#### 12 THURSDAY MORNING

production of power by producer gas

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days of deputations on this question: Our position is that the govern-ment should take up this question, consult experts upon it, decide whe-ther or not the better plan would be for the government to establish a plant at Niagara Falls and furn-

ish electrical power to all the muni-cipalities within 15 miles at cost, or whether the best plan would oe

to appoint commissioners and pro-vide for a union of municipalities,

but, whether one way or the other, it ought to be done, and in my opinion the government which fails to take the matter up as a gov-ernment question, and deal with it

ernment question, and geal with it from a government standpoint, will be criminally negligent, and will be so considered and adjudicated to be by the people of Ontario. 1 have no hesitation in saying that the government of this province should do what Mr. Miscampbell

says—the government should either produce the power itself or control the producers of it, so that the municipalities would receive it at cost or a very slight advance over

Wisdom Then and Now.

"If what I have read here was wisdom when it was uttered, it is wis-dom to-day. The circumstances and

dom to day. The circumstances and the various developments have changed, but I see very little, indeed nothing, to lead me to alter what I said, altho there may be something which I desire to add. Naturally difficulties will be found in the way. We do not know what complications may arise between Great Britain and the United States, and the Dominion and the States, con-cerning the Falls. But the govern-ment of Ontario will be day and night upon the watch in order to see that

upon the watch in order, to see that the interests of the people of this pro-vince are not sacrificed in reference

to this question. There is a large sec-tion of the Province of Ontario out-

Mr. Whitney went on to announce

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### HYDRO-ELECTRIC REPORT Continued From Page 4.

side the immediate influence of Niagara Falls, and we cannot forget these other The operating charges on such a plant sections. This question must not be dealt with from a geographical point of would be as follows: 50.000 horsepower .....\$544,300 view. 75,000 horsepower ..... 661,700

811,100 that the report of the power commission 



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yearly cost, \$11.16; percentage of capital cost, 9.62. 75,000 horsepower, net power, 73-120; yearly cost, \$3.65; percent-age of capital cost, 9.68. 100,000 horsepower, net power, 9.64. 100,000 horsepower, net power, 9.65. 100,000 horsepower, 100 horsepower, 100

## THE TORONTO WORLD

been made chiefly by private companies; "And whereas private companies will and do sell power at as high a rate as possible, with prices based on coal as

possible, with prices based on coal as a source of power. "Resolved, that the municipalities now present and represented in the city hall. Toronio, having an urban and rural population of over 1,000,000, re-spectfully urge upon the governor-in-council of the Province of Ontario the necessity of safeguarding the people's interests by originating, as a govern-ment measure, legislation enabling the governor-in-council to appoint a perma-nent provincial commission, with power to take, where considered by it advis-able, the following action: The con-struction, purchase, or expropriation of works for the generation, transmission and distribution of electric power, heat and distribution of electric power, heat or light. To arrange with any existing development company or compa-nies for the acquisition or purchase by ness for the acquisition or purchase by or from such company or companies of power at a reasonable price, so as to be transmitted and sold by the govern-ment to municipalities or others. Also to vest in it the powers necessary to enable it to regulate the price at which electricity shall be sold to all and every consumer, whether municipal, corporate or private."

### FARMERS FOR AUTO BILLS.

Would Have Restrictions Go Furth-er Than is Provided.

In support of the provisions of the auto bills of Mr. Sutherland and Mr. Lennox, a deputation of farmers from the Niagara District appeared before the municipal committee of the legis-lature yesterday.

Besides approving the bills the de-putation wanted it enacted that the owner of an auto should be liable for

regulations. T. A. Russell spoke for the manu-facturers, asking that the auto industry be not discouraged. Mr. C. Ellis, speaking for the Toronto Automobile Club, said its country runs had been stopped in an effort to have the law carried out.

#### Y.W.C.A. HEADQUARTERS OPEN

### Formal Ceremony Yesterday-Mis Little Delegate to France.

An event of more than local interest was the opening yesterday of the new headquarters of the Dominion Council ciation of Canada, over the Canadian Bank of Commerce, at College-street EACH



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'We will have to consider," said the Transmission of Power.

