YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBAN NEWS

HYDRO LIGHTING IN THE SUBURBS

Early Start is Expected on Much-Needed Extensions.

AUTHORITY GRANTED

Township Council Agrees to Allow Commission to Go Ahead.

York township council in session with representatives of the Toronto Hydre Commission and the Provincial Hydro Commission with regard to the delay in providing house and street lighting facilities for a number of Toronto suburbs. After an hour's discussion an arrangement was arrived at which it is believed will insure early start on a number of much needed extensions.

Recently a deputation from the Danforth district waited on the council and raised a storm because the long promised lighting facilities were not being installed, and a request was then made by the council that representatives of the city Hydro and the provincial Hydro appear and explain the delay. F. T. Stocking appeared for the provincial Hydro and J. W. Peasnell for the Toronto Hydro Com-

Mr. Peasnell explained that the city Hydro prepared estimates for a number of extensions and were awaiting authorization from the provincial Hydro before proceeding with them, and Mr. Stocking expressed the opinion that if the council would send a letter stating that they would pay the bills as rendered there would be no further delay. The council made it quite clear that the question of fin-ancing the work could be settled at

The following resolutions were fin-

"That the Toronto Hydro Commission be authorized to proceed with such extensions and additions in the township of York as they deem wise, and to accept contracts and agree ments for same on standard prices, subject to the approval of the Provincial Hydro Commission and that a duplicate of estimate be sent to York township at the same time, the township agreeing to pay for such extensions and additions as soon as a "that the bill is rendered" and also Toronto Hydro Commission, in connection with its work in the township of York on existing lines, be authorized to accept contracts or applications for service on the standard

Deputy William Graham pointed ou that the township had done everything possible to get the lighting system extended to the districts in need. The were ready to pay the bills for the work as fast as they were sent in and he hoped the two commissions would get together and show some results. The representatives of both commis-sions promised that the work would

The council decided to call for ten ders for the construction of culverts on Hounslow and Horsham avenues and also for a bridge in the third concession east of Yonge street, just north of the C.N.R. crossing, at a cost of about \$3,000.

The Toronto Harbor Commission was authorized to construct a temporary subway under the Jane street subway tion with the waterfront im-

The council discussed the township engineer's plans for a comprehensive sewer system for the Todmorden divi-

years to run, and if the bank should want to tear down and rebuild before expiration some arrange ment might be made with the lessees. It is the intention, said Mr. Phipps, make the corner the headquarters of the Imperial Bank.

NORTH TORONTO

be circulated immediately by the executive of North Toronto Ratepayers Association, pending receipt of satisfactory overtures by the city officials before Sept. 1. Instructions were given T. H. Ferguson to take out a writ to bring the interpretation of the Hydro radial clause before the courts, and a committee is to be appointed to draw up a petition for disannexation, which will be presented at the next session of the provincial legisla-

In the opinior of the executive, Sir Adam Beck "went out of his way" to bring North Toronto into the present controversy between the city of Guelph and the Hydro Commission. A telegram, setting forth the facts of the case, as understood by the association. tion, was sent yesterday to the mayor The despatch emphatically denied certain statements made by Sir Adam, and characterized them as

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"wiiful perversion of the truth." Continuing, the telegram stated that "we have no desire to break the agreement, altho we regret having made

President Banton of Mount Pleasant Ratepayers' Association was also present, and after much discussion it was decided that two members of the North Toronto executive be associated with Mount Pleasant Association to urge the immediate construction of the Mount Pleasant car line, provided that it begins at Bedford Park.

DANFORTH

Some of the houses being built by speculators in the district, and consisting chiefly of laths and tar paper, were condemned by several speakers at a recent meeting of the Woodbine Heights Ratepayers' Association, and general regret was expressed that the building bylaws did not cover and regulate such houses. Complaints having reached the association that on account of the building restrictions imposed by York Township Housing Commission it was almost impossible for applicants to borrow money, it was decided to write Secretary Martin for a copy of the conditions upon which homeseekers can secure loans.

