

# IMDECILE, IDIOT PUMPING COST IGNORAMUS HIGHER THIS AND THEN YEAR SOME

Rev. Ben H. Spence Thus Characterizes The World Man Who Wrote an Article Regarding the Appointment of an Organizer for the Temperance Party.

One Cent Per Thousand Gallons More on Account of Increased Expenditure — Revenue Estimated at \$3,809,555 — No Water to Spare for North Toronto.

"Imbecile! Idiot! Mischief-maker! Ignoramus!" were among the flowers of speech with which Secretary Ben H. Spence, the ordinary Methodist minister, regarded the Alliance office staff when he read the exposé in The World yesterday of the machine scheming to quietly put the political action committee to sleep with his loaded up general executive.

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According to the report of George Mitchell, the rating clerk of the city waterworks department, it will cost six cents per thousand gallons to pump and distribute the water this year. Last year the cost was about five cents per thousand gallons, but the difference is due to the increased expenditure in connection with the intake and filtration plant. The report was read at the meeting of the special committee appointed to deal with the water rates yesterday afternoon.

The report suggested a tariff for water as follows: 1 1/2 cents per 1000 gallons for the first million used; for any additional consumption, 7 1/2 cents per 1000 gallons, with a 20 per cent discount.

The estimated cost for the water this year was \$343,242 and the estimated revenue for the year is \$3,809,555. This would leave a balance of \$2,888,313. The amount of water pumped last year was 15,757,947,433 gallons.

Prof. C. H. Wright stated to The World last night that he would accept the position of parks commissioner should the board of control and the city council offer it to him.

"I have you anything to say as to the conditions upon which you would accept this position?" he was asked.

"No, I am in the hands of the mayor and the board of control," he said. "I have discussed the matter with the mayor, but I have not made any proposition to the board of control and the city council offer it to him."

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Who Gave Orders?  
Postoffice Motors Must Make Fast Time, Says Driver.

A small automobile driver, who was charged in the police court yesterday afternoon with ignoring the uplifted hand of an officer ordering him to stop his machine, was asked by the judge:

"Your honor, I am being used as a buffer by the police and the postoffice officials in this case," said the accused from the box. "If I fail to make a certain speed I will lose my job, he continued, producing a schedule of his wages from the Union Station to the postoffice."

"Who gave you orders to travel at this rate?" asked Magistrate Kingsford.

"Four or five of the postoffice officials," was the reply.

"Well," said the magistrate, "you go down stairs now and issue a summons to each of these officials to appear before me and give evidence."

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