for one year he was Chairman; two years in the City Council, where he served on the Industry and Property Committee, and on the Board of Works, and this year on the Garbage Committee. Few men are better known throughout the city than Dr. Richardson. He is a hale, fellow, well-meaning, and most popular in all circles.

Another member of the Council, who was the first to throw his hat into the Mayorship arena is J. S. R. McCann. Mr. McCann has represented Frontenac Ward in Council for nine years. Like Dr. Richardson, his opponent, he is an ex-member of the Board of Education, having been secretary-treasurer of the Collegiate Institute at the time of the Board's united. He is a trustee of the Y. W. C. A.; has been connected with the Board of Trade for years, and has taken an active interest in patriotic work. Mr. McCann has also served on most of the important Committees of the Council, and is widely-acquainted throughout the city.

Aldermanic Candidates. Apparently we are going to see some new faces around the horse-shoe in 1916, but just what their names will be it is too early to predict. The cards in the newspapers announce the candidature of aldermanic aspirants are beginning to ap-



ALD. J. S. R. McCANN.

pear, and so far three out of four are new men. This is a hopeful sign. In Rideau Ward, Dr. C. C. Nash, dentist, has announced his intention of running. Dr. Nash is of the type of young men which the city is much in need of. He has been a resident of the city for about nine years, and so far has had no attempt to enter the civic arena, being too busy in building up his present splendid practise, in which he has now two or three men associated with him. For five years, Dr. Nash followed the teaching profession, during a portion of which time he spent on the staff of a business college. He has, therefore, had considerable business training and experience. He understands the labor situation, pretty thoroughly. It might be mentioned in passing that in 1902 Dr. Nash was the secretary of a Labor Union in Brockville.

Opposed to Dr. Nash, in Rideau Ward is George Latturey, who was an unsuccessful candidate last year. He, also, is young and energetic, and these two candidates ought to keep the voters of Rideau Ward pretty busy between now and election day. In Victoria Ward, C. J. Graham, the old war horse of that Ward, is again in the field. He asks for support on his past record, and as a non-partisan. He is too well-known to need comment here. Opposed to him is another young business man, who is breaking into civic politics, viz., Percy B. Chown. Mr. Chown has been a member of the Board of Education for some years, and has shown

considerable aptitude for public service. He is well-known in business circles, but he has not mixed in politics. His training on the Board of Education and in his business career should fit him to serve the city well.

Dr. Hanley's appointment as physician of the Kingston Penitentiary will make a vacancy in Sydenham Ward. So far, no announcement has been made as to those who will contest this ward. In St. Lawrence ward, Ald. W. J. B. White's term expires at the end of the year, and he will be a candidate for re-election. Ald. R. J. Gardiner is the retiring alderman in Ontario ward, and will accede to the requests of his friends by again going to the polls.

A THIEF WAS TRAPPED

ATTEMPTING TO STEAL PARCEL FROM HOTEL YARD.

Given Suspended Sentence—A Number of Recruits Secured At Napanee, For the 146th Battalion. Napanee, Dec. 21.—In the police court yesterday before Magistrate Rankin, Earle MacCumber, aged 20, appeared charged with the theft of a parcel containing a sheepskin lined coat and some parcels of groceries from a huge in the Royal Hotel yard on Saturday evening, belonging to Frank VanAlstine. A trap had been set on Saturday evening, with the result that McCumber was caught in the act of stealing the parcels and being brought before the Magistrate pleaded guilty. He was placed on suspended sentence. William West, charged with being drunk and disorderly, was sent up for twenty-one days.

"Hobby" Stark has arrived here from the west, to spend the winter with friends. An old resident, J. McNeill has left for Vancouver B.C., where he will reside for the future. Lieut. J. J. Graham attended a meeting of officers of the 146th Battalion at Kingston yesterday. A number of recruits have signed up for this battalion here.

THREE GOOD RULES.

- * Three good rules for Christmas shoppers:
- * 1. Do your buying at once.
- * 2. Do it in the forenoon, as far as possible.
- * 3. Read the shop announcements in the Whig before you start out.
- * The first rule will give you the best choice of goods, before they have become shop-handled.
- * The second will ensure you more comfort in shopping, and give you more leisure to make a satisfactory choice.
- * The third will show you where to go. Most of the stores make their announcements daily to you through the Whig. When you read them you know just where to go and what to buy.
- * There is another side to this. If you shop before the crowds are bigger and in the morning, and make up your mind from the advertisements, just what you want, you will confer a great favor on the salespeople in the stores.
- * The shopper who comes best prepared is the shopper who is best served.

