

York County and Suburbs of Toronto

THINK NEW PAVEMENT IS COSTING TOO MUCH

Property Owners on Swanwick Avenue and Main Street, East Toronto, are expressing some dissatisfaction regarding the estimated assessment for the pavement which the city proposes to lay on the streets under local improvement.

The estimated cost of the Main street asphalt pavement, which is to be 26 feet wide, is \$23,552. It will run from the Kingston road to Gerard street and is to be laid on a six-inch concrete foundation with brick gutters. The proportion of the cost to be borne by the city is 40 per cent, and the estimated charge per foot frontage is 77 cents. In this instance the ratepayers claim that a bigger proportion of the cost should be borne by the corporation. In conversation with The World, H. J. Sanderson, a property owner on the street, said:

"It is absolutely necessary for us to have a pavement laid but I certainly think a bigger proportion of the cost should be paid by the city."

The pavement on Swanwick avenue is to run from Dixon street to Pickering street and is to be a 24-foot asphalt pavement, laid on a six-inch concrete foundation. The estimated cost is \$25,400, and the charge per foot frontage is 50 cents.

FRAME HOUSES BURNED IN EARLSCOURT DISTRICT

Spark from a stove started serious blaze on Hatherly Road Yesterday

A spark from a range in which a fire had just been started was responsible for a serious blaze in Earlscourt about 5:30 a.m. yesterday, when two frame houses at 23 and 25 Hatherly road were burned almost to the ground. Practically all the furniture in both houses was destroyed, and the houses were rendered homeless. The blaze started in No. 23, occupied by Sam Fletcher. He had just started a fire in the kitchen and the flames then spread to No. 25, occupied by H. Hammond. The houses were all asleep, and probably would have been burnt but for the prompt action of several neighbors, who broke down doors and rushed them to the street.

Both buildings were one-story frame structures, and burned furiously. The flames from the burning houses were visible from the street, and while they could do little to save both houses they prevented the fire from spreading to others in the immediate neighborhood. The loss at No. 23 is placed at \$1500 and at No. 25 at \$1000. The families were taken care of by neighbors.

EAST TORONTO

"Canadian night" was celebrated by the All-British Club of Dundas Avenue yesterday evening. The club had a large number of members, and a very interesting program was presented. The address on "Canada and the Empire" was delivered by J. A. Patterson, K.C., in which he laid special emphasis on the loyalty of Canada. The musical part of the evening was well sustained by Messrs. Martin, Macdonald and King.

An address on the "Scenes, Songs and Smiles of Bonnie Scotland" was given last night in St. John's Presbyterian Church, Broadview avenue, by Rev. D. Wallace Christie, of the Rhodes Avenue Presbyterian Church. A meeting held under the auspices of the Young People's Society, at the same church, was well attended, and Rev. W. Kingham occupied the chair.

WARD SEVEN.

While running across the street near the corner of Keele and Dundas streets to a prospective customer yesterday afternoon, James Murphy, aged 44, a newby, stepped in front of a bicyclist, who was riding on the sidewalk. The cyclist, who was riding on the sidewalk, was riding on the sidewalk. The cyclist, who was riding on the sidewalk, was riding on the sidewalk.

WANT INSURANCE GRANTED TO GUNNER BALL'S WIDOW

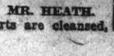
Deputation from Earlscourt Will Wait on Mayor Church at City Hall Today

A deputation from Earlscourt, including Davidson, barrister, and C. Royal, will wait on the mayor at the city hall today to urge that the \$1000 insurance be granted to the widow of Gunner Ball.

Justice of Peace Praises Dr. Chase's Ointment

After Nine Years of Agony He Escaped an Operation by Using This Great Healing Agent.

As a means of healing sores and wounds that defy ordinary treatment Dr. Chase's Ointment has long stood supreme. It is known far and wide as a positive cure for eczema and piles. Whoever has suffered from these ailments will be glad to hear that the use of Dr. Chase's Ointment has cured them. You can actually see with your own eyes what takes place. The sores parts are cleaned,



WYCHWOOD RATEPAYERS DISCUSS WATER SUPPLY

Executive Committee Presented Recommendation at Inaugural Meeting Last Night.

