TENDERS FOR SEWERS ABNORMALLY LOW

Works Commissioner's Fig- future on the local improvement basis, and decided to defer its decision unures Fifty Per Cent. Above Private Firms.

CITY MAY DO WORK

Suggestion to Charge Property Owners on Basis of Lowest Tender.

Tenders were opened by the board ment of the system. of sewers in the district recently annexed north of Danforth and between SHPYARD WORKERS Monarch Park and Woodbine avenues to be started at once to provide emhe tenders were scanned it was found that the works commissioner's figures were in nearly every case 50 per cent. higher than the lowest tender. The Determination Only to Accept city's estimate on the seven sewers was \$61,434, and the lowest tender was \$41,346. There were 13 tenders.

As the work will be assessed against

the property as a local improvement it was felt that it would not be fair and night perhaps be illegal to charge gested that the city should go ahead do the work even at a cost of \$61,000 and make the local assessment basis of the lowest tender. Money is being given away for relief anyway, and in this case there would

fee east of Woodmount, \$3,200; city \$4.890; Glebemount from Danforth to 117 feet north of Milverton boulevard. \$11,126; city \$16,600; Milverton, Glebemount avenue to 472 feet east of Woodmount, \$2,661; city \$4.783; Strathmore. from Glebemount to 506 feet east of Woodmount, \$3,200; city \$5.241; Wolverleigh, from Glebemount to 501 Wolverleigh, from Glebemount to 501 Collingwood Shipbuilding Company feet east of Woodmount, \$3,200; city had been officially notified of the interviews of the content of the interviews of the content 118 feet north of Milverton, \$11,230;

Town Planners Coming.

a more favorable contract than was wages paid in Toronto by that compossible a few months ago.

MAYOR CHURCH REMINDS

Mayor Church has again written to the minister of railways. Hon. Dr. Reid, asking for a statement of the ly close down work on the two ships of intention to the relief committee they would lose their jobs. This was considered very welcome news by a ly close down work on the two ships host of ex-service men who were con-Reid, asking for a statement of the government's intentions regarding the now under construction at the formorstruction of the Toronto railway mer Dominion Shipyards. riaduct on the Esplanade, the building of the ne customs house, the unemployment situation and other mat-

GOVERNMENT HOLDS UP BIG TIMBER AREA

The 5,500 square mile timber limit which the Spanish River Pulp and Wage officers whose business it was Paper Co. wants is being held up for to adjust and decide wages, especthe present. Premier Drury announcially on government contracts. In the ed yesterday. The company has been trying to secure the area by the ratrying to secure the area by the ra-tification of the present government of an agreement which was made by the the marine department. This was an agreement which was made by the Hearst administration.

FOR FEEBLE-MINDED. Consideration was promised by the government yesterday to the request of the Canadian national committee for mental hygiene for a grant of

MEN YOU HEAR OF Seen as Their Friends Know Them



MR. WYLY EDMUND GRIER, R.C.A are shooting and fishing.

FAVORS NEW POLICY ON CAR LINE EXTENSIONS

The board of control on Tuesday discussed the principle of the pro-posal to make car line extensions in Ottawa Considers Suggestions til the legislation committee reports on the scheme, but according to a letter issued by Mayor Church yesterday from his sick room, the matter has already been settled. He is in favor of the new policy and the necessary legislation to make it effective will be sought.

portation commission primarily, it is apparent, to suggest that the commission's publicity department corked up for a while or at least til something definite has been decided on regarding car line extensions and other measures for the improve

TAKE FIRM STAND

the Alleged Prevailing Rate of Pay.

done, the regulations be further amendproperty-owners on the basis of highest tender. As a means of thing over the difficulty it was sugted that the city should go ahead the city shoul in refusing to grant the wage alleged gration officials, both in Canada and the prevailing wage in the shipband ing industry in Toronto, 90 cents an hour, has apparently not influenced the action of the men, was the state-the action of the men action of the men, was the state-the action of the men action o ment generally made at the Labor nyway, and in this case there would essemething to show for it.

Will Ask Legal Opinion.

The board decided to ask the city officials of the unions affected, Herbert Wright, business manager of local 128, Interest of the procedure.

The lowest tenders and those put the lowest tenders and those put the material organizer for the lowest tenders and those put the material organizer for the lowest tenders and those put the material organizer for the lowest tenders and those put the first procedure.

