

ASK STATEMENT FROM HYDRO ELECTRIC

Fire and Light Committee Would Like to Know What System Has Cost Toronto and the Prospective Expenditure--North Toronto and City Officials Hold Conference.

How much money has the hydro-electric system cost the city and what further expenditure is likely to be needed to complete the work? The city council some months ago passed a motion by Ald. McMurrich asking that this information be supplied...

Some Criticism. Some criticism was also levied on the policy of the Hydro-Electric Commission in placing lights on only one side of many of the streets in the old portions of the city...

Royce Avenue Crossing. Aid. Anderson brought up the question of placing lights on Royce avenue, crossing which at the present time, he said, was very dangerous to many residents in Ward Seven...

Annexation Conference. Officials from the Town of North Toronto and the city met in City Clerk Littlejohn's office yesterday to discuss some of the problems confronting the two municipalities with reference to the annexation...

Indian Children. Many kindred societies throughout the province will be in attendance at the celebrations, chief among them being representatives from the various Indian Reserves, Niagara Historical Society and the Women's Westworth Society of Hamilton...

MONTREAL'S BATTLE FOR CLEAN FOOD.

The law against exposing fruits and vegetables for sale is being rigidly enforced in Montreal. Many dealers have been fined for having such goods exposed to dust and dirt...

C.N.R. WINS AT WINNIPEG

So Says Sir Donald Mann, But Civic Officials Doubt. WINNIPEG, Sept. 25.—(Can. Press.)—Sir Donald Mann, who arrived here today from the east on his way west for a trip of inspection, said that he had received a message from the company's Toronto office to the effect that the railway commission had handed down a decision permitting the proposed Canadian Northern Railway cut-off thru Fort Rouge and South Winnipeg...

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WILL CELEBRATE CENTENARY OF BROCK

Extensive and Patriotic Program is Being Prepared by U. E. Loyalists for Saturday, Sunday and Monday, Oct. 12, 13 and 14, With School Holidays and Rejoicing.

United Empire Loyalists are preparing an extensive and patriotic program for the celebration of the Sir Isaac Brock centenary, which takes place Oct. 14 at Queenston Heights. A number of resolutions were adopted at their meeting yesterday...

Provincial ministers of education will be appealed to for permission to celebrate the anniversary in a fitting manner at the public schools throughout the Dominion, which will appeal to the intellect and imagination of the coming generation...

The federal government will be asked to proclaim a national holiday on Monday, Oct. 14, and it was also suggested that as the City of Toronto is very likely to expropriate the Knox College property, it might be well to suggest to the civic authorities that this new park be named "Brock Park"...

After considerable discussion it was decided to hold the celebrations at the shrine of the hero of 1812, and the celebrations, which will be nation wide in scope, will therefore be held on Saturday, October 12, which will be the first actual Brock gathering since the renovation of the monument in 1854. Col. Fotheringham's proposed tendency to spend large sums upon flowers, etc., which would only be seen by about 50 people...

During the discussion, it was learned that the York Pioneers had endeavored for some years past to have a flag pole erected at Lundy's Lane, but without success. J. L. Hughes, LL.D., promised that if the minister of militia will present the missing pole, he will donate the Union Jack.

Those in charge of the celebrations are: Press committee—Messrs. Castel Hopkins, Alexander Fraser and Smith, Miss Merrill acting as secretary. Arrangements committee—Messrs. J. S. Cartwright, J. L. Hughes, J. L. D., and E. Macdonald. Col. Ryerson is president of the committee.

China and its Health Problems. In giving a summary of a recent trip into the interior of China, Dr. W. W. Sharratt, is quoted in The Journal of the American Medical Association as saying: Two thousand miles, 20,000,000 people, 200 cities and one sewer pipe...

During the 300 years of Manchu government nothing was done to safeguard the public health. There are no quarantine laws, no hospitals, no methods of controlling epidemics, no health regulations and no health officers. With the exception of medical missionaries and a few recent graduates of American and European schools, there are no physicians in the modern sense...

It is concluded that both the sound and the weak were carried by a wind in air strata probably five or six miles high. "When I was a young man," said Mr. Cumros, "I thought nothing of working twelve or fourteen hours a day."

"Father" replied the young man with a shrug, "I wish you wouldn't mention it. Those non-union sentiments are liable to make you unpopular."—Washington Star.

"Jones is a genius." "What is his latest?" "He has started a correspondence school for teaching deaf people not to walk on railroad tracks."—Tledo Blade.

AMUSEMENTS

ALEXANDRA DIRECT FROM ONE YEAR AT THE COMEDY THEATRE, N.Y. THE ORIGINAL COMPANY. BUNTY PULLS THE STRINGS. Matinee Today, 2.30, 5.00, 7.30, 9.15. NIGHTS, SAT. MAT., 7.30, 9.15.

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mahogany of Louis XIV. style. Fifteen music rolls and bench accompany the piano. The third grand prize is a fine R. F. Wilks \$300 upright piano in beautiful walnut, supplied in final and design, manufactured expressly under the direction of Mr. R. F. Wilks, who is an expert authority on piano tone.

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RETAIL MEN COMPLAIN Will Meet on Monday Next to Protest Against High Assessments. The retail merchants on Yonge street are up in arms against the unusually high assessment which they are forced to meet this year.

RESULTS OF RECENT CANCER RESEARCH IN ENGLAND. The recent British work of cancer research, as stated by Dr. Bashford, seems to have been chiefly a comparison of inoculated cancer with cancer appearing spontaneously.

SOUND TRAVELS AT GREAT HEIGHTS. Marked activity has been shown of late by the volcano of Asama-yama in Central Japan, which has a height of 1330 feet, and a crater 400 feet deep and a quarter of a mile across.

LUXURIOUS LIFE OF JAVA MERCHANTS. Edward A. Keith of Campbell, Mass., writing in the Bulletin of the National Association of Civil Men an account of a recent trip in the orient, remarks as follows: "The merchant's life in Java must be a delightful one. The stores are never opened until about 10 o'clock in the morning. They remain open until about noon. They remain closed until 5 o'clock and are closed for the day about 5.30. In the afternoon the merchant can take his sleigh in his hammock or his piazza or in his bed and avoid the heat of the day."

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