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ELK LAKE TELEGRAM MYSTERY KING EDWARD MEMORIAL **CLEARED UP BY SIR JAMES** FUND FOR CONSUMPTIVES Premier Reveals Contents of Exchange of Messages Before Official Audited Statement of the Fund Handed to His Election Day Regarding Construction of T. and N. O. Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught. Branch Railroad-Held it Back for a Year, Because of "Veiled Allusions" Made by Opposition.

There is now no mystery about the famous Elk Lake telegram. Sir James Whitney in the legislature yesterday divulged the facts. During last ses-sion and this, J. C. Elligiti, Liberal member for West Middlesex, quizzed the premier regarding a telegram which was supposed to have been sent by him to Elk Lake, prior to the last provincial election, promising the con-struction of a branch line of the T. and N. O. Railway. On an order of

truction of a branch line of the T. ind N. O. Railway. On an order of the house, showing whether the pre-nier, or any one in his behalf, had re-belved a telegram from a man named Rowlandson of Elk Lake with refer-ence to the building of the branch, and if a reply had been sent, Sir James made a statement which cleared the the

The Two Telegrams. he premier said that on Dec. 9, he received the following tele-n from John Rowlandson, Elk e: "In reference to the news-er report of Chairman Englehart, railways should be built to Elk e, can you confirm this on behalf he government? A number of re-nis are skeptical of report and r confirmation would be accepted final."

"I have not seen the statement, is true that the government has d to build branch line to Elk

When the question of the telegram came up in the house, the premier said that he proposed to assent to the motion and to bring down a "certain telegram." He said that he had observ-

telegram." He said that he had observ-ed "a very ill-natured comment" in The Globe of yesterday morning. "But I am not surprised at that." he said. "Nor at the fact that every subsequent assertion is utterly void of the truth." **Premier Tells Facts.** "The situation was and is now: On the 9th day of December, 1911, about 9 o'clock, I received a telegram from this man, in my home. In the house last session a certain return was moved for, for correspondence relating to the extension of the Elk Road road. It never occurred to me that the cor-respondence mentioned and intended to be included in this return, had any-thing to do with a telegram like this. Evidently that was the view taken by some honorable gentlemen opposite. "After my attention was drawn to it "The result has been that the gen tlemen living outside the city canno find it convenient to attend some o

Evidently that was the view taken by some honorable gentlemen opposite. "After my attention was drawn to it by veiled allusions, I remembered see-ing this telegram and got if from, the drawer in my desk at my house, and had it here for weeks waiting and ex-pecting every day that some honorable gentleman would either move for it, or ask a question about it. When I saw that instead of doing that there was a lot of veiled allusions, when I noticed that, no doubt unintentionally, al-legations were made as to what was is the telegram. I thought I would just let the matter go. The honorable gentlemen took their course early this session and asked questions relative to this telegram. I suggested that a re-turn should be asked for in order that a re-

has been built," following which there was much pounding of desks by Conservatives. Difficult to See. J. C. Elifott then arose. Regarding the supposed oversight on the part of the opposition for not asking in a proper way for the telegram in question, he said that an order had been made for the return of alt correspondence last year. "It is difficult for me to see why this telegram, the contents of which were revealed today, was leas entitled to be in the return made last year." he said. "A great deal of difficulty would have been obviated had it been brought down in the first return. I disagree with the statement of the breat the return of the correspondence in this side of the house." Torged By Some One. Wery sarcastically, Mr. Elliott preferred to the statement of the premier as year. "In the statement of the premier has ty ear that the telegram to which the opposition referred was a forgery committed by some one, Mr. Elliott corresponsibility snows been." "Torgad e and incorrect have been the comments by the opposition of the telegram." Interrupted Sir James." "The allegations by the Liberals responsibility for some one's and gazed." Increase Membership. There allegations by the Liberals responsible of the telegram it was a forgery. And so it would have been." Increase Membership. Sir James Whithey introduced a bill to amend the University Act of 1906. The amendment provides for an increase of the membership of the board of governors residing in Toronto. In explaining his bill the premier said that under the present law there are 29 members, including the chancellor and great deal of care was exercised in choosing members from all parts of the membership of the board of governors. The austick the care was exercised in the university act of a care was exercised in the origing members from all parts of the present law there are 29 members. Including the chancellor and president. In passing the old act a preat deal of care was exercised in the oread of the parts of the present law there are 29 members. Includi

Toronto, February 15th, 1913. **REPORT OF AUDITORS**

Toronto, February 13th, 1913.

