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News of York County and All the Suburbs of Toronto

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Earlscourt Residents May Take Matter to Dominion Railway Board.

FLAG PRESENTATION

Dr. Forbes Godfrey Gave Large Jack to British Imperial Association.

Thomas Maltby, secretary of the clubbouse on Harvey avenue, Earls-court, informed The World that the edification of The Telegram. date for the dance at the clubhouse has been definitely fixed for Feb. 13 at 8 p.m. Master of ceremonies, A. Har-

The Architectural Iron and Bronze Works, Lansdowne avenue, have recently laid off a large number of em-ployes, and those retained in the firm have had to submit to a reduction in wages. Quite a number of these men live in the Earlscourt and Fairbank district. Optimism is the feeling among the large majority of the resi-

among the large majorny of the residents of the district.

The Bell Telephone Company's nates in the county is a sore question with the people. The store keepers and residents who require the installation are loud in condemnation of the prices quoted by the company. Thos. R. Wilcox stated at a meeting of ratepavers in Mount Dennis that his brother tried to get a phone, and the rate asked was five dollars a pole and seventy-five dollars a year. Mr. Wilcox advocates the taking of the matter to the rational pole and failing fer to the railway board and failing this to the legislature. Runnymed and Swansea, according to the state-ment of I. B. Woolner, have to pay fifteen to twenty dollars a year more than the city. W. Carter, North Earlscourt, advocated going direct to the legislature. In this direction redress can only be secured. J. Deacon, Ennerdale road, was quoted \$105 a year for a two party service.

year for a two party service. The annual meeting of the mem-bers of the Deer Park Church was held last evening. A number of important matters relative to church affairs were gone into.

A meeting of the executive commit-tee of the North Earlscourt and Fairtee of the North Earlscourt and Fairbank Ratepayers' Association was held last evening at the residence of Chas. T. Lacey. J. H. Hill, W. Badams. Thos. Maitby. secretary, and others were present. A letter from Mr. Dinnick, re the clubhouse, was read and discussed. This with other matters of importance, will be brought before the next general meeting of ratepayers, to take place on Friday Jan. 23, in the public school, Fairbank

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A Flag Presented.

Dr. Forbes Godfrey presented a large Union Jack to the British Important of the public of the second of the second

District Ratepayers' Association re- or thanks. cently with reference to the payment of the taxes of the residents of the "I beg to state in reply to your letter, asking if steps cannot be taken by the council of the Township of York to provide for the payment of township taxes and rates at some bank in the district of Earlscourt, that in the year 1907 provision was made.

A very enjoyable time was spent last night by the members of Longe Coleringe, No. 336, S.O.E.B.S., at the second annual social and whist drive, which was held in Shell's Hall. Refreenments were served and prizes awarded to the winners. district into a bank in Earlscourt: in the year 1907 provision was made of the lease that the township hold of the offices and council chamber in this building as part of the consideration, that the bank be authorized by law of the council of the municipality, passed in pursuance of the statute in their behalf, to receive free of these offices and council of the municipality, passed in pursuance of the statute in their behalf, to receive free of these offices and council township takes and council township the council township to be initiated.

More school accommodation has been afforded in the district, and on Tuesday the young children started their work in the Church of the Resurrection, Woodbine avenue, which has been leased for that purpose.

the present arrangement until after the expiration of the lease above men-

The installation of the street lighting askern has been completed. A total of system has been completed. A total of system has been completed. A total of system has been completed and a large number of private houses were connected.

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The annual meeting of the Cemetery company will be held in Ottawa, Jan. 20 to 23, inclusive. Berth reservations and full particulars at Grand Trunk ticket of fices, Toronto City office, northwest to receive reports and elect a board of limes are of great value in improving a muddy complexion. Raw tomatoes have a fine effect upon the liver.

