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New Bridge Open At Englehart Is Fine Structure

Minister of Lands and Forests Performed Official Ceremony Yesterday Afternoon

An event of particular interest to the town of Englehart and to the whole district took place yesterday afternoon when the new bridge on the Ferguson Highway across the Blanche River at that point was officially opened by Hon. Wm. Finlayson, Minister of Lands and Forests.

The new bridge, which has been constructed this year at a cost, according to the Minister, of \$136,265, is 800 feet long and 100 feet above the normal level of the river. It eliminates one of the terrors of the motorists, the old low-level bridge with its steep hills and curves, and also does away with two dangerous crossings over the T. & N.O. Railway, keeping the main highway on the west side of the tracks as it passes through town.

Into the new structure has gone 500 tons of structural and 22 tons of reinforcing steel, 13,160 bags of cement, 3,500 cubic yards of gravel, 2,800 feet of piling and 450 gallons of paint. It is the first bridge of its size to be constructed of entirely Canadian materials by Canadian workmen, a fact which was stressed by Mr. Finlayson in the opening ceremony, and is the longest and highest structure on the whole highway between Toronto and Cochrane.

Those who attended the official opening included A. J. Kennedy, M.L.A., and Mrs. Kennedy, D. J. Miller, district engineer of the Northern Development Branch, J. S. Leitch, resident engineer, Graham Reid, engineer in charge of construction for the Chatham Dredging and Construction Co., which built the bridge, W. H. Maund, secretary of the T. & N.O. Commission, with Mayor C. H. Powell and E. C. Darling, president of the Board of Trade.

Previous to the opening ceremony, a procession of motor cars drove out over the old road to the new bridge, across which a white silk ribbon had been stretched at the centre. Mayor Powell presented the Minister of Lands and Forests with a pair of golden scissors with which to (Continued on Page 8)

NEW LEAGUE HEAD



Selected by the council of the League of Nations as Secretary-General of that body, Joseph Avenol of France, will succeed the retiring Sir Eric Drummond of Great Britain in that post. Nomination by the council is tantamount to election. M. Avenol has been Deputy Secretary-General for the past nine years.

Finn Magazine Grabs Story by Haileybury Man

Leslie McFarlane's Tale of "The Man Who Looked Back" is Evidently a Favorite

To discover one of his short stories translated into the Finnish language and published in a Finnish magazine, without authority and without remuneration, was a recent experience of Leslie McFarlane, Haileybury writer and the author of "Streets of Shadow." The story which the Finnish publisher fancied was entitled "The Man Who Looked Back" and was written by Mr. McFarlane in 1927. He sold the story for publication in an American magazine, with no rights for translation or for publication in any other periodical, and is at a loss to know by what authority it appeared this year.

Mr. McFarlane might easily have remained unaware of the occurrence, had not an acquaintance noticed his name on the cover of the magazine in a Toronto news stand. This acquaintance sent a copy of the magazine to Mr. McFarlane, who was able to identify the story after he had the title and a portion of the text put into English again.

The author is now endeavoring to trace the course of his story after it appeared in the American magazine and may be able to collect eventually from the latest publishers. Evidently it was a good story, when it was grabbed up and translated into a foreign language, but that may be said of all of Mr. McFarlane's stories.

BODIES OF TWO MORE ARE RECOVERED FROM LARDER LAKE WATERS

Word from Kirkland Lake yesterday was to the effect that two more bodies had been recovered from the waters of Larder Lake that day, victims of the holiday drowning tragedy which overtook a party of seven almost a month ago. They are the bodies of Miss Horester and Colin Webster. Three bodies were recovered within a comparatively few days of the tragedy, but there remain two, John C. Skinner, chief engineer of the Lake Shore mine, and Miss Wilma Tinsombe. The bodies which were recovered earlier were those of Mrs. Skinner, Miss Anna Monck and Thomas Cunningham.