The lowest tenders and those put the material organizer for the lowest tenders and those put the material organizer for a report on the legality and willingness to support them; and further, that the regulations to support them; and further, that the regulation of the lowest tenders and those put after the latter had pulled to them at least during the winter months immediately following their months immediately following the dropped down the elevator shaft. He dropped dow by the city are as follows:

Dundas street, from Broadview to officially apprized of this intention Bolton, \$6,600; city \$8,500; Glenholme on the part of the government, but oulevard, from Glebemount to 496 1-2 at a special meeting, held during the

> Review of Situation. Mr. Wright stated that yesterday's

meeting was in the nature of a gen-eral review of the situation. There

was no possibility of any decision

being reached, he said, so long as the

took upon itself the responsibilities

labor. The latter department

belonging alone to the department of

wages, which had already been agreed

ing, Mr. Wright stated there was no

Herbert Wright, business manager

cials of the union, stated last night

"The facts are these," stated Mr

approached Mr. Simpson upon the matter of the advertisement, and asked

in the columns of the paper."

Street

be made to induce the congregation.

to give possession almost at once, so

land is needed for the Teraulay

that work can be found for the un

employed in razing the edifice.

ambulance,

CITY DESIRES EARLY

"Some three weeks ago we

truth in any such report.

pay is now being adjusted.

DENY USING PRESSURE

by the department of labor.

department of marine and fisheries

Guard Against Evictions.

It is estimated that there are about three hundred immigrants in Toronto from Great Britain who are reservists from the great war. Yesterday three ing the cable, but merely operated the of these were at the Krausman House. car from below. It is not known tentions of the cabinet. Probably another meeting would be held today One of them, Arthur Quinn, had ar- whether some person on one of the to further consider the matter, but Use of the council chamber on February 17 and 18 for a town planning convention, has been granted by the roard of control. One hundred dollars was also voted as a contribution to the entertainment fund.

Several printing establishments will shortly be asked to tender on city be asked to tender on city and the control of shortly be asked to tender on city printing, which last year cost about \$50,000. The printing shops are said to be running slack just now, and City Clerk Littlejohn expects to secure of a proceeding a truck on or off it.

While not recede from its position by the fore he left he was in receipt of a pension of \$75 a year. Today, that was since his arrival in Canada, this pension had been cut off.

A helpful note in the present situation of the crown, in-A helpful note in the present situa-

ASK RESTRICTION

ON IMMIGRATION

Made by Toronto Citi-

Men Induced to Leave Britain

on Promise of Employ-

ment Here.

Relief workers having called to the

attention of the Citizens' Unemploy-

nent Committee that a number of im-

nigrants were reaching the city and

vere making application for relief

hemselves, the committee communi-

cated with the department of immigra-

tion and colonization, Ottawa, and

asked that in addition to the monetary

tion was given yesterday by Sergeantpany are similar to the prevailing wages in the industry in the city. The message to Tom Moore further Major Crichton, who pointed out that no evictions in Toronto could be possible without action on the part of MINISTER OF RAILWAYS

states that if the unions take the view that these are not the prevailing wages and anticipates to be prevailing wages and anticipates to be prevailing wages and anticipates to be prevailing wages. or intention to the relief committee tinually in dread of the bailiff acting under orders of unscrupulous land-

THIEF WITH STOVE **GIVES "COP" A RUN**

Shot From P. C. Neil's Revolver Halts Harry Hilson.

men naturally refused to work at less Harry Hilson, 25 Augusta avenue, than the standard or prevailing union now in custody on a theft charge, is some sprinter. Ask P.C. Neil (575). Asked whether any representative of either the Collingwood Shipbuildof either the Collingwood Shipbuildstove, weighing approximately 20 pounds, he gave the constable a real He knows. Even with a small coal STORM DAMAGES chase yesterday afternoon before he was finally run down on Brant street near the old St. Andrew's Market The question of paying out strike it came close to hitting him. TO HAVE AD REMOVED

Benjamin Shellman, 527 West Queen tomorrow. for Local 128. International Union of street. Shellman saw his stove going, Shipbuilders, R. Martin and other offithat there was no truth in the report that pressure had been brought to bear upon either James Simpson or the offiing figure of Hilson was still discerntion. Early this evening the same atable, and the constable, who is some mospheric conditions made their apcials of The Industrial Banner to delete what of a sprinter himself, took up the pearance in southwestern Ontario, but from its columns advertising matter relating to the Collingwood Shipbuildpursuit. Along Queen to Augusta, up to midnig down Augusta to Richmond street, the wire trouble. ing Company, now in dispute with the chase continued, the police officer finally catching his man on Brant street.

