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OFFICES FOR RENT NEW STANDARD BANK BUILDING

Toronto Tied Up Four Hours By Electrical Storm

Street Cars Were Stalled and Thousands of People Had to Walk Miles in Rain

CAUSE OF TIE-UP The cause of the tie-up of the street railway system and the throwing of the city partially into darkness last night was a shaft of lightning which snapped one of the transmission lines between Toronto and Niagara Falls.

USED STEAM AUXILIARY. When the street railway became crippled, the company resorted to its steam auxiliary on Scott-street.

HANDICAPPED BY DARKNESS. Employees of the Toronto Electric Light Company are constantly patrolling the route of the transmission lines from the Falls, but when the break occurred their work of locating it was greatly handicapped by darkness.

TWO SERIOUS INTERRUPTIONS. Manager Pack in a statement to The World last night said that there had only been two serious interruptions of the service in ten years, the one which occurred a month ago and that which happened last night.

Thousands of People Had to Stay Down Town While Some Sat in Cars. Restaurants and Hotel Dining Rooms Did a Rushing Business by Candle or Lamp Light—Motor Cars Were Never So Popular.

There were few, indeed, in the city who did not in one way or another feel the effect of the big four-hour electrical tie-up. The streets were not dark as in the pre-hydro days and the new style gas lamps made many of the stores and smaller restaurants bright.

EMERGENCY LIGHTS. A gas tank off your motor can be made to give light with a roll of hollow wire and a couple of burners.

THE TORONTO ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANY. The officials and men of the Toronto Electric Light Company and the Ontario Electrical Development Company battled with the situation manfully last night and got relief to the newspaper offices at the earliest moment.

Robert Sutherland is Dead Was M.L.A. for E. Middlesex

Liberal Who Redeemed Riding Last December, Defeating Geo. Neely, Succumbs After Operation for Appendicitis—Attempt Had Been Made To Void Election.

INGERSOLL, July 5.—(Can. Press.)—Robert Sutherland, M.L.A. for East Middlesex, died in the hospital to-night following an operation for appendicitis.

Thank God For the Much Abused Motor Car

SLOWLY BUT SURELY! Last night Toronto was without street cars, and many houses and business and industrial establishments were without light or power.

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21 Passengers Killed In Rear-End Collision Many Fatally Injured

Heavily-laden Train Rammed By Freight Engines Near Ligonier Pa., and Returning Holiday-makers Fall Victims—Passengers Hurlled From Coach Were Crushed Under Locomotives.

LATROBE, Pa., July 5.—(Can. Press.)—Twenty-one persons were killed and 50 injured, a number fatally, at 3.40 this afternoon when a passenger train on the Ligonier Valley Railroad was smashed from behind by a double-headed freight train.

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HUNTED ITALIAN STILL EVADES POLICE

"Big Frank" Sastito, Wanted for Humber Murder, Was Reported to Have Been at Mimico, But Search Was Futile—Report That Constable Was Killed is Untrue.

At a late hour last night "Big Frank" Sastito was reported seen on the western bank of the Mimico Creek, about two miles north of the Lake Shore-road.

YESTERDAY MORNING word was received at the county crown attorney's office stating that "Big Frank" had shot a detective at Sharon, four miles from Newmarket.

Another rumor was current last night saying that the body of County Constable Murray, who was supposed to be the man shot, was being brought in on the Metropolitan line.

North Toronto Campaign Closed With Big Meeting

Personalities Brought Into Fight and Sharp Words Were Exchanged—Much Excitement in Town Over To-day's Voting—Annexation Will Probably Carry and Double Track Will Be Defeated.

The final mass meeting of North Toronto ratifiers to discuss double-tracking and annexation was held last night near the town hall.

SIRRS was elected to the chair, and the fair sex were greatly in evidence. The double-trackers had abandoned their intention of holding meetings and turned up for the first time in full force.

EVERY VEHICLE IN COMMISSION. Taxis Could Not Begin to Meet the Demand, and Thousands Walked Home.

Every hireable vehicle, motor or horse drawn, was called into commission to carry home the crowds whom the stalling of the cars had left in the streets.

THEATRES GAVE USUAL SHOWS. Patrons Who Bought Tickets and Could Not Attend Will Have Money Refunded.

FOR REGINA RELIEF. The Canadian Bank of Commerce has sent a cheque for \$250 to the mayor of Regina, to assist the city and its sufferers as a result of the recent cyclone.

G. T. R. TRAIN KILLS WORKMAN

Wm. Hankison Died in Hospital of Injuries Sustained at Pape Avenue Crossing

Wm. Hankison, 627 Leado-street, was struck by a G. T. R. express train last night about 9 o'clock, at the Pape-ave. crossing of the road, and died an hour later in the General Hospital, to which place he had been taken after Dr. Matheson had attended to his injuries near the scene of the accident.

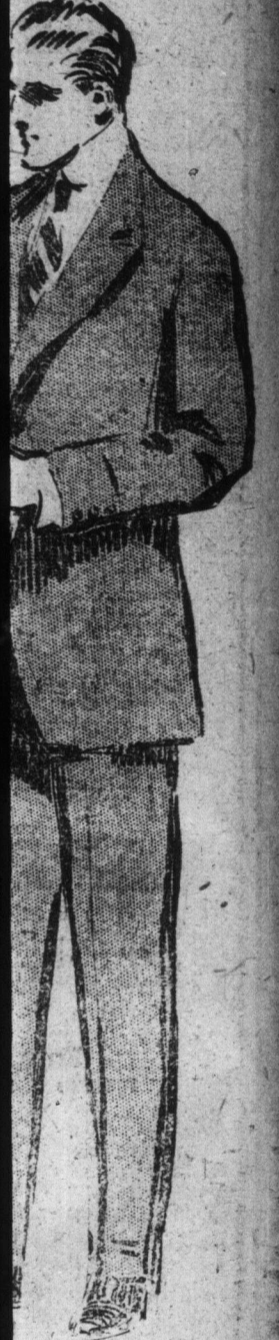
RUNS DOWN BOY WHO MAY DIE

Morris Pearson, 7 years old, of St. Patrick-st. was run over by a wagon driven by an Italian on Spadina-ave, near St. Patrick-st., yesterday.

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ALLOW MERGER DESPITE PROTEST Government Gives Its Official Sanction to Absorption of Traders Bank by Royal.

OTTAWA, July 5.—(Special.)—That the absorption of the Traders Bank by the Royal is to be brought about immediately notwithstanding the storm of protest raised when the rumor to that effect was first circulated, is evident by a notice which will appear in the Canada Gazette to-morrow.