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NEW YORK, Nov. 12.-After many

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It developed to-day that another

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GOVERNMENT WINS TWO

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29TH YEAR

Works Committee Unanimously Sends Recommendation to Council - Engineer Estimates Cost at \$769,000.

A bylaw to provide \$769,000 for the construction of a viaduct, from the corner of Bloor and Sherbourne-streets to Danforth-avenue, will be submitted to the people on Jan. 1, if the unanimous recommendation of the civic works committee is adopted by the city council, as will in all probability be the case, in view of the united sentiment of the committee.

The actual construction of the viaduct will cost \$619,000, according to the estimate of the city engineer, while Assessment Commissioner Forman reported yesterday that the land damages would not exceed \$150,000, or a total cost for the work, admitted to be one of the most desirable civic improvements undertaken for many years, of

Commissioner Forman suggested that a considerable reduction in the cost might be made by widening Dale-ave-nue, extending Castle Frank-avenue to the Don and carrying the viaduct across, but the committee held firmly to Mr. Rust's plan of a straight extension of Bloor-street eastward.

It wasn't a snap vote, but a definite decision, without a dissenting voice, at a regular and well attended meeting. The members present were: Ald. Mc-Ghi, Chisholm, Hilton, Foster, Maguire din, Vaughan, Welch, Keeler and

extension would involve the construction of two viaducts, one 1450 feet long, the complicated sugar import frauds, Transcontinental Railway Commis

feet, with 6-foot sidewalks on either dernagel, for more than 30 years suptractors whereby work of this character side.

"The estimated cost of these improvements, including bridges, roadways, grading, paving, sidewalks, etc., and engineering, but not including land damages, would be \$619,000."

Land Damages.

The indictment returned against Bendernagel is of the blanket variety, general had got the matter advanced by the contract by the matter advanced by the contract by the matter by the matter advanced by the contract by the matter by t

Before adopting the present plan of off the real weight. the feasibility of carrying the viaduct from the east side of Sherbourne-street directly to the line of Dale-avenue, that Dale-avenue, now a 50 foot-street, should be widened to 66 feet easterly to Castle Frank-avenue, and that the said street be extended to the west bank of the Don. and from there the viaduce would be carried across to connect with Danforth-avenue. The result of this would be to save the cost

Bylaw to Cover Cost. On the report being presented, Ald. chief electrician and adviser of the old Chisholm said he would like to have regime; John James, chief engineer of a recommendation that a bylaw to the Brooklyn plant; William Fleming, cover the cost of the viaduct be submitted to the people. He feared that if the plans were altered after the money against the men higher up will be been voted, the validity of the bylaw might be affected. The commisslorer replied that his object was to the money to the weighers are at last lessen the costs, and that he didn't brought to justice. think the property owners would ob-

Chairman Ald. McGhie declared that Arbuckle Brothers Company, have been the submitting of the bylaw asking ing into the United States treasury for money to build a viaduct duties on sugar imports which the g'vengineering features. Should Offer Plan.

Ald. Foster thought either one plan on the other should be affered to the people, and Ald. Bredin gave the opinion that any alteration would inter- Results of By-Elections for Quebec fere with the whole scheme. The Guild of Civic Art had protested against usty outlines and Mr. Forman's plan would

create another.

"If we found that the deviation would save over \$100,000, I don't see how that would affect the bylaw," said Ald.

Ald. Bredin asked whether, after the people had voted for the Wilton-avenue bridge, if it had been found cheaper to the bylaw wouldn't have been nulli- 288; in Chambly, Dr. Desauliers, the

But this would still be the Bloorstreet viaduct," returned the chairman. Foster didn't think the city could save \$100,000 by the diversion, as the land damages would be increased CHILDREN REFUSED ABSOLUTION by encroachment on the Hoskin property on Dale-avenue. He then moved that a bylaw be submitted based on Catholic clergy here to-day refused the original plan of City Engineer absolution to Catholic children in the Rust and this was unanimously adopt- public schools, who are using the text hooks interdicted by the church.

### Crimes Charged To Sugar Trust Offences Include Bribery of Politicians, Swindling the Treasury and the Stealing of City Water.

sional and legislative committees, by Another Received \$2020 for the courts and in other legal proceed-Twc Days' Attendance, and ings, shows that the sugar trust in the United States has been proved guilty Auditor-General Didn't Think it Was

~ Right.

