

ELECTRIC TRUST SETTLED ACTION

Charles Moodie Withdraws Million Dollar Suit Against Dominion Power.

HAS NOTHING TO SAY

The Lid is Down Unless the Crown Decides to Probe Dealings.

Hamilton, Wednesday, Oct. 4.—The lid will not be lifted and the public will not be allowed to learn the inside history of the Dominion Power & Transmission Company. The suit of Charles William Moodie against the company, the hearing of which began yesterday before Mr. Justice Middleton, was settled this afternoon. Mr. Moodie had promised the company some interesting dealings in the securities issued by the big electric trust, but his counsel had nothing to say this evening beyond the statement that Mr. Moodie had sold out his stock. Evidently the plaintiff got what he considered to be his due, but the public will not get much enlightenment. Extensive Holdings. The Dominion Power & Transmission Company has authorized a capital of \$50,000,000. It is in the nature of a big merger or holding company and controls the Hamilton Cataract Power, Light & Traction Co., Ltd., the Hamilton Electric Light & Power Co., the Hamilton Street Railway Co., the Hamilton and Dundas Street Railway Co., the Hamilton Radial Electric Railway Co., the Hamilton, Grimsby & Beamsville Electric Railway Co., the Hamilton Terminal Co., Ltd., the Dundas Electric Co., Ltd., the Lincoln Electric Light & Power Co., the Welland Electric Co., Ltd., and the Western Counties Electric Co., Ltd. Dominion Power & Transmission Co., it will therefore be seen, controls nearly everything in the way of light, heat, power and traction in and about Hamilton. Some of this city's most eminent citizens are largely interested in the company and serve on the board of directors, including Sir John M. Gibson, K.C.M.G., former lieutenant-governor of Ontario. Million Dollar Damages. The action brought by Mr. Moodie sought an interim injunction, a million dollars damages and other relief against Wm. C. Duff, former general manager of the company. The bill of particulars accompanying plaintiff's writ alleges that the directors issued stock to the value of \$1,000,000 which was used as a bonus to float bonds of the company to the amount of \$6,850,000. The proceeds from the sale of these bonds, it is averred, were used to acquire interests in other companies. The charge was made that the defendants thereby fraudulently acquired large profits with the connivance of the stockholders of the Dominion Power & Transmission Company. The plaintiff prayed for an order restraining the defendants from using or misappropriating the proceeds of any sale of any stock of the company, for an order to set aside the million dollar issue of stock and for an accounting to the stockholders of the

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The "Rats" Came Out. Germans in an unknown number were still in the tunnel in the rear and obstinately refused to surrender. Eighteen hours they held out until a captured wounded German was sent in to inform them that the French would shell them out. Thereupon they were sorted in groups until more than 400 men and 10 officers were captured.

The correspondent today went thru the tunnel, which is nearly 1,000 yards long, with an 18-inch railroad track running from beginning to end. Within, at a depth of 12 yards, were sleeping quarters, munition depots, an infirmary, with the most modern surgical instruments, fresh water wells, tons of equipment, electric lights and ventilation pipes. The sides and roof were boarded up and it was possible to walk nearly upright, although at some places it was necessary to crouch and many parts were inundated.

The entrance of the tunnel was towards Maucourt, the exit in the centre of Chilly, where was found the German commandant's apartment of several rooms, with painted walls, solid doors, chairs, tables, beds and telephone system. At a depth of 40 feet was an excavation, sufficiently large to hold a whole company of soldiers, with holists for machines. French Hold It Now. This position is now in the hands of the French and still subjected to an intermittent bombardment from the German lines about a mile away, and any movement brings a salvo of shells.

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The committee declares that of nearly 2,000,000 Armenians, originally in their native country, 2.4 of a million have been massacred or died of wounds, disease or exhaustion, since the war began.

YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

TODMORDEN TORRENS SCHOOL PUPILS GET FIELD DAY PRIZES

Mrs. Harry Sifton Makes Presentation and Fine Program is Given.