The Week's Weather

Week ending Wed., Nov. 2:	max.	min.
Thursday	40	24
Friday	40	32
Saturday	40	30
Sunday	34	26
Monday	32	15
Tuesday	32	24
Wednesday	31	24
Precipitation	1.39"	

Associated Boards of Trade Debate Hydro Power in North

Long Discussion Ends With Question Left Over for Next Meeting; Want Northern Man on T. & N.O. Commission; Would Have Radio Station on Height of Land

A resolution from the Ansonville Board of Trade, asking endorsement of a request that the Ontario Hydro Commission take over all power developments in the North, brought the longest discussion of the session of the Northern Ontario Associated Boards of Trade, held in New Liskeard on Friday afternoon. There were many arguments advanced by the delegates, both for and against the resolution, with the result that the question was shelved for the time and will come up for discussion at the annual meeting in February next.

The president of the Associated Boards, W. O. Langdon of Timmins, introduced the resolution in the absence of any delegates from Ansonville. He spoke strongly in its favor, foreseeing that during the next 25 years all present power developments would be utilized and the North would "be asking for more." A fair proposition would be for the Hydro to take over all present plants at a fair price and supply all industries, etc., in the same way as in Southern Ontario where, he declared, it had been a "great project."

The first opposition to the resolution came from A. A. Amos, of Cobalt, who gave some history of power in the North Country in the early days. He contrasted the price paid then, for development by the means of coal at the first mines in Cobalt, \$125 to \$180 per horse power, with present conditions and pointed out that the Canada Northern Power Corporation now pays taxes of well over \$300,000, of which \$72,481 goes to the municipalities. This revenue would be lost under the Hydro system, he held, and he did not believe there would be any great reduction in the price of power, when all sides of the question were taken into consideration. Mr. Amos stated that, with the total assets of the Power Corporation at \$35,000,000, in his opinion the purchase of all power developed would increase the funded debt of the province by at least \$100,000,000, a circumstance that could not be thought of at the present, as the country was "almost bled white" with federal, provincial and municipal loans. He criticised the action of the government in regard to the Abitibi Canyon project, which he termed "taking over a bankrupt concern at a high figure."

Supporting the resolution were Frank Preston of Englehart, C. P. Cross, Cobalt, and others, while Dr. A. C. Farlinger and A. E. Stephenson, New Liskeard, and H. W. Rowdon, Cobalt, each were opposed. Mr. Stephenson holding that the number present was too small for a real expression of opinion, and one delegate suggesting that the insertion of the word "ultimate" would best express the opinion of the meeting. Haileybury delegates, who had not discussed the question in their local Board, were in favor of delaying action until the next meeting and a resolution to that effect carried.

Opening the session, President Langdon gave a short resume of the business of the annual meeting in Timmins in February last. One big question that had been up at that time was the proposed road linking Timmins and Sudbury, and considerable headway had been made in the interval, some sections of the road having been built during the summer, with the result that considerable employment had been given. A reduction in freight rates on pulpwood had been secured, through the efforts of the past president, C. W. Wright, and large quantities of the wood had been shipped. Mr. Wright had also made a tour of Western Ontario during the summer and had addressed several meetings, spreading the gospel of the North Country. This had been at the expense of the Western Ontario Associated Boards of Trade, Mr. Wright said, and he was accord-

ed a hearty vote of thanks from the meeting. There had also been some progress made in regard to the problem of indigent patients in hospitals, a matter that has engaged the attention of the Association for years, and now these were being taken care of, to some extent at least, by the government.

