

NORTH TORONTO LINE GETS ENDORSEMENT

Transportation Commission Will Announce Decision Shortly.

From Sunday World. The much-debated Mount Pleasant car line is now likely to become an accomplished fact. The city transportation commission has been actively looking into the matter, and it is understood that from a study of the situation and as the result of investigations that have been made, all the members of the commission are in favor of its construction, and that a formal decision will soon be arrived at. At the next meeting of the commission, the whole matter will come up for debate, and a public announcement will be made on the question. It is thought that the work on the line may be started this week.

WINTER PROGRAM FOR HELICONIAN CLUB

A meeting of members of the Heliconian Club was held on Saturday evening at their rooms, 801 Yonge street, Miss M. Brush in the chair. In connection with the club theatre night discussed and subscription lists received. It was announced that subscribers may get their tickets at the theatre after Monday. The winter program received attention and it was decided that part of the work would be an open forum in character, in which a subject announced at previous meeting would be dealt with a month later, before the next meeting. The possibility of a discussion would be the property of the club, also came up for optimistic comment.

CITY RELIEF OFFICER RECEIVES MANY CALLS

If the activity of the city relief office during the past month may be taken as an indication, the Queen City looks like having a "hard winter" indeed. During the past four weeks there has been a great demand for food and provisions and in nearly every branch of the relief office cases are reported. The number of people applying for hospital treatment and for admission to convalescent sanitariums has greatly increased. The actual figures in all classes of relief are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Category and Amount. Includes Hospital admissions, Home for incurables, Consumptive Sanitarium, Burial orders, House of Industry, Infants' Home, Provisions and fuel, Transportation.

Total 746,465. Hospital receipts, which are part of the total, amounted to \$742,752 for last month.

EATON'S EMPLOYEES ENJOY SOCIAL EVENING

A feature of the social evening held by the bargain section of the T. Eaton Company on Saturday night at the club rooms of the girls of the section, 414 Yonge street, was the demonstration in dancing with many exquisite touches given by both E. H. Green, manager of the department and the old Conger, manager of the millinery department. This was the first annual social held by the department, and the manager in his address to the two hundred present, anticipated a fine winter program, and expressed the hope that a strong bond of camaraderie would be effected between all the members of the department thru the many socials and sports of the season. Euchre was an enjoyable feature. E. C. Fogget was in charge of the event which enjoyable to the last degree. Four prizes were offered in the euchre tournament, two for the boys and two for the girls who won first and boobies.

BISHOP WILL DEDICATE CATHEDRAL, A LITURGY DUE TO BE PRESENTED AS A MEMORIAL TO THE SACRIFICE AND ACHIEVEMENT OF THE LATE LIEUT. JAMES POMEROY CAVERS, AND IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT THE RIGHT REV. LORD BISHOP SWEENEY WILL OFFICIATE AT THE DEDICATION.

CONCESSIONS TO VETERANS. Ex-service men who are students in the faculty of medicine at the University of Toronto, who failed as freshmen in only one or two subjects in their five-year course, will this year be permitted to proceed with the second year of the six-year course. Supplemental examinations will be held in February in those subjects in which the students failed last year. In the event of failure at these examinations the student would be forced to re-enroll in the freshman year of the six-year course. Those students who failed in three subjects in last year's examinations will be allowed to get into the freshman year of the six-year course. Certain restrictions of registration are under consideration.

A RIVERDALE WEDDING



On Saturday afternoon the popular young Toronto residents were united in marriage, when Mary Francis, of Langley avenue, and Miss Kathleen Carr were wedded in St. Matthew's Church. The bride was given away by her cousin, John Shaw, Woodstock, Ont., and Miss Edwina Carr was bridesmaid.

GENERAL SEELY MEETS CANADIAN COMRADES

Interesting Gathering at Stanley Barracks - Greets Two Hundred Cavalry Veterans - "All I Have, I Owe to You," Visitor Tells the Men - Messages From the King, Lord Haig and Marshal Foch.