OTTAWA, Nov. 12.-(Special.)-That ne senator got \$2005 for one day's attendance during the last session of parliament, and another got \$2020 for two days' presence in the upper chamer, and that the auditor-general objected, is set forth in the annual re-port of that official made public to-day. The names of the senators are

According to the report, they "wer each paid the sessional indemnity of \$2500 less a deduction of \$15 per day for absence for each sitting day over the fifteen allowed, altho the former was only two days in attendance, January 20 and 21, and the latter one day

in attendance, January 21.

"It would appear," he says in pointing it out, "that you have paid these senators under subsection 2 of section 35 to the act, rather than under section 33 of the act, which stated that a mem-ber shall not be entitled to the said sessional allowance for less than thirty-one days' attendance, but his allowance for any less number of days shall be twenty dollars for each day's attend-Former Superintendent of Big Re-

The reply in effect was that these senators were entitled to draw their ndemnity on this basis. The auditor-general also charged that Senators Frost, Mitchell and McMulsenators Frost, Mitchell and McMul-len drew more indemnity than they were entitled to by the record of at-tendance. The reply was that senator McMullen had been ill and that the others contended that they had been present on days on which the record

A Tiff With N.T.R. Board. menths of quiet work behind the scenes The report also contains a long and "The total length of the proposed exension is approximately 4934 feet. The
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Transcontinental Railway Commission tion of two viaducts, one 1450 feet long, the complicated sugar import frauds, on the subject of classification in rock there came suddenly to-day the indicated sugar import frauds, on the subject of classification in rock there crossing, and the other, crossing dictment and arrest of an important and J. T. Davis an item appeared, and J. T. Davis an item appeared. long. The extension between these via-ducts is comparatively level and would involve only a small amount of grading.

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Land Damages.

Mr. Forman further says: "The necessary time was not at our disposal to enable us to negotiate with the various property owners whose lands would be taken or affected by the proposed viaduct, but I have viewed the proposed viaduct, but I have viewed the proposed viaduct, but I have viewed the proposed viaduct, and in my opinion, the sum of \$150,000 should be ample to coverall claims for compensation.

The indiction of the blanket variety, including in its terms also the so-called "Dig six" Oliver Spitzer, Thomas Boyle, Jean M. Voelker, John R. Coyle, and Patrick J. Hennessy—all of whom have been previously indicted on similar charges. The six were Bendernagel's associates in the capacity of agents and boss weighers at the Williamsburg plant. They are all at present awaiting trial.

The specific charges against Bendernagel are that he defrauded the government out of \$1694 duty in constitution, "Resolved, that in the auditor-general, in he "In this connection I may say that I would be adverse to settling any claims except those merely in respect of land taken, until after the bridge of land taken, until after the bridge of land taken. hundred thousand pounds was clipped tains a direct reflection on the personal integrity of the commissioners, inas-"Before adopting the present plan of extending Bloor-street from Sherbourne-street to Danforth-avenue on a straight line, it would seem important that consideration should be given to the feasibility of carrying the viaduct to short weigh sugar for the purpose the purpo

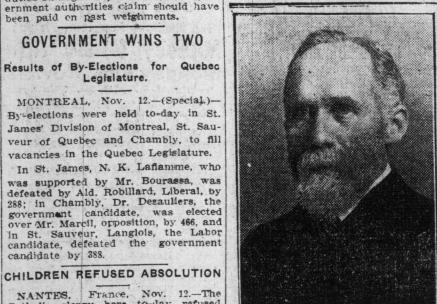
sult of this would be to save the cost of steel bridge construction for a length, according to plan, of about 800 feet, and decrease the land damages.

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lowing officials of the company also resigned yesterday: Frank Wenzel, for twenty-five years the private mouth fiece of the late H. O. Have-mission complimenting Mr. Fraser on his "veribal adroitness."

NEWS FOR HAMILTONIANS.

Owing to the intense amount of interest in the cutcome of the Hamilton-Argonaut Rugby, game at Rosedale grounds this afternoon, special arrangements will be made to have a complete report of the game in the first edition of The Sunday World, which will be on sale on the streets of Hamilton not later than 8.30 Saturday night.



PRESIDENT JAMES ROSS,

## THE DAY'S WORK DONE



The Sage of the Grange lays down his pen.

