HOLD UP BUILDING OF MANY HOUSES

Refusal of City to Lay Sewers on Roselawn Avenue Blocks Plan.

WILL DEVISE MEANS

Works Commissioner to Report on Widening Mount Pleasant Road.

The committee on works was told yesterday by James Pears that the refusal of the city to lay sewers on Roselawn avenue was holding up the construction of 500 houses.

Works Commissioner Harris said the North Toronto sewers were already overloaded, but he was asked to report on ways and means of getting the Roselawn sewer laid.

Alderman Burgess said that his proposal to widen Mount Pleasant road to a width of 86 feet followed a conference with the transportation commission that was considering the advisability of making Yonge street 106 feet wide. That would not be necessary if they had wide parallel streets.

The works commissioner was instructed to bring in a report on the proposal after he has ascertained the plans of the transportation commission.

Ald. Birdsall, chairman of the board, struck a new note when he emphatically placed himself on record as opposing the principle of improvements on the plan of initiative. "We have so many current expenses against us this year that I have for my part decided to assent only to improvements backed by fully signed petitions," he said.

The matter discussed was a permanent sidewalk on the south side of Annette street from Runnymede road to Jane street, on the initiative plan. The works committee finally assented to the initiative plan, Ald. Birdsall dissenting. Later, however, the alderman in another case championed an improvement on the initiative plan.

Ald. Ryding led a large deputation petitioning for the construction of a permanent pavement on St. Clair avenue from the abattoir to Jane street, two on Runnymede road from Annette street to St. Clair avenue; three on Gilmour avenue from St. John's road to Maria street, and four on Annette street from the present terminus to Jane street. This matter was finally left over to find out any plans the transportation commission might have in view.

"Civic Baby Cars."

Replying to Alderman Wagstaffe's time honored aversion to "civic baby cars," Commissioner Harris pointed out that the "baby" cars were merely additions to the civic service, and only used to deal on the moment with the tremendous increasing percentage of traffic on the Danforth car line. Passengers were today moved 25 per cent. quicker than was the case a year ago.

The matter was finally left over for the consideration of the transportation commission.

All kinds of wire and other lawn fences are now permitted by law in the city. Yesterday the board of works discussed the problem of discriminating as to the kind of fencing, if any, lawn owners should be permitted to indulge. Commissioner Harris pointed out that such a bylaw would be discriminative legislation and not permissible under the statutes.

Ald. Singer believed that either the fencing should be permitted to protect lawns without discrimination or refuse permission for any fences at all.

Alderman Blackburn liked beauty, and believed in lawn protection, but as against beauty protection the life and safety of the individual was the most imperative demand of the moment. No changes were recommended.

MEN YOU HEAR OF

Seen as Their Friends Know Them

NO. 121.

"AL." FULTHORP, secretary and assistant manager of the live stock department of the United Farmers' Co-operative at the Union Stock Yards, was born in Winnipeg and educated in the public and high schools of that city. He has been in business life ten years, part of that time identified with the grain growers. He has been a powerful factor in the organization of the live stock department of the Ontario branch of the U.F.O. Mr. Fulthorp is a member of the I.O.O.F. and of the Empire Club.

RADIAL INQUIRY AGAIN CUT SHORT

Witness for Both Sides Claims He Finds "Joker" in Agreement.

Another adjournment was made by the radial commission yesterday. Shortly after the commencement of the afternoon session it was announced that an adjournment would be made until next Tuesday afternoon to allow R. S. Robertson, counsel for the anti-Hydro radial municipalities, to have some expert witnesses on hand.

"We will sit on Saturday of next week, because we must get in a fair week's work," said Mr. Justice Sutherland, "and, if we are not thru with this evidence then, we will go right on the next week."

W. P. Rigsby and James L. Martin, Galt manufacturers, had criticism for the proposed Toronto and Eastern radial line, presumably because it was not an inter-provincial road. Mr. Rigsby said that a local line with no connections east of Bowmanville would not be satisfactory, as his shipments were largely east of Bowmanville, and in the province of Quebec. Mr. Martin also said a thru line would be the most satisfactory to him.

Ald. James Dakers of St. Catharines, an anti-Hydro witness, stated he had questioned Sir Adam Beck regarding the St. Catharines situation and had been told that if a renewal of franchise was granted to the government for the Niagara Central it would have to be bought by the Hydro radials, and be more expensive.

Claiming he was a witness for both sides, Dr. Oaks, former reeve of Preston, considered a "joker" in the agreement was to be found in the clause requiring the Hydro commissioners' consent to any franchise granted to any company.

