York County and Suburbs of Toronto

FIXED ASSESSMENT GIVEN KODAK CO.

Private Bills Committee Approved York Township's Application.

WESTON'S DIFFICULTY

Mistake in Legal Procedure—Bylaw Needs Special Ratification.

The Canadian Kodak Company, with permission from the private bills committee and on request of York Township, will set up an extensive plant immediately south of Weston. A clause in the York Township bill of George Henry fixing the assessment of this company for a five-year period from Jan. 1, 1915, at $100,000, with increases in succeeding periods, was passed yesterday morning, altho there was some dissent at the exemption.

Mr. Henry argued that the assessment proposed was reasonable and that the county was so large that a vote of the people was unnecessary. The company could not find a large enough site in the city, and they were going to put up a respectable plant.

Attractive Building.

A representative of the company stated that they could have erected a mill-constructed plant which would have kept their assessment below this figure, but that they were desirous of making the new place attractive to their employes.

J. R. L. Starr, K.C., appeared for the county and urged that the clause be adopted. Altho there was some demur at the principle of taxation exemption it was allowed to go thru.

Want Bylaw Ratified.

The Weston Council and a delegation of residents appeared before the committee to ask that a money bylaw to raise $60,000 for sewerage as a local improvement be ratified. By an error in legal procedure the money had been expended and the work done before the bylaw was passed, thus making a special act of parliament necessary.

Before work was started on the sewage disposal system a bylaw was passed raising money under the general rate, but the local improvement part of the cost was not provided for.

Appealed to Judge.

During the interim, George Monk, a local contractor, appealed against his assessment to the county judge, thus complicating the matter somewhat. His solicitor was to have been present before the private bills committee, but as he did not put in an appearance the matter was adjourned for a week.

Reeve Irwin claims that if the council had been properly advised the mistake would not have occurred. The money has been expended and the work carried out, the banking account of the village being overdrawn to the extent of about $80,000.

CLOUDS OF DUST IN WARD SEVEN

Roads Dry Up and Accumulated Filth of Months is Let Loose.

PUBLIC HEALTH MENACE

Another Epidemic of Petty Thefts — Workmen's Tools Stolen.

The annual dust nuisance has descended upon ward seven and complaints are heard on every side. The merchants on Dundas street are most affected by the obnoxious clouds which every gust of wind and every passing vehicle raises. The windows and store fronts are in many instances white with the fine light dust, and the grocers find it impossible to display any foodstuffs outside their store doors.

Sweepers Needed.

Said a prominent Dundas street merchant, who has been in business in West Toronto since its early days, to The World last night: "Why do we have this plague every spring and obtain no relief for it? Cleaners are employed in other parts of the city, and even a sprinkler would afford temporary relief until the city fathers deign to send us some sweepers to rid us of the nuisance. We in West Toronto seem to have to kick and petition for everything we need, and I suppose we will not get relief from the dust until we have sent down a few deputations to the city hall."

Accumulated Refuse.

The dust is of the most disagreeable kind imaginable, formed by the accumulated refuse of the winter months on the streets, which has dried and been converted into an exceedingly fine loose powder. Pedestrians seek the side streets rather than face the clouds which blow down the main thorofare, and it is on this account that business suffers.

Petty Thefts.

Complaints are still coming in to the police at number 9 station about thefts of tools and hardware from new houses, recently finished, and in course of erection. The thefts seem to take place mostly in the northeastern and western parts of the ward, where considerable building is going on, and from indications it is the same thief or gang who are officiating in every case, as the materials disappear in the same manner during the nights and on Sundays. A sharp look out is being kept for the offenders and an example will be made of the next conviction registered.

Match Tomorrow.

Gunns' Football Club meet the Robertsons F.C. in their second game in the T. & D. League this season at Riverdale Park tomorrow (Saturday), at 3.30 o'clock. The local team (Gunns) will line up as follows: R. Morgan, D. Russell, H. Haggarty, R. Rothwell, A. Fields, J. Grice, A. Walker, A. Ingram, A. Newman, C Goodman, G. Keep, and will meet at the Keele street car terminal at 2 o'clock sharp.

NORWAY TORIES MET TO REORGANIZE

Officers Resigned —Committee Will Canvass for New Members.

A meeting of Norway Conservative Association was held last night in St. John's parish house, Norway. Vice-President Godfrey West took the chair and requested the secretary, Mr. Johnson, to give his reasons for calling the meeting. The latter stated that several members of the association had been asking him to call a meeting for some weeks past, and altho he realized that he had no authority to call a meeting, he acceded to their request, and informed the president, C. W. Virtue, of his action. Mr. Virtue approved and intimated that he would be present. The idea of the members in wanting to have a general meeting was to reorganize the association, which has for some time been rather a dead one.

Officers Resigned.

In accordance with this idea, the officers present resigned, and J. A. McDonald, K.C., after delivering an address on the progress of the Conservative party during the past two years, was requested to take the chair.