Transmission of Power. The estimates on transmission are to invest from \$15,000,000 to \$25,000,000 based upon the purchase of a right of way over the entire district 100 feet wide between Niagara and Hamilton; 66 feet wide, between Hamilton and Toronto, This is the manner in which this ques and 33 feet wide, alongside of high- tion must be approached, and this is ways or railways for the remainder. the manner in which all the gentlemen. Steel towers similar to those of the Toplaces they represented. ronto-Niagara Power Company are pro-tion shall be approached. Having vided for. From Niagara to Toronto shown that despite the years that have the double towers will be used and thruout the remaining distance the tow-ers will be either single or double, as the demands for power arise. Estimates are also given on the cost of construc-as we get thru with our educational tion of cedar poles

Steam Power. In comparing the cost of electricity can be settled, so that the people of tient voice. One or two of the speakers streets for nothing. And there was In comparing the cost of electricity with steam, the chief engineer notes that a consumer requiring a large in-that a consumer requiring a large in-and which will do away with the ex-that a consumer requiring a large in-and which will do away with the ex-that a consumer requiring a large in-and which will do away with the ex-that a consumer requiring a large in-and which will do away with the ex-that a consumer requiring a large in-and which will do away with the ex-that a consumer requiring a large in-and which will do away with the ex-that the lord has raised with the lord has raised up," said G. B. Ryan, president of the the present plant. "I believe that the lord has raised that a consumer requiring a large in-stallation operating for ten hours only would find little advantage from the millione of dollars for coal from seventeen to twenty-genditure of dollars for coal from seventeen to twenty-genditure of dollars for coal from seventeen to twenty-millione and which will do away with the ex-genditure of from seventeen to twenty-genditure of dollars for coal from seventeen to twenty-millione and seventeen to twenty-seventeen to twenty-millione and seventeen to twenty-millione and seventeen to twenty-millione and seventeen to twenty-millione and seventeen to twenty-seventeen to twenty-millione and seventeen to twenty-seventeen to twenty-seven stallation operating for ten hours only would find little advantage from the penditure of from seventeen to twenty-use of transmitted electric power, ex-cept where shafting is installed by which individual motors can be installed fresh air, free from the smoke nuisance. Guelph Board of Trade, amidst appre-ciative laughter, apropos the premier, and Mayor Belcher even improved the occasion by the quotation, "This is the accepted time," showing that Mr. Whit-mised that the government would stay in power forever, if it undertook to

ise of transmitted electric power. ex-cept where shafting is installed by which individual motors can be installed on each floor, or even on each machine. In such cases the total electric power consumption would be reduced from 25 to 50 per cent. below what is required under steam operation working from a to 50 per cent. below what is required still it is the duty of the government in the forms of the contral station. A striking advantage to be derived from the use of electric injured in any way, and so that no the deputation, which he said was reto be derived from the use of electric power is that a small consumer can ob-tain power at a rate which should not be greater than that made to the large consumer, altho the present practice is sumer. Attention is also given to the missing consumer to the generous forbearance of book to the generous forbearance of

the people of the province."

the proceedings ended.

oughby.

Whitney for receiving the deputation,

Amongst the members of the cabinet

present, besides the premier, were Hon

Pyne, Hon Dr Reaume, Hon Col Hen-

Hon Mr Cochrane and Hon Dr Wil-

the side of the premier all the time.

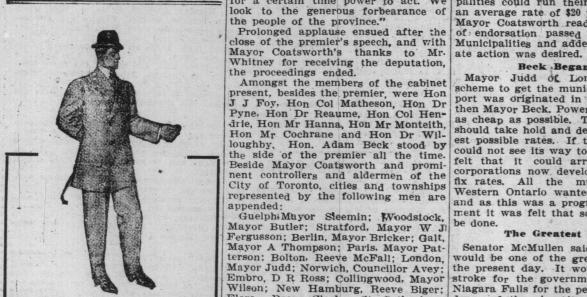
Beside Mayor Coatsworth and promi-

nent controllers and aldermen of the

City of Toronto, cities and townships represented by the following men are

Guelphi Mayor Sleemin; Woodstock,

Hon. Adam Beck stood by



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Township, Reeve Boyle, Waterier ford said he had fears that the prov-County, S J Cherry; Petreolea, J A Jackson; Forest, Jas Prout; Mount Forest, Senator McMullen; District Trades and Labor Council, R Hunger-trades and Labor Council, R Hunger-trades. Trades and Labor Council, R Hunger-ford; Federated Building Trades, Builders' Exchange, Geo Duthie; Retail Merchants' Association, E M Trowern; Strathroy, Mayor Fillinsbee. Trowern; Strathroy, Mayor Fillinsbee. All these gentlemen were accompanied by others from the various bodies and "Sav

"Save us from the monopolists," urged Mr. Buchanan.

Quote Scripture.

Beck Began It.

The Greatest Boon.

shown that despite the years that have gone on the position is to-day exactly ag it was, I repeat that we have seen no reason to recede from that position. "We are ready to believe that as soon as we get thru with our educational legislation, we should consider by what methods this great power question corp be settled, so that the people of

record season.

