

York County and Suburbs of Toronto

USED NEWSPAPER AS FIRE GUARD

Three Year Old Leland Powers Badly Burned at His Home.

NOW IS IN HOSPITAL

Was Warming His Feet at the Stove in His Father's Absence.

Leland Powers of Osborne avenue, East Toronto, is lying very seriously burned in the Hospital for Sick Children, as the result of an accident which took place at his home yesterday morning.

He was warming his feet at the stove in the absence of his father, and finding the heat too intense, he took a newspaper to shield it off with a newspaper. The paper suddenly caught fire and the boy was badly burned before his father could get to the flames. The little child's condition was reported to be serious at 10 o'clock last night.

BRAMPTON.

The Brampton Chicken Club went to Acton yesterday afternoon to play the club in that place, and were beaten by 22 to 17. The return game will be played here the first week in January. The party comprised Judge McElroy, Dominion checker champion, W. E. Hunter, Chief Kidd, E. Dale, Lloyd Pocock, A. McDonald, S. McDonald, Frank Hollies, John Sexton and George Akitt.

Golden Star Lodge, No. 109, I.O.O.F., installed the following officers at their meeting last night: Past Grand, P. Allison; noble grand, Warren Nevills; vice grand, W. E. Coates; secretary, J. R. Arrowsmith; financial secretary, Herb Wilson; treasurer, John Reynolds; court physician, Dr. Edwards; trustees, Fred Trueman.

The Anglican Young People's Association of St. James' and St. George's Churches, Guelph, will pay the local society a visit on Monday evening.

The Presbyterian Church will hold a week of prayer, commencing Monday, a week from tomorrow an every-member communion will be held. The following is the program for the week, all meetings starting at 7:45: Monday, Rev. Hugh Macpherson of Chalmers Church, Toronto; Tuesday, Rev. John McNeill of Cooke's Church, Toronto; Wednesday, Prof. Low of Knox College, Guelph; Thursday, W. A. MacTaggart of Wyndwood; Friday, Rev. J. Wilson of Dovercourt Road Church, Toronto.

The public school board will make an open-air rink on the Central School grounds for the use of the children during the coming winter. They have also re-engaged their nine teachers for 1914, and given them a 15 per cent raise in salary.

St. Stewart Mair of Toronto will address the Liberal Club on "Tax Reform" in the Foresters' Hall on Tuesday evening.

NEW TORONTO

The New Toronto council will meet for the last time this year on Dec. 15 to discuss of outstanding accounts and clean up the year's business.

The nomination meeting takes place on Monday evening, Dec. 23, in the school hall. At present it looks as if Reeve Ironside would be elected by acclamation, although new candidates for reelection are said to be fairly numerous. The elections will take place on Jan. 5.

At the last meeting of the school board, Miss Nettess, one of the teachers who was getting \$600 a year, applied for an increase of \$50. The board negatived the request on a vote and Miss Nettess has sent in her resignation.

New Torontonians will have electric light on the Lake Shore road by Christmas.

Work on the side streets is expected to be completed within two weeks, and the men will be away before Christmas.

AGINCOURT

The young people of Agincourt are busy organizing an "old time concert" for Dec. 12. All the songs will be sung in costume, and a number of interesting dialogues are being arranged, which will also be in character.

The fine open weather has enabled builders to make great progress and many of the houses under construction are much nearer completion than was anticipated at this time. All the builders are hoping that the good weather may continue till Christmas, when they will have much of their work completed.

IF BACKACHE OR KIDNEY IS BOTHER

Eat Less Meat, Also Take a Glass of Salts Before Eating Breakfast.

Uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish, ache, and feel the lumps of lead. The urine becomes cloudy; the bladder is irritated, and you may be obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night. When the kidneys clog you must help them flush off the body's urinous waste or you'll be a real sick person shortly. At first you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, you suffer from backache, sick headache, dizziness, stomach gets sour, tongue coated and you feel rheumatic twinges when the weather is bad.