A meeting of the North Wychwood Ratepayers' Association was held last evening in Hamwood School, President W. J. Hughes occupying the chair. The work of the executive committee was submitted for discussion, the recommendations including a mail delivery for the district, twice daily; additional street lights and water mains in the occupied district.

The main question to be dealt with is a water supply. Although the private bills committee has turned down the proposal, it has reason to believe we can get the improvement if we do about it this way. I have discussed the matter with representatives, both in the city and township, and have submitted a scheme which is favorable to both councils," said Mr. Hughes. "I have no hard feeling against individual bills, and have reason to believe that the York Township Council has been negligent in the matter of a water supply."

The meeting adjourned until Saturday, when a large attendance is expected. A deputation will be appointed to wait upon the York Township Council at its meeting on Monday next, with the suggestions of the association will be submitted.

EAST END RATEPAYERS DISCUSS PARK SITES

Prices of Properties Proposed Too High for Recommendation to Council.

Three offers of properties suitable for park sites were submitted at an executive meeting of the East End Ratepayers' Association last night, but the executive were of the opinion that the prices were too high to justify their taking any action, and the secretary was instructed to write the owners to that effect.

Nine and a half acres of the McEwen property on Oak street, at the corner of Kingston road, just east of the Northway Public School, the Taylor property of nearly seven acres at the corner of Woodbine and Gerrard, and four acres at the corner of Woodbine and Gerrard, were the sites offered.

It was decided to send a deputation to the city hall regarding the trouble which has been experienced in getting water. Several months ago the M.O.H. compelled the residents on Kenworth avenue to use well water, and since that time they have been endeavoring to secure city water, but owing to some connection with the head which it is necessary to furnish they have been unsuccessful.

MANY FARMERS IN CITY FOR RADIAL DEPUTATION

York and Ontario Counties Are Well Represented—Thousand Delegates.

The influx of farmers and others into the city in connection with the proposal to take the provincial government for a subsidy to aid in the building of hydro-electric power and light lines, bids fair to be the largest deputation ever gathered in the province. The gathering will be provincial in its character, York and Ontario counties being especially well represented. From among the following village delegates will be present, and the speaker will be the Hon. J. P. Macdonald, M.P., minister of public works; E. M. Macdonald, M.P., of Picton, N. S.; E. C. Porter, M.C., M.P., for West Hants; B. E. Hepburn, M.P., Prince Edward County; J. W. Johnson, M.L.A., for West Hastings; Sir Mackenzie Bowell, Hon. H. C. Corby and P. E. O'Flynn. The city committee has given \$5000 to the fund and the officials and members of the Central Railway and Electric Company of the Ontario School for the Deaf are giving \$1000.

CONCRETE NOT PERFECT PROTECTION FROM FIRE

This Was Illustrated Recently at Thomas Edison Plant, Says Lecturer.

"No type of building is fireproof when it is filled with combustible materials and unprotected by automatic sprinklers," declared C. G. Sherman during a lecture delivered before the members of the Central Railway and Engineering Club at the Carle-Rite hotel last evening. "The recent fire at the Thomas Edison plant in New Jersey," he said, "while illustrating the real protective value of concrete buildings against fire, also showed the failure of reinforced concrete to afford complete protection."

LOST AND DOESN'T KNOW FATHER'S FIRST NAME

Fourteen-Year-Old Edith Eaton of Peterboro in Sad Plight Last Night.

To arrive in a big city expecting to be met by her father and then not to know his name or his address was the experience of Miss Edith Eaton, a fourteen-year-old girl who came to Toronto from Peterboro on the 1:15 train last night.

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NEWMARKET MOTOR CLUB BANQUET SUCCESSFUL

Topical Address by Dr. Doolittle on "The Automobile in Peace and War."

The second annual banquet of the Newmarket Motor League, held at the Grand Hotel in that town last night, was a notable event. The league is a comparatively young organization, but for enterprise and progressiveness can fairly claim to front rank in the motor club.

YORK COUNTY FARMERS NEED HELP FOR SPRING

Right Kind of Men Are Scarce They Say—Land Reverting to Pasture.

