HOME SMITH OFFER ADOPTED DESPITE M'BRIDE'S PROTEST

Humber Boulevard Scheme Will Go Ahead—Council Unanimously Supported Fat Stock Show Project—Civic Survey Approved—Abolition of Express Stands Not Ratified.

It was a field night for the cattle dealers in the city council last night. There was some $47,000 to be pledged against an expected deficit in the first National Fat Stock Show to be held in Exhibition Park in a few weeks. Controller Foster was complimented for the forcefulness of his appeal for support of the show. The $47,000 was pledged by a unanimous vote.

An additional issue of $700,000 of debentures for the extension of the plant of the civic hydro-electric system was attacked by Controller Foster, but when Mayor Hocken was thru stating the needs of the system and the reasonable prices received for Toronto securities, the $700,000 was authorized.

There was no discussion upon the request for a survey of the civic government. Controller Church alone voted against it.

The final agreement with Home Smith for the Humber boulevard involved an exchange of ten acres of land. Ald. McBride contended that the route of the boulevard has been made to suit Home Smith much more than the city. He moved to refer back the agreement for more consideration. "Home Smith has put it all over you fellows," he said to the controllers. Ald. McCarthy explained the unreasonableness of Ald. McBride's assertion, and the agreement was adopted.

The estimates of the National Fat Stock Show, $46,689, raised a discussion as to whether the council should approve them, when private individuals will finance the show this year and rely upon next year's council to make good any deficit.

Not Fair to Guelph.

"Men today are mortgaging their homes to pay their taxes," said Ald. McBride, "and how can we ask the ratepayers to pay for a deficit in running a fat stock show? The cattle that would be shown here would go on to Chicago, and be taken away from Guelph. Toronto has got the name of hogtown. We are not acting fairly to Guelph. Some people in Toronto cannot get food and clothing these times. We should not ask them to make up a deficit of a fat stock show."

"The Union Stock Yards people are against the show, and that accounts for the opposition in this council," Ald. Wanless charged.

Foster in Support.

"It is well known that Guleph cannot give transportation and hotel accommodation for a national fat stock show of the size now demanded by the stock raising interests of Canada," Controller Foster said. "The men who are behind the organization here are in the class of the most successful. They may be depended upon to operate a show that will have very little deficit from the outset. We're spending $300,000 to provide a municipal abattoir which will protect the people of this city from a meat combine. Why can't we spend a few thousands in making this city the centre for the prize cattle exhibitors? We have a most able manager for the show. In two or three years we will have federal and provincial grants."

Controller Foster's appeal for support of the show was lengthy and most admirable. He made a strong point on the necessity for Toronto taking an active interest in the development of the meat industry in Canada, an industry that is now turning over millions of dollars and is steadily increasing.

To Educate The Farmer.

"The real purpose of the show is to educate the farmer in stock raising and the great possibilities in that department of farming," Ald. Maybee said.

"If the city pledges payment of any deficit. It will itake away the stimulus of the promoters to make the show a financial success," Ald. Anderson declared. "However, now that we have gone into the municipal abattoir, we must hold up our end in catering to the stock-raising interests. If the promoters of the show, tho, fall down financially, we will be inclined to say that the stimulus slackened the moment the city pledged itself to meet any deficit up to $47,000."

The recommendation to pledge the $47,000 was carried unanimously.

No Debate on Survey.

Supported by a large deputation of business men, Sir Edmund Osler addressed the council upon the advisability of having a survey of the civic government. He was followed by James Ryrie and John Macdonald. The request for a survey was adopted without debate. The survey will likely be started in a week.

The recommendation of the committee on works that all express stands on public highways be abolished on December 31, was not adopted. The board of control had recommended against abolishing the stands.

Extension of Wilton avenue to Coxwell avenue was adopted.

Each Lot a Hundred Feet.

Another recommendation of the works committee that no lot in subdivisions have a less depth than 100 feet, was adopted. The board of control had recommended against it.

The rounding of the corners of Queen and Bay streets and Queen and Teraulay streets, recommended by Commissioner Harris, was adopted.

Time for which outsiders within the 500 foot limit may apply for water service was extended to December 15.

Station For Island Police.