WILL REQUEST CHANGES IN EDUCATION ACT

him if he would object to having this advertisement deleted. He immediate-Trustee Wanless will ask the board ly stated that he would be glad to do of education to request the Ontario so. He further stated that it was an government for two important changes columns of The Banner for nearly legislature fix the maximum number tion yesterday that the government of mills on the dollar levied on the proposed to cut out all grants to prothree years. Mr. Simpson had no idea even that the advertisement was still assessment of the city of Toronto and collected in taxes for the use of the lation had requested an increase in POSSESSION OF CHURCH purchase price that the compensation, at the option of the board, shall be the last assessment of such land and the last assessment of such land and Under the terms of the purchase of Presbyterian in addition fifty per cent. of such the province" Church, the city is to get possession assessed value. n four weeks, but Acting Mayor Ma-

guire said yesterday an effort would AGGRAVATED ASSAULT CHARGED AGAINST MAN

Albert Hopkins, 270 Palmerston MR. WYLY EDMUND GRIER, R.C.A.

Bern in Melbourne, Australia, he came to Canada in 1876. He is a past president of the Ontario Society of Artists and le also an active member of the Arts and Letters Club of which he was president, 1909-10. His favorite sports are shooting and fighing.

Street extension.

HEAD IS INJURED.

When he fell from a coal chute at Van Horne street and Dovercount to the police the Briggs woman, who was Hopkins' landlady, complained to him that he was using the police of the Orange and Mayor Copton much gas, and in the argument to the Western Hospital in the police seriously injured, the police say.

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The complainant.

According to the police the Briggs woman, who was Hopkins' landlady, complained to him that he was using the police say and in the argument that followed she claims that Hopkins struck her several times. She was not seriously injured, the police say. seriously injured, the police say.

COLLEGE PRESBYTERIANS

HAVE PROSPEROUS YEAR

College Street Presbyterian Church, at their congregational meeting last night, reported total givings of the congregation for the year of \$46.700. Of this, \$23,300 was used for general purposes, \$18,300 was for outside purposes, \$9,430 was paid to the forward movement fund (the amount sub-scribed being \$22,000); \$6,000 was used for missionary work. and \$1,500 for community work.

ELEVATOR MAN WAS NEGLIGENT

owing to their inability to take care of Fred Reid Charged by Coroner's Jury Over Death of G. Pond.

requirement with regard to immigrants of the mechanic, artisan and laborer classes, whether skilled or unskilled teing increased, as had already been street, was charged last night with negligence by Coroner M. Crawford's jury, at the inquest held on George

ability and willingness to support them; and further, that the regulations regarding the monetary requirements of all immigrants be most rig-Pond's neck and pinning Reed under The department has replied that the it. Reid was uninjured when the car

> they were not instructed in the workings of the mechanical devices.
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> Reed did not ascend with the car and put on the safety device, cramping the cable, but merely operated the

tends taking the matter of proper instruction being given to elevator men

AGGRESSIVE WAR ON FADS AND FRILLS

Aggressive war on fads and frills

up with the proper authorities.

will be started at tonight's meeting of the board of education, when Rev. F. E. Powell will move "that manual arts and household arts centres be discontinued as such, and that no further equipment for them be pro-vided until basement rooms and portble rooms can be dispensed with. Bedford Park School's equipment as manual training centre is to be opposed. The inspectors report that the district already has more than its share of such training at Eglinton Avenue Public School, as the four schools concerned only have six fourth grade classes to take the

Earlscourt district's five schools, with 16 fourth grade classes, it is pointed out, have to get along at present with no near normal training

TELEGRAPH WIRES

the constable fired a shot in the air of a sleet storm between Sudrury and from his revolver, and Hilson imagined Fort William. Wires were down between those points from 2.80 p.m., and Hilson, the police claim, stole the there was apparently no prospect of stove from in front of the store of their being restored before some time

Interruption during the winter on however, and running out onto the street, he shouted murder, police and frost breaks, or aurora borealis, are several other things, which brought on the run P.C. Neil. The swiftly retreatinfrequent visitor in that chilly section. Early this evening the same at- ly of reports of committees. up to midnight had not caused any The wires of the Canadian National

Telegraphs, which connect Toronto and Winnipeg thru Chicago, were reported working o.k.

