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Town and public school board offi-

dals conferred on Tuesday with the

on questions of raising money to pro-

a town hall and doing waterworks and

not ready for E. W. Cross and W. M.

Brodie, the members of the board. Costs

had not been worked out for any of

the proposals other than the water-

works and sewers. After hearing Mayor

J. P. Bartleman and Roy Dunbar's ex-

planation of how the school situation

was locally, the board went on a tour

of the town, saw the places at which it

is proposed to erect two schools, and re-

The Story as Told the Board

now plans to use Central school for a

town hall. They were told that the

public school board wants to build two

12-roomed schools to replace Central

school. They were told that the town

had intended spending \$40,000 to sur-

face six or eight miles but that now it

looked as if twice that amount would

Mayor Bartleman, asked afterwards

by The Advance if definite application

had been made to the board to go on

with these proposals, said it had. The

new town hall, for which the ratepayers

voted last election, was not considered.

The request of the public school board

for \$75,000 with which to build a 12-

roomed school came as a surprise to

works and sewers would bring the total

Central School on Valuable Land

Mr. Dunbar pointed out to the board

opinion of the school board, properly

school is situated on land valuable for

business purposes. The grounds there

are too small, he said, and the sand

surface doss not provide proper play-

ground facilities. He presented to the

board a graph which showed clearly

rooms in the public schools, overcrowd-

room is now nearly 50, and in Central

school a basement room is being used.

The cost per pupil per year is stead-

problem and stated that he hoped for

mediate schools are finally adopted in

the province. The cost of high school

education in Timmins is \$135 per stu-

termediate school education, which

would take care of something like half

public school teachers, since salaries

\$281,000, he said.

the council, the mayor said, and since

The board was told that the town

served their decision.

The details of the proposed work were

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Bus Line License Asked: Timmins to Cook's Lake

Another Class C. License Also Sought Here. Decision in Both Cases Reserved by Railway and Municipal Board Sitting Here on Tuesday. Young Man Wants "Wages" but it was the Wrong Court.

lowing are noted:—

Transportation problems in the North | Items Passed by House for from some points, at least, were considered at the session of the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board under Chairman E. W. Cross of Toronto on Tuesday, W. M. Brodie, another member of the board, and Inspector Stockdale of the P.C.V. division, department of highways, were also present.

Two applications for operation of public vehicles under the Highways Act were heard, one from R. Vansickle for Class "C" carrier's license, and the other from Fred Dwyer, for a license to operate a bus line from Timmins to Cook's Lake, via the Mattagami river bridge, twice daily.

In both cases the decision of the board was reserved. Mr. Vansickle told the board he had

bought a covered moving van and that he requested permission to move furniture along the route from Toronto to Timmins, one person's load only. He stated that he had turned down several requests for moving jobs since he had not been granted a class "C" license. Application Opposed

J. O. Goodman, executive secretary of the Automotive Transport Association of Ontario, of which Star Transfer is a member, contended that the Star was equipped to handle all the business from here to Toronto and that he had kept up his "C" license from the days in which there was little or no traffic to be had. Fred Passmore, proprietor of Star, told the board that he had not had more requests for moving furniture from here to Toronto or from Toronto to Timmins than he could handle.

J. P. Bartleman spoke for Mr. Vansickle, saying that the district was not adequately served and that in justice to the district he did not believe one concern should have a monopoly.

perate a bus service from the T. & N. O. station in Timmins to Cook's Lake, explained that there is now considerable mining development going on in the townships west of Timmins and that his service would provide connections with the trains not only for prospectors and miners but also for the settlers of the area. No opposition was given to Mr. Dwyer's request and the board reserved decision.

Wanted "Wages"

When Inspector Stockdale asked i there were any other applications, young man stepped forward from the rear of the hall.

"Have you made an application to the board?" asked Mr. Stockdale "Oh, yes."

"What was it for?" "Wages."

