sider Plans to Build undred and Ten Miles Highway.

ESENTED BY ENGINE

struct Four Thorofares Fr Southern Limits to Lake

ern limit and taking in the whole of the county. area the government bears 40 p

### K HIGHWAYS BOARD NOT YET APPOINTED

ire to Agree on Compos Has Delayed County Council Session.

bility to agree on the persons e county commission, which w in charge the construction m of highways in North Y to be responsible for the inclusion of North York City of Toronto two miffth man will be name already chosen. The board l consisted of Warden Nigh and ugsley for the county, Controller er and Ald. Dave Spence for the together with George S. Henry.

### V WARDEN OF YORK BANQUETED LAST NIGHT

. Knowles, Aurora, Honored by His Colleagues in the County Council.

rden W. J. Knowles of York ty was last night tendered a uet by his fellow citizens of ra. Nearly 150 invited guess council in session in up by special car. Baldwin of Aurora nan of the evening and an a expressive of the esteem the warden is held was rethe warden is held was rex-Warden Andrew Ycle, while
ruests of the evening was o
y welcomed by W. J. Bassel
mber of the town council,
er speakers were: Ex-Warde
and County Councillors Gri
amsden, Stewart, Cornell, Well
town there with Geon Wallace, together enry, M.L.A., T. .. Major Brunton, S. J. McDonald, W. Pearson,

### FACE CHARGE OF TRAPPING BEAVER

unty Constable G. W. Curius of narket yesterday laid an informal against George Parrish of the ship of King, charging him with oing a beaver in New Ontario offence against the game laws is to have been committed last full Par. ish was shooting in the nor-country. A number of beaver were found between the sheets bed at his home in King Town

## UNEXCELLED

at is the opinion of those who daily at the Hotel Teck. The ce, menu and quality of the food to be excelled. Tables reserved by ang Main 381. Romanelli's Orchesto 8 p.m.

F. M. WOOTTON IS INVITED TO REMAIN.

LT, Ont., Feb. 9.—Rev. F. ton, pastor of Ainslie Street st Church, has received an in from the quarterly official box church to remain as pas irth year, dating from

RES, because your eyensult me. be wonderfully helped by ne to furnish in every insta

racting Optician S ISSUED. . TORONTO

# SERON DES CITY HALL

Work is Handicapped by Lack of Funds, Says Secretary Col. Galloway.

HANDS OUT STATEMENT

Treasurer Replies to the Remarks of J. Ross Robertson Regarding Disbursements.

According to Col. Galloway, secrecan co-operate with the Sportsmen, as the declares they desire to get money for their own battalion. This latter statement, however, Lt.—Col. Greer of the Sportsmen's Battalion, says is not correct, as the money will go to assist ter battalions, a small reserve fund being retained by the Sportsmen's Pattalion.

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In reply to the statement of John Ross Robertson before the board of Rosle commissioners on Monday, that police commissioners on Monday, that no satisfactory statement of the funds of the recruiting league had been given. A. E. Dyment, the treasurer, has pre-pared the following statement, which was handed to the board of control

esterday: Balance brought forward from pre-Balance at bank, Nov. 30, 1915 .. \$40,287.80 Cash on hand .... 19.14 \$40,306.94 Add receipts: Grant from the On-

tario Gov't .....\$5,000.00

Money received by
collections ..... 1,573.33
Individual contri-

Less payments: Grant to battalions, city regiments, etc. ...\$21,750.00
Royal Templars of Royal Templars of
Temperance ... 500.00
Speakers' Patriotic League, second div. ... 500.00
Advertising, printing, etc. ..... 921.63 Col. Galloway, honorarium ..... Rent, Massey Hall \$219 Loew's Theatre \$150
Luncheons, etc.
Clerks and stene-

graphers ........
Lantern slides, etc..
Regimental bands..
Automobiles .....
Fostage stamps ... 277.21 \$25,141.65 Balance to 1916: Bal. at bank ....\$21,814.99 Cash on hand ... 11.17 \$21,826.16

Receipts:
Tag day and khaid day ......\$35,495.82
Sundry collections... 1,726.80
Exhibition sales ... 1,135.27 by match .....
Athletic day .....
Grant from city ...
Individual sub-300.00 325.40 \$41,839.25

scriptions ....
Sundry receipts ...
Less payments:
Tattoo expenses ... Hevey, 25 p.c. of collections on programs ..... Col. Galloway, hon-Clerks and steno-

graphers ..... Catering for troops coming from Ni-10.00 8.00 212.15\$ 1,522.31 antern slides, etc. Sundry expenses . 212.15\$ 1,522.31

Balance carried forward:

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Cash on hand ... 19.14 \$40,306.94

HE WHO LAUGHS-

Jokes are jokes, but in times of war, when public buildings are being blown up, office boys should have a care as to how far their pranks go. A joker ar the city hall was responsible for the letter received by Mayor Church, signed "Karl and Otto," threatening to blow the building up. This boy, who tried to imitate "Torchy," has lost his

France and in all the trench country. national capital.