Farmers on York County report great difficulty in securing farm help for the spring work about the country. A number of them after repeated visits to the immigration office and other agencies have been unable to secure any help. In many cases where men were secured from the city, they were later found to be wholly unskilled or incompetent. The situation is also being aggravated by the fact that the land formerly under cultivation are now being returned to pasture, and the scarcity of competent farm help, in a lesser degree this difficulty in the spring work about the country.

HAGERMAN'S CORNERS

The death took place yesterday at 153 Rushton road Mrs. John E. Smith, for many years resident near Hagerman's Corners, Markham Township. The deceased lady, whose maiden name was Margaret Haley, was born in Pickering Township, but had resided for the greater part of her life in Markham, remaining to the city a few years ago. Mrs. Smith was the wife of the late John E. Smith, a well-known resident of the city. She was the mother of Mrs. Arthur Woods of Leavelle, Sask., and Mrs. Arthur Woods of Leavelle, Sask., and Mrs. Arthur Woods of Leavelle, Sask.

WANT MADE MANIFEST

This, with the abnormal activity of trade at home, made money plentiful at the Station, and so has taken the form of a large number of debentures to the extent of \$70,000,000 since August, during which the British market has been closed. It would have been a good thing if the money had been put in Canada if she had not done this. I do not mean that this was done through any generosity on the part of the United States, but because we are her best customers and buy \$3 worth of merchandise for every \$1 of the United States. It is, however, only fair to say that the most responsible bankers have encouraged a few that Canadian finances should receive friendly consideration.

RUNNYMEDE.

That the Dominion Government take action to prosecute those who supplied defective boots for the first contingent was the chief object of the Runnymede Liberal-Conservative Association, a copy of which will be forwarded to Premier Borden.

PATRIOTIC FUND RALLY HELD AT BELLEVILLE

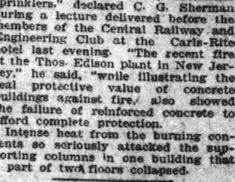
Campaign to Raise Thirty Thousand Dollars Given Good Start.

Special to The Toronto World. BELLEVILLE, March 23.—A campaign to raise \$30,000 for the Canadian Patriotic Fund, inaugurated in this city tonight by a large number of citizens in the opera house. Mayor Willis was the chairman and the speakers were: Hon. Robert Borden, minister of public works; E. M. Macdonald, M.P., of Picton, N. S.; E. C. Porter, M.C., M.P., for West Hants; B. E. Hepburn, M.P., Prince Edward County; J. W. Johnson, M.L.A., for West Hastings; Sir Mackenzie Bowell, Hon. H. C. Corby and P. E. O'Flynn. The city committee has given \$5000 to the fund and the officials and members of the Central Railway and Electric Company of the Ontario School for the Deaf are giving \$1000.

Fairy Dreams of Appetite

One Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet Will Enable One to Digest Any Meal, Any Time.

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FRUIT-A-TIVES CURED PARALYZED BOWELS AND DIGESTION

ST. BONIFACE DE SHAWINGAN, Que., Feb. 23, 1914.

"It is a pleasure for me to inform you that after suffering from Chronic Constipation for 2 1/2 years, I have been cured by 'Fruit-a-tives.' While I was a student at Berthier College, I became so illly I was forced to leave the college. Severe pains across the intestines continually tortured me and I felt a great improvement. After I had taken four or five boxes I realized that I was completely cured and what made me glad also, was that they were acting gently, causing no pain whatever to the bowels. All those who suffer with Chronic Constipation should follow my example and take 'Fruit-a-tives' for it will be the medicine that cures."

GREAT BRITAIN IN DEBT TO THE U.S.

Because of the Heavy Exports of War Munitions, Says A. E. Ames.

"War and the Investment Market" was the subject of an address delivered by A. E. Ames at the Finance Forum, N.Y.C., last night. The speaker dealt with the financial condition of England, Canada, and the United States before and during the war. He stated that the war stopped all trading in securities for a few weeks. The first to emerge into action were municipal and government bonds. Purchases increased rapidly both in Canada and the United States. "During the first few weeks of the war the United States were badly put to it as to how to meet their current indebtedness to Great Britain for some hundred millions of dollars," Mr. Ames continued, "but by heavy exports of war munitions put Great Britain in her debt by her sums."