The Boards of Trustees.

The National Sanitarium Association and the Toronto Free Hospital for Consumptives, Toronto.

We have examined the books of your Associations and we certify that the accompanying statement of the King Edward Memorial Fund for Conptives is correct

We have received letters from your solicitors certifying that the titles to your properties are in order. The investment in the buildings and equipment at the several institu-

tions shows their aggregate cost, and, in our opinion, the provision for depreciation is sufficient.

depreciation is sufficient. We have seen signed subscriptions to the fund for \$343,838.34 and a telegram from Lord Strathcona promising a final and completing subscrip-tion of \$125,000. These two sums, amounting to \$468,838.34, constitute the net amount receivable subsequent to 31st January, 1913, all payments made thereon up to that date having been first deducted. We have not taken into account any excess of expenditure over revenue during the four months since 30th September, 1912, the close of the last

fiscal year of the hospital

Yours faithfully, F. ROPER, Auditor CLARKSON, GORDON & DILWORTH,

Chartered Accountants.

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Governor-General of Canada.

lay it please Your Royal Highness

The Trustees of the National Sanitarium Association, and of the Tor-onto Free Hospital for Consumptives, have the honor to tender to you the assurance of the completion of the King Edward Memorial Fund for Consumptives, amounting to over

ONE MILLION DOLLARS

The Auditors' Statement and Certificate are furnished herewith, show ig that the fund is made up as follows:

Capital Investment, less liabilities \$317,819.82

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If the Trustees decide to open up a new Sanitarium on Lake Timiskamng and thus avail themselves of the gift of John Lumsden, Esq., of Ottawa, of property consisting of a furnished hotel, which cost \$75,000.00, the total of this King Edward Memorial Fund will reach the sum of \$1,137,413.66.

Signed on behalf of the Trustees. W. J. GAGE,

Chairman of Executive.

turn should be asked for in order that the rules of the house should be com-plied with.

schools since May 1, 1910. When the motion came up Hon. W. J. Hanna said: "There is no correspondence, but the order may go." This terse state-ment caused a little amusement on both sides of the house. Mr. Evanturel, on making the mo-tion for the return of correspondence, claimed that his race was not being given justice by the abolition of bilin-gual schools. He admitted that he was taking the course without the con-sent of his party, but with such ques-tions which were vital to the welfare of French-Canadians, he was neither a Liberal nor a Conservative, but an Was an Illustration. "I only want to refer to one thing n The Globe this morning—the state-ment that I had said that no one could <text><text><text><text><text><text>

Eugene Ysaye World's Greatest Violinist who plays his farewell engagement.

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Toronto Free Hospital for Consumptives to complete ONE MILLION DOLLAR FUND. COMBINED CAPITAL INVESTMENTS of both Associations at close of last fiscal year, Sept. 30th, 1912; \$385.397.32 Less Mortgage indebtedness 8,000.00 Reserves for depreciation 34,858.82 \$ 342,538.50 HAMMOND MEMORIAL FUND Held by Royal Trust Company for benefit of the Toronto Free Hospital for Consump-tives under terms of a declaration of trust dated 10th August, 1910 60,380.29 HAMMOND ESTATE Final amount receivable from legacy of \$20,000 4.000.00 406,918.79 Deduct—Surplus of Liabilities over Liquid Assets at 30th September, 1912...... 89,098.97 \$ 317,819.82

CONTRIBUTIONS Received in Cash by the King Edward Memorial Fund and the several institutions from 1st October, 1912, to 31st January, 1913

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Total \$1,062,413.66 paid and if the purchasers have com-menced the buildings and works call-ed for in the agreement. He also re-quests information regarding the esti-mated quantity in cords of timber in Haggert and Kendry, the townships which the syndicate purchased. T. R. Mayberry, Liberal for South Oxford, has asked the government why Mr. Southam resigned his post-tion as chief engineer of the Hydro-Electric Commission.