That commanders of large bodies of troops in war become in time attached to their men and look upon them as a large family of men, and that the soldiers themselves learn to love their commander has been a favorite theme of the novelist for many years. The truth of the novelist's adage was absolutely demonstrated yesterday, when Major-General J. E. B. Seely, C.B.E., D.S.O., late commander of the Canadian Cavalry Brigade in France, came to Toronto on a brief visit to shake hands with the men who had been under his command in France.

The general has only been in the country for about three weeks, and his one and sole reason for the visit is to meet his late comrades, who are distributed over the Dominion from coast to coast. General Seely, on his arrival yesterday morning, proceeded to the Stanley street barracks, where he participated of breakfast, and at 10.30, in the undress uniform of a major-general, he went across to the gymnasium to meet some two hundred cavalry veterans who had assembled to greet him. He was accompanied by Col. Gillman and Col. Bell of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, and Col. H. Pinnett of London, Ont. On entering the gymnasium, the returned men raised a huge cheer to welcome their old leader.

Recognizes Comrades. The general quickly recognized many of his comrades, and, without any formalities of rank being observed, he shook hands with every man present, and enquired as to how they were doing, both from a business and a health point of view. The popularity of General Seely at the hold he has upon the affection of his men can be seen from the fact that he was used in the brief speech which he made. He said: "Boys, all I have, my honors and my very life, I owe to you. I have never anything—advice, my photograph, my photograph, or assistance—get in communication with me, for my services are at your disposal at any time, day or night."

SUGAR IS AGAIN SHOWING WEAKNESS \$50,000,000 FIGURE IS OUT OF QUESTION

Drop to 13 1-2 Cents in New York Likely to Affect Canadian Market. Such a Statement Only Hurts the City's Credit, Says Mayor Church.

From Sunday World. Sugar can be imported and laid down here at a lower price than from the Canadian refineries. The Canadian refiners are selling sugar at 13 1/2 cents per pound, while Canadian refiners sell at \$18.71 per cwt. The half-cent drop in New York yesterday makes a total drop of 4 cents a pound since August. In August the price in Toronto was 22 cents and in September 21c. Exchange of ten per cent, and duty of \$2.00 per hundred pounds added to American price, would bring the price to \$16.94 per hundred pounds laid down here, but the price here is \$18.71 at present. Agents claim that if a lower price than \$18.71 was taken the refineries would be ruined. Of the 800,000,000 pounds of sugar consumed in Canada in a year, 80,000,000 pounds is made from beets. Expect Drop in Milk. Milk prices in Toronto may take a drop from 7c a quart to 16c according to the statement of an official of the Farmers' Dairy. F. J. Griffin, secretary of the Ontario producers however, knows nothing of the drop in price, and the verdict of the board of commerce has not been issued yet.

CIVIL SERVANTS GET SALARY INCREASES

The following increases in the civil service are announced: Ed. Bayly, K. C., deputy attorney-general, is raised from \$4,800 to \$5,400; H. E. Small, secretary of the Ontario railway and municipal board, is raised from \$2,800 to \$3,150; and F. Dogge, telephone expert, is raised from \$3,600 to \$4,000. J. A. C. Cameron, master in chambers, is raised, \$4,200 to \$4,600; C. Bell, \$4,000; E. Hurley, \$2,650 to \$2,900; Hinds, \$2,200 to \$2,550; C. J. McCabe, \$2,850 to \$3,200; E. J. Roche, \$2,500 to \$2,800; A. W. Knight, \$1,800 to \$2,000; J. V. Mallon, inspector of legal offices, \$3,000 to \$3,400; W. G. Yelland, \$1,600 to \$1,900; W. J. Lander, \$1,850 to \$2,100; A. W. Knight, \$1,800 to \$2,000; E. A. Reed, \$2,500 to \$2,700.

OLD RESIDENT DEAD.

