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**MUST GET MONEY BEFORE GOING ON**  
Board of Education Held Up Building of Technical School.

**NEW HIGH SCHOOL SITE**  
Hundred Thousand Dollars Will Be Spent For Suitable Land.

Alex. Fraser and H. W. Maw were spokesmen for a deputation at the board of education last night, to urge the erection this year of a new high school. They pointed out that Jarvis Street High School was now so largely attended that classes had to be taught in the assembly room.

**THE WEATHER**  
OBSERVATORY, TORONTO, Feb. 20. (9 p.m.)—Pressure is highest tonight over Manitoba, while an important area of low pressure is forming in the southwestern States. Light rain has fallen today in a few localities in Southern Ontario, and light snowfalls and drizzles have occurred in Quebec. It has become considerably milder from the great lakes to the Atlantic, while in the west it remains moderately cold. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Toronto, 32-48; Vancouver, 33-42; Kamloops, 12-22; Edmonton, 20-30; Calgary, 20-30; Banff, 10-20; Winnipeg, 4 below; Moose Jaw, 10-20; Port Arthur, 4-15; Parry Sound, 28-38; London, 41-50; Toronto, 32-53; Kingston, 30-44; Ottawa, 12-23; Montreal, 12-40; Quebec, 14-28; St. John, 10-38; Halifax, 20-35.

**THE BAROMETER.**  
Time. Ther. Bar. Wind.  
8 a.m. 32 29.47 S.W.  
Noon 40 29.46 14 S.W.  
4 p.m. 46 29.46 14 S.W.  
8 p.m. 48 29.46 10 N.W.  
Mean difference from normal, age, 30 above; highest, 53; lowest, 32; rain, .01.

**STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.**  
Feb. 20. At From  
Majestic New York Southampton  
Breslau Philadelphia Bremen  
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**BROWN'S TREES.**  
If interested in trees, shrubs, roses or landscapes, write Brown Bros., Brown's Nurseries, Wexford County, Ont. for catalogue or landscape booklet.

**Street Car Delays.**  
Thursday, Feb. 20, 1913.  
12:56 p.m.—Held by train, G. T. R. crossing; 4 minutes' delay to King cars.  
2:46 p.m.—Ice wagon stuck on track, Queen and Strachan; 5 minutes' delay to Queen cars.  
3:25 p.m.—Front and John, G. T. R. crossing, held by train; 7 minutes' delay to Bathurst cars.  
7:23 p.m.—G. T. R. crossing, Front and John, held by train; 5 minutes' delay to Bathurst cars.  
8:25 p.m.—G. T. R. crossing, Front and John, held by train; 3 minutes' delay to Bathurst cars.  
8:55 p.m.—G. T. R. crossing, Front and John, held by train; 3 minutes' delay to Bathurst cars.

**BIRTHS.**  
TOOLE—At 45 Beconsfield avenue, London, Ont., Sunday, Feb. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Wade Toole, a son.  
WRIGHT—Sunday, Feb. 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. R. M. White, 37 Admiral road, a son.

**DEATHS.**  
JOHNSTON—On Feb. 19, 1913, at 113 Bellwoods avenue, Joseph Howard Johnston, infant son of George and Alice Johnston.  
LUKEY—On Wednesday, Feb. 19, 1913, Melba Almeida, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luky, 100 Rose avenue. Funeral private.

**MULLEN—On Thursday, Feb. 20, 1913, at the residence, 14 Bolton avenue, Alexander Mullen, beloved husband of Mary Ann O'Brien.**  
Funeral on Saturday, 22nd inst., at 2:30 p.m., to St. John's Cemetery, Norway. K.O.T.M. member of Yorkville Tent No. 60.

**OLIVER—On Thursday, Feb. 20, 1913, his last residence, 79 Grant street, James Oliver, in his 70th year.**  
Funeral Saturday, Feb. 22, at 2:30 p.m., interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

**SHEAN—At his residence, Burnhamthorpe, John Shean, in his 82nd year.**  
Funeral will take place to Port Credit Cemetery, Saturday morning, at 9 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

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to the board, Councillors Allen and Collier.  
**Big Expenditures.**  
Trustee McTaggart made a vigorous defence of the big expenditures proposed for the central technical school. While Trustee Brown had pointed out that Winnipeg was getting two large technical schools at \$400,000 each, the central one here would serve for three times as many pupils as the two Winnipeg schools.