## RECOMMENDATIONS TO PROVINCIAL HYDRO TO BOARD OF EDUCATION RATIFY THE DEBENTURES

Board of Control Asks Ontario

Board to Pass on Toronto

Hydro's Application.

WILL EFFECT A SAVING

Money is Needed for New Cen-

tral Station and to Relieve

Overload.

Hydro-electric financing occupied

Yesterday had been set apart for a conference with the Toronto Hydro commission and it was explained by

General Manager H. H. Couzen's that

P. W. Ellis, chairman of the com-mission, told the board of control that Toronto is now serving three times as many customers, that it is supplying

over three times the power and with only one-third more capital than at the outset. It was self-evident, he said, that better accommodation was

needed and more capital.

The Hydro's Interests.

H. H. Couzens said the system was paying a total annual rental for buildings and land of \$18.400 and that an

economy of 30 per cent. on floor space and 50 per cent. in cubical space could be effected by the erecton of a cen-tral station. He produced the figures to prove the statement. He claimed that the efficiency of the department

was impaired under the present sys-tem. Next year the rental would be

increased as several leases run out and higher prices have been asked.

This explanation cleared the minds of the controllers to a great extent and

the board would have sanctioned the application immediately had not Mayor

application immediately had not Mayor Church raised the point that the sanction of the provincial commission should be secured first. Altho it was urged that delay means more expense, it was finally decided to refer the point to the provincial commission for a ruling. The matter will, it is expected, be ready for council at its next meet-

Mayor Church opened the subject of

elimination of poles on the city streets and brought out the information that

this matter up also with the provincial

HON. J. DUFF BACK AT WORK.

the attention of the members of the

Management Committee Send Names of Substitutes for Teachers Going Overseas.

ESTIMATES FOR YEAR

Col. E. W. Hagarty Applies for Leave of Absence Which Board is Asked to Grant.

tary of the Citizens' Recruiting League, committee of the board of education board of control for a considerable period at the board meeting yesterday, the question under discussion being an application from the hydroelectric system regarding an issue of debentures for \$1.375,000.

Yesterday had been set apper for the control of the con of funds is becoming a serious yesterday a communication was read lack of funds is becoming a serious from Col. E. W. Hagarty, principal of and for that reason application has been made for permission to hold a of absence for overseas service, and tag day some time in April or May, in coupled with his request was a sugthe Sportsmen's Patriotic Asso-on is to share. The colonel does think, nowever, that the league quarters for his battalion. The coma capital expenditure is necessary in order to provide a proper central station, permit of more efficiency and relieve some of the present apparatus of what was termed an "over-load."

> The estimates for text-books and supplies for the public schools for 1916 totaled \$234,091.05, compared with last year's estimates of \$222,568.66.

year's estimates of \$222.568.66.

Among the recommendations sent on it the board are the names of substitutes for teachers who have received leave of absence on account of enlistment for overseas service. Dr. Birchard is recommended to take the place of G. W. Keith, head of the mathematics department at Parkdale Collegiate: Miss Bell of the high school of commerce to take the place of J. A. Lamb, assistant in mathematics at Harbord; Miss Margerie Bruce to take the place of W. E. Watson of Riverdale Collegiate.

Dr. Vivian C. Jackes, who has enlisted, will be allowed the same saiary allowance as those who enlisted after a policy had been settled upon.

Additional Classrooms.

It is recommended that additional classrooms be opened at the following schools: Balmy Beach, afternoon primary; Clinton street, junior second; Duke of Connaught, primary; Essex street, senior first; Essex street, senior second; Frankland, primary; McMurrich, junior third; Morse sireet, primary; Norway, afternoon primary; Orde street, afternoon primary; Rogal road, primary; Rogal road, primary; Roscale, primary; Runnymele, primary; Williamson rd, mixed (S. 2 and J. 3); Withrow avenue, junior third.

Severe Criticism.