John Poucher, J.P., aged 71, died on Saturday evening at his late residence, 313 Carlton street. He had been a resident of the city for the past 50 years, and was prominent as a member of Wilson Lodge, A.P. and A.M., and the York Pioneers. He was predeceased by his wife, and is survived by two daughters and one son.

RAISING FUND FOR NAVY DEPENDENTS

League Also Aims at Continuous Training of Boys for Canadian Ships.

Ontario people are aroused in an effort to help the Navy League of Canada pension the widows and orphans of the merchant sailors who lost their lives on active service during the war, and also to train Canadian boys for the sea as well as to help maintain sailors' institutes. Reports received at the Navy League headquarters show that committees have been organized in 261 provincial centres, and of these 181 have committed themselves to a definite amount in connection with the raising of \$750,000 in a national campaign, during "Trafalgar Sailors' Week" Oct. 15th to 23rd.

The Navy aims at the continuous training of 2,000 boys in the Boys' Naval Brigades, and only thru this medium can the foundation be laid of trained Canadian seamen for Canadian owned-ships. New trade routes are advocated. Canadian trade lines must be established, and maintained. With ships, the markets of the world are open to Canadians. The League, in a statement says that commercial supremacy means the ability to carry where and when required, to sell without interference, and demands the freedom of the sea.

HOUSING PROGRAM IS STILL INDEFINITE

Newly Appointed Commissioners Have Not Yet Agreed to Act.

From Sunday World. The members of the new housing commission, who were appointed at the last meeting of council, have been notified of their appointment, but so far have not indicated whether they intend to act or not. When asked Saturday whether the money was available for the commission to construct 500 houses, Mayor Church replied: "The money will be available if council passes the necessary bylaw which will provide for it. The whole civic housing program is still in a very indefinite stage."

SURGERY PROFESSOR RESIGNS POSITIONS

Will Remain With the University as Emeritus Professor.

From Sunday World. Irving H. Cameron, M.D., LL.D., F.R.C.C. (Eng.), F.R.C.S. (Edin.), F.R.C.S. (I.), F.R.C.S. (A.), and professor surgery and clinical surgery, chief of service of the General Hospital, St. Michael's Hospital, and Hospital for Sick Children, and last by no means least, chief of the staff of the University of Toronto Faculty of Medicine since 1887, has resigned his positions, and has been appointed emeritus professor of surgery to the university. The direction of the department of surgery will for the ensuing year be conducted by Professor Alexander Primrose, C.B., M. B., C. M. (Edin.), who is Dean of the Faculty.

FUTURE OF FLYING AN ASSURED THING

Canadian Mechanics Enrol to Learn Tricks of Modern Airplane.

From Sunday World. All the bag of tricks which make up the modern airplane will soon be as familiar to Canadian mechanics as the war time machines were to Canadian pilots. Forty applicants have applied at the Toronto Technical School to take the new course in practical aeroplane fitting and service in training, indicating the rapidly growing demand for mechanics skilled in handling aircraft.

The University of Toronto has two men employed in research work and has started a class in aerodynamics. Men eager to obtain experience under actual flying conditions are the Canadian Air Force to obtain training which cannot be had from books and lectures. Camp Borden, the first training station, is in operation and will be kept open all winter.

To get to the aerodrome it is necessary to volunteer in the Canadian Air Force in case of national emergency, and this entitles the volunteer to twenty-eight days' training each two years. The dates of such training are arranged at any time convenient to them are opportunities to obtain longer periods of training at public pay. While on the short period of training the pay is \$7 to \$14.35 a month, with food, uniform and quarters provided. Married men taking the longer course will be provided with quarters for their families or an allowance of from \$30 to \$35 a month.

Volunteers are being trained for to main aeronautical trades—fitters and riggers. A fitter is a man skilled in gasolene engine work and looks after the engine of the airplane. A rigger is a carpenter who erects and maintains the wings and fuselage. There are also interesting courses in aerial photography and wireless telegraphy and telephony. Until aerobics are appointed in each centre all applications for training or information may be made by letter to the provincial secretary of the Canadian Air Force Association, 24 Yonge street.