# "Toronto Terminal Co."

Some of His Coal Stock to Toronto Syndicate at Close to

Par.

MONTREAL, Que., Nov. 12 .- (Special.)-The negotiations which have been going on during the past few days tetween E. R. Wood and Col. Sir Henry Pellatt, representing a syndicate of Toronto holders of Dominion Steel and Coal stock, and James Ross, president of the Dominion Coal Company, represented by Charles H. Cahan, in a legal capacity, were brought very near to a close this evening. The finishing touches, it is expected, will be reached

It is authoritatively stated that the result will be the passing of a portion of the Ross Coal holdings, the of which represent a par value of \$5,-000,000, to the syndicate at a price some.

what under par. It may also be added that the mer-ger of Dominion Coal and Dominion Iron and Steel into one great company, to be known as the Canada Steel Corporation, is now nearer an accomplished fact than ever before.

In fact, as soon as the transfer of active steps will be taken to bring about the union of the two companies, altho it can be said that no basis as to prices of the two companies entering the merger has yet been reach-

ed or discussed. Mr. Ross will still probably be the largest individual holder of Coal stock when negotiations are opened for the uniting of the two corporations. It is stated that before Ross would sell a share of his Coal common, gentlemen epresenting holdings to the value of they would not sell their stock even if get-rich-quick scheme with ramifica-\$8,000,000 assured the president par were offered, deciding to run their tions extending to Toronto and to prac- lating to the formation and work of I have heard men say, who do not unchances of becoming a part of the tically every large city east of Chicago. the secretariat decided upon by the derstand conditions, that there will be greater corporation to be created, consequently the president was relieved of the obligation which he for a long time felt, viz., that he was in duty bound to protect the minority shareholders who had so loyally stood by him during the protracted difficul-Col. Sir Henry Pellatt left for Toronto this evening.

200,000 CAN'T GET WORK New York State Asked to Provide Employment for Them.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.-There are 200,000 men and women in New York City who are willing to work, but who not able to secure employment, was the statement made to-day, by ora D. Harvey, secretary of the national committee of the unemployed. before the state commission, which is ployer's Liability Act.

She urged a plan by which the state would open factories and employ

these men and women.

# Asks for Wide Powers the north where similar geological conditions prevail, and the mining men

Application Made to Parliament-H., W. and G. R'y Co. Also After Entrance to City and Terminal Rights.

OTTAWA, Nov. 12.—(Special).—The Hamilton, Waterloo and Guelph Railway Company will apply to parliament for an act amending its charter by providing for an extension of time for the completion of its railway and for power to extend its line from a point at, or near, the City of Hamilton to the City of Toronto, or, in the alternative, in part to enter into an agreement with the Hamilton Radial Electric Railway Company for a lease of, or running powers over, its line from the Village of Burlington to Toronto and for special powers relating to terminals at the City of Toronto and for special bonding powers for providing for the cost of the terminals.

Application will also be made to parliament for an act to incorporate "The Toronto Terminal Company," with power to construct and maintain passenger and freight stations, warehouses and other terminal facilities in and about the City of Toronto;

To construct and operate branch lines of railway to connect them with the different railways entering Toronto; To build and construct such tunnels, viaducts, subways and bridges

as may be necessary in connection with the said terminal facilities; To enter into agreements with the said railway companies, under section 361 of the Railway Act, and with light and power companies: acquire lands and water-powers and to construct and operate electric light plants and to convey and transmit power, heat, light, gas and water:

To issue bonds and debentures or other securities upon the properties of the company, and

To generally carry on the business of a terminal company, the

Island Proposition That is Being Handled in Toronto.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 12.—(Special.) -Thru the arrest here to-day of A. B. McCarthy, collector for the Metropolitan and Suburban Real Estate Co. of West Hampton Park, Long Island, the police declare they have unearthed a warships on the Great Lakes. The company does business thru a imperial conference of 1907. scheme of handsomely engraved cou-"immense discount" when purchasing devising a practical and systematic a lot in the Long Island plan. The plan for the selection, preparation and first lot sells for \$100 and the second distribution of British immigrants. five dollars a month plan, he is allowed to pick out his own lots, but should he acquire but one the company choos- His Majesty is a Stickler for Style.

es the lot.

