

## KING ST. SCHOOL MAY BE CLOSED

Board of Education Considered  
the Matter for Long Time  
Yesterday.

### MR. STRONG'S FIGURES

Go to Show That Keeping Up the  
School is a Very Costly Piece of  
Business—Committee to Report.

At a special meeting of the board of education held yesterday afternoon, the advisability of closing the King Street School was discussed at considerable length.

The question was not finally settled, No. 1 committee being authorized to investigate, and make report at the next regular meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 7. There seemed to be a well-defined body of opinion in favor of the change.

The Collegiate Institute and the abolition of the relieving principal's position were also on the order paper, but the moving spirit behind these matters were not ready to go on, and they will be taken up later.

### King Street School Question.

Trustee Strong brought up the question of closing the King Street School. He pointed out that the building is in a dilapidated condition and as it is one of the oldest schools in the city it could readily be dispensed with.

Mr. Strong produced figures to show that it cost \$4,255 per annum to run the school, a very great portion of which could be saved to the ratepayers if it were closed.

"I have made an investigation, and I am certain that the 125 pupils in this school can be accommodated elsewhere," said Mr. Strong. "Talbot Street will accommodate from 60 to 75. Simcoe Street will take about the same number. Princess Avenue by a slight rearrangement of school boundaries can accommodate as many pupils."

### Re-Arrange School Boundaries.

The matter of distance is very slight. The pupils will not in any instance have to walk a great distance. They will have better schools, larger playgrounds and greatly increased advantages.

"There is no playground at King Street School. The buildings are in a disgraceful condition. The motion was seconded by Trustee Wyckoff.

"Dr. Niven and Dr. Hutchinson both state that the school should be closed. We could use the building for a storehouse and workshop for the carpenter and still save many hundreds of dollars. The parents will be in favor of the change, I am sure."

### School a Necessity.

He moved that the school be closed, and that No. 1 committee be instructed to place the teachers at present in the school, and make necessary changes in the school boundaries to permit of the change. The motion was seconded by Trustee Wyckoff.

Dr. Teasdale took exception to the statement that Princess Avenue, Talbot Street or others of the schools could accommodate any more pupils. He thought that the King Street School was a necessity at the present time, and that it was in as good a condition as it was years ago.

The teachers are doing good work and have plenty of pupils to look after. A few repairs to the roof and the school would be in good condition.

He suggested that the necessary repairs be made, and that the school be continued in 1910 as at present, but the motion was declared to be the negative of Trustee Strong's motion, and was ruled out of order.

Trustee Graham considered that the report of Inspector Edwards should be received on the question. He pointed out that the inspector would know what was requisite, and would make the proper recommendation.

As for Simcoe Street School accommodating more pupils he ridiculed the idea, stating that the boundary rules had to be enforced rigidly so that Simcoe Street School could be kept within reasonable limits.

Investigate More Thoroughly. Trustee Weekes did not consider the question had been investigated thoroughly enough for the board to give a decided opinion. He suggested that the inspector be instructed to give a report as to the number of pupils of school age attending the different grades, both in King Street and also in the schools spoken of as likely to take some of the pupils, and also the number of children of school age not attending school in that district.

Trustee Graham seconded the motion. Trustee Gunn thought it better to add that No. 1 committee report on the question in time for the next regular meeting on Tuesday next. He pointed out that if action were to be taken this year, it would be advisable to commence immediately.

Says School is Unhealthy. Dr. Wyckoff supported Trustee Strong's motion, declaring that the school is badly in need of repair, and is unhealthy, and out of date.

Trustee Hunt considered it a matter of economy to close the school. He declared it to be badly ventilated and most unhealthy.

It would require \$1,500 to put it in repair, and this he considered would be badly spent money.

Trustee Gammage also supported Mr. Strong's motion.

### Committee Will Report.

Trustee Weekes' amendment to allow No. 1 committee and the inspector to report on the question was carried 5 to 4, Chairman Westervelt casting

the deciding vote. It will be taken up on Tuesday next.

Trustee Gammage reported that he had been unable to obtain the information he desired regarding the Collegiate Institute, and asked that the matter be left in abeyance for the time being.

Trustee Strong asked the same thing in respect to the abolition of the relieving principalship, and both requests were granted.

Those present were Mr. J. W. Westervelt (chairman), Trustees Gunn, Hunt, Strong, Wyckoff, Graham, Teasdale, Gammage, Weekes, Inspector Edwards, Principal McCutcheon and Secretary McElheran.

## THE BUDGET IS REJECTED

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the Archbishop of York. The Archbishop of York's speech was his maiden effort in the House of Lords, and its eloquent periods, added to Dr. Cosmo Lang's fine presence and beautiful voice made a deep impression.

The archbishop strongly argued against Lord Lansdowne's resolution, declaring that it would be unprecedented for the Lords to reject a finance bill passed by the House of Commons with such a majority.

The peers would be judged, he thought, not by their intentions, but by their performances, and no matter what they said it would be understood that in rejecting supplies for the year they had rejected the budget.

The gift of the House of Commons alone. The constitutional question was one, the speaker declared, which would profoundly stir the people of the country, and many persons would prefer the passage of a bad budget to tampering with the fundamental principle of the constitution.

The effect of the amendment proposed would be to endanger the existence of the second chamber never more necessary than now.

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SEVEN FOR QUARTER.

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## VICTORIA TIES PRINCESS AGAIN

School Soccer Teams Play Fourth  
Draw in Effort to Decide  
Championship.

### WENT INTO OVERTIME

But Neither Eleven Scored — Darkness Stopped Match — Another Necessary.