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A recent pamphlet, published by the Bureau of Manicipal Research regarding educational matters in the schools of the city, was severely criticized. A of the city, was severely criticized. A poles and it was finally decided to take ing educational matters in the schools of the city, was severely criticized. A committee of three was appointed to draft a resolution against the unjust criticism composed of Chairman Houston, Trustees Shaw and McTaggart. P. G. Might, principal of Lansdowne School, was recommended for leave of absence that he might do military service, and W. A. Schoffeld of Wellesley School was recommended to act as principal during his absence.

Col. Caldwell asked if it would be possible to give Jesse Ketchum School to the militia department for the duration of the war.

Trustee Hodgson did not favor giv-

ration of the war.

Trustee Hodgson did not favor giving any recognition to the letter from Lieut.-Col. Caldwell, declaring that all the other dealings of the board had been with Brig.-Gen. Logie. It was finally decided to allow the request to go before the board.

A sub-committee of Chairman Houston, Trustees Steele and McTaggart was appointed to go is a the question of allowing married women to hold positions as teachers.

### CITY HALL NOTES

Officials in the civic works department say that the city is in a position to supply York Township with water, altho only about one-third of it would be filtered. At the present time the city is using 50,000,000 gallons a day and only pumping enough for its own requirements, but it is pointed out that it would be sometime before the town-ship could take advantage of the agreement with the city and by June next the pumping capacity will be 110,000,000 gallons, enough for a million people.

WANTS THE CAPITAL AT WINNI

WINNIPEG, Feb. 9.—The Calgary News-Herald of Feb. 5 comes out in favor of the capital of Canada, now SNOWFALL IN NORTHERN
FRANCE.

PARIS, Feb. 9.—The first snow of the season fell in Paris today. The snowfall was general thruout northern
France will be that point and city, and therefore the proper seat of the nothern than the paris today. The snowfall was general thruout northern than the proper seat of the nothern than the proper seat of the nothern than the paris of the nother than the proper seat of the nother than the paris of the paris of the nother than the paris of the paris of the nother than the nother than

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PROCEEDS OF MUSICALE.

ized the sum of \$25.

# Great Nations Not Abstainers!

HEN it is alleged that the drinking of alcoholic beverages devitalizes a race, and that total abstinence. with its natural sequence, Prohibition, stands for national vigor, have you ever thought of this, that the great nations and races of the world, those which have given us civilization and made life worth living, have not been total abstainers or prohibitionists? Greece, whose masterpieces are the despair of modern artists—the land of Homer and Pericles and Demosthenes. Rome, the mistress of the world, whose legions held its passes from the Indus to the fastnesses of Caledonia, and whose laws are the basis of the jurisprudence of half the world to-day. Judea, the Holy Land, the Home of God's Chosen People and of the Christ. The Anglo-Saxons, who laid broad and deep the foundations of British Liberty. The Celts, whose brilliant genius has lighted up the dark places of every land beneath the sun. France, "the chosen home of chivalry, the garden of romance." Spain, of whom it was said that "sunset never darkens the golden flag of Spain." Italy, the land of Dante, Michael Angelo, Columbus, and a host of others foremost in adventure, in art, in science. The Land of the Northmen, whose dauntless Vikings explored the farthest seas and reached the very Ultima Thule. Britain, whose flag floats over four hunared and fifty millions of free men scattered throughout a quarter of the world. These all had their mead, their beer, their wine.

## What Have Abstaining Nations Ever Done?

ND what of the other side? Are there any on that A side? Yes, the followers of the Prophet, whose Koran condemns wine as an evil thing, and whose laws are the prototypes of the Prohibition legislation of to-day; the Turks, whose presence has ever turned fair lands into deserts and crushed out ancient civilizations; the Arabs, with their ruthless slavery, their cruelties, their licentiousness; the Malay Aborigines, and a few other dying remnants of pre-historic peoples. What are the contributions which these have given to the uplifting of the world? Where are their leaders in science, literature, and art? Let our Prohibitionist friends answer.

## True Progress Demands Liberty

NIOT that the use of alcoholic beverages alone has made those who have so used them the leaders in the progress of the world. To claim this would be unfair. No, there have been many other factors in its evolution from lower to higher things. But-and here is the point—they have been free men, scorning to be ruled in their personal habits by narrow, compulsory laws. Thus they have developed, as free men, along the lines of true liberty, and have stood in history, and stand to-day, as an eternal refutation of the theory that the use of alcoholic beverages saps the vigor and genius of a race.

THE PERSONAL LIBERTY LEAGUE OF ONTARIO