GET RID OF HUMORS AND AVOID DISEASE

Humors in the blood cause internal derangements that affect the whole system, as well as pimples, boils and other eruptions. They affect all the organs and functions, membranes and tissues, and are directly responsible for the readiness with which some people contract disease. For forty years Hood's Sarsaparilla has been more successful than any other medicine in expelling humors and removing their inward and outward effects. It is distinguished for its thoroughness in purifying the blood, which it enriches and invigorates. No other medicine acts like it, for no other medicine is like it. Get Hood's Sarsaparilla today. Insist on having Hood's.

DAVIES'
Boiling Eggs
Every Egg Guaranteed
36c
The Wm. Davies Co.
Ltd., Phone 597.

PROBS: Fair and cold on Wednesday.



Steacy's--The Store of Endless Christmas Delights!

Thirty-six More Shopping Hours, Then Christmas!!

STORE OPEN TO-NIGHT, and every night until Xmas, for the convenience of those who cannot shop during the day.

Gift Suggestions for the Festal Season

- ### For Women
- Boudoir Caps from \$.15 to \$ 2.00
 - Camisoles, from 2.25 to 3.75
 - Whitewear, from69 to 10.50
 - Waists, from98 to 12.50
 - Silk Kimonos, from 7.00 to 12.50
 - New York Dresses, from 6.95 to 39.50
 - Winter Coats, from 7.50 to 37.50
 - Kid Gloves, from75 to 1.75
 - Lined Gloves, from 1.00 to 3.00
 - Silk Hose, from50 to 3.00
 - Cashmere Hose, from25 to .75
 - Madeira Linens, each, from25 to 6.50
 - Silk Dress, 5 yards, from 5.00 to 10.00
 - Novelty Neckwear, from25 to 1.50
 - Evening Scarfs, from 1.00 to 7.50
 - Handkerchiefs, from05 to 4.00
 - Skating Scarfs, from75 to 3.50
 - Bedroom Slippers, from 1.00 to 2.50
 - Gift Umbrellas, from 1.00 to 5.00

- ### For Men
- Special 50c Silk Ties25
 - 75c New York Ties50
 - Silk Scarfs, from75 to 7.50
 - Gift Suspenders, from25 to 1.50
 - Xmas Armlets, from25 to .50
 - Boston and Paris Garters, from25 to .50
 - Combination Sets, from75 to 1.50
 - Silk Handkerchiefs, from25 to 1.25
 - Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, from15 to .50
 - Silk Socks, from25 to .75
 - Cashmere Socks, from35 to .75
 - Dent's Kid Gloves, from 1.00 to 1.50
 - Lined Gloves and Mitts, from 1.00 to 3.00
 - Gift Umbrellas, from 1.00 to 3.50

- ### For the Kiddies
- Santa Claus Handkerchiefs, from15 to .25
 - Dent's White and Tan Kid Gloves, from50 to 1.00
 - Lined Gloves and Mitts, from50 to 1.00
 - Infants' Hug-me-tights, from75 to 1.25
 - Infants' Silk Kimona Sets, from 5.50 to 8.00
 - Knitted Overalls, from 1.00 to 2.25
 - Toques, Sashes and Mitts, from25 to .75
 - Bootees and Stockings, from25 to .60

OUR BEST ADVICE IS—SHOP IN THE MORNING.



STEAACY'S

"The Store With the Christmas Spirit."

JOHN M. PATRICK
Sewing Machines, Umbrellas, Suit Cases, Trunks, repaired and re-fitted. Saws filed, Knives and Scissors sharpened, Razors honed. All makes of Firearms repaired promptly. Locks repaired; Keys fitted. All makes of Lawn Mowers sharpened and repaired.
149 Sydenham St.

The Marrison Studio
"Our BABY PICTURES, like all portraits that we make, are natural in pose, properly lighted and beautifully finished. High class equipment and tireless tact are the reasons for our remarkable success in baby portraiture. Come in some morning and let us get acquainted with the baby."
Phone 1216, 90 PRINCESS ST.

Suggestions from the Jeweler for Christmas

- 1. A Cabinet of Sterling Silver for the Home, \$75.00.
- 1. Pearl Handled Dessert Knives and Forks, in Cases, from \$12 up.
- 1. Manicure Sets in Silver, Ebony, and White Ivory.
- 1. Gentlemen's Signet and Stone Rings, Tie Pins and Retainers, Cuff Links, Safety Razors, Wrist and Pocket Watches, Waldemar Chains, Travelling Sets, Military Brushes, Lockets, etc.
- 1. Ladies' Card Cases in Sterling, and cheaper; Necklets in profusion; Bracelet Watches, expanding from \$12.00 up, with guarantee; Diamond Rings and Earrings, Pearl Beads and Rosaries.

SMITH BROS.
JEWELERS AND OPTICIANS.
Issuers of Marriage Licenses.