Again there was debate over the erection of a police station, with residence, on the island, but it was carried.

Stree lighting in Moore Park was adopted.

Foster Moves to Save.

When consideration was being given to the recommendation that W. N. Ferguson, K.C., be appointed counsel for the city in the investigation before Judge Denton, of the charges of Ald. Burgess of inefficiency of fire protection, Controller Foster moved that the recommendation be struck out. He contended that the lawyers in the civic legal departments should do the work and save the expense of an outside counsel.

"If our corporation counsel will not undertake to put the fear of God in any civic employe, then he is too small a man for the job," Ald. Wickett declared.

Office Overworked.

"Corporation Counsel Geary excused himself from taking the case because his office is overworked," Controller O'Neill explained.

"A man who has been mayor several years has inside knowledge of departments, and he should not be asked to use that knowledge in prosecuting a case against a civic department," Controller McCarthy said. Ald. Anderson supported this view.

"Outside counsel will cost us $100 a day," Controller Foster declared.

"Mr. Ferguson has accepted a brief, and that is binding," Controller Church said.

Ferguson Appointed Counsel.

Only four voted for striking out the recommendation that Mr. Ferguson be appointed. They are: Controller Foster and Ald. Wickett, Hubbard and Robbins.

Ald. Wanless moved that the city solicitor first pass upon plans of subdivisions, so that serious mistakes be avoided. The motion carried.

Ald. Ryding put thru a motion that the abattoirs abate the smell nuisance forthwith, or that action be taken. Mayor Hocken remarked that the department of health is now bringing action against the abattoirs.

To Help Traffic Uphill.

Ald. Rawlinson moved that a horse and man be stationed on Yonge street at the C. P. R. tracks to help heavily loaded vehicles up the grade. This was adopted.

Ald. McBride put thru a motion that the medical officer of health confer with the owners of the old foundry building on East Queen street, and arrange that the buildings be torn down and removed.

Representatives of the municipalities within the proposed metropolitan area have been invited to a conference in the city hall on Oct. 22. The visitors will be afterward entertained with a luncheon.

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STRICKEN AFTER PUBLIC SPEECH

Timothy L. Woodruff, Former Lieut.-Governor of New York State, is Attacked With Paralysis.

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—(Canadian Press.)—Timothy L. Woodruff, former lieutenant-governor of New York, was stricken tonight in Cooper Union just as he concluded an address at the fusion notification meeting. Physicians who attended Mr. Woodruff announced that he had suffered a stroke of paralysis and that his condition was serious.

Mr. Woodruff on being stricken was carried to an ante room, where he was attended by two physicians. Later he was taken in his automobile to his apartments in an uptown hotel, accompanied by Mrs. Woodruff, who had attended the meeting.

Timothy Lester Woodruff, who is 55 years old, has been a political figure in New York for nearly thirty years. Up to a year ago, when he left the Republican party and joined the Progressives, there were few state and city Republican conventions that he did not attend as a delegate. In 1888 he was elected a delegate to the Republican national convention, and at 1908 convention he nominated James Schoolcraft Sherman for vice-president. From 1897 to 1903 Mr. Woodruff was lieutenant-governor of New York.

Third Auto Victim

The death of Arthur Brooks, 2 Roslin place, at the General Hospital yesterday, marks the third fatality in the automobile wreck on Cooksville road last Thursday morning. The two other victims were William McKay and James Thomas.

Brooks was 35 years of age, and leaves a widow and four children.

FATALLY INJURED BY MOTORCYCLE

Mrs. Bruce Struck on Spadina Avenue, Died Soon After.

ACCIDENTS OF A DAY

Number of Citizens Meet With Slight Mishaps—Frazer Brought Back.

Elizabeth Bruce, 49 years of age, of 252 Spadina avenue, died yesterday evening in St. Michael's Hospital from injuries sustained by being struck by a motorcycle driven by Fred Roseblade of 726 East Queen street, on Spadina avenue, near Grange road, yesterday afternoon.

Alighting hurriedly from a Harbord car, which had taken her past her stopping point Mrs. Bruce was run down from behind by the motorcycle. At St. Michael's Hospital it was discovered that the injuries to her head were of a serious nature. She died on the operating table.