FOR PROTECTION OF BIRDS

Mass. Discussed at Meeting of Canadian Society.

The first general meeting of the Canadian Society for the Protection of Birds was held in the clinic theatre, Toronto General Hospital, Miss Helen Durand presiding. The secretary, Miss Durand, reported on the progress of the charter of incorporation granted by the provincial government in 1914, and a list of ninety life and annual members enrolled at the meeting. A general letter was read from the Dominion ornithologist, Dr. Hewitt, asking if the society would operate with his department in securing a supply of nesting boxes from England. A general letter was also read from the Dominion ornithologist, Dr. Hewitt, asking if the society would operate with his department in securing a supply of nesting boxes from England. A general letter was also read from the Dominion ornithologist, Dr. Hewitt, asking if the society would operate with his department in securing a supply of nesting boxes from England.

TWO MORE ZEPPELINS TO JOIN AERIAL FLEET

GENEVA, March 23, via Paris, 4:30 p.m.—The newest Zeppelin dirigible balloon to be completed at the Zeppelin works in Lake Constance left Friedrichshafen yesterday. Another new aircraft, the Zeppelin X, will be ready in a few days. Chief Engineer Durr of the Zeppelin works has been awarded the iron cross.

ACTION FOR \$10,000

Mrs. S. A. Quinn and Percy Quinn have entered action at Osgoode Hall to recover \$10,000 damages for the death of Miss E. Quinn on Oct. 26 last. All parties are from Hamilton.

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SOLDIERS ENGAGE IN SHAM BATTLE

Major-General Lessard and Lieut.-Governor Will Witness Engagement.

CALL OFF TRAINING

Deputation Will Journey to Ottawa to Have Order Amended.

At about 9 o'clock this morning the cavalry, artillery and infantry attached to the 12th Battalion will march from Exhibition Park to take part in a large tactical exercise in which the men have engaged so far. The forces will be under the command of Lieut.-Col. H. M. Elliott, A.A.G., and Major J. G. O. Major-General Lessard, Inspector-General of the Canadian forces, is coming from Ottawa in order to be present as a spectator and will be accompanied by Lieut.-Gov. Hendrie. The engagement will occupy a period of three or four hours and will be carried on under as near war conditions as possible.

CAMP HEALTH GOOD

The health of the camp is now splendid and spring meningitis is now practically well under control. Those who have been held as casuals since the outbreak of the epidemic in hospital, while the detention hospital for those under suspicion will be emptied today or tomorrow.

PRIVATE NORMAN B. LOCKHART, WHO DIED AT HIS HOME 38 DALE AVENUE, WAS BURIED AT ST. JAMES' CATHEDRAL YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

The remains were accompanied to the grave by his family and a number of friends. The funeral was held at 2:30 p.m. at St. James' Cathedral. The interment was in the cemetery of the same church.

LAUNDRYMEN'S PETITION COUPON

Toronto Canadian Laundrymen, 188 Parliament Street, Toronto. Please place my name on your "Open Laundry" Petition. Name..... Address.....

PERSIANS UNDER REIGN OF TERROR

Massacres and Wholesale Burning of Villages Are Reported.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The head-quarters in this city today received the following cablegram from Dittis, Russia: "All villages burned except three. Two Christian quarters of Urumish plundered and a great many people killed. Women taken captive. Fifteen thousand refugees in the American mission. Great danger. The French mission has been destroyed. There are 10,000 refugees in Russia. The message was signed by Aslanoff, a Russian contractor in Dittis. Urumish is in northwest Persia, not far distant from the Russian border."

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We have stirred up an interest in this subject, and have received a certain amount of adverse criticism in certain quarters. We have been accused of exaggerating the facts, and there are those who are inclined to believe this is a selfish "hammering" method of increasing our business.

We believe the public will not tolerate Chinese laundries when they know what these places really are, and it is good business for the Canadian laundry industry for us to draw comparisons between Toronto's majority of mysterious yellow institutions and the minority of clean, efficient, wide-open, Canadian-owned and -operated laundries.

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