Torrens Avenue School in Todmorden never held a happier event than last night when the prizes won in the recent "Field Day" were presented. The athletic rooms were crowded to the doors and from ever first to the last there was not a dull moment in the proceedings. Amos Alpress was in the chair and the prizes were presented to the winners in turn by Mrs. Harry Sifton, John A. Macdonald and George Davies, the latter members of the Torrens Avenue School Board. W. F. Maclean, M.P., was present during the evening, and warmly congratulated the committee which had charge of the sports, and the children who took part in the undertaking. Others who spoke briefly were George Davies, John Galbraith and Miss Franks. A splendid success of the evening was the presentation of a gold watch to Mrs. Sifton by the school children. The watch was presented to her by the children of the school, and will be an annual event. More than \$400 was raised in cash for the purchase of prizes for the children.

NORTH TORONTO York Township Council to Inspect Route of Spur Line

On Thursday afternoon the members of the York Township Council, accompanied by the engineer and a number of other officials, inspected the proposed spur line, which is to be built from the main line of the C.P.R. at the intersection of the spur line, and the idea of the inspection is to arrive at the best means of crossing the main line. The members of the council are invited to join the party.

Yonge Street "Cap" Filled Cars Start Running Today

This morning at 6 o'clock the first passenger car on the Toronto Street Railway to be equipped with the new "cap" system was started on its way. The cars will run thru to its destination without the usual delay of the old system. A test of the feed wires and roadbed was made by the operating crew yesterday afternoon and everything was found to work satisfactorily. The cars will run thru to Lower Yonge street and will be in operation later today.

EARLSCOURT SUBURBAN MERCHANTS ASK EXPRESS DELIVERY

Many Send Letters to the Dominion Railway Board.

During the past few days shoals of letters have been forwarded to Secretary A. D. Cartwright of the Dominion Railway Board, by the merchants and residents of the district of Earlscourt, Toronto, which are at present in the hands of the express companies, requesting free express collections and delivery of the mail. The letters are signed by the following: J. P. R. Ewing, 2247 Yonge street, which reads: "The following is a copy of one of the many communications which have been received in this district, which up to the present time has not been published. This letter is in the interest of myself as well as of the whole district. It is a plea for the future, whereby we may be able to have our express delivered to our homes in the same manner as in the case of the city. It is now in other parts of the city."

Twenty Years in Prison for Thomas Duckworth

Pleading Guilty to Manslaughter in Connection With Brother-in-law's Death.

Orangeville, Oct. 3.—Twenty years in Kingston Penitentiary was the sentence imposed on the accused this afternoon by Chief Justice Falconbridge on Thomas Duckworth, who pleaded guilty to manslaughter in connection with the death of his brother-in-law, Harry Strutt, near Grand Valley on Nov. 2 last. W. J. McWhinney, K.C., representing the crown, and C. R. McKewen, K.C., for the defence.

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BOLTON Splendid Classes of Live Stock on View at Bolton

More than 3000 people attended Bolton Fair, held in that village yesterday, while the exhibits of horses, cattle, sheep and swine have seldom been excelled in the history of the fair. A good deal of interest centred in the races, the pace being won by Dr. Hall, a horse owned in Orangeville, and the horse race by Dr. B. also of Orangeville. In the ladies' driving competition, Miss Hastings of Schomberg was first, and Mrs. W. K. Westlake of Bolton second. Mrs. E. M. Elmer of Lloydstown carried off the 2nd ticket after the keenest kind of competition.

C.P.R. EARNINGS. Traffic earnings of the C.P.R. for the week ended September 30, \$3,060,000. Last year, \$3,371,000.

RIVERDALE Horticultural Society Wanted In North Riverdale District

In spite of the vagaries of the weather man throughout the season, North Riverdale garden enthusiasts have had a fairly good summer. Increase in interest is yearly being taken in utilizing the back yards, either for growing flowers or useful vegetables, and considerable pride is taken by householders in general in the result of their efforts along this line.

As a natural outcome of this growth of garden work a demand for a horticultural society for the district has arisen, and as this is the proper time to get arrangements made for next season a meeting to this end was held on Saturday. A number of enthusiasts got together, and it was agreed to proceed with the formation of such an association, the district to be served being from Broadview to Woodbine avenue, and from Don Mills road to Gormley road. There is every indication that such a society will do well in this area, and a further meeting will be held in a week or so, when all interested in this movement will be invited to attend. In the meantime no office-bearers have been appointed, but James Gray, 26 Hazelwood avenue, was appointed secretary pro tem, and he will gladly give all particulars to any who may wish to help or join in this laudable undertaking.

