

### A NEIGHBORLY SUGGESTION.

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At the present time York Street School, although beautifully clean for the most part, has little appeal to the aesthetic sense. It is not beautiful or home-like.

Few pictures are on the walls, and these, for the most part, have been donated by friends of the principal and staff. The down-town schools, for obvious reasons, from the standpoint of interior decorations and aesthetic appeal, should be equal if not superior to any in the city. In some of the finer residential districts, associations of parents have, at their own expense, produced wonderful results in class-room decoration. Might not such an association, having met its own school needs, adopt one of the down-town schools as a nucleus for an extension department? Might it not promote a similar association in some down-town school and co-operate with it in securing the results already obtained in the home school by the parent association?

If such co-operation were to become the fashion in Toronto, who can foretell how great the results to the community might become?