A resolution from the NewLiskeard Board, asking that when a through Canadian National train is again run between Montreal and Vancouver it should be routed over the T. & N. O. was endorsed by the delegates. Cobalt had a resolution asking for a representative of the North Country on both the T. & N.O. and Hydro Electric Commissions, but was asked to separate the two, as the preamble stated that neither of the bodies had a representative of the North and it was held that the chairman of the T. & N. O., Geo. W. Lee, was an exception to this. Cobalt delegates agreed to split the two. This being done, the one in regard to the T. & N. O. Commission came up first and provoked considerable discussion. An amendment by G. A. MacDonald of Timmins, would have inserted the words "that this be taken into consideration when a vacancy occurs," but the sponsors of the resolution objected to this. It was argued that the Commission should have a representative living in the country served by the railway, that there was no thought of asking "for anyone to be discharged" and that it was in no sense a criticism of the present body. As re-written, the resolution called for a member who had "resided for 10 years in the district served by the railway" and it was endorsed by the meeting, after the amendment had been voted on and declared lost. The delegates, however, fought shy of asking for a Northern representative on the Hydro and the resolution covering that question was lost.

A resolution from Ansonville asked endorsement of a request that organized municipalities be placed on the same footing as unorganized, in regard to relief matters, but this was referred back with the explanation that under the present system each was considered on its merits and that there was something of a sliding scale in regard to the proportion of relief paid by the governments.

The resolution from Iroquois Falls, asking that the proposed new radio station for Northern Ontario be located on the height of Land, near Bourkes, was endorsed by the meeting, although a delegate from North Bay, R.H. Thompson, held that a site at Sudbury or Capreol would better serve the whole territory. Mr. Thompson is in the radio business, operating a private station at North Bay. It was pointed out that already his resolution had been submitted to the federal government by some of the member Boards, and the motion was passed.

The Associated Boards will send a letter to each of the oil companies operating in the North asking an explanation of the fact that there is a difference of 10 cents per gallon in the wholesale price of gasoline between Toronto and New Liskeard, while the freight rate is 5.2 cents between the two points. This was considered "too large a spread" by M. Auger, of New Liskeard, who had investigated the matter on behalf of the local Board there.

C. W. Wright, Englehart, past president of the Association, told the meeting that, while the T. & N.O. Railway had decided to discontinue its exhibit at the C.N.E. this year, when the matter was called to the attention of the Commission by Mr. Langdon, they had sent him (Mr. Wright) to the exhibition to take charge of an information desk and had (Continued on Page 5)

HEADS DELEGATION



Dr. Munch, Danish Foreign Minister, who heads the delegation from Denmark, Norway and Sweden, which goes to London to confer with the British Government on tariff agreements.

October A Cold Month with More Rain Than Usual

Meteorological Reports Show a Lower Mean Temperature; Less Sunshine

The month of October was considerably colder, with a higher rainfall and less sunshine than the same month last year, according to the summary of weather conditions issued this week by Jas. Reavell, from the local meteorological station. The mean temperature of the month was 41.5 degrees, as compared with 46.8 in 1931, while the maximum touched during the month was 68, against a high of 77 last year.

An exceptionally heavy frost for October is registered in the minimum temperature of 15 degrees. The lowest last year was 27. More than double the amount of rain fell, the total precipitation reaching 6.32 inches, compared to 2.6 inches last year, while the hours of sunshine in the month just passed were 98.5, against 106 last year. The maximum wind velocity was 26 miles per hour, with an average velocity of 8.9 miles and a total mileage recorded of 6,585. The prevailing wind was from the northwest, with a total of 1,908 miles in 190 hours. The windiest day was the 11th, with 368 miles registered, and the windiest hour of the day was from 11 a.m. to noon, while the calmest was from midnight until 1 a.m. The longest continuous wind for the month blew from the northwest for 18 hours. There were only four hours of calm.

Following is the wind record for the month:

	hours	miles
North	91	744
Northeast	86	716
East	24	164
Southeast	96	824
South	83	721
Southwest	120	1241
West	50	276
Northwest	190	1908
Calm	4	

Dominion Government bonds are, of course, the soundest and safest investment for Canadians, and the new loan now being offered is no exception. The yield will be about 4 1/2%, a figure that is held to be highly satisfactory, and the loan is for \$80,000,000.