When the laughter had subsided, the inspector explained that the young man had evidently got into the wrong court. Transport business between Ontario

and Quebec will be discussed by reprecentatives of the two provinces in the near future. In connection with this, both transport men present at the meeting were asked about their business between Timmins and Quebec points. Both stated that there was ometimes a call to transfer machinery furniture and produce from one side of the interprovincial boundary to the other. There were no regular Ontario-Quebec services in the district, it was

Suggest Interprovincial License Mr. Goodman afterwards told The Advance that the two provinces are considering giving mutual licenses When Quebec grants a license for interprovincial transport, Ontario would do likewise.

C. H. Green, representing the T. & N. O. Railway, was present at the hearing and told the board that transports handled butter in the little Clay Belt area during the spring and fall but that the railway made special arrangemately 1%c per mile, plus regular ments to do the work in the hot season. when trucks could not safely carry the

Quintuplets Now Can Say

Bay, with the coming of warmer weath- of his glass and another glass had been er, the Dionne quintuplets are permit- knocked over. ed to play out-of-doors, on the verandah of the Dafoe hospital. The children of terms with Mr. Caesar?" may be seen from the fence by tourists | The magistrate asked what the use Marie, Mich., and west, in accordance from 2.30 until about 3 o'clock in the was of going into all that "ridiculous afternoons and occasionally in the nonsense that was brought up last

One of the quints - Marie it was ed: Canadian Pacific thought by visitors to the hospital Monday morning-has a slight discoloration under one eye. The accident oc- years ago there had been some de-Ottawa Journal:-A soft answer may curred in play when she fell several tectives in Timmins in regard to the not always turn away wrath but it days ago, bumping her eye. The mark is Labatt kidnapping case and that a re-

nearly vanished. In speech the Dionnes have now a telephoned him about it, asking why Montreal Star: - We agreed with that vocabulary of three words, "Mama, they were here. "I told him I couldn't Indiana judge who ruled that a wooden poppa, docteur." To assist in their talk- tell him," the officer said, "but posleg does not bar a man from operating ing, the nurses sing French nursery sibly a little later I could let them have an automobile. It is wooden heads that rhymes to the children, who will be two a real story. They printed the names years old May 28.

Public Works in the North convalescing, Mr. Masson, who has been Among the items of public works couple of months, is to return to Topassed by the House of Commons last

> Kincardine Review:-Director of the United States National Zoo says there that is the trouble with it.

Court Considers Story of "Framing" Nonsense

The option of paying a \$100 and costs | Work on Air Ports to be fine or spending three months in jail was given Cliff Caesar in police court on Tuesday when he was found guilty by Magistrate Atkinson of having liquor in a public place.

Of Caesar's testimony regarding Provincial Police Constable J. W. F. Preorius, in which an attempt was made 'get" him, the magistrate said: "It's all nonsense. I don't believe it. Not for a minute. Constable Pretorius has always been a good officer. He is one constable I have never known to do a small or mean thing. He always gives the benefit of the doubt."

Caesar had claimed that he had printed an item about certain provincial police officers being in Timmins under assumed names in connection Mr. Dwyer, in making application to with the Labatt kidnapping. He claim ed that after the constable had asked him not to print the information and he had gone ahead an done it, he was "treated coldly." This insinuation, the magistrate said, supposing it to be true, would not have made Mr. Pretorius treat Cassar unfairly in any way. his worship concluded, "and I think he's been trying to do his duty."

Caesar Had Glass in Hand Opening the case for the prosecution. Constable Pretorius took the witness stand. He had entered a booth in the on the west side of the table and had why. Surillo had attacked him, He took the glass away from him and with his hands at his throat. asked what he was drinking. He re-

Crown Attorney S. A. Caldbick. "Scotch and ginger ale."

"Have you tasted it?"

"Will you do so?" The officer broke the seal, put the glass to his lips.

"Are you satisfied it's sotch?" "Yes, sir." A. C. Brown, counsel for the defence

opened his examination with the ques-"Did you seal up exhibit 1 (the glass) n the presence of the accused?"