THE REAL POINT IN ANNEXA- ROBERT BARKER

The World published three or four articles on this page dealing with the actual facts that confront the people in the suburbs in regard to annexation. We pointed out what Reeve Syme and his colleagues in the township council must do if they undertake to secure municipal improvements for the suburbs about the city: water sewers, fire, police and health protection, schools, streets and pavements, not to mention a single fare street car

Following up these articles The World on Tuesday gave an interview with Mr. W. A. Clarke, the very experienced clerk of the Township of York, on this question. The Telegram, which is very much concerned with

privilege of entering our sewage into the city system, we paid a yearly fee of two cents a lineal foot frontage of township sewers. The city, however, are now asking the price of 20 cents, an exorbitant rate, and the question can only be settled by arbitration if our council has to carry out any further works of that character.

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ratepayers water mains will have to be laid as local improvements

considered. The statutes permit the township to lay out fire districts and to make grants to fire brigades, but what is the use of this until we can guarantee a water

payment of electric light accounts of their district into the bank with several of the city banks, but were unable to make any suitable arrangement with them. This means that the neople in this far removed section have to go into the Toronto Electric Light offices in the city to pay their bills, paying care fare and losing time in the bargain.

W. A. Clarke, clerk and assessment commissioner, York Township, sent the following letter ta the secretary of the North Earlscourt and Fairbank District Ratepayers' Association reconstity with very creating closed with the usual vote of thanks.

CEDARVALE.

in their behalf. to receive free of charge all township taxes and rates sevied by the council during the term of the lease. The necessary bylaw was subsequently passed.

"The lease does not expire until Nov., 1917, with an option of renewal on the terms and conditions therein, for a further period of five years. There can therefore be no change in the present arrangement until after the

BRAMPTON.

tioned, which I may add is considered a very favorable one for the town-ship."

The officers of Ionic Lodge, No. 229, d. F. and A. M., were installed last night by Worshipful Bro. Dr. J. G. ran, were elected as an executive com-A meeting of the women of the Central Methodist Church, Ascot avenue, will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock. It is expected the Rev. Archer Wallace will preside.

NEW TORONTO.

night by Worshipful Bro. Dr. J. G. Roberts, as follows: P.M., W. J. Lorne; M.W., Chas. Allan; J.W., L. R. Halnaw; S.D., R. W. Lowry; J.D., S. Wilson; S.S., W. Wilkinson; J.S., A. B. Ferguson, I.G., Jas. Bowvie; tyler, Rodney Madden; secretary, W. H. McFadden; treasurer, W. W. Woods. The lodge has decided to held meetings on the first Friday in each month.

AURORA.

The annual meeting of the Cemetery

FAVORITE TODAY

His Election as Third Deputy Reeve is Practically Conceded.

GREAT INTEREST SHOWN

Mr. Barker is Only Candidate From the East

with a by-election, the contest in York Township today for the position of The Telegram:

"There is only one ultimate destiny for the suburbs of Teronto, and that is annexation to the city," was the way W. A. Clarke, clerk of York Township, met The World yesterday when discussing the various problems now confronting the York Township Council.

Mr. Clarke went on further to explain that the township had not the power to give city conveniences except by a circuitous method. "We can and have laid sewers," he explained. "on the local improvement system. For the privilege of entering our sewage into the city system, we paid a versity fee of two cents a lineal LIBERALS FROM WARD ONE

LIBERALS FROM WARD ONE

works of that character.

"We have no power either to establish sewage disposal plants or waterworks plants, and the council has not taken this phase of the question up," was Mr. Clarke's reply to the question as to whether his municipality could not operate independent of the city.

"If the people of the settled sections of the township desire us to supply them with water, there is only one way in which it can be done. We will have to apply to the legislature to compel the city to supply the township with water, and for distribution to our ratepayers water mains will have

and charged against the various properties."

How can you make provision for fire protection in the suburbs?

Mr. Clarke was asked. "As to that, the matter has never been considered. The statutes permit the township to lay out fire dis-

WARD SEVEN.

elocutional talent was given, and a ban-quet followed.

The Sunderland Football Club held a meeting for the transaction of business in another part of the building, and re-ceived the favorable report of the com-mittee on their recent at home. Golden Star L.O.L., No. 900, held their regular meeting also last night.

MOORE PARK.

heid in Snell's Hall. Retreshments were served and prizes awarded to the winners.

