

HIGH SCHOOL COST ENGAGES COUNCIL

County Pupils at Present Pay \$135 — Continuation Schools Suggested.

The county council met yesterday morning in the county building, and heard the request of Dr. J. L. Hughes that the council grant \$15,000 to the York Pioneers. After some discussion the following resolution was passed: That a grant of \$15,000 be given to the York Pioneers and Sharon Temple and that an agreement be entered into between the county and York Pioneers as to the occupancy and upkeep of the buildings and grounds. The wardens and commissioners are hereby instructed to submit a draft agreement at the next session of council.

The equalization committee met at 2 p.m., but had not completed "equalizing" at 4 o'clock; the business will be completed today.

Messrs. J. G. Whitmore and Robert Barker were appointed to act in conjunction with the warden as county commissioners for the current year. F. W. Pearson was appointed to act with the county judge in taxing and auditing accounts payable and receivable by the county.

The special committee appointed at a recent meeting to investigate educational matters presented the following report: At the November session of the council, a large deputation waited on the council to draw attention to a resolution passed by the Toronto board of education on Oct. 15, 1918. Said resolution stated that the cost of educating pupils from all municipalities outside of the city was to be shared by the individual pupils; this ruling to be effective on Jan. 1, 1919. The cost was estimated at about \$135 per pupil. As the school year ends in July, to have the extra charge made in the middle of the term was felt to be a great hardship. The county council appointed a special committee to examine the whole question and to meet the Toronto board of education and discuss the question of fees.

The board of education allow the non-resident pupils now attending Toronto high schools to continue until June 30, 1919, on payment of the same fees as at present, and that any agreement for the future entered into between the board and the council shall date as from Jan. 1, 1919. The importance of the matter was noted when the attendance of 305 non-resident pupils was given. Some years ago, the high schools in East York and North York, and also in Parkdale, were in the county, and the council gave grants to these schools. The high school act examined the High School Act and found that each municipality having a high school pays the entire cost of building and lands and the whole cost of tuition and maintenance for the pupils of that municipality, and in addition pays its share of the cost of the maintenance of pupils from that part of the county outside of high school towns and districts who attend any of the high schools in the county. If any municipality near a city of over 100,000 inhabitants does not wish to go to the expense of running a high school and maintaining it, that municipality can make arrangements with such a city to educate those pupils in the city schools. A majority of the children leave school before reaching the higher forms, the most economical and effective method of dealing with the question would be the erection and maintenance of continuation schools by the school section concerned. The school section concerned take up the lower high school and commercial work, and for the various municipalities to arrange with the City of Toronto for the education of the pupils in the higher forms and in the technical schools.

Under County. Various members of the council gave opinions on the report, and Mr. Fleming thought that the educational problem would eventually be solved by the county taking over all high schools in its district and running them under a county board of education. A measure would simplify the matter and would tend toward greater efficiency in the educational institutions in the various municipalities.

A communication was read from B. Ross resigning from Newmarket High School, and a resolution passed accepting his resignation. The following were appointed trustees of the various high schools in the county: Markham, Dr. J. A. MacDonald; Richmond Hill, Robert McKee; Newmarket, Ed. Dillaine; J. L. Harvey and W. J. Patterson; Aurora, Dr. D. G. Williams; Weston, A. G. Gouding.

Questions relative to the failure of the highways commission to present to the council at this session a report of work proposed this year in connection with the good roads program resulted in the promise of a statement to be made to the council today. The council adjourned until this morning at 10 o'clock.

ISLINGTON.

The funeral of Mrs. John Fowler of Islington, took place yesterday at St. George's Cemetery at 2 p.m. The deceased was the wife of John Fowler, Islington, and leaves three children, aged 10, 8 and 3 years respectively. All the members of the family were in apparent good health a week ago, and Sunday school was held in the Fowler home on Sunday, Jan. 26. During the week the whole family contracted the "flu," which developed into pneumonia in the case of the mother, who died on Sunday morning. The body was taken immediately to the funeral parlors of W. Speers, Mr. Fowler and the children are still in a critical condition, but there are no other serious cases reported in the vicinity.