"Did you give him a sample of the

contents?' "In whose possession has it been since

that night?' "Has the accused had access to it?"

"Just you have had access to it?" "Yes, and Constable White."

Only One Glass Salvaged There were five glasses on the table when he entered the booth, the constable said. It was before midnight that the glass was taken. The glass Three Different Words produced was the only one salvaged that contained liquor; one of the per-According to despatches from North sons involved had drunk the contents

"Have you always been on the best

week," but finally the officer answer-

"I have nothing against the man." He then explained that a couple of porter from the Timmins Press had

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Former Resident Here in

Joseph Jackson, former resident of to take over duties at Doherty, Roadhouse and Company and was welcomed by many old acquaintances. He will remain in charge of the local office until the return of C. E. Hall, manager. Mr Hall is now reported as much improved in health and is leaving Hot Springs Arkansas, soon to go to the home of his brother at Richmond Hill while relieving Mr. Hall here, for the past

week for works in the North, the folisn't a okapi in the country. Perhaps

Rouyn-Public building, \$10,000. Cobalt—Public building, \$54,000. Cochrans-Public building, \$54,000.

Satisfied that Constable Pretorius the Last Man to Show K.C., former Minister of Mines, Labour Spite or Frame Anyone. Cliff Caesar Fined \$100 and and Immigration will allow his name Said After Court that he Costs or Three Months. Would Appeal.

Carried on in the North

In the House of Commons last week number of unemployment relief projects were passed as to be carried on this year. The list of places in the local bank teller, Athol Beattie, hurried North where work on airports is to be 'out to the hospital April 1 and was carried on or completed includes the told he had become the proud papa of to show that the officer was out to following:—Diver, Gillies, Pagwa, Na- twins—2 girls—he just grinned, kina, Hearst, Kapuskasing, Kowkash, acct. of knowin' what day it was. But Sioux Lookout and Ramore.

in Charge of Stock Office Suggest Using Central School as Town' Building

Mayor Bartleman and Roy Dunbar Confer with Ontario Board on Scheme to Turn Over Central School to Town for Hall Purposes and Build Two New Public Schools for Timmins.

An editorial article in The Toronto vide funds for building two schools,

Leading Conservative Daily Speaks Well of Hon. W. A. Ontario Railway and Municipal Board

Mail and Empire of Tuesday of this doing eight miles of paving, providing week, headed "Another Name is Mentioned for Leadership," reads as follows: "At the annual meeting of the Liberal Conservative Association of Temiskaming held at New Liskeard on Saturday, twelve delegates were chosen to represent the riding at the provincial convention which is to be held in Toronto on May 28th for the purpose of selecting a provincial leader for the party, and of discussing the policy of the party for the next general election. The hope was expressed that Hon. W. A. Gordon to go before the convention. We have no knowledge as to whether or not Temiskaming's favourite son will consider the suggestion. If he did he would have a large following throughout the province, for he is without doubt one of the ablest and most forceful men in the Liberal-Conservative party.'

Windsor Star:-When our handsome that's really what happened.

Must Not Bother Other Men's Wives, Says Court it had just been made on Friday, the whole public works plan of the town bad been changed. Adding the \$75,000

school to the town hall, paving, water-Surilla Bound Over to Keep the Peace for a Year. Woman Pays Fine for Being Drunk Once. Man Charged request for debentures to the sum of Five Times as Much Because it Happened Before. Other Court Cases.