The body was conveyed to the morgue in the police ambulance, where an inquest will be opened tomorrow by Dr. Pickering.

Skull Fractured.

Wm. Moore of 1926 Dundas street was conveyed to the General Hospital yesterday suffering from a fractured skull sustained by falling off a wagon on Dundas street yesterday afternoon. When picked up Moore was unconscious, but came round at the hospital, where his recovery is expected.

Fell Off Wagon.

Thrown to the pavement when a King street car struck the rear of his wagon at the corner of King and River street last evening, Alfred Neighbor of 96 Eastern avenue, was conveyed to the General Hospital yesterday with a cut in his arm which required half a dozen stitches.

Thomas McLean Arrested.

Thomas McLean was arrested by a store detective in the act of lifting an article, and when searched considerable jewelery as well as other articles were found on him. He was brought to the cells in charge of Detective Guthrie.

Frazer Brought Back.

Herman Frazer, charged with the theft of a team of horses and a wagon from Charles Ward of this city, was brought back by Detective Guthrie from Fenelon Falls last night, where he had been arrested. Frazer is alleged to be the man who disposed of the outfit near Bradford for over $200. He restored part of the money to the rightful owner, but disappeared before paying over the balance.

Wounded by Bullet.

With a bullet wound in his head, 16-year-old Maurice Hambler of Aurora, lies in a critical condition at the General Hospital. Hambler received the wound in a shooting expedition Sunday, when he and a friend were shooting at a target. Hambler, lying beside the mark to point out to his friend where the bullets were striking, jumped up too soon, and received a shot in the head. He was to have been operated on last night, but his condition was so serious that the operation had to be delayed until this morning.

Seized With Fit.

Seized with a fit while visiting at the home of Wm. Cox at 145 Portland street George Kay fell against a table, sustaining a slight gash on the back of his head at 10 o'clock last night. He was removed to the Western Hospital in F. W. Matthew Co.'s ambulance.

PREFER TO HAVE NO LUNCH HOUR

Oakwood School Will Send Committee to Wait on Board re Change.

Pupils of Oakwood High School, with their mothers and friends, met in the school building last night to consider the action of the school board in changing the school hours back to the old schedule. The balance of opinion was that as the majority of the children come 40 minutes on the street car to school, the hour and a half lunch hour is of no use. They would have to bring a lunch anyway.

A committee was appointed which will bring the matter to the notice of the board.

GRIGGS ON BROWNING.

Edward Howard Griggs has no living peer as an orator. He is especially able as an interpreter of the philosophy of the great poets. His courses on Dante and on Shakspere are remembered by many as the greatest lecture courses ever given in Toronto. His course of eight lectures on the poetry and philosophy of Browning will be given in Young Women's hall, McGill street, on Oct. 2, and succeeding Thursday evenings.

ITALIAN FIGHT

Giuseppe D'Alesandro, the Italian who was wounded in the drunken brawl in the ward on Sunday, is no relation to D'Alesandro, the well-known Toronto musical director.

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MAGISTRATES LAX IN FINING FAKERS

Lenient Judges to Be Brought on the Carpet by J. Lockie Wilson.

DIRECTORS AT FAULT

Some Fair Grants May Be Taken Away From Careless Committee.

The increasing number of gentry who start out at this season of the year with chance games of every variety, calculated to separate hard-earned silver from young Ontario as he gathers at the fall fairs, is occasioning a serious consternation in the agricultural department of the provincial government. More serious are the charges made by the officials to the effect that the carelessness of magistrates in letting off on suspended sentence men convicted of law-breaking in this regard is merely fostering the increase of such undesirables. Ten cases of this nature have been brought up already this fall in different parts of the province, where the "fakers" pulled up at one gathering and allowed to go with a warning, have fled them forth to new fields of harvest.

The matter is to be taken up seriously, according to J. Lockie Wilson, superintendent of provincial fall fairs. Either pressure will be brought to bear on lenient judges or it will be recommended to the attorney-general that their commissions of office be removed. The detective force employed by the department, they claim, is practically tied up. Their services in bringing the operators of games of chance to court are rendered fruitless by the practice of suspended sentence.