Eat less meat, drink lots of water, also get from any pharmacist four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous "salt" is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity, so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder unctions.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active. Druggists here say they sell lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

BIG MEETING AT EARLSCOURT HALL

Controller McCarthy Explained Railway Purchase to Ratepayers.

NEW LODGE OF ELKS

Initial Installation of Officers—Other News From the District.

Earlscourt public school was crowded last evening when Controller McCarthy addressed the meeting on the live topic of transportation. J. V. Burrows presided, and among those present were Trustees Hodgson, P. W. Lord, Rev. Mr. Stevenson and others.

Controller McCarthy said: "You are looking for improvement in transportation. We will examine the two proposals suggested. First, purchase, and second, the Globe proposition. The electors are competent to judge. If the harbor board can carry it we will take our hats to them. Of the 48 cities of Great Britain, 27 of the car services were taken over by the municipalities, and 22 were taken over before the franchise had expired."

Past History

The controller then explained the Toronto street car system from the year 1861, when the city took it over. After 5 months of municipal ownership and operation there was a large amount of \$30,822 profit, and then the city sold to a private corporation.

In 22 years one right after another was disposed of. "Until you get back to one day, you will have no good," said Mr. McCarthy. "I will not consider any plan where a workman has to pay two fares to get to his work."

"Mr. Arnold recommends subways as a last resort. Toronto wants more service tracks. If you disapprove of it, I will sit down, but will turn to subways as an alternative."

"In 22 years of dickering we have now a clear cut proposal, which, even when carried by the people, has to be submitted to lieutenant-governor-in-council."

He pointed out that the franchise had eight years yet to run, and valuations estimate the value of the intangible assets at twelve million dollars. Controller McCarthy made a calculation himself which showed that citizens would get a three per cent rate in 1923.

The controller then dealt with Mr. Arnold's report, and emphasized the fact in the purchase.

Lodge of Elks.

At Little's Hall, Agincourt, last evening, the inauguration of Lodge No. 214, the Elks, took place at eight o'clock. The number of other city lodges present. The following officers were elected: High exalted ruler, Bro. M. J. O'Brien; exalted ruler, Bro. A. Gordon; chaplain, Bro. Neil Chapell; past exalted ruler, Bro. Dr. J. A. O'Brien; secretary, Bro. G. E. Manchester; treasurer, Bro. E. H. Green; leader of knights, Bro. W. C. Sanderson; esquire, Bro. H. Fairthorne; tiler, Bro. R. E. Bussey; aide, Bro. A. O'Brien; drill master, Bro. H. Fairthorne; location committee, Bro. E. H. Green; and Bro. H. Fairthorne.

Refreshments were served at the close of the installation of officers. The lodge has secured the Dominion Bank chambers, and will occupy the same after alterations.

Dental Lecture.

Dr. Doherty, dental inspector, gave a very interesting lecture in the public schools, Earlscourt, yesterday, on the care of the teeth. A number of the mothers of the school children were present.

Successful Mission.

Never, perhaps, in the history of the parish at St. Cecilia has such large congregations of men attended a mission as the present. This week is exclusively for the men. The services are five o'clock mass each morning and evening service. The mission is conducted by Rev. Father O'Brien and Deile. The mission closes on Sunday evening next with renewal of baptismal vows and benediction of the blessed sacrament. Last week over 1250 women approached the sacraments.

Perth Avenue school children will give a Christmas cantata in Perth Avenue School on Tuesday evening, Dec. 16, at eight o'clock, the title being "Santa Claus' Surprise Party."

TO DISCUSS THE RAILWAY PROBLEM

North Toronto Ratepayers Will Debate the Issue This Evening.

North Toronto will have another opportunity of hearing advocates for both sides debate the street railway purchase this evening at the ratepayers meeting in the old town hall. The last meeting at which Mayor Hocken, W. F. Maclean, M.P., and others spoke has aroused a great deal of interest, and the question is the main topic for discussion, where a few citizens meet together.

Interest in the question is so keen in North Toronto that the meeting to-night promises to be a gathering of unusual proportions and many well-known speakers will be present.

WESTON.

