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ROAD PAVING TENDER ACCEPTED ON CONDITION

That the Company Guarantee Construction

THE BOARD OF WORKS

WILL ACCEPT TENDER FOR BLOCK PAVEMENT.

And Hopes to Have the Work Done This Fall—It Will Open Negotiations With Street Railway Company Regarding the Paving of Princess Street.

"That we accept the tender of the Ontario Asphalt Block Paving company, through J. F. Reid, provided there is a guarantee, suitable to the engineer; the paving to be done this year."

The above resolution was passed by the board of works at a meeting, on Friday afternoon, which shows that although it is getting quite late in the season, paving may be done this year.

This means the paving of five blocks as formerly decided upon, Clarence street, from King to Bagot street; Bagot street, Clarence to Princess street; Brock street, Bagot to Wellington street; Wellington street, Clarence to Brock street.

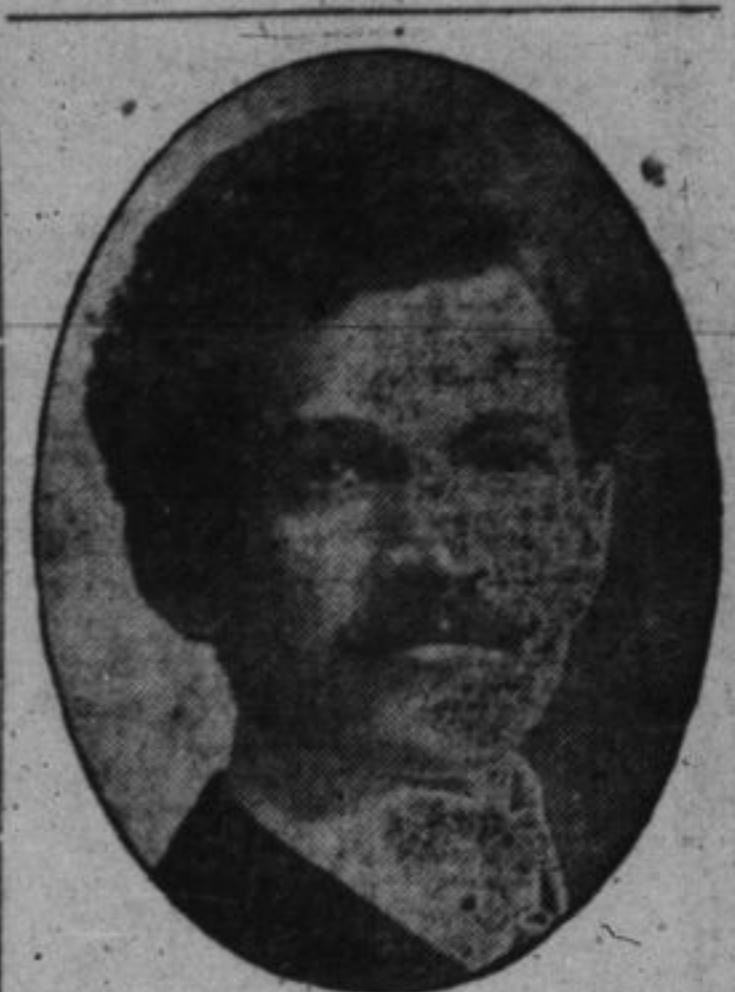
The tender of the company is to lay a two-and-a-half-inch asphalt block pavement, on a four-inch base, for \$2.95 a square yard; straight curb and gutter, 47c; circular curb and gutter, 55c; a linear foot; Standard cale basin, 82c.

The company stated that if the work was to be undertaken this fall, no guarantee could be given, but if started in the spring, a guarantee would be given, and bonds to cover the same.

It might be stated that the price for this pavement is twenty-one cents a yard higher than the amount paid by the city for the pavement put down last summer, the figures last year being \$2.74 a square yard.

Ald. Elliott, the chairman, presided at the meeting and the other members present were Alds. Harty, Peters and Couper, and all were in favor of allowing the contract to be awarded to the company mentioned, providing the necessary guarantee was given. It was felt that it could not be given unless the guarantee was forthcoming, as it involved quite an expenditure.

The question of paving Princess street was also taken into consideration, and it was decided to open negotiations with the street railway company, to see what arrangements could be made regarding the company's portion of the work. The chairman and the engineer were appointed a committee to wait-on the railway company in regard to the matter.



HON. L. P. PELLETIER.
Canada's Postmaster-General, who announces coming reductions in cable rates.

of the board to look after these crossings as soon as possible.

The Canadian Locomotive company wrote, asking for permission to erect a half or fence at the foot of William street, necessitated by the rearrangement of the tracks. The engineer will grant, provided the work-meets with the approval of the engineer.

The chairman, who recently made a trip to purchase the new steam roller for the city, reported in detail, the result of his trip which was most satisfactory. The chairman was accompanied by an expert, and they succeeded in securing the best possible roller for the money. The roller was purchased from a Buffalo firm, and will cost \$3,000. It is expected to reach here on Tuesday next.

COMMISSIONER WALDO ROBBED

Chief Took Wallet From Pocket of New York Officer.