According to the collection cards found upon McCarthy, Pittsburgers have invested about fifty thousand dollars in land which was represented to them as being laid out in town lots, with paved streets, drains and all improvements, when, according to Post-office Inspector C. E. Crowell, some of the land is actually under water and there are no improvements.

One can safely say that His Majesty King Edward designs the hats he wears. Heath puts them into felt and beaver, but it is His Majesty who mines and they must be replenished at once. The advanced enterprises are carrying larger staffs of men and must increase their purchases in proportion. There are also scores of syndicates opening up properties who were not working last year.

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head office of company to be at Toronto. of at least \$1,500,000 in this country and

Miss Jean Kennedy, a prepossessing

young woman, is said to represent the company in Toronto. FOUR IMPORTANT RESOLUTIONS

this large block of Coal stock is made, Said to Be Connected With a Long Hon. G. E. Foster Wants to Abolish Patronage Evil.

> Geo. E. Foster has given notice of a and Miller Lake enterprises have proseries of important resolutions. The first declares the prevailing system of party patronage a menace to honest and efficient government and

calls for its elimination. lating to the presence of American ing machinery for Silverland. The

The third calls for information rescheme of handsomely engraved coupons, which entitle the investor to an operation of the British authorities in

McCarthy is held on charges of vio-ating the state law is not being regisness without a license.

Canadian agent for Henry Heath in prices last winter are now ready to go
The company is advertised as a New Canada. See the new silks. The store ahead. There will be several hundred Jersey corporation, with \$100,000 capital will be open Saturday night until 10 stock, and the local detectives declare o'clock. المالية المالية المراجعة المراجعة

Millions of Dollars Already Committed to Development Over Area of Five Thousand Square Miles.

GOWGANDA, Nov. 9.-By the Mar on the Trail.)-Loyalty demands that opment of the great natural resource in the mineralized areas of the north. The name Gowganda, possibly because it is a picturesque designation,

has come to stand largely for a vast country five thousand square miles in extent. In this northern silverland, west of Lake Timiskaming for a hundred miles, with boundaries still undefined and constantly extending, eight thousand mining claims have been staked and work has been done or nearly all of them in accordance with the requirements of the mining laws.

Over this broad area thousands of veins have been uncovered, most of them containing the usual indications of possible enrichment and sufficient to encourage the expenditure of capital in investigation.

It would be folly to suggest that more than a small percentage of these will develop into producing mines, but the prospecting of these claims means that activity in this direction thruout the country will proceed for many

Cobalt is the only developed camp in of the new fields are influenced very largely by Cobalt conditions in the work which is being undertaken in the

undeveloped areas. Development on veins enriched at the surface has, with one or two exceptions, resulted in shipping mines. The result is that the discovery of surface silver leads in the new country is followed almost immediately by the disposal of the interest to men of capital, who are ready, with but little

further investigation, to advance money for development. Millions Already Invested. It is an impressive fact that more than five million dollars in cash has been paid to prospectors for silver properties west of Lake Timiskaming. Over two millions of this amount was paid in cash for Gowganda properties

in veins at the surface. Two-thirds of this imposing amount of money was paid to young Canadian prospectors and probably half of the amount was transferred to their credit from balances in the banks of United

with spectacular outcroppings of silver

States and Great Britain. But this is not the limit of the financial advantage this country has been to Canada in the first short year of its awakening from the silence of uncounted centuries. The outlay by which these properties were acquired was but the commencement of an outpouring of millions. Large quantities of machinery have gone into the coun-OTTAWA, Nov. 12.—(Special.)—Hon. try., The Montreal River, Gowganda, bably expended more than a million dollars in Canada for their plants. The principal industry in a little city in the Province of Quebec employs 250 The second is for correspondence re- men to-day in the manufacture of minplant is busy now on orders for delivery during the approaching winter.

nothing like the business of last winter into Silverland this year.

The fact is that the volume of business this year with the mining country should be double what it was a year for \$50. Should the purchaser acquire two lots on the five dollars down and THE MAN WHO MAKES THE KING'S ago. In a recent letter it was shown that freight traffic up the Montreal River was at least six times greater than last year.

Conditions Are Improving. lating the state law is not being regis— at Dineen's, corner of Yonge and Conditions are more normal this year, tered at Harrisburg and of doing busi— Temperance-streets. Dineen is sole Interest held back by the prohibitive Conditions are more normal this year.

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