Main street is soon to have hydro-lighting on every pole on the street, at present there being only lights on every other pole. Many extensions are being made in the district.

The side roads and concessions in this vicinity are being planned. Road Commissioners have been engaged on the work. The carloads of crushed stone which have been used extensively in the road this year has kept in better condition than has been the case for several years.

When the laying of the sewer in Weston is completed, a macadam roadway will be laid and a concrete curb constructed.

It is likely that the Toronto Suburban Railway will be asked to put its tracks in the center of the road. At present they are on the west side, and at some places in the north end of the village the street is only four feet in width.

MRS. N. C. WALLACE DIED LAST NIGHT

Passed Away at Her Home in Woodbridge After Short Illness.

WAS HIGHLY RESPECTED

Is Survived by Four Sons and Three Unmarried Daughters.

The widow of the late Hon. N. Clarke Wallace, Mrs. Belinda Wallace, died at her Woodbridge home at 8 p.m. last night. Mrs. Wallace had been ill for about three weeks and had been feeling somewhat better when she suddenly expired last night.

She was universally respected in the district and was a faithful member of Christ Church, Woodbridge. Four sons and three daughters survive their mother. Captain James Hugh Gilmor, Nathaniel Clarke, Amy Olive, Harriet Charlotte, and Florence Belinda.

Mrs. Wallace was the youngest daughter of the late James Gilmor of Ottawa, and was married to the late Mr. Wallace in 1877.

Arrangements for the funeral will be made today on the arrival of Captain Wallace from Ottawa.

CIVIC LINES WILL LEAD SETTLEMENT

Like Water Mains, They Will Go Ahead and Point the Way.

PURCHASE AT ONCE

Is Advice of W. F. Maclean at Beaches Conservative Association.

"The transportation problem of Toronto is at present in an awful mess," said W. F. Maclean, M.P., addressing the Beaches Conservative Club in the Masonic Hall, Beaches, last evening. "The sooner we get out of it the better. The way to get out of it is by public ownership, and the sooner we get it the better it will be for everybody."

Mayor Hocken's proposal to purchase the street railway for \$1,000,000 does not cost the city anything, because the city is not paying for the life of the bonds, and at the expiration of the life of the bonds the city will own the street railway. The coffee pot will give the citizens their freedom, and the purchase of the street railway will not only give the citizens one fare but will also mean cheaper homes for the working man, because the railway being run under the civic management plan would make the other districts more settled.

"When a water main is put into an outside district it is not very long before the people begin to build houses. It will be the same way when the street railway is purchased and new lines are built into the outer districts. Those who are opposing the proposed purchase want to see higher rents for the workmen and a congested city."

"It has been said that the street railway system is nothing but a loss. It is not, but on the other hand is the best paying street railway on the continent. What would it cost to duplicate the present system?" asked Mr. Maclean.

"When the Bloor street viaduct was at first proposed it was thought that it would cost \$1,000,000, but now it is estimated that the cost will be \$2,000,000. It will be the same way with the street railway. If it is not purchased now, it will cost the citizens just double the present price to buy it in eight years."

"There is talk of a bill being introduced for the cancellation of tube franchises and use of the street railway. A measure should be introduced only allowing these private companies to build their lines after getting permission from the citizens."

Mr. Hubbard said that the conditions now being offered to the street railway companies are nearly as bad as some time ago, because of the civic lines, which have been built under the franchise of the Toronto Electric Light Company was not perpetual, but that the city had power to purchase it at the expiration of each thirty-year franchise. He pointed out that the T.E.L. franchise was not dangerous, because it was not exclusive.

NEW CHURCH TO BE BUILT AT LEASIDE

Excavation Under Way Now—Basement to Be Used for the Present.

Excavation is well under way for the new St. Cuthbert's Church at Leaside. It is the intention of the congregation to complete the basement of the building and use it until circumstances warrant the completion of the structure. This will not likely be long, however, as the Rev. E. M. Lamb is enthusiastic and energetic and has the warm support of his congregation. The district is developing rapidly and while the majority of those attending St. Cuthbert's stay in Leasideville the church will share in the civic development of the new municipality in which it is located.