Robert McKay, Hydro counsel, pointed out the bylaw was changed by the Preston council due to a general understanding that the G.T.R. was to be electrified for one and a half miles, and no new line would be built.

Justice Sutherland questioned the legality of the changes, and said: "Nobody had the right to alter it after it had been voted upon by the people."

A letter was read from Hon. Dr. Reid, minister of railways, which deprecated any ill-feeling or suspicion on the question of electric radials versus steam railways, and advocating fullest co-operation.

WYCLIFFE LODGE HAS FINE BANQUET

Many Prominent Orangemen Attend Annual Festival—Presentations Made.

The annual stag banquet, given under the auspices of Wycliffe L.O.L., 585, was held in the banquet hall, Euclid avenue and College street recently, when there was an attendance of over 300 members and friends. Those most prominent at the head of the table with the popular Wor. Master Herb. Bolton, were: Controller Alf. Maguire, Rev. R. B. Nelles, M.W. Bro. Wm. Crawford, M.W. G. dir. cer.; R.W. Bro. A. A. Gray, J. dep. G. N., Ont. W.; R.W. Sir Knt. W. H. Tuck, dep. G.M.G.B.C., Ont. W.; W. Sir Knt. Loftus H. Reid, P. Co., M.C.B. C., Toronto; W. Bro. W. H. Harper, co. dir. cer.; W. Bro. G. N. Compton, Imperial Lodge, past co. master, Elgin Co.; W. Bro. R. M. Carrie, P.C. treas.; W. Bro. J. Vance, P.M., L.O.L. 675; W. Bro. Coghill, P.M., 412; W. Bro. T. Harrigan, P.M., 615.

The talent program, under the direction of Bro. Alf. Lockhurst, 585, was rendered by the following: Bro. F. Hopkins, H. Barrett; S. Heathfield, J. Bowerbank, Bro. Martin, W. Green, Bro. A. Lockhurst, Bro. R. Arnott, Sammy Cohen and Bro. Fred C. Roche, pianist.

The usual toasts were honored and addresses were delivered by Con. Alf. Maguire, W. Crawford and Rev. R. B. Nelles.

Bro. T. Hoad, financial secretary, and Bro. J. Cook, first lecturer, were each presented with Royal Arch signet rings, suitably engraved, as a token for their valuable services to the lodge.

The most important feature of the evening was the presentation to Bro. William R. Ward, the recording secretary of 585, by Bro. A. A. Gray, in recognition of his long and faithful membership in the lodge. The gift was a gold Orange veteran jewel, suitably inscribed, Bro. Ward being the third brother in Toronto to receive such an honored jewel.

Bro. R. Gilchrist of 585 was responsible for the beautiful floral decorations on the tables and the excellent menu.

There is no language suitable to express the gratitude extended by those present for the able and efficient manner of which the whole event was conducted, thru the directorship of Daddy—W. Bro. C. W. Hayward, this being the finest banquet in the history of 585.

The event was presided over by Bro. Herb. Bolton, Wor. M., L.O.L. 585.

WOODBINE RATEPAYERS RECOMMEND NEW SCHOOL

At a well-attended meeting of the members of the Woodbine Heights Ratepayers' Association, held last night, the principal topics under discussion were school accommodation and water. It was very forcibly brought home to the members that there was a lack of accommodation in school section No. 7, and the feeling of the meeting was that steps should be taken at once to erect a new school building on the site bought by the trustees a short time ago. The water question, too, is an important one and must be dealt with in the near future in the district.

Roncesvalles Business Men Form Association

A large representative and enthusiastic meeting of the business men of High Park was held last Thursday night to form a business men's association for the district. By the kindly courtesy of the management the meeting was privileged to meet in the spacious class rooms of Shaw's Business College at Roncesvalles and Howard Park avenue. The president of the Bloor-Bathurst Association attended and explained the way the association worked in his district, and instanced many concrete cases where the association had been of great benefit to the locality along different lines. After adopting various resolutions the following officers were appointed: President, H. C. Wallace; vice-president, John A. Lillie; secretary, W. R Willard; treasurer, W. W. Muir, and publicity manager, H. Percy.

CITY PURCHASES LOTS AT TAX SALE

Most of Three Thousand Parcels Redeemed Before First Auction.

Of the 31 parcels of land put up by the city yesterday at the adjourned tax sale, 12 parcels were not disposed of, no bids having been made. These were mostly strips in front or at the rear of lots. Of the 19 sold, the city bid in 8 and will retain them. About 3,000 lots were listed for sale this year, but most of them were redeemed before the first sale was held.