"I say that any magistrate who allows these men off on suspended sentence should lose his commission," declared Mr. Wilson. "Detective Brodie has a large staff of men under him at the present time, but he cannot cover the whole province. Even the machines are not confiscated. The magistrates are not living up to the law."

There is a suspicion, however, that the whole fault does not lie in this quarter. It has become known that certain local fall fair directors in their anxiety for profit make contracts with such outfits. In doing so they are liable to loss of the government grant, because the operation of wheels of fortune is declared illegal on the statutes, and a penalty is declared for carelessness. The department is seeking power to remove the grants of any association on whose grounds these machines are found in operation. This it is hoped will be in force next year.

The department has learned that no less than six of these booths were in full blast at the Windsor, Amherstburg and Essex fall fairs, proximity to the border serving as an inducement to illegality. The most popular form is that of the old-style spinning wheel which stops at a certain number.

There are 100 fall fairs yet to come off and special efforts will be made to break up any games still running. With this aim in view the chief detective was in the city yesterday completing the organization of his staff.

TRIPLE VICTORY WON BY SULZER

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not smooth Mr. Taylor the right way had some bearing on the question."

"Objection sustained," ruled Judge Cullen; "he has already said he voted against the bill, and if this witness was already against the bill it showed he did not receive the price of a corrupt bargain."

Did Not Vote.

On practically the same grounds Judge Cullen held that the charges in connection with the Prime case were likewise invalid. The difference was that at the regular session of the legislature Prime did not vote at all.

Judge Cullen also ruled out all evidence intended to show that the proposed legislation of Assemblyman Sweet was for the public good.

With the introduction of evidence of three more campaign contributions not reported in the governor's statement of campaign receipts, and of more evidence concerning the governor's alleged Wall street speculations, the assembly managers drew near the end of their case today.

It was announced that with the calling of possibly two more contributors and one or two other witnesses, the case against the governor would probably be completed.

Missing Witness Found.

The long missing Frederick L. Colwell, the governor's alleged "dummy" in Wall street transactions, is in a sanitarium, according to counsel for the governor, but will consent to testify as the governor's witness under stipulation that he be not placed under arrest for refusing to obey the subpoena of the Frawley investigating committee. Counsel for the managers had not decided tonight whether to agree to this stipulation.

If the subpoena can be served upon him, J. B. Gray of the stock exchange firm of Fuller & Gray, where the governor is alleged to have speculated with some of his campaign contributions, will be a witness tomorrow. Thus far counsel have been unable to locate him. His partner, Arthur L. Fuller, who was on the stand today, said that this was the fault of the subpoena-servers, as Mr. Gray had been making no effort to evade service.

Fuller and his employes gave testimony today tending to show that Colwell had purchased 300 shares of "Big Four" stock thru Fuller & Gray, for which was paid $17,000 in cash.

Account Produced.

Melville B. Fuller, a brother of the witness, who also testified, produced a transcript of Governor Sulzer's account with his firm (Harris & Fuller), as brought out by the Frawley committee.

Just at the close of the session today, the assembly managers introduced into evidence a bank account of Hugh J. Reilly, a contractor and railroad builder for the Cuban Government, who recently announced that he loaned Governor Sulzer $26,000 in cash. Reilly had relations with Sulzer when the latter was chairman of the foreign affairs committee in congress. He may be a witness tomorrow.

PEACE MOVEMENT IS WORLD-WIDE

Langford Davies of Cambridge Says It is Spreading Rapidly.

LABOR AND LEARNING

Was the Combination That First Started the Peace Movement.

A world-wide peace movement is not only feasible and possible, but it is coming and those living today will be alive to witness it.

Langford Davies, M.A., of Cambridge University, is the man who declares that this will come to pass. He arrived in Toronto last night in a capacity which would best be described as a peace ambassador to Canada.

Interviewed by The World at the King Edward last night the distinguished peace apostle said that in conjunction with Norman Angel, he was conducting a peace campaign on the American continent.

