

Word has been received by Mrs. Dora Hawes, of Selkirk, Man., that her husband, PTE. MALCOLM J. HAWES, of the Winnipeg Grenadiers, died in prison camp at Tokyo, July 15. Prior to enlisting, Pte. Hawes was employed at the Manitoba Rolling Mills. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hawes, reside in Calgary. A brother, Flt. Lieut. Frank Hawes, R.C.A.F., served in Jamaica before transferring to the air-force. He has two sisters, Mrs. H. Parken, Calgary, Alta.; and Mrs. G. Chaplain, Hallfax, N.S.

## Transcona Gas Plan Opposed

Opposition to any bylaw amendment that would increase the hours for the sale of gasoline to doctors and taxi drivers was voiced at Wednesday's meeting of the Transcona council by B. Seguin on behalf of local service station operators.

The council recently passed a bylaw limiting gasoline sales to 7 p.m. during the week and 9 p.m. Saturdays and at a later meeting, on request of D. Carriere, taxi operator, approved amendments permitting hours of sale to be extended in emergencies when gasoline was required by local doctors or by Mr. Carriere as a taxi operator.

speaking against the proposed bylaw amendments, B. Seguin informed the council that it would establish a precedent that would be taken advantage of by other car users. He emphasized that automobile users had complied with restrictions during war years and he could see no need now for any special privileges being accorded certain persons.

Once started, said Mr. Seguin, the practice of purchasing gasoline after hours could become a habit detrimental to service station operators. The question will be taken up with the town solicitor at Monday's meeting of the council.

Tenders from R. Golitz for sewer installation on Melrose east of Webasha st. at \$2.45 a foot and on Melrose ave., east of Leola at \$2.65 a foot were referred to the finance committee for consideration.

A letter from the Good Roads

A letter from the Good Roads association advised that Transcona had been awarded a diploma for the best kept system of streets and lanes for towns and villages of suburban districts and that the award would be made at the annual meeting in Winnipeg Nov. 9.

Members assured a representative of the Trade Board that support would be given to their request to the provincial government for the construction of an Elma-Vivian highway and that this matter would be taken up when the new government assembled.