

# PLAN BIG OUTLAY ON TORONTO WORK

### Railway Board Told Bell Company Plans Spending Three Millions in Toronto.

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—(By Canadian Press)—That for the year 1921 the Bell Telephone Company will fall short by three thousand of filling the actual demand for telephone stations was a statement made before the board of railway commissioners in the continued hearing of the application of the company for an increase in rates. The budget for 1921 provides for an expenditure of \$10,424,412 on new plant and the carrying forward of an expenditure of \$1,425,518 to 1922. Of this amount \$5,498,000 will be chargeable to capital.

W. H. Winter, general plant superintendent, who made the foregoing and other statements relating to the finances of the company, also told the board that since 1913 general costs have increased by six to two per cent. Chief Engineer Lash of the Bell Telephone Company, who was on the stand for several hours, supported Mr. Winter's statement in the business dealings between the Bell Telephone Company and the Northern Electric, which supplies most of the material for the work conducted on strictly business lines.

W. H. Winter, general plant superintendent for the Bell Telephone Co., followed Mr. Winter's statement.

Plans for Toronto. Mr. Winter presented the final draft of the Bell Telephone Company's budget for 1921. This showed that the total amount of expenditure on new plants this year, and \$1,425,518 carried forward to 1922. This made a total projected expenditure of \$11,424,412. Of this amount \$5,498,000 was chargeable to capital. The draft budget showed that expenditures totaling \$3,585,518 were projected for Toronto, \$238,200 for Hamilton and \$458,000 for Ottawa.

# BALLOONISTS DUE IN MATTICE TODAY

### Definite Word of Party Reaching Last Stop—Reported in Good Condition.

(By Staff Correspondent of the Canadian Press Ltd., Copyrighted, 1921.) Mattice, Ont., Jan. 10.—The Americans will be here tomorrow afternoon. Earl Trowse, one of the party, sent out by the newspaper men here, and headed by Mr. Clarke, came in late tonight with the news that the party from Moose Factory had reached Skunk Island, the last stop before Mattice, this afternoon. The three lieutenants are said to be in good condition and to have stood the trip well. Trowse left for Mattice immediately after his arrival. Clarke of the proximity of the Americans and he came on at once, traveling 18 miles in the darkness over the Missanabie River and taking five hours for the trip. He reports the trail in fair shape only.

Snow Threatens. W. R. Clarke and the other members of his party, Basil Rooney, followed Trowse into Mattice about an hour later. They had not seen the Indians, but were told by an Indian of the officers' party, who had pushed on ahead to break the trail, that the men were camped tonight at Skunk Island, with some islanders who make their home there. Clarke says it was the fastest trip up the Missanabie he ever made. At midnight snow was still threatening, and should it come, the party will have rough going to reach here before daylight Tuesday.

Regaling Correspondents. The visiting correspondents meantime are absorbing local color and are being regaled with a variety of information regarding the country and wars. Missanabie is a strip of land between the Indians and Eskimos, their habits and customs, is being handed out freely by Hudson Bay officers at the post and by the correspondents in the place their temporary headquarters and en route down the Missanabie trail.

# Westphalian Reds Are Working For Rhineland General Strike

Amsterdam, Jan. 10.—The communists of Westphalia, who already have brought about a strike in the factories in the Hambrun, says Dusseldorf despatch, are seeking to make it general through the Rhineland. The conservative labor leaders, however, are opposing this.

# TWO THUGS ARE PUT TO FLIGHT

(Continued From Page 1.) ridges, and three empty shells, also a cap. Although about 50 years of age, Hon. Mr. Grant is of athletic build and is over six feet tall. "If I had my blackthorn cane along with me the men would have been lying there yet," said Hon. Mr. Grant to Detective-Sergeants Levitt and Mulholland, who were sent to investigate the case.

Hon. R. H. Grant is owner of a farm in Hazelton Township, Carleton County. Before joining the United Farmers he was a prominent Conservative. Hon. Mr. Grant in 1917 and 1918 sought the Conservative nomination for the provincial riding of Carleton, but without success. He was elected for Carleton on the U.F.O. ticket in the general election of 1919, and was appointed minister of education upon the formation of the Druce government on Nov. 14, 1919, and was re-elected by acclamation in Carleton.

# PREMIER DRURY TELLS WHY FARMERS ORGANIZE

### Speaking to Thousand Hamiltonians in Royal Connaught Ballroom, Declares Agriculturists' Movement Came Thru Desire to Better Conditions in Rural Life and Political Action Eventuated.