NO MORE GRANTS FOR PROPAGANDA PURPOSES

Premier Drury told a deputation in the education act. First, that the from the Canadian Forestry Associaroard of education. Also that in cases its annual grant from \$3,000 to \$4,000. where the owners of sites and the "However," the premier added "if "However," the premier added, "if board of education cannot agree on a I can possibly make a hole in the wall

CITY COUNCILLORS VISIT ST. MARY'S ORPHANAGE

Members of the city council this afboulevard, was arrested last night by ternoon paid a visit to St. Mary's or-

ASKS CO-OPERATION ON CITY ENTRANCES

Government and Controllers Seeking to Come to Terms Regarding Cost.

for community work.

The church is now free of debt. a mortgage of \$5,300 having been paid off. There are 253 new members added, with a net gain of 93. The congregation is now the largest in the city, with 1,806 members. Rev. R. B. Cochrane is pastor.

A conference was held in the mayor's garding his cancer serum was given to the press, Dr. T. J. Glover has returned to New York, where he will continue research work in connection with the perfection of his important discovery. It is reported that the academy will also continue its interest in the city in the provincial highways.

LICUATOR MAN

the Kingston road in a direct line with a subway under the G.T.R. On the west there is a diversion of Bloor to be made, if the city consents to the diversion, with a high level bridge over the Humber, and a new road con-structed westward to Dundas road. The question of the bridge, how-ever, Mr. Biggs said need not be dealt with at once, as it probably would not

Share of Province.
Works Commissioner Harris asked in the cost of widening Bloor and The minister replied that there was no legislation covering that point. It

of the provincial highways system The department has replied that the suggestions made have been carefully noted and everything possible is being done to achieve the results desired by the committee, and that the department for the improvement of the committee, and that the department from the employes, and although the proposition to the proposition to the suggestions made have been carefully was lifted.

It developed that the Sunbeam ments proposed, with blue prints, and the commissioner would then make a from the employes, and although the proposition to the board of control.

Officials Propose Deferring **Bylaw on Partial Exemption**

A recommendation is going forward to council from the board of contro floors pulled the cable or that Reid touched the device in the basement, allowing the car to drop. He did not \$4,000 be made effective January 1.

facts and the amount of work involved investigate."

insist on revising the roll this year. ON POLITICAL ORDER

John M. Godfrey stated to The World last night that the sessions of the board of arbitration respecting the status of employes of government rail-ways in political affairs, specifically the C.N.R., would be traversed over to today to enable the representatives of the men to again appear before the board and state their case. He stated that the sessions had been conducted with every effort toward harmony and

The men this morning will be asked to consider a proposal of F. C. Mc-Guigan, representative of the C.N.R. on near the old St. Andrew's Market.
Even at that, he might have continued the chase considerably farther had not the chase considerably f sentatives met all yesterday afternoon to consider the proposal.

PAPERMAKERS CONVENE. The International Brotherhood of Papermakers is in convention at the Prince George Hotel, and, according to the president, J. T. Carey, the press will be excluded until Monday next. Yesterday the meeting consisted large

ALEXANDRA PLENTY OF SEATS TONIGHT ARTHUR CHESNEY MISS N. DE SILVA

MARTIN HARVEY'S

PRODUCTION OF

THE

BURGOMASTER STILEMONDE

NEXT WEEK - Seats Today SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT Of Quaint, Beautiful, Memorable MAYTIME The Greatest Musical Play Ever Staged,

Evgs, 50c to \$2.50; Wed. Mat, to \$1.50; Sat. Mat., 50c to \$2.00.

GLOVER CONTINUES RESEARCH WORK

Medical Academy Will Also Keep Up Interest in the Cancer

Serum After a hurried visit to Toronto, during which his statement in reply to the report of the special commit-tee of the Academy of Medicine re-

from the east, west and north of the provincial highways.

Under present legislation dealing with suburban roads the city is obliged to pay 20 per cent. of the expenditure, and as extensive improvements are contemplated the city's share would be considerable.

The plan calls for the diversion of Yonge street westward to avoid the big dip at Hog's Hollow, and this would involve the tuilding of a steel trestle which would cost about \$350.000, of which the city's share would be \$70,000. The city would have to share also on a similar basis in the cost of the new road.