Sergt.-Major Porter, chairman of the committee of the whole, reported upon progress made in the arrangements for the field day. His report showed great progress made and undiminished enthusiasm and support on every hand.

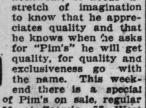
ancing the work could be settled at once because a bylaw providing \$200,-000 has been passed and the bonds would be sold as soon as needed. The bylaw also provides for the taking over by the township of the lines erected within the last six years by the Hydro Commission which will cost \$150.000.

Work is Authorized

The sollowing resolutions were fin-

SCORE'S WEEK-END SPECIALS IN PIM'S NECKWEAR.

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EARLSCOURT

WOULD RESTORE OLD LICENSE LAW

Earlscourt Liberty League Denounces Present Prohibitory Measure.

The following resolution was passed at the Citizens' Liberty League meeting held at Maltby's Hall, St. Clair avenue, last night:

"Be it resolved that the Earlscour branch of the Citizens' Liberty League of the City of Toronto do most emphati-

sewer system for the Todmorden division of the township and eastward. It was stated by Councillor Macdonald that about three hundred prospective builders were awaiting a settlement of the drainage question in the strip of land between the city boundary and the Don valley.

The block at the northwest corner of King and Yonge streets, known as the Manufacturers' Life building, will be transferred today to the ownership of the Imperial Bank. This property sometime ago came into the possession of the King Street Realty Company, who are now selling it to the bank.

When seen today by The World Mr. A. E. Phipps, superintendent of agencies for the bank, said that no plans had yet been prepared for a new and larger building on the site, but he gave it as his personal opinion that the present building would never be used for banking purposes. Some of the leases have still about two and a half years to run, and if the bank should want to tear down and rebuild before

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TODMORDEN

George Oliver, a native of Todmor-den, who for over a quarter of a cen-tury has successfully cultivated a fruit farm on his land about one mile west of Beamsville, is at present put-ting in an irrigation system at a cost of nearly \$1,000 for the increased production of strawberries, raspberries and early tomatoes.

Fruit land in and around this section without buildings is selling at from \$900 to \$1,000 an acre. Labor was difficult to secure for fruit-picking this season, he states, and large quantities were sold to the canners at reduced prices, the canners sending their own pickers.

RIVERDALE

accident occurred on East Queen street, when a horse, the property of F. G. Higgins, standing in front of hts grocery store, at 808 East Queen street, was fatally injured owing to the trailer of a King car jumping the track and striking the animal, breaking its hip and leg. The horse was afterwards shot. The accident occurred near the G.T.R. tracks at De Grassi and Queen streets.

ISLINGTON

Construction of a sidewalk from lington to Lambton was commenced yesterday. The bylaw covering this improvement was passed by Eto council during June, and provides for about half to three-quarters of a mile of cement walk. Residents of the district say that the work has been necessary for a considerable time, and hope that it will be completed with as

little delay as possible.

A picnic upder the auspices of the Methodist Church was held yesterday at Richview, the Home Smith property there being used for the event. There was a large attendance and a varied program of sports was given.

WESTON

Molly Gaunt, aged 5, who lives at 630 Weston road, received a fracture to her Weston road, received a fracture to her right leg yesterday when she was struck on Weston road by a motor car driven by John Allen, 156 Main street, Weston. According to eye-witnesses, the motor car had turned out to pass a wagon going in the same direction, when the little girl attempted to cross directly in the path of the car and was struck before the driver could pull up.

She was taken to Dr. Macmara's office, from where she was removed to the General Hospital and then taken back to her home. Mr. Allen was not held by the police.

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HAMILTON

\$75,000 has been given by W. D. Long and Mrs. Bisby, his sister, towards the erection of a suitable home for nurses connected with the infirmary at the Mountain Sanitarium.

Altho no official report was given out Ald. Thomas O'Heir intends at the

next meeting of council giving notice

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Hamilton, Aug. 7-Another advance to hold a conference in camera next was announced in coal prices this

Ossining, N.Y., Aug, 7.—Putting aside the indifferent attitude he has maintained toward electrocution, Gordon Fawcett Hamby, the Canadian bank robber, sentenced to die for murdering a teller of the East Brooklyn Savings Bank last December, stated in the death house of Sing Sing Prison tonight that he would not seek cancellation of the appeal prepared by his counsel. He had previously declared he wanted to pay the death penalty, and "the sooner the better."