Hamilton, Jan. 10.—Hon. E. C. Drury, premier of Ontario, was the distinguished guest at tonight's luncheon of the Canadian Club. He spoke to those present on "The relation of town and city life in the building of the nation." It was the first time the premier ever visited Hamilton. He was accompanied by his wife and three children. He was well received. Although his remarks were of a political nature, he did not talk, and nothing of a sensational nature was heard.

Stands for Harmony. Premier Drury announced himself to be a sound believer in harmony. He said that it was the desire of every sane person who wished to see the solid upbuilding of Canada. Difference between parties in the past was the result of misunderstanding, he claimed. Class should not be a matter of getting class, but in the hope of getting a political harmony, this was nothing better than treason to Canada. We should understand one another, he said, and work in the common cause with the common objective—a better Canada.

# FOLLOW NEW CLUE IN WHITWORTH CASE

### Two Officials Start Inquiry—Miller Has Hopes of Finding Murderers.

Hamilton, Jan. 10.—There are new developments in the Dr. E. J. Whitworth shooting, it was learned by The World this afternoon, and as a result of this, Inspector of Detectives John Miller and Chief of Police James Clark of Wentworth started out this afternoon on new clues, which they state will have an important bearing on the case. Believing it to be in the interests of the police to keep from the press the new developments, the officials interviewed today would not divulge the new clues, but admitted it was well worth following. The county official, not connected with the police department, but in touch with something of an important nature, had handed the police, and it is on this that this afternoon's efforts were confined.

Inspector Miller was seen shortly before he left the court house this afternoon, and when asked if there was any news, his answer was, "No and yes." He referred to the difficulty under which the investigation was being carried on, and said he thought the real point, and that the task was a difficult one. "We are still working, though," he said, "and we hope to have the case brought to a successful conclusion." He reported the trail in fair shape only.

# DE VALERA MAKES BITTER ATTACK

(Continued From Page 1.) was the statement made in authoritative quarters in this afternoon, but the fact that De Valera has issued in Dublin a formal statement on Irish affairs, may change the government attitude. At the same time it was revealed that the government was somewhat perplexed as to why he had returned to Ireland, probably, it was stated, because such an admission would raise the question why he had not been apprehended. Neither will the responsible authorities say that they know where De Valera is, largely, it is asserted, for the same reason. But the crown forces are informed of his movements is indicated in an official statement which says De Valera "certainly will be clapped into prison as soon as he resumes his cudgels."

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# ENDORSE MRS. A. MURPHY FOR CANADIAN SENATE

Montreal, Jan. 10.—By a resolution passed to-day the Montreal Women's Club endorsed Mrs. Arthur Murphy of Edmonton, Alta., as being qualified for a seat in the Canadian senate, and prayed the federal government to appoint her to that position. Other resolutions favored extension of the franchise to women in this province and the government is modeling to practice at the Quebec bar.

# UNEMPLOYMENT BAD AROUND CALEDONIA

According to a prominent resident of Caledonia, the unemployment problem is in "just as bad a condition as ever," and he is waiting word from the Central Agricultural Association regarding the proposed plan to public work has been started in the section yet, and men are still walking the streets for lack of employment.

# YORK COUNTY AND BURBANK NEWS

### BUILDING BOOM IN BRITISH IMPERIALS SPRING EXPECTED ON TRANSPORTATION

Business men in District Attributed Good Trade to Open Winter.

# DANFORTH EARLS COURT

Business men in the various sections of the Danforth district report steadily to good and attribute the activity to the remarkably open winter up to the present. The quality of merchants are optimistic for the future and predict a building boom in the east end during the spring.

In connection with the unemployed Danforth Association, which speaks in the sections east of the River Don, it is pointed out that the conditions are not abnormal and is being tackled by the local relief organizations as far as possible and wherever met with.

# HONEYFORD'S PLANS TOO EXPENSIVE

The first of a series of debates, under the auspices of Danforth Methodist Church, took place last night in the hall of the church. The subject was "Resolved, that city life is more conducive to the development of the individual than rural life." Rev. John J. Coulter, pastor, presided, and there was a good attendance.

# EAST TORONTO

The funeral of the late James Page, who died in his 87th year, at his late residence, 133 East Gerrard street, took place last night in the presence of a large gathering of friends and relatives. The late Mr. Page survived a lengthy illness, and was a member of the St. Charles Church, St. Seagr, pastor, Rev. J. J. Coulter, officiated. The funeral was held at 8 o'clock, and was a very touching affair. Eighteen members were present.

The sixth annual equestrian and dance in connection with the Empire Business College, took place last night at the club house, 130 York street, under the auspices of the college. A large number of players entered the contest, and the prizes were awarded to the winners. The contest was a very successful one, and the college, and among those present, was Mr. J. J. Coulter, pastor.

# OLD RESIDENT IS CALLED BY DEATH

John A. Marshall, prominent hardware merchant, dies at his home.

# MOUNT DENNIS

The death of John Alexander Marshall, 51 Sunningwell crescent, Mount Dennis, one of its oldest and most prominent residents, took place last night at his home. He was 78 years of age and had been suffering from illness for some time. He was a member of the Mount Dennis Baptist Church, and was a very successful business man. He is survived by his wife and several children.

# ETOBICOKE SEEKS TO PROVIDE WORK

Township Council at Inaugural Meeting Grapples With Pressing Problem.

The inaugural meeting of the Etobicoke township council was held yesterday, township council presiding. Following the reading of the minutes and the adoption of the agenda, the council considered the matter of providing work for the unemployed in the township. The council decided to hold a public meeting to discuss the matter and to receive suggestions from the community.

# FAVOR TAKING OVER BEACH WATER LOTS

Residents Hold Meeting to Discuss Matter—Plan is Outlined.

# BEACHES

Residents of the water front invited all people interested in the water front improvements to a meeting, held in the afternoon at the water front. The meeting was held in the presence of a large number of residents, and the plan for the improvement of the water front was discussed. The plan is to take over the beach water lots and to improve them for the use of the community.

# THEFTS OF LUMBER BECOME SERIOUS

### OUTLOOK GOOD FOR ELECTRIC POWER

Hydro Commission Will Soon Be Able to Meet All Demands.

# YORK TOWNSHIP

The year 1921 promises to be big for York-Electric in York township. At the inaugural meeting of this year's township council, held yesterday, a resolution was passed to provide for the construction of a new power house, which will be able to handle all applications for electricity. The council also decided to provide for the construction of a new power line, which will be able to meet all demands for electricity.

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# MIMICO RADIAL MEN HESITATE OVER UNION

Proposal to Organize With the Toronto Street Railway Employees' Body.

# FIRST SESSION OF WESTON'S COUNCIL

Town Should Make Progress in Decade, Says Mayor Flynn.

# WESTON

A full meeting of the Weston town council was held last night in the town hall. The council considered the matter of providing work for the unemployed in the township. The council decided to hold a public meeting to discuss the matter and to receive suggestions from the community. The council also decided to provide for the construction of a new power house, which will be able to handle all applications for electricity.

# OFFICERS OF LODGES IN NORTH TORONTO

Number Installed for the Year at Meetings Last Night.

# NORTH TORONTO

Agilition Lodge, No. 402, I.O.O.F., have installed the following officers for the ensuing year: Wm. J. Macklin, president; V. G. Albert, president; R. S. G. Taylor, president; Wm. Thompson, president. The lodge also installed a number of new members, and the meeting was a very successful one.

# TODMORDEN LODGE INSTALS NEW OFFICERS

The newly-elected officers of Lodge Todmorden, No. 258, Sons of England, were installed last night in the hall of the lodge. The lodge also installed a number of new members, and the meeting was a very successful one.

# WEST TORONTO

Sir Robert Land Commandery, No. 3, Knights of Malta, held their installation ceremony for 1921 in their chapter rooms, held in the hall of the commandery. The ceremony was conducted by D.D.G.M. G. M. Brewster, of No. 2 district, and was a very successful one.

The new premises of the Royal Bank at Port Credit were opened for business last night. The building is a big improvement over the old one, and is a very successful one. The new premises are located in a very desirable location, and are a very successful one.

# PROHIBITION WHISKY

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Source of Revenue was to be affected by the growth of suburban Toronto which the radicals were to be relieved of. When you were relieved of your passenger traffic which, as yet, was a net loss, declared Mr. Hewson. As the witness was asked a definite opinion upon the passenger revenue at that time, he said, "I am not sure, but I think it was a net loss." He also stated that the Hydro Commission had been asked to increase the extent to which the passenger revenue was to be affected by the growth of suburban Toronto which the radicals were to be relieved of.

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