New York, Aug. 31.—Police Commissioner Ithiander Waldo was robbed of a wallet containing important papers and a considerable sum of money on the subway train between Ninety-sixth street and Forty-second street last Tuesday night. In spite of the commissioner's efforts to keep the matter secret, the fact became known last night.

The thief snatched Waldo's trousers on the right side close to his hip pocket with a sharp knife, and then removed the wallet without being detected. Waldo was furious when he discovered his loss. He knew there had been bold, bad men in the city years ago, but he did not suppose there was one bold enough now to rob the best police commissioner New York has had this year.

DIED UNDER CHINESE DOCTOR:

American Sculptor Was Being Treated for Skin Disease.

Seattle, Washington, Aug. 31.—Louis Potter, thirty-nine years of age, of New York, a noted sculptor, died in great agony in an obscure hotel on Fifth avenue, here, after undergoing ten days treatment at the hands of a Chinese physician for a skin disease which he had been afflicted with almost since birth.

The exact cause of Potter's death has not been determined, although the coroner is convinced that it was not blood-poisoning as at first believed. An autopsy was held, but nothing definite discovered. A chemical analysis of the stomach will be made and the Chinese doctor will be examined to learn the exact nature of the treatment.

YOUNG MAN MURDERED BY COBDEN FARMER

Grant Appleby Stabbed to Death in Front of His Father's Farmhouse.

Cobden, Aug. 31.—Grant Appleby, aged twenty-seven, a student in attendance at the Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto, who was spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Appleby, Ross township, county of Renfrew, two miles from here, was murdered last night in front of his father's house, being stabbed twice in the heart by "Wild Pete" Collins, a farmer of the district. Collins made his escape and, although posses have been out for hours, no trace of him has yet been found. From what can be learned, it appears that the murderer was the direct result of a quarrel which occurred last night in front of the village post office.

Senator Stricken in Woods.

Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 31.—A dispatch from Escanaba, Mich., says United States Senator Isaac Stephenson, of Wisconsin, was stricken with heart disease in the northern woods. A special train with doctors was sent to his assistance. Senator Stephenson was on a fishing trip fifty miles north of Escanaba, and his camp is fifteen miles from a telegraph station.

Kaiser and Kaiserine at Berlin.

Cassel, Germany, Aug. 31.—The German emperor and Empress left Wilhelmsburg castle, yesterday, for Berlin. Both their majesties appeared to be in excellent spirits. They were accompanied by their daughter, Princess Victoria Louise.

Fog Signal Device.

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Labor Day Trip.

Among the Thousand Islands, by steamer North King, passing all points of interest on both American and Canadian channels. Fare 50c.

DAILY MEMORANDA.

At Campbell Bros. *
Tuesday, Aug. 31.
* Hats and furs of every kind.
No Whig Monday—Labor Day.
Vaudeville, Lake Ontario Park, 8:30 p.m.

"The Bachelor's Baby," Grand Opera Monday.
Tuesday, Aug. 31.
See top page 2, right hand corner for generalities.

Labor picnic, Lake Ontario Park, 2:45 and 8:15 p.m., Monday.

BI-LINGUAL SCHOOLS.

Ontario Department of Education to Help Out Teachers.

Toronto, Aug. 31.—In its efforts to secure competent teachers for the English French schools of the province, the department of education has announced that it will pay the railway fares and \$3 per week towards the board of teachers in training who will attend the English French model school's at Ottawa, Vankele's Hill and Georgetown Falls. At Ottawa the English Roman Catholic separate schools will be used by the department for the purpose of observation by the teachers in training and the bilingual Roman Catholic separate schools both for the purposes of observation and for practice teaching by teachers in training and for the teaching of model lessons by the staff of the model school.

At Sandwich, Sturgeon Falls and Vankele's Hill, the English Roman Catholic separate schools will be used both for observation and practice teaching.

Candidates for admission to these model schools must have certificates of having passed a model school examinations or the Brevet d' Ecole modèle or the Prevet d'Ecole Académique examinations of Quebec.

MILK DEALERS ON STRIKE.

Toronto Hope Purveyors Object to a New By-Law.

Toronto Hope, Aug. 31.—The local milk dealers went on strike, yesterday, and Port Hope, as a result, is milk dry.

The dealers, in a published statement, announce that they cannot furnish milk under the present standard as set by the recently passed milk by-law, namely 12.5 per cent. solids, of which 3.5 per cent. shall be butter fat. They intimated that service will be resumed as soon as the town council repeals the by-law and lowers the standard to twelve per cent. solids, of which three per cent. shall be butter fat.

The milk by-law was passed at the last meeting despite the milkmen's protests. The price of milk has been seven cents in bulk and eight cents in bottles.

THE ROMAN CHURCH TO FIGHT SOCIALISM

New York Labor Demonstration on Sunday Preliminary to Organizing Workingmen.

New York, Aug. 31.—A labor demonstration is to be held in St. Patrick's cathedral, to-morrow evening, to inaugurate the fight the Roman Catholic church intends waging against socialism as it affects the workingmen.