A meeting of the Street Railway-men's Union was held last evening

it is said the wage question was considered. It is stated a majority on younger men favored repudiating the agreement with the railway company by serving notice for a board of conciliation on the minister of labor at

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Thought Killed by Bolshevists

Special to The Toronto World. Hamilton, Aug. 7 .- Word has been eccived of the probable death of a election, which will be held about the gallant Hamilton officer at the hands end of this month. of the Bolshevists in Russia, Mrs. Hay, 169 Markland street, in a cable received yesterday from the war office was informed that her son, Major G. H. Hay, was reported missing and was now believed to be killed. Major Hay had served thruout the campaign in France.



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GUELPH PREPARES FOR REFERENDUM

Temperance Forces Hold Meeting and Get Campaign Under Way.

Special to The Toronto World.
Guelph, Ont., Aug. 7.—Guelph organized today for the referendum. At a large and enthusiastic meeting in the library lecture hall the prelimin-ary steps of a campaign, under the Ontario referendum committee, whi

will be thorogoing and systematic in every ward and polling subdivision, were successfully accomplished. John Armstrong was elected city chairman. William E. Buckingham and Mrs. C. R. Crowe were appointed as first and second vice-chairmen respectively, J. Llewellyn Little as secretary and W. J. Greenaway as treasurer.

The plan of campaign was mapped out. A powerful and representative city executive was appointed, and the meeting endorsed a program aiming to enlist the co-operation and efforts of all the citizens to vote for the retention of the Ontario temperance act in the province, by the placing of four "X's" in the "No" column on voting day.

The township also had delegates in attendance, these being given representation on the committees. The following were selected as members of the city advisory council, the Labor interests proposing the last two representatives: H. Quarmby, D. D. Christie, W. A. Gladstone, Roswell, Goldie, Prof. Harcourt, C. R. Crowe, J. W. Oakes, Geo. Bush, Mrs. C. A. Zavitz, J. McGowan, Harry Needham,

POLICE UNION SEVER **OUTSIDE AFFILIATION**

filiated body of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress. This was the action taken by the meetings of the new police association in the Sons of England Hall yesterday when it was decided to forthwith return the union charter to Ottowa charter to Ottawa.

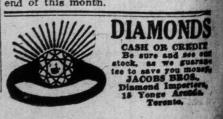
The men have now abided by every regulation laid down by the Royal Commission which sat to adjudicate the troubles of the force some months ago. They are now an association with no outside affiliation, the right to with no outside affiliation, the right which they claimed when they went on strike. The men have sent a protest to the Trades Congress at Ottawa, and this will likely be dealt with in September when that body with in September when that body

was announced in coal prices this morning, and dealers assert that a further jump is expected very shortly. Anthracite is now selling for \$12 and \$12.55 a ton, instead of \$11.50 and \$12. These prices will apply only on orders taken Aug. 7 and later.

A strike that is not sanctloned by any union has been declared in this city. About twenty men are out as a result. It was declared by the delivery men of the Inksetter Myer Company's clients. No deliveries of their drivers arrested last night to a charge of not giving full weight to the company's clients. No deliveries of ce to domestic users were therefore made today.

Announcement was made today by J. J. Evel, president of Hamilton, Health Association, that the sum of Health Association and the province of the police today that a time to the police today that the state for the police today that the state for the police today that the state for the sacciation of the Hamilton, the city of the lower Rhineland in an attempt to approach the workmen. This has accused a protest from the Sociation without outside affillation, the city of the lower Rhineland in an attempt to approach the workmen. This has accused a protest f

terday's meeting and it was accepted with much regret. Mr. McBurney gives personal reasons for resigning his post. His place will be filled in the meantime by Vice-President Fred White, of No. 4 division, till the next election, which will be held the next election.



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