THIEVES TAKE VALUABLE PAPERS FROM TEMPLE

An unusual and significant note was introduced into the robbery at the Labor Temple, when it was learned that it was the office of the International Electrical Workers' Union which was broken into. It was reported that the Temple that a number of valuable papers were destroyed by the thieves. John Noble, general organizer for the International stated that it would be impossible to state off-hand how many documents had been destroyed.

3rd BATTALION TORONTO REGIMENT MONSTER REUNION ENTERTAINMENT ARMOURIES

Saturday Evening, Oct. 9th. ALBERT LINDQUEST Tenor, Voice of Gold. LEONORA Soprano. ROBERT MACDONALD Famous Scottish Pianist. UNITED WAR VETERANS' BRASS BAND. ALL SEATS RESERVED. 50c—Only One Popular Price—50c Plus Open Thursday, R. S. Williams Music Co.

HOUSING

Lecture, illustrated by Mrs. S. A. Barnett, "The Making of a Home," Foresters' Hall, Monday, Oct. 4th, 8 p.m., preceded by motion pictures of "Garden Suburb." Admission, 50c.

MAGISTRATE DENIES SAYING O.T.A. FAILURE

"I have never made that statement, either in public or private," says Magistrate Alfred Miers, of Windsor, in a written reply to Attorney-General Raney's request for an explanation of the report that he had said that "prohibition is a failure." "I did say, however, that prohibition does not prohibit," it was at the request of Crown Attorney Rood, Rev. Mr. Spacklin and Mr. Ayeast that he recalled Oliver Grandmason of the 30-day jail sentence given in addition to a \$2,000 fine.

ASKED FOR MATCH THEN OPENED FIRE

Harold Copeland of East Lynn Avenue Received Bullet in the Left Leg.

From Sunday World. That the bootlegger whiskey is getting too strong or that some of Toronto's foreign element are adopting wild west methods towards strangers when making simple requests, was amply demonstrated at an early hour on Saturday morning when a young man named Copeland was shot in the left leg by a foreigner, who had previously asked him for a match.

Harold Copeland, a young man of 18 years, living at 86 East Lynn avenue, and had with some friends attended a party in the neighborhood of Harvie avenue. The party over, Copeland and his friends were on the way home but what actually happened is best told in the wounded man's own words. "We were on our way home," he said, "Many had already gone, but myself, were standing on the veranda on the point of leaving, when we noticed a man walking up the street. He suddenly stopped directly in front of his raincoat, and fired twice, one shot in the ground and the other in the air. He then turned toward us and said, 'Give me a match—how do you like that noise?'"

"One of the boys," continued Copeland, "replied that it counted all right, and one of the girls told him to go home. He was refused the match, and the girls ran into the house. I was standing by the door, against the brick wall. A boy named Melville said something to the man, told him to go home, and the man turned again towards us. He was still standing in the same place as the man when he fired first, and the next I knew he had fired at us and I felt the bullet strike my leg.

"I shouted 'I'm shot!' and ran into the house and went upstairs to see where I had been shot. Blood was running down my leg. Fred Hammett of 655 Euclid avenue helped me upstairs, and take the bullet out. Dr. Gillies arrived, and he later brought me home about 2 o'clock."

Describing the man, Copeland said he wore a raincoat with either a cap or a tweed hat. He spoke with a foreign accent, which Copeland thought was Italian. Copeland is employed in the freight office of the Grand Trunk Railway, Simcoe and Front streets.

PRINCESS-This Week

ROBERT MANTELL B. TONIGHT--HAMLET

Tomorrow Evening--AS YOU LIKE IT. Wed. Eve. 8.30. Macheth. Thursday. 8.30. As You Like It. Friday. 8.30. Julius Caesar. Sat. Mat. 2.30. Merchant of Venice. Sat. Eve. 8.30. Richard III.

