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IN THE SOUTH WARD

Candidates for Mayor, Aldermen and School Trustees Give Their Views.

Keen Interest Taken by the Electors in the Issue of the Campaign.

There was a fairly good attendance at the meeting held at the South Park school last evening for the purpose of hearing the views of the candidates for civic honors.

Mayor Teague was the first speaker. Although the council of 1895 had been bolstered at times they had been doing their best for the city. He was sorry that the annual reports were not in the hands of the ratepayers yet, but this was because it had been decided to make the report very complete.

Mr. J. G. Thacka read a letter he had addressed to the electors of South Ward. As to day labor or contract he would have to see the statistics and decide. From what he had heard, however, he believed day labor was the most economical.

Mr. Sprague asked Mayor Teague's idea of the isolation hospital. Mayor Teague thought it would be well to have the isolation hospital connected in connection with the Jubilee hospital.

Mr. Sprague again referred to the conduct of the health department and wanted to know if the candidate would allow it to continue during the coming year. He referred to the treatment his family had received at the hands of the health officer.

Mr. Sprague said such matters had to be left in the hands of the health officer and if he did not do his duty there was a way of dealing with him. He personally considered that Mr. Sprague did have a grievance.

Ald. Wilson, after speaking of the Hutchison investigation, said the superintendent was doing much better since the investigation. Taking up the Sprague case, the alderman said Mr. Sprague had not had the matter before the board of health, but had written to the newspapers.

Ald. McLeLan, referring to the council of 1895, said they had paid all their debts and had something left. He dealt generally with civic affairs.

Mr. John Robertson spoke very briefly, it being after 11 o'clock. It was the duty of the mayor and aldermen to give work to the residents of the city and care for the destitute. He had opposed Victoria West being taken into the city, as he did not consider that the corporation could do justice to the enlarged city. He had always favored day labor.

A vote of thanks to the chairman concluded the meeting.

lic works. He referred to many of the works carried out by the council during the year. The straightening out and filling in of Belleville street was an important work as at present the people of James Bay, where there was heavy traffic, had to depend entirely on the old bridge. He did not favor borrowing money this year, but the first loan would necessarily be for constructing a new bridge.

Mr. John Jardine said he came out at the request of a number of electors. He believed the present aldermen had worked conscientiously, but they had done much that they should not have done and much money had been squandered. The time had come when a retaining wall should be built across James Bay, at either side of which handsome buildings were being erected.

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Corporation of the City of Victoria.

Balance Sheet, 31st December, 1895.

Table with columns for ASSETS and LIABILITIES. Assets include Sinking Funds, Waterworks Loan, Public Works, etc. Liabilities include Loans, Waterworks, etc. Total assets and liabilities are \$1,830,163.00.

Receipts and Expenditures, 1895.

Table with columns for RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURES. Receipts include Cash on hand, Bank of B. N. A., etc. Expenditures include Interest under annual sinking funds, Municipal Council, etc. Total receipts and expenditures are \$1,830,163.00.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE. MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

ELECTION OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Public notice is hereby given to the electors of the municipality of Victoria that I require the presence of the said electors at the City Hall on Monday, the 18th day of January, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the municipal council as Mayor and Aldermen.

\$25.00 REWARD.

The above reward is hereby offered for such information as shall lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons tampering or interfering in any way with any manhole, ventilator, flush tank, or other part of the sewerage system of the City of Victoria.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, O. M. & Victoria, B.C., August 1st, 1895.

JANUARY. Table with columns S, M, T, W, T, F, S and rows 5-26.

To Speak

of "Drugs" is to think of "Jones." The two are inseparable—pure drugs and Jones. Insist upon Jones being your responsibility. Then you are sure of the best.

P. P. P., Government St. JOSHUA DAVIES AUCTIONEER, Room 7, - Board of Trade Building.

The Daily Times.

WEST HURON.

Probably the Bowell government, in its present condition of utter demoralization, will not feel very keenly the blow inflicted upon it by West Huron. It has been so vigorously kicked and flouted by its own friends and members that this additional touch from the toe of the West Huron boot may fail to make any impression on its calloused anatomy. Outsiders, however, will be apt to see the significance of Mr. Cameron's election by so large a majority in a district that was so villainously gerrymandered for the purpose of making it solidly Conservative.

On Monday, January 6th the Montreal Star published the report that Mr. Laurier had been called to Ottawa by a dispatch from His Excellency the Governor-General, and that he would arrive at the capital at noon that day. The Star will be surprised to learn that it was guilty of forgery and lying in order to influence the bye-election in Victoria.

The Conservative Montreal Gazette understands the Victoria "handwriting on the wall." Here is its opinion: "Hon. Mr. Prior has been re-elected in Victoria, after assuming the portfolio of controller of inland revenue, but only by a small majority. He had to fight against a good many difficulties, the things were going against the government of which he had just become a member."

A REVIVAL OF FALCONRY. Its Cruelty Defended as Being Less Than That Inflicted by Shooting. Considering the sport obtained during the past autumn, it is surprising that falconry is not a much more popular pastime.

ONE FOR MORGAN. Dishonest and hypocritical politicians are the great curse of the United States, and one of the chief among them is Senator Morgan, of Alabama. It is a serious misfortune to any people when a man of his stamp is able to climb to a place of power and influence among them.

much more than half of the British claim. Unfortunately, Senator Morgan, of Alabama, was one of the American members of the mixed commission, and, also unfortunately, a member of the Senate committee on foreign relations. He found it becoming actually to resist the passage of the appropriation required to pay what had been decided by arbitration to be in principle a just claim.

No blame for this breach of the national good faith can be imputed to the President. The appropriation having failed last year, he made another appeal in his annual message, either that it should be made or that another arbitration should be had to fix the amount due.

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When the journey was resumed, Miss Kingsley found the traps numerous and every kind of obstacle placed in the path. At almost every town the Fongwe stopped the expedition and wanted to eat the three Fongwe elephant men, as they were enemies.

Miss Kingsley refused to relate any gorilla stories, saying that too much doubt was cast upon all such stories by the public. She saw many large gorillas but these invariably made off on the approach of the hand.

The natives at the back of the Gaboon colony spoke English, not French, of course, in broken style. Owing to tribal fighting, Miss Kingsley had to make a detour and came on the, as yet, unexplored Lake N'Govi.

CLEARANCE SALE

Our Entire Stock of Furniture, Crockery, Glassware, Carpets, Oilcloths, Window Blinds, Curtain Poles, Etc., will be sold at Cost Price. Many Goods Below Cost for cash only. Holiday Goods, such as Fine Bisque Figures, Vases and all Ornamental Goods at Half Price.

The Stock Must Be Sold.

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