North Toronto Litigation

Before Legislature.

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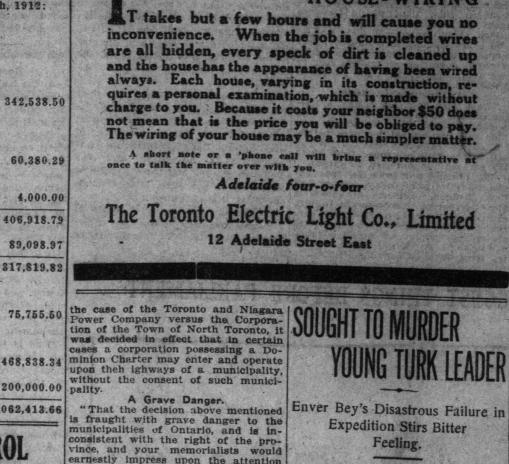
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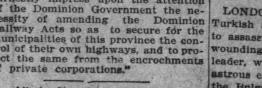
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Is Dispute Settled?

C. Kohler, Liberal for Haldimand, asks what was the amount of settleasks what was the amount of settle-ment between the Hydro-Electric Commission and the McGuigan Con-struction Company, arising out of the contract for the construction of the Niagara power transmission line, and how much of the settlement was in excess of the original contract price? "Are all matters between the two parties now settled?" he asks. W. E. N. Sinclair, Liberal for South Ontario, asks for the return of all grand jury presentments in the pro-vince for 1912. U. Richardson, Liberal for East Wellington, would like to know the names of all the counsel engaged by the government during 1912, and the amount paid for their services.

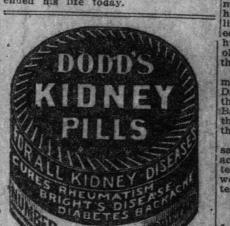
That it is of the highest importance to the municipalities of the province to the their own highways.
MUSTRIAN AVIATOR KILLED.
VIENNA, Feb. 17.-(Can. Press.)-for the third time in the month of province to the the third time in the month of province the municipalities of the province full and absolute control of the there are as the was taken by the police while engaged with other suffagettes in window-breaking in the east end of London.





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W. H. Proudfoot, Liberal Retired Farmer Ends Life. HESPELER, Feb. 17.-(Special.)-bespondent because of illness, which Member for Centre Huron, Despondent because of liness, which made an operation necessary, recently, John Tovel, aged 69, a retired farmer, ended his life today.



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is fraught with the right of the pro-consistent with the right of the pro-vince, and your memorialists would earnestly impress upon the attention of the Dominion Government the ne-cessity of amending the Dominion Railway Acts so as to secure for the municipalities of this province the con-trol of their ovun highways, and to pro-tect the same from the encrochments of private corporations." Nall the New Victrola Records. The new Victrola records of each Method with terrible and as "forlorn hope" of Ottoman troops, who were beaten back with terrible losses. A hematch by wireless tele-HARRISBURG, Pa., Feb. 17.-(

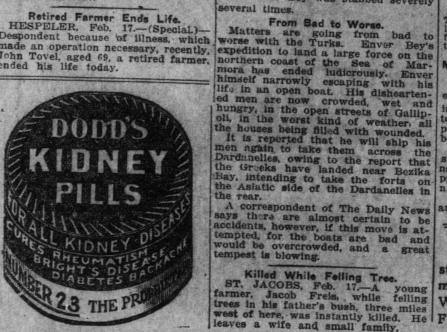
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MOUNT ETNA'S SNOWY MANT

ROME, Feb. 17.-(Can. Press.)exceptionally cold weather ing thruout Italy reached its tonight in a snowstorm after th perature had fallen several below zero. In Messina the winter has b severest in twenty years. M presents a magnificent spectacle night. There is much snow and ice in S and Calabria.

Forty years in use, 20 years in

Killed While Felling Tree. ST. JACOBS, Feb. 17.—A young farmer, Jacob Freis, while felling trees in his father's bush, three miles west of here, was instantly killed. He leaves a wife and small family.



the rear. the rear. A correspondent of The Daily News says there are almost certain to be accidents, however, if this move is at-tempted, for the boats are bad and would be overcrowded, and a great tempest is blowing.

several times.