The movement to begin with embraced principally the students and labor organizations, a combination of labor and learning. In the United States the campaign was being conducted under the auspices of the Carnegie Peace Endowment Fund, and the World Peace Foundation and the American Association for International Conciliation. In Canada the campaign was being inaugurated thru the Richard Garton Foundation, which was founded by Sir Richard Garton. Great results have been obtained thru the Garton Foundation in England by the establishment of what are called war and peace societies. All who desire to study the problems of international polity are welcome as members. The foundation has been sending lecturers all over England with the object of the formation of peace circles, and they are being organized in large numbers all thru Great Britain.

Those behind this movement decided to make it world-wide, and the presence in America of Norman Angel and Langford Davies was the start of that campaign. By means of this it is hoped first, to bring all associations of a country favorable to peace into working together o nthe question and from that bring the associations of the various countries into an international peace movement which will eventually be world-wide.

Mr. Davies is to give a number of lectures in the city during this week and will then proceed to Montreal. From there he leaves on an extended lecture tour thru the United States. During the next few months he intends to give on a naverage from two to three lectures daily.

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Owning 1500 acres of cotton land at Corpus Christi, Texas, Mr. Clarkson has donated $1000 a year for a term of years to the Texas State Department of Agriculture to promote improved methods of cotton culture.

After building up a successful mail order publishing business, Mr. Clarkson made a notable achievement by placing before the public the easy method course for playing the piano or parlor organ. So simple is this method that any person of average intelligence can by studying it for an hour play a selection from the easy method forms. The feature of the method is that, instead of the mysterious notes of the musical bars and notation, the letters of the alphabet, which the notes represent, are actually used. The simplification is almost magical.

During the first three years that the easy method was on the market, the David B. Clarkson Company sold 5000 courses. The next three years the total was 257,015. During the past six months an aggregate of over 300,000 courses sold has been attained.

Jack R. de Rulac will have charge of the Toronto office, which will be headquarters for Canada for the easy method music course.

Mr. Clarkson will return to Toronto shortly to open a Canadian branch of his book publishing house.

COMPLETE REST IS POPE'S NEED

Pius X. is Suffering From Slight Chill, But Symptoms Are Not Alarming.

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ROME, Sept. 29.—Pope Pius X. is resting quietly tonight. No further symptoms of any nature to cause alarm have appeared. A slight chill, caught in the courtyard while listening to the music on Thursday last, was due more to fatigue than a change of temperature. His Holiness saw several cardinals privately today, and transacted business with Cardinal Secretary Merry del Val. Those in the Pope's entourage emphatically deny any real indisposition, but the fact that the public audiences have been postponed till further notice indicates the necessity of a complete rest.

NEW YORK STATE TO SUPPLY POWER

To Hydro-Electric Commission in Eastern Ontario Counties.

WORK IS UNDER WAY

Toward Supplying Lower End of the Province With Hydro.

The Hydro-Electric Commission is looking forward with confidence to a rapid supply of power to eastern Ontario. The actual construction work has been proceeding in good shape, and negotiations are now under way with regard to the supply of power. The understanding for some time has been that a large block of power would be secured from across the border, and this matter is receiving the immediate attention of Hon. Mr. Beck.

Present indications point to the energy coming across the River St. Lawrence to make connections with the supply at Morrisburg, which will be linked up with the entire region. Application has been made to the federal minister of public works to this end, and a favorable answer awaited with confidence.

The arrangement will be made with New York State, thru the New York & St. Lawrence Power Co. In the transmission the province will take the power from the boundary, and the contract under which operations will be started provides 5000 horsepower to begin with, the ultimate amount not exceeding 15,000.

NO POVERTY NOW IN EARLSCOURT

Residents in Northwest District Organize to Live Down Reputation.

Forty business men of Earlscourt met last night in Loblow's Hall to organize the Earlscourt District Voters' Association. Officers were elected and problems were outlined for consideration at coming meetings. It was suggested that the time has come when Earlscourt should do something to live down the "poverty" reputation she gained in 1907 by acquiring a park and a public library.

The attitude of the Canadian and Dominion Express Companies in refusing to deliver goods in the district on the excuse of bad roads was adversely criticized and referred to the executive committee for action.

The officers elected are as follows: President, G. Holmes; secretary, John Walsh; assistant secretary, Alexander Orton; vice-president, James McClelland; treasurer, Hayden Maxwell. Messrs. Little, Pidgeon, Harry Bell, Phillips, Moon, Lord, and Goodwell will constitute the executive committee.