A committee was appointed, including Messrs. J. H. Lennox, A. I. Rolls, W. Hewston, G. West, J. Booth, E. Johnston, and H. Lye, for the purpose of canvassing the various members with a view to having a thoroly representative meeting when the election of officers takes place.

J. A. McDonald's Views.

In his address, Mr. McDonald referred to the redistribution bill, which will soon be passed, and stated that Norway will be part of a new riding. In reviewing the work done by the Liberal and Conservative parties, he stated that whereas the Liberal measures had always tended towards a closer relationship with the United States, the Conservative measures had aimed at a closer union with the various parts of the British empire.

Controller Church stated that in his opinion the next election would be run, as far as the Conservative party was concerned, with the hydro-electric extension policy as one of the main issues. He also referred to the work that is to be started by the city council in the district in the immediate future.

N. TORONTO RATEPAYERS MEET SATURDAY EVENING

A very important meeting of the North Toronto Ratepayers' Association will be held in the town hall tomorrow evening to discuss the new sewerage scheme for the district, which was outlined by Commissioner Harris a few days ago. Alderman Risk has promised to produce the plans and details of the proposed system and to explain the particulars to the meeting.

LEFT FOR NEW YORK.

More women were in evidence around the Toronto Union Station last night than have been seen at the railway terminal for some time. The reason was the departure of the Toronto public school teachers on their annual Easter excursion. This year the excursion is to New York City, and about 500 of Toronto's molders of the young idea were on board the special which left for New York last night. The ladies were under the personal charge of Dr. J. L. Hughes.

EARLSCOURT WANTS CORDUROY HIGHWAY

B. I. A. on Warpath for Road to Bring in Building Material.

MUD CONSTANT BAR

Other District News — Real Estate Sales — Social Meetings.

At a meeting of the Central B. I. A. last night T. J. Maybee, a builder and large land owner in Earlscourt, complained of the impassable condition of Morrison avenue. "At present," he said, "it is absolutely impossible to do any teaming, and the city should be requested to put down a plank driveway similar to that which has been placed on Dufferin street." Mr. Maybee said he had been told that the city would not put down permanent roads where trunk sewers had been laid until the expiration of a year after the work was completed. For that reason a permanent road can not be put down on Morrison avenue until the summer of 1915.

Since the district was growing very fast Mr. Maybee claimed that a road to bring in supplies for the neighborhood was absolutely necessary.

After some discussion the secretary was instructed to write the commissioner of works in this regard.

The horticultural committee's garden scheme was outlined by the secretary. One hundred and fifty prizes will be given and the competition is open to members. Non-members will have to pay $1 entrance fee.

Cost Excessive.

Regarding the bridge on Innes avenue the members thought $2700 for a wooden bridge was excessive, since Engineer Powell recommends an iron bridge, which would not cost much more.

The secretary was instructed to send a letter to Controller Church thanking him for his good offices in the matter of better protection of crossings at St. Clair avenue and Dovercourt.

Park Commissioner Chambers stated by letter that he can only secure 12 acres on the east side of Dufferin street for park purposes at present.

Small Fire.

Fire broke out in Thomas Phillip's house, 128 Earlscourt avenue, at 10.25 last night, thru a stovepipe becoming overheated, but a man who was passing noticed smoke coming from one of the windows and promptly notified the Earlscourt fire hall. Firemen were at work a few minutes later and the blaze was extinguished.

The damage amounted to $100, which is covered by insurance.

Stagnant Water.

Complaints were made by members as to the state of Harvey avenue, between Hope and Morrison. Cases of sickness in this section were attributed by medical men to the stagnant water lying there.

The bad condition of Morrison avenue and Dufferin street hill was also dealt with, and a letter will be sent to Commissioner Harris, requesting that a corduroy road be laid on Morrison avenue, and that Dufferin street hill be cut back and the corners rounded off.

President H. Parfrey occupied the chair.

Day Avenue Extension.

Robert Kirk, 11 Day avenue, has received a communication from Assessment Commissioner Forman in reference to the extension of Day avenue. The commissioner stated that he was attending to the matter and was finding out if an opening less than 66 feet wide would be satisfactory.

The local members of the Salvation Army Corps are busily engaged at the present time in connection with the annual self denial movement, the proceeds of which are devoted to foreign missions.

Dominion Elks.

The St. Clair Lodge, Dominion Elks, ladies' night, which took the form of a dance and social evening in the new club rooms recently was a great success. There were 38 couples in attendance, and the event was the first of its kind to take place in the Earlscourt district.

Real Estate Sales.