Twenty Appeals Dealt With By Revision Court

Sitting on Tuesday Cleans Up List for Year; Appellants Have Varying Luck

A total of 20 appeals faced the Court of Revision at the sitting on Tuesday afternoon, all of which were disposed of before the court rose at 6.30. Councillor P. M. Fleming was chairman, with Councillors A. P. Knechtel and Mrs. M.O. Houston the other members.

The first on the list was Chas. Austin, who appealed against an assessment of \$300 on his lot on Broadway Street, his ground being lack of drainage on the property. He was not given a reduction, but was promised that the drainage would be looked after. Wm. C. Inch appeared for A. Beauregard, Elliott Street, but failed to secure a reduction from the amount of \$1,200.

H. D. Burnett, the next appellant, had better luck and got a cut of \$200 in his \$2,700 assessment on Briwning Street.

H. C. Dunbar was also successful in securing a reduction from \$300 each on four vacant lots to \$100 each.

F. R. Gibson appealed his assessment of \$7,200 on his building on Ferguson Avenue, and the amount of \$1,850 on the land on which it stands. He claimed that the valuation was too high, compared to other locations on the street, but the court only cut \$500 off the building valuation, leaving the lot as it was. Mr. Gibson was not satisfied with the court's action and told the members that the council was renting houses "so ridiculously low" that private parties could not rent anything. He declared that he could not "get his rights from a Haileybury council" and would carry his appeal to the District Judge.

An appeal by the National Chapter, I.O.D.E., against the assessment of the former Red Cross Hospital building, was argued by Mr. Pearlman, who claimed exemption of the property under an agreement. This was referred to the town solicitor by the court.

D. L. Jemmett secured a reduction from \$2,800 to \$1,800 in the assessment of his property on the Lake Shore Road, comprising one acre.

J. A. Larocque got a cut of one half in the assessment of 21 acres of land west of the T. & N.O. railway, from \$1,050 to \$525.

Property in the name of the Hudson's Bay Company was reduced from \$2,700 to \$2,000, and the assessment of the Weedon House on Browning Street was cut from \$2,050 to \$1,675.

I. B. Roger was successful in having his assessment reduced from \$2,700 to \$1,900.

W. H. Thompson got a reduction of \$150 in a \$250 assessment on a vacant lot and the house of Jos. Walsh was reduced from \$1,600 to \$1,400.

Appellants who did not secure a reduction included J. Berry, Mrs. B. Mondoux, Mrs. A. Peterson and W. H. Pritchard, while S. St. Louis secured a cut of \$200 in a \$1,200 assessment on his property.

Several hunters have been observed this week driving through town with their deer, but so far no local man has reported any success.

WEEK-END SPECIALS!

- 50c Squibb's Tooth Paste --- 38c
- 50c Ipana Tooth Paste --- 39c
- 25c Colgate's Tooth Paste --- 15c
- With Coupon
- 50c Phillips' Milk of Magnesia 44c
- 25c Baby's Own Tablets --- 21c
- 25c A.B.S. & C. Tablets --- 16c
- \$1.50 Malt & Cod Liver Oil --- 98c
- \$1.50 Aspirin Tablets --- 98c
- 50c Health Salts large tin --- 39c
- 50c Pond's Creams --- 33c
- \$1.00 Beef, Iron & Wine --- 51c
- \$1.19 Russian Oil, qt. size --- 98c
- 25c Hydrogen Peroxide --- 14c
- 25c Carbolic Salve --- 14c
- 50c Nysseptol --- 23c
- 25c Talcum Powders --- 14c
- 50c Par Shaving Cream --- 24c
- \$2.50 Hot Water Bottle --- \$1.23
- \$1.00 Jasmine Face Powder --- 59c
- \$1.00 Nyal's Creophos --- 15c
- 25c Vel-Nap Sanitary Pads --- 21c
- 50c Horehound and Honey Cough Syrup --- 33c
- 15c Epsom Salts --- 7c
- 25c Tincture Iodine --- 14c
- 60c Vellum Stationery --- 39c

Knechtel's Drug Store

Ferguson Ave., : Haileybury

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