NEXT WEEK--SEATS THURS. The Supreme Musical Event of the Year

Gilbert Miller's London Production of Andre Messager's Romantic Opera. MONSIEUR BEAUCAIRE

THE ORIGINAL LONDON AND NEW YORK CAST With MARION GREEN AND ENSEMBLE OF SEVENTY

Direction of A. L. Richardson. Nights--\$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50 and \$4. Wed. Mat. \$1.50, \$1 and 50c. Sat. Mat. \$2.50, \$2, \$1.50, \$1 and 50c. MAIL ORDERS NOW.

ALEXANDRA TONIGHT RETURN OF THE FAUBERT

Richard Walton Tully Presents THE BIRD OF PARADISE

With FLORENCE ROCKWELL and the SINGING HAWAIIANS. Next Wed. 8.30 to 11. Nights, 50c to \$2; Sat. Mat., 50c to \$1.50.

NEXT WEEK--SEATS THURSDAY MAIL ORDERS NOW

Popular Mat. 8.30. Seaside. Mat. Sat. 8.30. IT'S GREAT BARRIE-ESQUE IN FLAVOR. S. Morgan Powell. Montreal Star. J. Y. Ormsby and F. W. Black. The next meeting will be held on Oct. 5.

FORM ASSOCIATION OF SPADINA RATEPAYERS

For the purpose of promoting the welfare of the community and to preserve it as an exclusively residential section, an association has been formed known as the Spadina Heights Ratepayers' Association.

The officers, who have been elected, are: President, H. C. Fortier; vice-president, H. W. Tatle, and secretary-treasurer, F. H. Whitmore. The other members of the executive are: J. Y. Ormsby and F. W. Black. The next meeting will be held on Oct. 5.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED

The following permits were issued by the city architect's department Saturday: P. Moore, dwelling, west side of Bristol avenue, near Davenport road, \$2,500.

W. J. McWaters, dwelling, 97 Neville Park boulevard, \$4,500. F. G. Smart, pair dwellings, Kingsville road, \$6,000. F. Atkins, public garage, 1225-1227 St. Clair avenue, \$30,000.

TORONTO'S LEADING PHOTOPLAY THEATRE'S

Direction Famous Players Canadian Corporation, Limited. THOMAS MEIGHAN IN "Civillian Clothes" Supported by MARTHA MANSFIELD

Now Playing ALHAMBRA Mat. Daily. THE SEA TIGER. A grand role in a magnificent photoplay. Selected Comedy--Latest News and Views. Alhambra Concert Orchestra. MON, TUE, WED. OAKWOOD Space for Cars. WALLACE REID in "WALLY'S YOUR HUSBY". When motor trucks approach spectators. Excellent Comedy--World Events Unchecked. TECK Queen at Broadview. "VICTORY", a master production by Paramount.

ORIGINALS' CLUB OPENS ON JARVIS ST. St. Julian House Nicely Fitted Up for Comfort of Veterans. From Sunday World. St. Julian House, the commodious three-story brick structure at 441 Jarvis street, was formally opened by Major-General V. A. S. Williams, C.M.G., Saturday afternoon, as the new home of the Originals' Club. Men who enlisted in 1914, and who at some time during the war saw service in France, make up the personnel of the club, which at present numbers 613. Imperials as well as Canadians are eligible, and already about eight of the "old contentments" are enrolled. Tea was served by lady friends of the members in a marquee in the large lawn in the rear of the club. It is planned to flood this space and make a curling and skating rink of it when the cold weather sets in. During the summer it will be used as a bowling green. The club is equipped with a dining-room, and by notifying the steward, who will always be in attendance, members can arrange to entertain their friends. Wednesdays and Saturdays will be set aside as ladies' and children's days, when the wives and children of the members may avail themselves of the privileges of the club and playground in the rear.