F. T. Murray, real estate broker, sold the following properties: Eighty-four Ashburnham road, owner E. P. Peon, buyer John Towfe, sale price $3400; 23 Elmwood street, owner R. P. Powell, buyer, George Ledlie, sale price $3300; unfinished house on Barrie avenue, owner A. B. Doner, buyer Sarah Aldrich, sale price $4200; two solid brick dwellings, numbers 33 and 35 St Clair Gardens, owner Willis Penock, buyer W. F. Roadhouse, sale price $3800 each; 52 Hain avenue, owner G. F. Cudmore, buyer Mrs. J. B Torrance, sale price $6400; 37 Elmwood street, owner R. P. Powell, buyer H. H. Herring, sale price $3300.

The Keele street firemen were called out shortly before 10 o'clock yesterday morning to a blaze in a two-storey brick house at 589 Indian road, owned by H. Reader. An overheated grate had ignited the neighboring woodwork, but the firemen's prompt arrival prevented the damage from exceeding $100, which is covered by insurance.

Methodist Transfers

At a session of the Methodist transfer committee, which met yesterday in the Wesley Building, the following transfers were made: Rev. W. H. Emsley, from Bay of Quinte to Montreal; W. J. Woods, Montreal to Bay of Quinte; J. T. C. Morris, London to Hamilton; E. A. Pearson, Hamilton to London; E. N. Baker, Toronto to Bay of Quinte; George J. Bishop, Bay of Quinte to Toronto; H. E. Perry, London to Montreal; F. G. Robinson, Montreal to London; S. E. Marshall, Alberta to Hamilton; S. W. Fallis, Toronto to Alberta; J. R. Patterson, Hamilton to Toronto; D. E. Martin, London to Hamilton; C. A. King, Hamilton to London; R. H. Leitch, Alberta to Saskatchewan; E. V. Tilton, Saskatchewan to Alberta; J. W. Bartlett, Newfoundland to Nova Scotia; D. Hemmeon, Nova Scotia to Newfoundland; S. J. Bridgette, Montreal to London; J. K. Curtis, Newfoundland to Montreal; Dr. James Henderson, Montreal to Toronto (Timothy Eaton Memorial Church); H. Hetherington, London to Manitoba; J. S. Hatfield, Saskatchewan to Manitoba; W. W. Shoup, Manitoba to London; M. E. Conron, Hamilton to New Brunswick; W. F. Gaetz, New Brunswick to Hamilton; Neil McLaughlin, New Brunswick to Nova Scotia; C. S. Redditt, British Columbia to Bay of Quinte; R. C. Scott, Alberta to British Columbia; G. Bery, Toronto to Hamilton; C. S. Applegath, Hamilton to Toronto; G. E. Honey, Hamilton to Toronto.

Superannuated ministers transferred: R. Hobbs, London to Toronto; J. B. Saunders, Bay of Quinte to Montreal; G. W. Johnson, Alberta to British Columbia; C. S. Eby, Toronto to Saskatchewan.

Probationers transferred: John Line, Bay of Quinte to Toronto; W. J. Mumford, Newfoundland to Toronto; T. B. Moody, Newfoundland to Montreal; B. F. Parsons, Newfoundland to Saskatchewan; V. E. Young, Newfoundland to Saskatchewan; R. R. Morrison, Saskatchewan to British Columbia; H. Craner, Newfoundland to Saskatchewan; E. Fray, Saskatchewan to Hamilton.

The interim transfer committee consists of the general superintendent, Rev. Dr. Carman, the secretary of the transfer committee and the presidents of conferences concerned. The superannuated are transferred forthwith. The transfers of ministers, unless otherwise specified, shall take place at 9 o'clock on the morning of the general session of the conference to which they are transferred.

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NORFOLK CITY TREASURER EVIDENTLY LIKES RACING

NORFOLK, Va., April 9.—B. Gray Tunstall, city treasurer of Norfolk, today sent this telegram to President Wilson:

"His excellency, the president, Washington, D.C.

"Should the governor of Virginia be unable with the state militia to break up racing in Norfolk County, will you Monroe deliver a broadside against the racers. Wire to make it sure you might send down the Atlantic squadron. Please notify me before the bombardment begins."

THE PITTSBURG FEDS.

LYNCHBURG, Va., April 9.—The Pittsburg Federal League team, which has trained here for a few weeks, left tonight for Pittsburg in charge of Manager Gessler. There were thirty in the party. Infielder Allan Morgan left the team tonight and will return to his home in Chicago. He has a bad arm and says he will go to the American Association when it comes to terms.

Lancashire, champions of the Hamilton and District League, and also holders of the Ontario Cup, will play Overseas, champions of the T. & D., this afternoon at Little York at 3.30. Ever since the Hamilton boys won the Ontario title they have not felt entitled to the honor, as they have not met the Overseas, chiefly because of the congested schedule of last year, and they welcomed this opportunity to remove any scruples they might have. This should be a cracking good match, and both teams will be strictly on their mettle.

The Red Sox Baseball Club will play a picked team this morning at 10 o'clock at Bickford Ravine Park, Harbord street bridge. All players requested to turn out early.