DEER PARK Form Social and Business Organization in Deer Park

A movement is on foot in the Deer Park district for the formation of a social and business organization along the lines of the North Toronto Conservative Club, but more political in its character and dealing with matters of public and local interest. At the present time the Central Citizens and Business Men's Association are practically non-existent, and a proposal is to build up a strong club, meeting and working in a general location and working for the improvement of all districts between the C.P.R. and Mount Pleasant.

RICHMOND HILL Abundant Flow of Water Struck at Richmond Hill

While drilling for water in Richmond Hill yesterday, workmen employed on the proposed new water tower, struck a flowing well at a depth of 60 feet, which, in the opinion of E. A. Rapp, the engineer in charge, will provide abundance of water for all purposes. The sample is said to be absolutely pure and of excellent quality. The council and citizens over the find that the water is of excellent quality. The water is said to be of excellent quality. The water is said to be of excellent quality.

WEST TORONTO Duke of York Lodge, L. T. B., Holds Monthly Meeting

Duke of York Lodge, L. T. B., No. 31, held its regular monthly meeting at St. James' Hall last night in union with the Dukes of York Lodge. Two new members, W. Bunker and G. C. Gelle, were initiated into the order under the direction of Worshipful Bro. G. W. Carberry, who presided during the evening. Bro. J. King, visiting member representing Golden Star, L. T. B., No. 311, of Mimico, was present.

WOODBRIDGE Everything is Ready for Woodbridge Fair Saturday

Everything is in readiness for Woodbridge Fair, which opens next Saturday and closes Monday following. Special trains will leave the Union Station on Monday, C. P. R., at 10.30 and 12.30, landing citizens in Woodbridge in splendid time for the fair. The Good Roads system is completed to within a mile of the village, and motorists have a choice of three routes—up Yonge street, via Thornhill, Weston or by way of Durbin street—all good roads. The prices for harnesses have been increased 50 per cent. over a year, and many high-class entries are expected. The band of the 22nd Battalion will supply music on Monday.

FAIRBANK IN HONOR ROLL

St. Hilda's Anglican Church, Fairbank, has received notification from the parish of the names of those who have gone overseas in the honor roll. Ten of the number have said the supreme sacrifice.

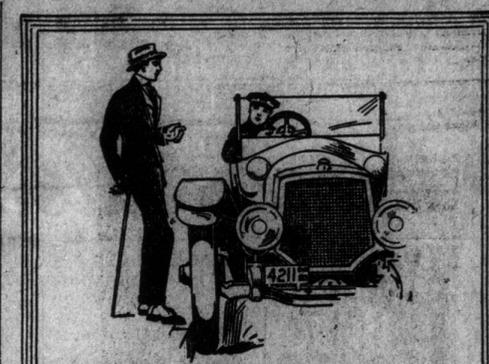
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Will Their Standard of Living Change?

HARRY: "New car Bert? How do you like it?" BERT: "Fine. The wife thinks it great. She'd hate to be without one now." HARRY: "I suppose you carry sufficient insurance to enable the wife to live as comfortably as you are now doing should anything happen to you." BERT: "Well hardly, you know insurance costs money." HARRY: "You're wrong idea Bert. Insurance conserves wealth. Another thing you've overlooked is the adequate insurance enables you to enjoy the pleasure of life. It relieves you of anxiety regarding the future of your dependents. Furthermore the longer you carry a policy the more it increases in value." BERT: "Jump in Harry, and on my way down town we will call at the office of the Manufacturers Life and get full particulars of their Monthly Income Policy. I am going to make certain the standard of living for my family after I'm gone."

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PLANES FEATURED IN SOMME BATTLE

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against the wind, which would also act as a highway if he happened to fall into the channel, and took his place, a position usually occupied by the observer, who also mans the machine gun. "She's a good and steady bug," said the pilot. "They flew her down from the factory three days ago, and she is tuned up and ready for her part in the big show on the other side. You must not expect any fancy stunts."

NOTICE TO STALLION OWNERS

The inspection of stallions under the Stallion Enrolment Act will commence OCTOBER 18th, 1916.

R. W. WADE

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