One of the chief buyers was Z. Gadsby, of 531 Dupont street, who secured 73 feet on East Queen, near Hastings avenue, for $384.40, including taxes; 30 feet on Chatham street for $274.63, including taxes; 10 feet on Danforth avenue, for $102.32, including taxes; 66 feet on Moore avenue for $483.12, including taxes; 50 feet on Moore avenue, for $603.33, including taxes, and about 16 feet on Ashworth avenue for $134.70, including taxes.

W. J. Owens, 284 Main street, secured 79 feet on Pendrith street, for $44.20, including taxes; W. B. Charlton, of 12 Kendall avenue, obtained nine feet on Ashworth avenue, for $55.40, including taxes and a rear strip on Burlington crescent. 52 feet by one foot for $3.25, being the taxes. W. R. Mather, of 494 Crawford street, secured a rear strip, 1.139 feet by five feet on Lappin avenue, for $79.93, being the taxes, and H. H. Boyd got 40 feet on Glenlake avenue, for $313.27, including taxes.

"HUMAN FLY" STILL CRAWLS.

Word was received in Toronto yesterday that Harry Thompson, the well-known "human fly," is now performing at Fort Worth, Texas, and doing his daring feats with remarkable success.

SHEA'S VICTORIA ST.
ERNEST EVANS And His Associates in "WEDDING BELLS"
SYBIL VANE MEL KLEE
DUGAN AND RAYMOND
Walker and Edwards; William Ebs; The Duttons; Lind Brothers; Shea's News Revue.

SHEA'S HIPPODROME TERAULEY ST.
MR. GEORGE ARLISS in "THE DEVIL."
Sensation of Two Continents.
Shown at 1.20, 4.15, 7.45 p.m.
Howard and White; Mabel Fonda Trio; The Brightons; Two Rosellas; Beatrice Doane; Dunham and O'Malley; Hippodrome News Revue.

NEXT WEEK STAR
"THE TEMPTERS"
WITH BERT BERTRAND
LEON ZORN and his
6—JAZZ KINGS—6
TODAY--- With HARRY STEPPE "TIT-BITS OF 1920"

PRINCESS TODAY 2.30--8.30 LISTEN LESTER
NEXT WEEK
GEORGE BROADHURST Presents A ROMANCE OF THE BIG WOODS
THE STORM
By LANGDON McCORMICK
A SENSATIONAL SUPER-SUCCESS
A Play of the Canadian Woods
With the Thrilling Forest Fire
EVGS.—Orch., $2.00, $1.50; Balcony, $1.50, $1.00, 50c.
SAT. MAT.—Orch., $1.50, $1.00; Balcony, $1.00, 75c, 50c.
WED. MAT.—Entire Orch., $1.00,; Balcony, $1.00, 75c 50c.
WEEK Mch. 7 Return of the Distinguished English Artists
H. V. ESMOND and EVA MOORE
And Their London Company In the Comedy "Eliza Comes to Stay"

The Toronto Mendelssohn Choir
H. A. Fricker, Conductor
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The Philadelphia Orchestra
Leopold Stokowski, Conductor
Twenty-Fourth Annual Series of Concerts in MASSEY MUSIC HALL
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday evenings and Wednesday afternoon
APRIL 11th, 12th, 13th, 1921
LAST DAY FOR SUBSCRIPTIONS
TUESDAY, MARCH 15th, 1921
Lists and Prospectus of Programmes at Massey Music Hall, at all music stores and in the hands of members of the Choir.
Telegraph address: The Secretary of The Toronto Mendelssohn Choir, 20 King Street East.
"A Choir remarkable for exquisite tonal quality."—PHILIP HALE in the Boston Herald.

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THE EVENT OF THE SEASON
FIRST TIME IN CANADA!
"An Unexampled Wonder of the Twentieth Century"
—Editorial in Boston Herald
D. W. GRIFFITH'S MASTERPIECE
A PICTURIZATION OF
WAY DOWN EAST
"Puts Moving Pictures Among the Fine Arts."
—Charles Dana Gibson
"Stamps the Producer of this Great Work as the Genius of a New Age."
—Tyrone Power
"The Greatest Motion Picture I Have Ever Seen, the Public is to Be Congratulated."
Charles Hanson Towne
"It is a Masterpiece in All its Wonderful Details."
—David Belasco
"A Work of Superb Art."
—Editorial in Brooklyn Times
"Well Worth $10 a Seat."
—N.Y. Herald
"Surpasses All Words. Your Picture Has Outheroded Herod — Outspoken All Spoken Language and Put a Climax to All Superlatives."
Rev. Lincoln H. Caswell, Pastor Crawford Memorial M.E. Church, New York City
AN EIGHTH ART COMBINING DRAMA, PAINTING, POETRY AND MUSIC
WITH THE GREATEST CAST EVER ASSEMBLED AND A SELECTED ORCHESTRA OF 30 SYMPHONY PLAYERS
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NOTE—Owing to Cost of Production, Length of Performance and Iron-Bound Contracts, "Way Down East" Will Never Be Shown in Toronto Except at First-Class Theatre Prices.