Mayor F. Wayne of Dunnville said they had natural gas power at Dunn-ville, but sought to secure with all the province the benefit of Niagara power. Mayor Butler of Woodstock expressed the idea that the people did not want to see the power conserved, but dis-tributed for the whole people. The mu-nicipalities asked for assistance in fin-ancing the project. surer, Horace R. Allen. These officers for the sector with the following will form the exe-cutive committee: Robert Bell, H. E. Jeffries, J. A. Macdonald, F. Reming-ton, W. C. Gurney, George C. Moody, W. Bewley, Sam Bennett, Chas, Blox-am, W. Taylor and Thomas Allan. It was decided to hold monthly meetings hereafter at the call of the president. look to the generous forbearance of an average rate of \$20 per horse; wer. Mayor Coatsworth read the resolution Prolonged applause ensued after the of endorsation passed by the United close of the premier's speech, and with Municipalities and added that immedi-Mayor Judd of London said the

scheme to get the municipal power re-Mayor Ferguson of Stratford laid be port was originated in London by the fore the premier a resolution of the city then Mayor Beck. Power must be given council. urging action on the part of the as cheap as possible. The government should take hold and deliver it at lowgovernment

est possible rates. If the governmen Voice of Labor. could not see its way to do that it the felt that it could arrange with the corporations now developing power to how the workingman would benefit thru Speaking for the labor organizations, fix rates. All the municipalities of cheap electrical power in the heating of the young couple were present. The bis home. Another point he emphasized, groom is the only son of W. C. Wilkinand as this was a progressive govern-ment it was felt that something could in Toronto, was that this city should

be placed on the same footing as those be placed on the same footing as those municipalities having water powers at their doors. He hoped the government would exercise the powers of expropria-tion if it was decided to undertake the Senator McMullen said cheap power would be one of the greatest boons of the present day. It would be a great

Embro, D R Ross: Collingwood, Mayor stroke for the government to utilize levelopment of Niagara power. John White, president of the Wood-stock Board of Trade, would like to Wilson; New Hamburg, Reeve Biger; Niagara Falls for the people. The evi-Elora, Reeve Clark; St. Catharines, dence of the sincerity of the people Mayor Riddell; Simcoe, Mayor Gunton; was the magnificent deputation pres-

stock Board of Trade, would like to see the Whitney government do for Ontario what the British government had done for Egypt. The Woodstock Board of Trade was unanimous in favor of municipal ownership. Mayor Lawrence of St. Thomas spoke of the smoke nuisance, which would be Brantford, Mayor Waterous; Mitchell, Mayor W R Davis; Windsor, Mayor Wigle; Lucan, Reeve Hawkshaw; Wes-the injustice that was done the people ton, Reeve Bull; Orillia, Councillor in allowing the power to be diverted to Clark; Richmond Hill, Reeve Crorley; the United States. Guelph City would Barrie, Mayor Ross; Cayuga, Reeve Mc-Clury; Waterloo. A. Weidenhamer; Eg-the rate mentioned by the commission

of the smoke nuisance, which would be abolished by the general use of electrilinton, Mayor Fisher; Sarnia, Mayor there would be a saving of \$15,000 a city. Barr; Newmarket, Mayor Roadhouse; year to its people, or one-seventh of Dunnville, Mr. Haynes; King, Reeve the entire tax.

speaker. At the City Hall.

Legge; Oshawa, Mayor Fowke; St. Thomas, Mayor Lawrence; Acton, Reeve Swalkhamma; Glen Morris, S G Kitch-Hanna in future if the government or Guelph Fourschip Deserve

Thomas, Mayor Lawrence: Acton, Reeve Micht: en: Guelph Township, Reeve Wright: les: Oakville, Maror Keily: Islington, Reeve Share: Southampton, Mayor Beicher: Drumbo. Chas A Munn; South me had come when the roar of Niags Beicher: Drumbo. Chas A Munn; South and the capitalist, but wanted for the government, Mayor Daville; King Township, Coun-lice, Waterloo Township, Reeve West Oxford France Following read benefit to the Province of Ontario, Buchanan: Millbrook, Councillor Needic en; Waterloo Township, Reeve Rest; To-met of Dumfress, Reeve Rest, To-Reeve Steer, Southampton, Mayor Buchanan: Millbrook, Councillor Needic en; Waterloo Township, Reeve Rest; To-met the dig was wad. Buchanan: Millbrook, Councillor Needic en; Waterloo Township, Reeve Rest; To-met de had mang who never goes har: Present government, Waterloo Township, Reeve Rest; To-met de had mang who never goes har: Present government, Waterloo Township, Reeve Rest; To-ment of Whites, And a mang who never goes hard the capitalist, but wanted her present government, Waterloo Township, Reeve Rest; To-ment of Whites, And a mang who never goes hard the capitalist, but wanted her anough to be old, boid enough to be end the the present government, ward (bin the anouth the governm

ACREAGE INCREASED.