RICHMOND HILL.

At the annual meeting of the Alumnae Association of the Richmond Hill High School which was held last night, Mrs. J. E. Newton gave a report on the "Pippa Passes" by Browning. Other short poems were read, after which the election of officers took place.

NEWMARKET.

The Berean Bible Class and the Loyal Daughters' Bible Class of the Methodist Church paid a return visit to the young ladies' class of the Centennial Methodist Church, Toronto, last night, where a most enjoyable evening was spent. They chartered a Metropolitan car for the purpose.

SMALL BOY HURT BY STREET CAR

Was Playing on Dundas Street and Did Not Hear the Car Approaching.

NEW SEPARATE SCHOOL

Ratepayers to Hold a Big Smoker—Other Ward Seven News.

While playing on Dundas street, near Woodville avenue, early yesterday afternoon, Richard, the seven-year-old son of W. Gardiner, 462 Woodville avenue, was struck by Dundas car 3443 and injured. The little fellow did not see the car approaching, and just as it was approaching him he turned and ran full into the side of the moving trolley. The impact fortunately hurled the boy away from the wheels, and he fell some distance off on the pavement. Dr. J. J. Thompson was summoned and dressed the lad's injuries, consisting chiefly of a severe cut on the head, and he was taken to his home by Constable Fenwick.

S.O.E. Meeting.

There was a record attendance of Englishmen at the annual election of officers of Worcester Lodge, No. 47, S.O.E. B.S., in St. James' Hall last evening. District Deputy St. President, J. J. Thompson conducted the meeting, and on behalf of the lodge presented E. Malcher, a past president's jewel and a Perito with a heavily-framed certificate. The following officers were elected: President, A. J. Bartlett; P.P., J. J. Vincent; V.P., W. G. Gough; chaplain, J. Rosevear; secretary, G. H. Kimmis; treasurer, G. Nichols; L.G., E. Malcher; O.G., W. Bennett; committee, H. Moore, T. Butler, F. Malcher, J. Downes, G. Gough and E. Hubbard; auditors, C. Malcher, P. Topham, J. G. Haver; trustees, J. H. Raybould, G. A. Manning, J. Jolly; sup. lodge delegate, C. Topping. Dr. Mooney and Dr. Norman were re-elected lodge physicians.

New School.

The opening meeting of the Humphreys Collegiate Literary society was held last night in the school auditorium, the president, Mr. Fulton, occupying the chair. A very enjoyable musical and literary program was rendered by the pupils.

Work has commenced on the new separate school on Annet street, near Evelyn avenue, and the excavation for the foundation is almost finished. Until the new building is completed temporary classes are being held in the old church of St. Cecilia, behind the new church at Perth.

Giant Smoker.

The executive of the Ward Seven Conservative Association are making preparations for a giant smoker to be held in St. James' Hall on Dec. 15. A list of good speakers has been obtained for the evening.

Harry Durant of 343 Windermere avenue, the members of the uniform degree team, Excelsior Camp, W.O.W., this coming night.

Work Department Busy.

The civic works department is busy in the foot section of Annet and other streets in West Toronto. The heavy traffic has been the cause of large ruts and machine holes are being filled up with cinders.

BOLTON SCHOOL BOYS AT DINNER

Winning Teams Banqueted by Their Teachers and Praised for Work.

The teachers of Bolton avenue public school treated a banquet to over 100 boys of the school last night. The boys who were in attendance consisted of winning teams in the following departments of the school: basketball, football, baseball, tennis, and hockey. The banquet was given by the teachers, and the boys were praised for their work.

This year has been one of the most successful in the history of the old school, and several of the speakers remarked that although several years ago the school was looked upon as being one of the deplorable ones of the city, it appeared anything but a "dead one" now.

A Message To Thin, Weak, Scawny Folks

An Easy Way to Gain 10 to 30 Lbs. of Solid, Healthy, Permanent Flesh.

Thin, nervous, undeveloped men and women everywhere are aware of the fact that they are just what they are. "I don't eat son is just this. You cannot get fat, no matter how much you eat, unless your digestive organs assimilate the fat-making elements of your food instead of passing them out through the body as waste."