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On a roof they met—it was their trysting place. What a strange romance!
Thomas MEIGHAN in "The Frontier of the Stars"
From the story by Albert Payson Terhune
A Paramount Picture
TODAY ONLY "Forbidden Fruit"

PALACE
DANFORTH AND PAPE
Charlie Querrie Mgr.
MON., TUES., WED. TOMMY MEIGHAN
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LAST TIMES TODAY WALLACE REID "The Charm School"

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THE FAMOUS FOURTH DIVISION ENTERTAINERS UNDER THE DIRECTION OF CAPT. M. W. PLUNKETT
GRAND OPERA HOUSE Mat'nees Wed. & Sat
WEEK MAR. 7—SEATS MONDAY
The Novelty Picture Play
THE COUNTY FAIR
With the Real Horse Race
WEEK MAR. 14—FIRST TIME HERE
Trans-Canada All-Star
ENGLISH PLAYERS
"THE MIDNIGHT WEDDING"

PANTAGES VAUDEVILLE
NEXT WEEK
Introduction of
NEW $40,000 PIPE ORGAN
6 - BIG VAUDEVILLE ACTS - 6
Headed by Three Exceptional Attractions
MUSICAL COMEDY
"Little Cinderella"
Featuring
Eva La Rue & Truman Stanley
The Memory Wizard
MEMORA
Charles L. Gill & Co.
"The Stage Carpenter"
FEATURE PICTURE
MARY MILES MINTER "EYES OF THE HEART"

GAYETY NEXT WEEK—Ladies' Mat. Daily.
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"Held by the Enemy"
Agnes Ayres Jack Holt Wanda Hawley Lewis Stone
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Dorothy GISH
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To Make You Laugh
NEXT WEEK
STRAND
TODAY "A Dead Certainty" and 'Body & Soul' with Alice Lake

YONGE STREET LOEW'S WINTER GARDEN
VIOLA DANA
In "CINDERELLA'S TWIN"
BUSTER KEATON in "CONVICT 13"
6—BIG VAUDEVILLE ACTS—6

LOEW'S UPTOWN
ROBERT WARWICK
In "TREE OF KNOWLEDGE"
VAUDEVILLE and PHOTOPLAYS

LAKE SHORE R...
Step 17, summer c... hardwood floors, L... lan rights. Fine fr... Good reduction ... agents.
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CIRCULAR LE...

Ottawa, Feb. 27.—The ... cular letter was read ... Catholic churches of ... and thousands of signa... tached to the anti-di... which were presented t... of the various congrega...

"Archbishop's H... "Feb. ...

"Dear Reverend Fathe... aware, it is proposed ... private bill in parliame... pose of establishing div... Ontario. Experience s... establishment of divorce... increases the number o... order to counteract this ... to oppose this fearful w... applications thru which... ing, it is advisable to p... ment. I enclose copies ... the senate and to the ho... please invite the electors... to sign same. The petiti... and dated, should be ret...

(Signed) "Charles Hug... "Archbisho...

Also on Next Su...

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"That they respectfu... against any proposed legi... has for purpose to intro... courts into Ontario and... stead that parliament sh... law abolishing divorce in... it is a moral and socia... should not be legalized; ...

"Wherefore your petitio... pray that your honorabl... be pleased to pass an a... divorce;

"And as in duty boun... tioners will ever pray.

"Ottawa, Feb. 27, 1921...

The petition to the se... lar.

AGRICULTURE L... CANADIAN E...

Products of Farm Alo... to Half the Out... Trade Total...

Ottawa, Feb. 27.—(By ... —Agricultural products ... place among Canada's ex... last twelve months, acco... trade statement from th... bureau of statistics for ... month period ending Ja... The total of agricultural ... ported was well over $5... a total exportation of Ca... duce of $1,235,000,000.

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FIRE IN PACKING PL... CAUSES $500,...

St. Louis, Ills., Feb. 27... caused damage estimated... to the plant of Morris ... packers, at the national ... just north of here. Abou... will be thrown out of ... it was said.