For the eastern entrance it is proposed to extend Danforth avenue to the Kingston road in a direct line of the control of the

ASKING DAMAGES FOR ALLEGED FALSE ARREST

William J. Chambers, before Mr Justice Orde and a jury in the assizes yesterday afternoon, is suing Joseph Humphries, James H. King and Russell King for \$25,000 damages for al-

leged false arrest.

In the statement of claim, the the minister if in his opinion it would plaintiff is described as a salesman. the defendant. Humphries, a police constable, Jas. H. King, an autom Yonge streets in view of the fact that bile agent carrying on business as these thorofares were to become part the Parkdale Motors, and Russell King, a son, in the same business It is alleged by plaintiff that on April 23 last, King, senior, ordered was finally agreed that Mr. Biggs P. C. Humphries to arrest the plain-would forward to the city commission-tiff on West King street. Plaintiff taken first to King's place of business and later to No. six police station, where he was held from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. He claims he was struck in the face and on the left ear, by the constable. The defendant Humphries, denies assault and that he did not use any more force than was necessary. The defendants, King, deny false arrest.

Divided in Opinion

The Optometrical Association of On tario, in convention here, seems to be the business until the new taxes come in. If the changes were ordered the revised roll would not be ready in time for the collection of taxes at the

time for the collection of taxes at the usual time; in fact, the first instalment would not be collectable before August 15th. The report was signed by Finance Commissioner Ross, Assessment Commissioner Forman, City Clerk Littlejohn and City Solicitor Clerk Littlejohn and City Solicitor Solicito Wm. Johnston.
"It is almost as sure as death," said Controller Hiltz, "that a motion will be made in council on Monday to make the bylaw effective this year."

same capacity, and we believe this to be wrong. The Optometrical Association say we are trying to undo what has been done for the benefit of optometry in Ontario. We are not. We Chairman Maguire expressed the are protesting against the actions of view that if the citizens knew all the board, and Mr. Raney says he will

> COURT COSMOPOLITAN. Court Cosmopolitan, A.O.F., held a successful euchre and dance in Victoria Hall, Richmond street, last night. The winners were as follows: Mrs. Frannce, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Payne, Mr. Cleveland, Mr. Hill, Mr. Vivian Hamflton.

Megent Now WALLACE in The Charm School

Ernie Caldwell—Walsh Sisters. -NEXT WEEK-"H-E-L-I-O-T-R-O-P-E" "HUMORESQUE"

Strand BIG WEEK Hours: Oll Hours: 11:10 5:10 1:10 7:10 9:10 Prologue at 3 and 9. MAJOR HOMER A. JUKES.

GRAND OPERA | Matinees HOUSE | Wed. & Sat | Evgs., 25c to \$1.50, Mats., 25c, 50c, 75c. F. Stuart-Whytes GORGEOUSNESS

KISMET.

TOMMORROW NIGHT MASSEY HALL

CYRIL SCOT The English Composer-Planist

RES. \$1.00, \$1.50 Bat., \$2.00

MAYOR'S CHECK ON TREASURY RAIDS

His Worship Puts Series of Pertinent Questions to City Auditor.

Mayor Church, in a statement sued yesterday, calls upon the bag. His worship has not forgotte incidents of the recent election. his statement shows. Following part of the mayor's memo to the auditor:

"Who in your department responsible, during the recent ele tions, for giving certain wrong in formation to the board of education re increases in civic department timates and overdrauts?

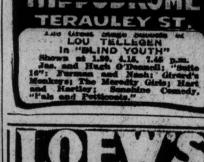
"Where is the Barber report on gas company?

"I find, on reading some of vi audits, that they are simply a che ing system. I should like you look into the affairs of the boards, as I know they are hundreds of thousands worth of contracts without tender and are buying in the open mark "Look into the school board ances. What deficits are there each school department for 1220 How are they going to be paid? The are illegal, and we cannot raise mone at the banks for board of education deficits legally not included in the annual estimates.

"Please see that no deficits happ this year, and take this matter i with the treasurer. They are ille







"THE HOPE" SPECIAL—Official Picture of U. S.
Balloonists Lost in Far North,
Eddle Carr and Company; Dancers
Supreme; Tate and Tate; Hart and
Hickey; Williams and Taylor.

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ANTREES VAUDEVILLE

NOW PLAYING SHAMROCK & THISTLE REVUE CARL MCCULLOUGH THOMAS SAX-O-TETTE t, Benton & Co.; Berger & Briscoe; "Billett 13." MAE MARSH
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JAMIE COUGHLIN JACK PEARL DARLING CHORUS

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