What is needed is a means of gently urging the assimilative functions of the stomach and intestines to absorb the food and send them over to the blood, and then the body is built up, and the food, the best way to overcome this, is to stop the leakage of waste in the stomach. The recently discovered regenerative force, which is recommended by the Sarsaparilla, and abroad, take a little Sarsaparilla, with every meal, and notice how quickly your cheeks fill out and your body, covering each boy and girl, is in good point. Your druggist has Sarsaparilla, or get it from his wholesaler, and notice how your money if you are not satisfied with the guarantee in each package is in the package, easy to take and highly efficient.

Caution—While Sarsaparilla is in the package, easy to take and highly efficient, it should not be taken unless you are willing to gain ten pounds or more, for it is a wonderful flesh-builder.

Make Your Husband Buy a Lot and Build a Home

A woman sometimes has to start things. Many a man to-day can look back at some particularly lucky decision he has made and acknowledged that "his wife made him do it." How can any person, who has to pay rent every month, help feeling how fortunate they would be if they owned a house and lot and could live in it without paying rent. When a man is out of work, rent is hard to pay. When a man is out of work he wishes he had built himself a home when he had the steady income. Take a leaf out of the book of wisdom and start right now, without an hour's delay, to buy a lot and arrange to start building your home. Be your own master in your own home.

Get Rid of the Landlord. Step Into His Shoes Yourself

Instead of paying \$15 or \$20 per month to a landlord, put the money into your own pocket as profit on your wisdom in building a house for yourself. Dribbling away money, month after month, in paying rent is like putting money into a rat hole. Instead of that

Buy a Lot and Build a House

Take some of the money you have saved up out of the bank, or get a loan on your paid-up life insurance, and buy a lot in a good level section, near a factory district, where there is plenty of work always, and where you are sure that others will follow after, and build up around you, and double and treble the value of your lot. Such a place is

HAMPSTEAD GARDENS

This ideal spot for a thrifty man's home is just north of the old Belt Line Railway, on west side of Dufferin Street. The land is good for gardening, and you can easily have a neat grass lawn and flower beds in front of your cottage, a productive garden full of vegetables, strawberries, raspberries, currants, potatoes, radishes, lettuce, onions, beets, carrots, parsnips, turnips, squash, and around the sides you can grow sweet peas, nasturtiums, flowering beans, and lots of things that make a home not merely a place to sleep in and keep warm in, but to think pleasant thoughts about, plan about, take pride in, and last, but not least, a place that is constantly becoming worth more money, and that does not cost you one cent of rent, because it is all your own. And another thing, down in the corner, at the back, you can have hens, and be eating eggs fresh every day that people in Rosedale and on the Hill couldn't have for seventy cents a dozen. The St. Clair Avenue cars, with a two-cent fare, come to the corner of Dufferin; and when the Belt Line is electrified, as they say, you will have car service right at your door. When that happens, your lot will be worth \$30 per foot, and you will wish you had bought two lots instead of one.

Here's How You Do It

You buy a lot. You pay \$10 down, and get full possession. You go to a lumber dealer and arrange with him to supply you with lumber to build a cottage. You can get a friend carpenter to help you; and you can do a lot of work yourself in spare time; and in quicker time than you think, you have a neat little house ready for your family. The cost will only be from \$1,000 to \$1,500, and with easy payments you will not feel any worse paying for a home you will absolutely own yourself than when you were paying rent and getting nothing for it.

Read This Scheme for Owning a Home

We have helped hundreds of men by our method of selling well-located lots at low prices and on easy terms. There are several hundred families near Hampstead Gardens who own their homes and their prosperity to our plan of urging thrifty ones to buy a lot and build a home. The lots in Hampstead Gardens are:

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Husbands, think of the duty you owe your family to provide them a home, all their own. Wives, if your husbands don't seem alive to this proposition, make them read it, and make them come to us Saturday, or come yourselves, or fill out the coupon and come some other time. We will take you whenever you want to go.

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