Princess Avenue and Victoria School soccer teams, the champion "tweeters," played another draw match, the fourth in the series, at Tecumseh Park yesterday afternoon, neither side scoring.

A fifth game will now be necessary, and to the followers of the teams are beginning to despair of the championship ever being decided. The teams are so evenly matched and luck has been so well with each eleven that the flipping of a coin will decide the title as fairly as any contest, for it is now apparent that nothing but a streak of ill-luck will defeat either of them.

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The schools were dismissed at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the consent of the board of education being secured, and the soccerites played two halves of 25 minutes each, and then went into a play-off of ten minutes each way.

On a couple of occasions it looked as though the ball would assume the aggressive on but one occasion toward the finish, when a series of passes and a fluke on the part of a member of the former team sent the pigskin to the goal.

Brown was on the job, however, and threw it out to the 25-yard line. Each team had a number of corner kicks, and on each occasion the ball was worked away from the goal with little difficulty.

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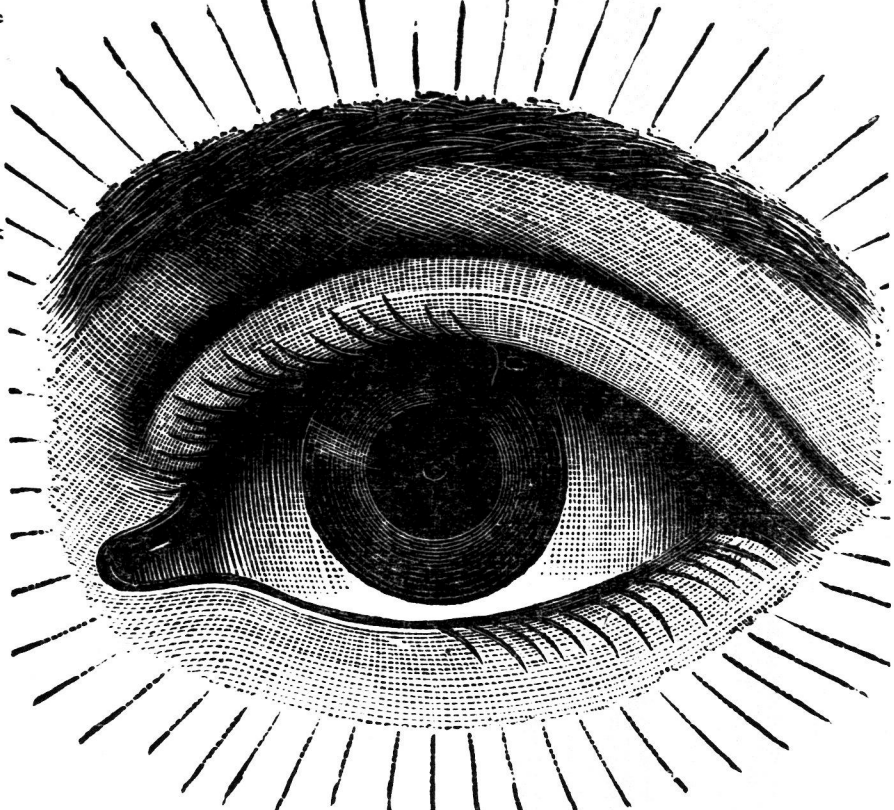
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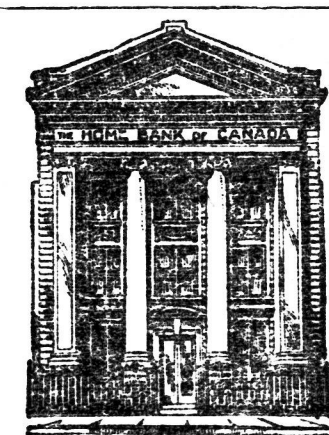
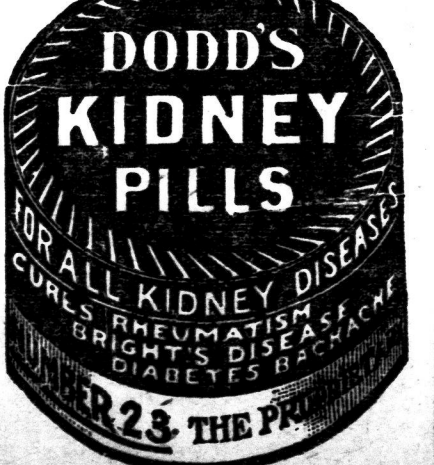
STOLE BRASS.

Hamilton, Nov. 30.—William Tomlinson and Arthur Hudson, two lads, were today found guilty of stealing 50 pounds of brass from the Tallman Brass Foundry, and were sentenced to Central Prison for 23 months. Reuben Williams, who was also convicted on the same charge but who turned king's evidence, was sent down for twelve months.

NEW TRIAL FOR DILLON.

Montreal, Nov. 30.—Mr. Justice Tremblay today called for affidavits

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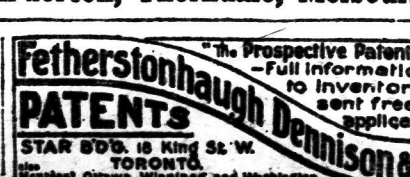


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LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.  
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Depart for the west—11:33 a.m., 12:10 p.m., 11:00 p.m.

PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.  
Depart—5:05 a.m., 12:10 a.m., 9:40 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 12:40 a.m., 4:50 p.m.  
Arrive—8:45 a.m., 11:20 p.m., 1:50 p.m., 4:40 p.m., 12:20 p.m.  
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