First Report of Seeding in West and What it Shows.

Winnipeg, April 11 .- The first report of seeding which has been done, and the prospect for the year thruout the Elliott & Son. west, was issued to-day by the railway

The average increase in acreage will be from 10 to 15 per cent, altho many 97 King St. W. districts have 20 to 30 per cent. increase, and a number as high as 50 per cent.

and over. Seeding in most sections is now well under way, and by the end of the week will be general. The prospects as a whole are for

yesterday afternoon.

Batoche Column Association.

The annual meeting of the Batoche Column Association of 1885 was held commission's investigation into the centage of tonnage allotted to each

railroad, but also established the rates.

nnection, which had a \$1.45 rate. In 1900 these rates were raised to \$1.85 and Married in Mitchell. \$1.75 respectively. Since then there has Mitchell, April 11.-The marriage of Christopher W. Wilkinson to Mi:s been no change.

Jean, daughter of Charles Pearce, was WHO IS MISS WILLIAMS? celebrated quietly here to-day by Rev-Hiram; Ohio, April 11.-(Special.)--

W. C. Howson, pastor of the Methodist Church, Mitchell. The bride was un-attended. Only the intimate friends of Hiram College students threaten to Anderson, said to be a daughter of a real estate agent of Toronto, who were dismissed for playing poke; are son, secretary board of education, Torento, and Canadian buyer for the De La Plante Lumber Co. of Tonawanda. not reinstated.

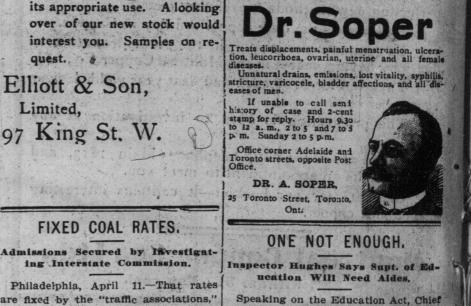
The couple left on the evening train Tennyson Club. for Buffalo and other American cities. "At the closing meeting of the Tennyson Club, in Annesley Hall, an in-

structive paper on "The Modern

Drama" was read by Prof. A. E. Lang of Victoria College. It was decided by the members to resume the work next fall and have a fifth wries of papers. The following officers were elected: Hon. Fresident, Mrs. Heaven; presi dent, C. C. James; vice-president, Prof. A. E. Lang; secretary, W. B. Musson; committee Miss Jean Graham, Dr. C.

A. Chant, Prof. Pelham Edgar, J. C. their return will reside in the Queen Grant to Bell Memorial.

T. H. Preston, M.L.A., introduced a

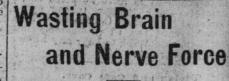


composed of various coal carrying rail-Inspector Hughes said yesterday that roads, was the admission drawn to- in his opinion one superintendent of day from railroad officials at the final education would not be enough. On the hearing of the interstate commerce other side all departments had special education would not be enough. On the alleged abuses of the coal trade. Thru supervisors, and it would be necessary Joseph G. Searles, coal traffic manager for the new superintendent to have offi-of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., who, cers to assist him. The advisory counalso is chairman of the All Rail. Traf-fic Association, it was learned that this organization not only fixes the pertional progress in each part of the pro-

The raising of the standard of teach In 1889 the rate on soft coal to New York and New England points was \$1.55, except to the Boston and Maine

Good Advice.

Before Chief Justice Mulock, the Canada Permanent Mortagage Corporation brought action to recover of its action against Alfred and Bertha Hall. Defendants claimed bill was excessive, and the chief justice urged the Hiram College students threaten to strike if an Ohio boy and Miss Maude journing the case.



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Mayor Gunton of Simcoe was the last City. The groom is a civil engineer in

N. Y.

the employ of Mackenzie, Mann & Co. Prior to going to the parliament buildings, the delegates assembled at the city hall, where the following reso-lution, of Mayor Judd of London and Mayor Ferguson, Stratford, was unani-mously adopted: "Whereas about the following reso-lution, of Mayor Judd of London and Mayor Ferguson, Stratford, was unani-"Whereas about the following reso-lution, of Mayor Judd of London and Mayor Ferguson, Stratford, was unani-