This lodge is increasing rapidly and it is their intention to form a juvenile lodge. the council and it is incorporated the lease that the township hold the offices and council chamber in the offices and council chamber in the offices and council chamber in the near future. There are about a hundred young men waiting to be initiconnections could be made with the Yonge street or Church street cars. The ratepayers were unanimously in favor of the straight road thru Mount Pleasant Cemeterv which would help considerably in the opening up of the district. They were also pleased with the work on the sewers in Moore Park which is being rapidly conducted. The residents have long been agitating for more electric lights to be installed in the neighborhood, but there has as yet been no improvement made in this which is being rapidly conducted. The residents have long been agitating for more electric lights to be installed in the neighborhood, but there has as yet been no improvement made in this

connection by the hydro.

The following ratepayers were elected as officers for the ensuing year:
President, J. Nelson: first vice-president, J. A. McIlroy; second vice-president, Mr. Sutherland; secretary-trea-



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VOTE FOR ROBERT BARKER

Who has had a good municipal experience.

Election Today, Jan. 22nd

RIVERDALE.

Winchester School Old Boys have rranged for a banquet to be held on Feb. 6 in Williams' cafe, Yonge street. All old boys are requested to be pres-

The work on the storm sewer is Euchre Players Who Held, the Right Cards Were Well Rewarded.

Ward one Liberals held an at home at the Royal Canadian Club, Broadylew avetaged.

The work on the storm sewer is progressing rapidly, and the residents have become tired of complaining of the vibration caused thru the blasting, which is not felt to such a great extent as before the complaints were lodged. The work is being conducted night and day by a large gang of men. Ward one's three aldermen are busy on the annexation question, and will be readed to the complaints were lodged. The work on the storm sewer is progressing rapidly, and the residents have become tired of complaining of the vibration caused thru the blasting. Which is not felt to such a great extent as before the complaints were lodged. The work is being conducted night and day by a large gang of men. bring the matter up in council as soon

speaking to The World last night.
Ald W W. Hiltz stated that a large number of those opposed to the scheme were turning round, and he thought that the petition will hold a sufficient number of names to carry the thing

TODMORDEN.

A grand concert was given last night in St. Andrew's Hall, Pape avenue the hall being crowded with a thoroly appreciative audience. Percival the wizard, proved to be a first-class conjurer, all his tricks being good but especially one introducing the "Sacred Dial of Persia."

F. G. Harrold, as a ventriloquist brought the house down with roars of laughter, and Robert Radford, the comic singer of the evening, was encored several times.

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of laughter, and Robert Radford, the comic singer of the evening, was encored several times.

Little Ivy Rosalind Rumley scored a Pickard 122 huge success with her impersonations.

At the Masonic Hall, Eglinton, or Tuesday, the 21st inst., the installation of the officers of Court Glenwood, No. 9224, A. O. F., took place, the ceremony being conducted by T.C.R., Bro. God-dard, after which the annual banquet was held, followed by a first-class mu-sical program, which was thoroly en-A large crowd turned out last night to the reorganization meeting of the Moore Park Ratepayers, and considerable discussion took place on the sewer and transportation questions, and the proposed straight road thru the Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

The electors, in discussing transportation and transportation questions are the officers for the ensuing year: P.C.R., Bro. Kleeberger; C.R., H. Samuels; S.C.R., Bro. Walters; treasurer, Bro Kleeberger; secretary, J. Luck; S.W., J. Scott; J.W., Bro. Overington; S.B., Bro. Whalen; J.B., Bro. Law-rece; trustees Bros. H. Samuels Walters and the proposed straight road thru the Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Pleasant Cemetery.

The electors, in discussing transportation, wanted a service that would serve Moore Park and North Toronto, and to this end they suggested a line Cormick; planist, Bro, Wacey.

S.B., Bro, Whalen; J.B., Bro, Lawrence; trustees, Bros, H. Samuels, Walters and J. Scott; auditors, Bros, Holt, Redhead and Wacey; M.O., Dr. McCormick; planist, Bro, Wacey.

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