If Cardinal Farley's health permits he will attend the meeting and address it. The Right Rev. Mgr. Lavelle will speak on the rights and duties of workingmen and launch what purports to be an ecclesiastical school for their education in questions relating to capital and labor.

It appears from the statements made by the promoters that the cardinal has in mind a college of labor, and that he has concluded that the workingman should be educated and his mind trained to handle the labor cause intelligently. The cardinal has it understood that he has reached a solution of the labor problem in this country.

About a year ago a school of some kind was opened in this city to train Roman Catholic men to become workingmen.

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THREE WERE KILLED

By a Collision of Two Trains at North Bay.

North Bay, Aug. 31.—Thomas Duncan, conductor and P. Wallace, brakeman, both of North Bay, and Ellerton, of Mattawa, were all killed and several others hurt seriously when a fast freight plunged into a work train, through a misplaced switch. Engineer James Casey and his fireman jumped and were saved.

TO CALL A CONFERENCE

In Hope of Ending the War in Tripoli.

Berlin, Aug. 31.—Diplomats of all the big European nations, here, today, are calling a conference of the powers which signed the treaty of Perin to see if something cannot be done under that treaty to bring Turkey and Italy to an agreement and cease the disastrous war in Tripoli.

Becker's Wife Shadowed.

New York, Aug. 31.—Becker's wife is being constantly shadowed by detectives. Mrs. Becker's visits to banks wherein her husband kept much of his money have been recorded, and a sharp watch is being kept on Becker's bank account. Mrs. Becker cannot be compelled to testify against her husband in the murder trial, but she can be called before the John Doe inquiry to tell what she knows of police graft conditions. Detectives are watching in various foreign ports for the possible arrival of Miss Becker.

Gilliespie's Wife Shadowed.

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PITH OF NEWS

Despatches From Near And Distant Places.

THE LATEST TIDINGS

PRESENTED IN THE BRICKEST POSSIBLE FORM.

The Whig's Daily Condensation of the News of the World From Telegraph Service and Newspaper Exchanges.

Welland canal improvements may be held up by unusual engineering problems.

The Canadian postmaster-general from early reduction in cable rate.

The C.P.R. will use telephones for catching over 1,000 miles of single track from ocean to ocean this year.

Bishop Charles G. Grafton, of the Fond du Lac Episcopate diocese, of Niagara, died, Friday, aged eighty years.

The dispute between the C.P.R. and its stationmasters and telegraphers has been settled by compromise on a ten per cent. increase in wages.

Mrs. Catherine Mussell, formerly of Niagara Falls, Ont., has started suit in Buffalo for a divorce from her husband, Frederick J. Mussell, of Hamilton, Ont.

The White Star liner Olympic has sailed from Southampton, Eng., with one of the largest lists of cabin passengers ever carried by a trans-Atlantic liner.

Miss Sybil Mackay, a resident of Kincardine, lost her life, Friday, in a boating accident at Bruce Beach, a summer resort four miles from Kincardine.

London newspapers insinuate that the dispatch of United States troops to Nicaragua is preliminary to the annexation of Central America.

A virtual deadlock has been reached in the unofficial peace "conversations" between Italian and Turkish delegates in Switzerland, according to a special despatch to the Paris Matin.

An appropriation of \$300,000 has been made available by the United States government for the preliminary work on the construction of the fourth lock at the Sault.

Dr. McRae, of Westminster, a Presbyterian clergyman, to whom the nomination as independent candidate in East Middlesex had been offered, has declined to accept the honor.

Judge Monet, Montreal, announces his intention to hold public meeting in St. John's, Que., Saturday, in regard to Ste. Marie Mononoo difficulty, which he says is not settled yet.

Afflicted by a mysterious malady which has baffled more than fifty St. Louis physicians who have been called in consultation, S. A. Hendricks, sixty-five years old, a farmer, of Van Buren, Mo., is turning black.

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Shooting at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Aug. 31.—The Salvation Army at which seven hundred of the leading foreign and provincial officers met under the presidency of General and Mrs. Bramwell Booth, was held yesterday at Congress hall, Clapton.

The chief purpose of the meeting was to give the new general an opportunity of meeting his principal colleagues in the organization.

Miss Eva Booth, commander-in-chief in America, sent a message saying that the American Salvation Army felt it had in the new general the man it wanted.

On Sunday every Salvation Army corps in the world is to hold a memorial service at which the "Dead March" will be played.

WOMAN MAKES APPEAL TO HAVE LIFE ENDED

She Asks New York Legislature to Have Her Terrible Sufferings Ended.

Toronto.

Hamilton, Aug. 31.—Agnes Cartello, who recently finished an engagement as chorus girl with the Ziegfeld Moulin Rouge company, was brought to Dr. Hopkins' surgery yesterday by a man in an automobile, who told the doctor that the woman had been shot while riding to Hamilton from Toronto with him. The man said he was David Gilliespie, a Chicago stock broker. The woman was wounded in the left breast. An examination showed that a bullet had struck her corset steel and been deflected upwards. The corset steel probably saved her life.

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