Trustee Ellis said that Trustee Brown forgot that Toronto had been growing since an \$800,000 building was first proposed.  
Trustee Fairbairn considered the tender for \$2,225,000 for a stone building was very moderate, but agreed, as did the rest of the board, that the finance committee were right in asking for their ratification to stand over until the money had been provided by the city council.

**YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS WILL NOT JOIN WITH THE CITY**  
County Council Decided to Keep Registry Office Separate.

**NEW HIGH CONSTABLE**  
R. W. Phillips Appointed and Now Holds Two Positions.

After a session of two weeks and three days the county council adjourned yesterday, and before adjourning the members endeavored to revise the equalization bylaw as passed on Saturday, Feb. 8, on the grounds that the assessment of New Toronto has not been deducted from the assessment of the Township of Etobicoke and consequently becomes a double assessment. As most of the members left for their homes, it was a most difficult matter to adjust the error, and the New Toronto assessment of \$415,500 will be adjusted in the June session.

A bylaw to raise \$100,000 by way of debentures for the improvement of the highways in the electoral districts of East and West York was passed, the debentures to be spread over a period of thirty years, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent.

The bylaw committee reported that they have insufficient information to recommend a subsidy from the government for the Central Railway.

Councillor Syme moved that to the petition to the government a clause be added to amend the Assessment Act to limit the exemption from taxation of all public institutions to 100 acres. On motion the resolves of the different municipalities were being associated with the Good Roads Commission in their respective municipalities.

Councillor Pearson, Pugsley, Skelton and Syme were appointed a committee to revise the assessment of railways in connection with the County of Grey and other counties as to get these companies on a more equitable basis.

The special committee on the union registry office yesterday final but only a suggestion, and the cost may be considerably less, and the present county registry office may soon be taken upon which the registry offices could be located in one building, and to report during the June session of the county council.

W. W. Phillips, county clerk, was appointed high constable for the county at a salary of \$300 per annum. The council adjourned till June 15.

**NORTH BRACONDALE.**  
The second meeting of the building committee and trustees of the Lakeview and North Bracendale Association since the inauguration of their campaign was held. Reports of the teams were heard. They evidenced the keen interest being taken in the enterprise. Subscription for shares jumped from \$455 to \$750 and \$119 was added to the fund. A total of cash received \$234. It was decided to arrange for a large concert, providing arrangements be made for a place to hold it, receipts from the same to go to the building fund of the association. A sign will be erected on the site that is being purchased on Lakeview avenue.

**Ward Seven**  
The fourth annual banquet of the West Toronto Cricket Club was held last evening in the supper rooms at St. James' Hall, Pacific avenue and Dundas street, under very auspicious circumstances. The guests were present, including many well-known cricketers and their friends. Enoch Ward, J.P., president of the club, presided at the banquet. The evening was given during the evening by Dr. Forbes Cassidy, M.L.A., Ald. Sam Ryding, Dr. A. T. MacNamara, W. Edwards and many others, and the speeches were interspersed with musical numbers by J. E. McEwan and others. The annual election of officers was postponed for a month and notice of it will be given later.

With the object of commencing a building fund for a public ward to accommodate patients of the poorer classes in the western part of West Toronto, the Englehardt Hospital on St. John's road are holding a bazaar on Saturday afternoon and evening of this week. A good program, including selections from several well-known ladies of ward seven, and an address by Miss L. E. Englehardt, the superintendent, will be given. Dr. S. W. Clelandman acting as chairman.

The death occurred yesterday morning of Mrs. George Bond, a long resident of 175 Mavety street. The funeral takes place Saturday to Aurora Cemetery.

On Friday evening the 21st, Mr. Charles Hudson will give an address on "Single Tax" before the class for the study of social problems in High Park Avenue Methodist Church.

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**OPTICIANS WANT TO BE PROTECTED**  
Government Asked to Sanction Appointment of Board of Examiners.  
A determined appeal for protective legislation for the practise of optometry in Ontario was made to the government yesterday by a deputation from the Optometrical Association of Ontario. The deputation was introduced by E. W. J. Owens, M.L.A., and was composed mainly of Toronto men. For some time past there has been a fight between the opticians' branch of the Retail Merchants' Association and the Optometrical Association. One of the features of the deputation's conference with the government was an attack upon E. M. Trowers, secretary of the retail merchants, in which he was characterized as a "wirepuller."

**AURORA**  
Death came very suddenly to Alexander Graham, bailiff of the County of York, on Wednesday. Deceased was at Macleod's brewery and was engaged in work. Before the water was brought to him he dropped dead from heart failure. He resided on Wellington street.

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