Islington Council is putting in a new culvert path from Dundas street, east of the bridge, over Mimico Creek toward Lambton Mills. The local improvement society is doing splendid work in co-operation with the council. Fire protection, waterworks, etc., are being discussed by the two bodies, and plans for waterworks are in the hands of the township council. Estimated received have been too large for the town to handle at the moment, but the local authorities hope to be able to arrange for an adequate supply in the near future. The council is erecting an arch over Dundas street, in honor of Islington boys returning from active service.

YORK COUNTY SUBURBS

RIVERDALE WANT PAPE CAR LINE EXTENDED

Riverdale Ratepayers Urge Deputation to Railway Board or Legislature.

The Pape avenue car line, the East Gerrard street "Devil's Hollow," and the erection of an arena at the Canadian National Exhibition grounds for an animal fat stock show were some of the live questions discussed at the regular monthly meeting of the Riverdale Ratepayers' Association, held in Leslie Street School last night. L. W. Mullen, president, occupied the chair. The following resolution was unanimously adopted: "That the secretary write the works commissioner requesting that the Pape avenue car line be proceeded with immediately."

Alderman Richard Honeyford urged that a big deputation of residents should appear before the Ontario Railway Board demanding that the work of completion of the Pape avenue car line should now be proceeded with. "The railway board is with us, and is superior to Works Commissioner R. C. Harris and the Toronto Street Railway," said the alderman, who added that the city council and the railway company are two unwilling parties to the completion of the line.

J. Corney said: The works commissioner is possibly holding up the line on account of a reduction of receipts on the civic car line when use Pape avenue line is finished.

"When Todmorden is annexed to the city, the Pape avenue line extended to Bee street will be the main line. Eaten into the Woodbine district," said Controller W. D. Robbins.

Alderman F. M. Johnston said as a member of the works committee, he would move that the board of control appear before the Ontario legislature and insist that the order of the Ontario Railway Board to complete the Pape avenue line be immediately enforced.

Regarding the "Devil's Hollow" on East Gerrard street, Alderman Johnston said the cost of raising the road seven feet, and grading Hastings avenue, has been estimated at between \$68,000 and \$70,000, including concrete pavement, as against a previous estimate of \$25,000. The alderman pointed out the street would be closed for a year, during the work, and asked if it is wisdom to spend such a large sum.

The feeling of the meeting was that the work should be proceeded with. Other speakers were Ald. W. M. Miskelly and Baker, the new Ward Eight aldermen.

The Riverdale Liberal-Conservative Association is to meet at Dean's Hall, Rhoads avenue, this Wednesday evening.

MIMICO

At the annual meeting of the public library board for this year is evening, a very successful year was reported. Twelve thousand volumes from the library were circulated among a membership of 1038, an increase of 142 over the previous year. The library board for this year is composed of Mr. C. Pricegreen, chairman; Rev. Arthur Doherty and Major Weston.

Buildings in Mimico is on the increase. Yesterday six permits were issued by the town engineer, for the construction of buildings valued at \$200,000 and over. Twelve permits for working-men's houses were also issued.

AURORA UNANIMOUS VOTE APPROVES SWITCH

Aurora Ratepayers Withdraw Objections to Linking of Metropolitan.

The ratepayers of Aurora held a meeting in the town hall last night to hear the council answer to the following charges preferred by a group of citizens of the town in connection with the switch line linking the Metropolitan Railway with the Grand Trunk.

1.—That undue favor had been granted to certain manufacturers at the expense of the ratepayers. Total cost would exceed \$20,000.

2.—That the matter should have been submitted to a popular vote.

Mayor Bassett showed at length the advantages that would accrue to Aurora from the line. The manufacturers referred to were to pay the charges that would be fixed every six months, so that any undue advantage could be easily offset. The "switch" line will make Aurora the gateway for all freight handled in the district and that all material for good roads, etc., could be handled expeditiously by the railroad and the present long hauls prevented.

Below Estimates.

Ex-Mayor Baldwin showed figures proving that the estimated expenditure was \$35,000 and that the railroads were now joined and the expense to date only \$2,800. All the work was finished with the exception of ballasting which will cost but a few hundred dollars, making the actual cost lower than the estimate given in the first instance. In answer to the third question the council thought that the Ontario Board and the Provincial Board should decide. Reeve J. M. Walton spoke along the same lines. The second accusation was dropped.