Meetings of the association will be held monthly. It is planned to organize a big rally soon at which Mayor Hocken will speak.

FIRE INQUIRY HAS COMMENCED

Judge Denton yesterday morning opened the fire investigation ordered by the city council some time ago. The island fire on April 20 was the first to be dealt with. Sergeant Miles explained that the alarm had been turned in at 1.15, and that the fire tug arrived half an hour later. The fire apparatus did not reach the island until some time after that. He stated that the whole island would have been wiped out had not the fire tug responded to the alarm. The evidence of other witnesses was much the same as given before the city council. The enquiry will continue today.

EXEMPTION BYLAW CARRIES.

FOREST, Sept. 29.—(Special.)— The bylaw to exempt the Forest basket factory from municipal taxation for ten years was voted on, today and carried by a vote of 210 to 56. In consideration of the exemption the factory will double its capacity and will now employ one hundred hands.

HAMILTON WANTS MORE TERRITORY

Movement is on Foot to Annex the Jockey Club Property.

ALD. HOPKINS SHOCKED

Surprised at Betting Offer Made by R. F. Miller.

HAMILTON, Sept. 29.—(Special.)—It was announced today that a scheme was afoot to annex the Hamilton Jockey Club to the city. Controller Morris and City Solicitor Waddell were in conference on the scheme this morning, and it was said that the proposition would be submitted to the board of control in the near future.

Controller Morris proposed to annex a strip of land from the base line to the mountain, following a line about 150 feet east of Kenilworth avenue. He claimed that as the Jockey Club and other properties in that locality will benefit greatly by the street railway extensions in the east end, the land should be taken into the city and the owners forced to pay city taxes. At the present time people owning surrounding land were forced to pay city taxes, while the Jockey Club, one of the biggest money-making concerns in Hamilton, paid only a small tax to the Township of Barton.

The controller contended that annexation of the club's land would mean additional revenue sufficient to offset the expense the city will be put to in extending the street car lines.

It was said that the club officials would object to such a scheme, and that the question would likely be taken before the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board.

More Correspondence.

Ald. Dr. Hopkins today called the turn on R. F. Miller of the National Gas Co. The alderman recently wrote to Mr. Miller to the effect that he would be willing to pay the costs of having an expert examine the gas fields of the company so that the people would know the exact quantity of gas available before they voted on the bylaw.

In reply, Mr. Miller offered a contra challenge, in which he agreed to wager $5000 with the alderman if the latter could prove that he had made any misrepresentation of facts.

Ald. Hopkins submitted the following answer to the press today:

"Mr. R. F. Miller:

"Dear Sir,—I am in receipt of your recent favor, and in reply will say that I am astonished at your evasion of my proposal.

"Your attempt to turn this question into a gambling matter instead of treating it as a sound business proposition must be recognized by the public, and after Controller Morris having so highly recommended you as a 'good Methodist, a Christian and a gentleman of sterling qualities,' your betting offer comes as quite a shock and is greatly at variance with the sort of gentleman that the worthy controller would have the people believe you are, and certainly not the calibre of person that should be placed in possession of public utility privileges in this city. If you attempt to mislead them at the start, what could the public expect after you had obtained these rights?

"Your failure to accept my offer must be considered an admission on your part that you have made exaggerated statements as to the quantity of gas that you have available.

"If you wish to maintain the position that you would assume, it must be accepted by the public as an attempt on your part to deceive the voters and ratepayers of the city.

"An immediate acceptance or refusal of my offer will be appreciated.

"Yours truly,

"Ald. Hopkins."

The serial war still continues and the next chapter is expected soon.

James Bruce and his wife, who figured in the mysterious poisoning case of Rose Ziepe at the City Hospital about a year ago, were again in the limelight at police court this morning. Bruce was charged by his wife with non-support.

Thru his counsel, C. W. Bell, who successfully defended him in the poisoning case, Bruce pleaded not guilty.

Mr. Bell asked for an adjournment. "Your worship," he said to Magistrate Jelfs, "I think if an adjournment is arranged in this case I can produce several witnesses to testify regarding Mrs. Bruce's character.

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