Amy Johnson Mollison, famous British aviatrix, receives a cigarette

from her equally famous husband, Jimmy Mollison, just before she en-

tereed her aeroplane to take off on a London-Cape Town flight. Amy's

flight was successful and she regained her record for the distance which

was broken recently by Tommey Rose. Now Amy is on her way back

seeking another record. The ABOVE picture was flown to New York

on the Hindenburg.

othering his wife," Dominic Birau Birau at a local store. brought Georg Surillo to police court "I've found him a very decent officer," on Tuesday charging him with "assaulting by choking" him. Surillo was bound over to keep the peace for one

year and signed a bond for \$100. Mrs. Birau was the chief witness 'He's all the time bothering me," she said, "This time my husband was not Riverside pavilion at about 11:45 on at home. He wants me to go and live May 2nd, he told the court and had with him." Surillo had been in the found six people seated around one of house when Birau returned from work the two tables in the place. Caesar was one day and the husband had asked a glass in his hand, resting on the table. said, and got him up against the wall

"My husband got lots of money." Mrs. ceived no answer. He produced the Biraut said, indicating that she was glass, sealed over the top and having quite content to remain at home.. Suabout an inch of brown liquid in the rillo had offered her two notes, one for \$500 and the other for \$700 if she would "Do you know what it is?" asked go and live with him. She put them in a safe deposit box at a local bank.

Birau himself claimed that Surillo had just that day threatened to put some dynamite in a piece of wood so it would blow the Birau home up. Surillo denied all this and claimed he

Claiming that he was "all the time, had bought dresses and a coat for Mrs. that Central school is not, in the "Are you married?" asked Crown At- situated. Traffic is heavy, and the

torney S. A. Caldbick. "Not here," replied Surillo.

Magistrate Atkinson warned him that he was to keep away from Mrs. Birau for a year. Hit Little Boy

the situation in Timmins now. With 42 On condition that he pay a doctor's bill of five dollars, a local man was dising has had to be done in order to acmissed from an assault charge commodate the pupils. The average per which he was alleged to have struck a nine-year-old boy. The little boy himself said he had been playing out on the street when the five-year-old ily decreasing, Mr. Dunbar said, and daughter of the accused had hit him on has now reached \$58. He spoke also of the head with a stone. He had pushed the possibility of an intermediate schoo the little girl over onto her back. The in Timmins as a partial solution of the father then came running up the street and slapped the little boy. decreased general expense when inter-

The man admitted all the last part but had not seen his daughter hit the boy with a stone. Two other little boys said they had seen the whole thing and dent per year and Mr. Dunbar said incorroborated the first lad. "She didn't intentionally hit the boy." the father (Continued on Page Eight)

the high school students, would approximate public school in cost. On this point Mr. Cross asked if it AS AMY LEFT FOR CAPETOWN was intended to pay intermediate school teachers the same salaries as

> constitute the greater part of provincial education.

Town in the Land Business The mayor explained to the board that the town intended buying the site of Central school from the school board, selling the site of the present town hall for about \$20,000, and selling the unused land in the school site for enough money to pay the cost of adapting the school for use as a town hall and providing part of the funds for the building of one of the proposed new schools.

Asked by the board why the building of a new school had not been brought up before-at the last municipal election-Mr. Bartleman told them that at that time, the board was considering buying some land in which he was personally interested and that it did not seem wise to introduce it as an election interest. Now, however, he said, his land was not being considered, since there were two other proposed sites, one near the "Hill" district and the other on the outskirts of the town in the north-west section.

Central school could be efficiently deal more room than they required im- lowed last year when the town made mediately. Mr. Cross asked if any ar- formal application for permission to ischitects had given their opinion on the sue debentures to the amount of \$30,possibility of making a good town hall 600 for the building of an addition to from the school.

"Hearing" Not Public

cil table and discussed the matter in Toronto.

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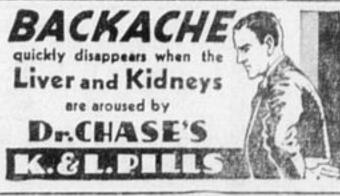
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converted into a town hall, the mayor informal conversation. It was an ensaid, though it would give them a good | tirely different procedure to that fol-Moneta school.

The lack of details, one of the mem-The 'hearing" was not a public one, bers of the Municipal Board told The Mayor Bartleman acted for the council Advance afterwards, would necessitate as a whole and Mr. Dunbar for the further consideration by them when school board. They, with the two mem- those facts were presented. The decision bers of the board, sat around the coun- will in all likelihood be rendered from