G. B. Spurr was the only man who spoke "agin the government," and ex-Mayor Thos. Urquhart did not attend the meeting.

Eventually W. C. Malloy moved a resolution approving the councilors and the undertaking which was carried by an almost unanimous standstill vote. The switch line had been talked of for a long time and negotiations had been under way since 1916.

AGINCOURT

On Friday morning at 10 o'clock, group A, district No. 1, including the following streets: Agincourt, Stouffville, Markham, Thornhill and Scarborough Curling Clubs, will pay off at the Heather rink in Agincourt. The rink is kept ice, and the greatest interest centres in the result. W. H. Paterson will be the official referee.

There was a splendid turnout at the Agincourt Horticultural Society's meeting in the public school building in that village last night. A feature of the gathering was an address by Mr. McCready of Toronto, replete with information, and dealing with the care and cultivation of flowers.

ETOBICOKE

While driving along the Lake Shore road, yesterday afternoon, a Ford truck owned by Mr. James Free and driven by Joe Woodley, was struck by a trolley car, opposite stop 17, and turned turtle, penning Wooley and a ten-year-old girl, who was with him, underneath. Fortunately neither was found to be seriously injured after the debris had been removed. The truck, however, was a complete wreck. The exact cause of the accident is unknown.

SHANNON ADVERTISES TORONTO

Toronto is the only city on the continent that has Motor Car Plumbing Service. Elsewhere they have to get along as best they can with the old-time plumber. Shannon has done more to advertise Toronto by his modern plumbing system than any other source of publicity. Shannon Motor Plumbing Cars that carry all necessary tools is a great idea. It gives the people what they want. Covers every section of the city. Provides a staff of reliable, skilled mechanics who do their work promptly and save the citizen time and money.

SHANNON'S MODERNIZED PLUMBING COSTS NO MORE THAN THE ORDINARY.

PHONE ANY HOUR—DAY OR NIGHT

SHANNON THE PLUMBER

Park, 738-739
Oakville Branch, 334.

EARLSCOURT

The Earlscourt Progressive Poultry Association met at Toronto Heights North Earlscourt, last night for the purpose of reorganization. There are some 500 poultry fanciers in and around this district, and it is the desire of the association that these men should take as active a part as they did in war days. A get-together meeting or social is to be arranged later, when new officers will be appointed, and the association placed on a permanent footing.

Welcome-home flags and bunting were displayed at the home of Pte. Thomas Jenkins, 1244 Ossington ave., Earlscourt, who has returned after two years' service at the front with the Q. O. R. He was wounded twice, but has now recovered, and was met at the Union Station by his wife, who is an active member of the ladies' auxiliary of the Earlscourt Great War Veterans.

The new Nova Scotia bank will open temporary premises in the Oakwood block in a few days. The new stores are being erected west of this block on the corner of a new street, Crang avenue, and an apartment house will be also built on the same land. The building will seat 1,600 children. The building will be the weekly of feelings established a record, being the largest in the history of the parish.

At the annual vestry meeting of the Church of the Resurrection, Woodbine avenue, north of Danforth, held recently, the financial report showed an income of \$930, with an expenditure of \$824.

The following officials were elected: Rector's warden, W. Prior; people's warden, S. D. Duram; treasurer, E. K. Newton; auditors, E. Birks, T. Hemmings; envelope secretary, Mrs. E. Birks; secretary-treasurer of missions, Miss Wesson; sidesmen, Messrs. P. Bing, W. Bellam, T. Hemmings, Jeffrey, Priddleaux, Heaton, Dixon and George Lyons.

Rev. E. Gilman, rector, occupied the chair.

The Ladies' Aid of the Richmond Hill Methodist Church gave a skating party last night. There was a good attendance, and refreshments were served during the evening. Miss Trench is president of the society.

DANFORTH TWELVE HUNDRED ASK FOR SUB POST OFFICE

A district sub-postoffice, the Pape avenue line and the completion of the parks adjoining the viaduct were the principal subjects discussed at the regular meeting of the North Riverdale Ratepayers' Association, held in Frankland School, Logan avenue, last night. Dr. E. A. McDonald, president, occupied the chair.

Regarding the Pape avenue line, Dr. McDonald expressed the hope that the city authorities and the Toronto Street Railway would get together without delay and complete the work in the interests of the citizens of the east end and to put a stop to the overcrowding on the Queen and Broadview cars, which is ever increasing.

Ald. Richard Honeyford also spoke of the inconvenience to the people thru the lack of sufficient street car accommodation and the delay in completing the Pape avenue car line, and advised united action.

The danger on the account of the 17th and 18th street car lines at Broadview and Danforth corner was also discussed, and it was suggested that a belt line be made of the Broadview street, which would continue along Broadview, west on Queen, along Church and over the viaduct to the corner of Riverdale Park and the southeast corner of the viaduct and also to prepare the northeast corner, which was presented to the city by the Playter family, and place fences on the north and south side of the eastern approach for the protection of children. Other open spaces between the two viaducts to be attended to and the blocks of park land at the corners of Parliament and Riverdale.

The secretary reported that 1200 names were subscribed to a petition for the Riverdale district, near Danforth, and that the petition was forwarded to W. F. Maclean, M.P., for early attention.

It was decided to hold regular monthly meetings on the first Tuesday in each month in Frankland School.

ANNUAL VESTRY MEETING.

The annual vestry meeting in connection with St. Barnabas Church (rectory), Danforth avenue, was held in the parish hall recently. Rev. E. Powell, rector, presided.

The various reports were read and the total receipts were \$6,537.50 and the expenses \$6,523.38, leaving a balance on hand of \$14.12.

The following were the officers elected: Rector's warden, C. A. E. Colwell; people's warden, T. R. Hursey; lay delegates to synod, Wm. Charr, A. E. King and A. E. Wilson; vestry clerk, George Lyons.

Twenty-four sides men were elected. A vote of thanks was tendered to the different organizations for their work during the year.

The chairman pointed out that the new Sunday school building, which was erected during the year, cost of \$35,000, was almost completed and would be opened in the near future. The building will seat 1,600 children. The building will be the weekly of feelings established a record, being the largest in the history of the parish.

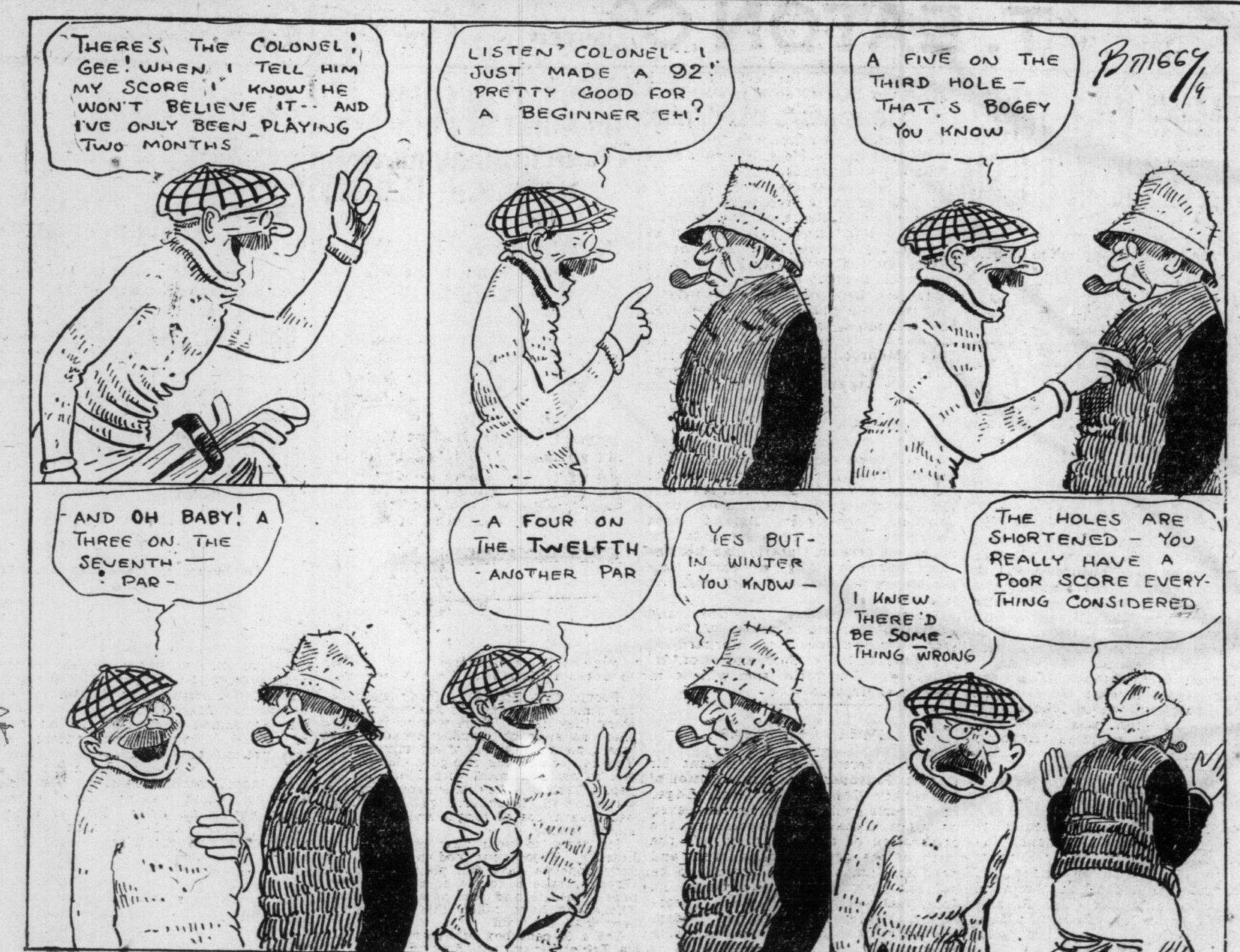
At the annual vestry meeting of the Church of the Resurrection, Woodbine avenue, north of Danforth, held recently, the financial report showed an income of \$930, with an expenditure of \$824.

The following officials were elected: Rector's warden, W. Prior; people's warden, S. D. Duram; treasurer, E. K. Newton; auditors, E. Birks, T. Hemmings; envelope secretary, Mrs. E. Birks; secretary-treasurer of missions, Miss Wesson; sidesmen, Messrs. P. Bing, W. Bellam, T. Hemmings, Jeffrey, Priddleaux, Heaton, Dixon and George Lyons.

Rev. E. Gilman, rector, occupied the chair.

The Ladies' Aid of the Richmond Hill Methodist Church gave a skating party last night. There was a good attendance, and refreshments were served during the evening. Miss Trench is president of the society.

Somebody is Always Taking the Joy Out of Life - - - - - BY BRIGGS



WE MAKE IN TORONTO ALL SIZES STEEL WIRE AND WIRE NAILS

BALE TIES AND STRAIGHTENED RODS

The Canada Metal Co. Limited

35 FRASER AVENUE
TORONTO
Immediate Delivery

SOCIETY

Conducted by Mrs. Edmund Phillips.

His Worship the Mayor of Toronto has been requested by Brigadier-General Gunn, C.M.G., D.S.O., commanding officer of the military district, to call a meeting of citizens in order that he may outline some things which can be easily done for the returned soldiers, in which some co-operation from the citizens is essential. The meeting will take place in the council chamber of the city hall on Thursday at 3.30 o'clock.

Captain Colin Gibson, who is attached to the embassy at Washington, is on a fortnight's leave and accompanied by Mrs. Gibson, is spending it with General Sir John and Lady Gibson at Ravenscrag, Hamilton.

Sir John Zaion and his party are expected back from Winnipeg on Friday or Saturday.

Mrs. George Bryson has arrived in town from Ottawa to make a short visit to Mrs. Howard Chandler, who is giving a small dinner for her tonight at her house in Highlands avenue.

The Order of the Daughters of the Empire is looking forward to the meeting this evening in the Margaret Eaton Hall as a step forward in the educational campaign the order is entering on. Mrs. George H. Smith, national educational secretary, will speak, and Dr. Helen MacMurchy will also give an address on "Child Welfare."

Some of Miss Della Davies' friends gave a very enjoyable surprise party at Chester Park at the end of the week.

Major Green has been appointed manager of the Royal Bank and his wife, Mrs. Green and her children, who have been with Lady Hughes at Lindsay since the war, have joined him there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Walker gave a small dinner party last night in honor of Miss Parry and Mr. T. Collins, when the table was, as usual with this popular hostess, very beautifully arranged. Mrs. Walker wore a black velvet gown with jet and a rope of pearls. The guests included Mrs. Victor Lewis, Miss Mary Curran, Mrs. Gordon Shaver, Mr. Perry, Miss Victoria Clark, Mr. Clark and Mr. Ralph Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baird, Laidlaw have returned from New York.

Sir George McLaren Brown, K. C., E. was in town from Hamilton yesterday to address the Endeavour Club at its luncheon at the King Edward.

Mrs. Austin and the musical committee of the Women's Art Association have issued an invitation to a reception on Tuesday, the 11th inst., from 4 to 6 o'clock, to meet Miss Victoria Lewis, Mrs. Mary Curran, Mrs. Gordon Shaver, Mr. Perry, Miss Victoria Clark, Mr. Clark and Mr. Ralph Burns.

General John Hughes, Winnipeg, is at the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa.

Mrs. W. H. Climes gave a small tea yesterday for Mrs. Frances, who is guest from Niagara-on-the-Lake.

The patronesses of the University Schools Athletic Association dance are Mrs. H. J. Crawford, Mrs. Rhys D. Fairbairn, Mrs. G. D. Porter and Mrs. C. B. Nisbet.

Mrs. Gash is giving a dance in Jenkins' Gallery on the 10th inst.

Mrs. J. W. Bundy gave a luncheon in the Louisa room at the King Edward yesterday for the officers, directors and convenors of circles of the Women's Liberal Association, numbering fifty-five. One table was arranged for the guests of honor and smaller tables all being decorated with daffodils. The hostess wore a green embroidered gown and carried a hat to match. After the meeting, many of the women adjourned to the corridor seat, where it was almost impossible to get a secure table, so great was the crowd.

Word has been received in Ottawa that Col. Eric Charles, D.S.O., of the Royal Engineers, has been decorated with the C.M.G., he being included in His Majesty's list of New Year honors, for service in Palestine. Mrs. Charles and her young daughter are living in Surrey, England.

Mrs. Ernest G. E. McConkey, Russell Hill road, gave a not-out dance for her daughter, Miss Ella McConkey, who looked very pretty in a frock of white georgette crepe. The twenty-four guests danced in the hall, living-room and dining-room, which were decorated with spring flowers. The buffet supper table was arranged with daffodils in a silver basket on a lace centrepiece. Those present included: Misses Dorothy Johnson, Margaret Aikens, Mary Wood, Eileen Smith, Elizabeth Byra, Maud McQuillan, Mrs. Edgar McConkey, Misses King, Messrs. Edgar McConkey, Leroy Allward, Frederic Cramp, Jack Ross, H. Millar, Dudley Irvine, W. J. Cameron, Graham Addison, J. Mueller.

Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Elwood Moore are on the way down from Edmonton.

Miss Zillah Worthington has been spending a few days in Brantford with Mrs. Cadwell.

Mrs. John Hays is in town from Detroit, the guest of the Misses Wrenshall, St. Anne's road.

Old St. Andrew's Church was the scene of a wedding yesterday afternoon, when Margaret Olive, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Keit, was married to Dr. Alexander Dunbar McKelvey, son of the late Dr. A. McKelvey and of Mrs. McKelvey, Brussels, Ont. The church was decorated with palms and daffodils, the Rev. Dr. R. Law officiating. The bride, who was given away by her father, looked lovely in a gown of silver lace over pale pink. Her train was of white kitten carpe lined with pale pink chiffon, and her veil, crowned with orange blossoms, had a deep

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Notices of future events, not intended to raise money, 2c per word, minimum 10c; if intended to raise money for any other than these purposes, 10c per word, minimum \$2.50.

MUNICIPAL CHAPTER, I.O.O.F.—All daughters of the Empire, and their friends are invited to an open meeting at the St. Lawrence Hotel, 100 North Street, Wednesday, February 13, 10 p.m. Speakers: Mrs. Geo. H. Smith, C. C. Cathers, on education; and the order, Dr. Helen MacMurchy, on "Child Welfare."

REALIZING THE DREAMS of hundreds of thousands of refugees in Roumania, France and Belgium, the University Hospital, Supply, will be held Monday, