The City and the Road Grant

Last week I published a fac-simile copy of a letter from the Secretary of the Municipal Council in which it was stated (a) THAT THE CITY RECEIVED FROM THE GOVERNMENTS IN GRANTS FOR THE MAINTENANCE AND UPKEEP OF CITY STREETS, ANNUALLY, THE SUM OF \$5,807.50; (b) THAT UNDER THE PER CAPITA GRANT, THE CITY WAS ENTITLED TO \$70,000.00.

This statement from the Secretary of the Municipal Council has called for considerable comment and a certain amount of unbelief, but read the following from the "Trade Review" of Saturday, November 21st:

"THERE IS A ROAD GRANT ABOUT \$87,000.00 ALLOCATED YEARLY TO ST. JOHN'S EAST AND WEST, BUT THE CITY COUNCIL GETS ONLY ABOUT \$5,000 OF IT. THE REST IS SPENT IN THE OUTPORTS NEAR THE CITY BY THE GENERAL GOVERNMENT THROUGH THE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY." .

That's fairly definite, isn't it?

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Welcomes Pepys' Change of Views

Editor Evening Telegram.

Dear Sir,—It did take me by much surprise when I did observe by the news-sheets of Saturday that there

This did greatly please me, and Samuel did make remark that he thinks women folk might be better employed in the affairs of the towne than in the play of cardes.

Indeed it pleases me mightly to find that my Samuel has this regard for our sex, since he so often flings himself into fine ragings and uproarman.

Two of the three women we do know in slight measure—Mrs. McNeil

did have such mightily honoured citizens for to sponsor them.

The two proposers, albeit, being the Hon. C. P. Ayre and Mr. Frank Bradshaw, former Councillors, than whom St. John's never had two better and indeed. er and indeed 'twer a pity that they

do not themselves still sit in the Council of our citie.

The seconders for the two women were also men of parts and exceeding high standing in this our community: Dr. T. M. Mitchell and Mr.

towne and most greatly esteemed, did sign as witnesses of the cere-mony. Indeed it does the candidates nighty great credit to have citizens of such high repute and integrity standing as their sponsors. It is eleven of the clock, and Samel calling for his night-cap, so with reetings for your good health-Yours in respect,

"THE WRETCH." Nov. 29th, 1925.

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In the Realms of Sport

COMMERCIAL BOWLING LEAGUE SCHEDULE. Thursday, December 3rd:-

7.15-A. E. Hickman Co. vs. Nail Co. 8.30-J. B. Mitchell vs. Imperial. 9.00-McNamara vs. Job Brothers. riday, December 4th:-7.30-T. & M. Winter's vs. Parker's,

9.00-Boot & Shoe Co. vs. Harvey's. Monday, December 7th:-7.15-Knowling's vs. Geo. Neal's. 8.30—Hubley's vs. Bowing Bros. 9.45—Browning's vs. Ayres.

Tuesday, December 8th:-7.30-A. Harvey's vs. Royal Stores. 9.00-Brehm's vs. Jas. Baird, Ltd.

Hints For Beginners. Before beginning to deal with actual strokes and the building up of breaks, the following suggestions are offered and the writer asks that those interested in this series read them over carefully:-

strokes so that you can get well be-hind the ball and be able to see the object balls and angles better.

2. Chalk your cue frequently but more especially when playing side strokes, and don't forget to chalk the sides of your tip as well as the

3. Concentrate your mind on the

game.
4. Try very hard indeed to get yourself opposite your strokes, so that you can strike where you really intend to.
5. Think always whether or not you are hitting your ball in the mid-

6. Never jerk up your cue at the close of a stroke; let it follow well

through.

7. Don't move when playing any stroke. Keep your position until the ball has hit or missed.

8. Never get up on the table, use the rests for shots you cannot reach; that's what the rest is for,—to make things comfortable for you. Insist that your opponent keep to the floor also.

9. If you are playing a hard game or a tournament, keep your eyes off the score board and make every shot as if it were the deciding one. Above all try to keep the "white" on the table; you don't know when it may take you out of a hole.

10. Remember that a losing hazard.

i.e.—when you go in off—is nearly always better than a pot, as you have a big advantage in being able to place your ball anywhere inside the D for ne next stroke.

Wednesday—The Half Ball Stroke.

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"Two heads are better than one." so vote for FANNIE Mc-NULL and MAY KENNEDY. nov23.tf

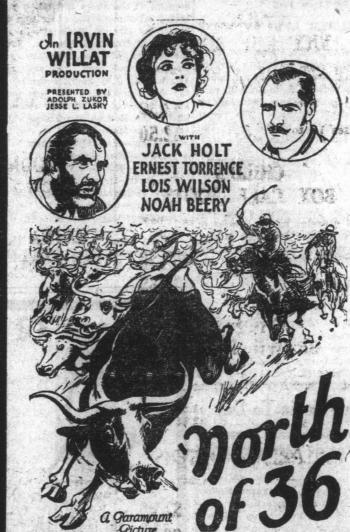
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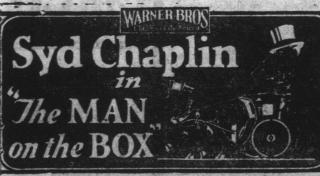
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Passengers Outward

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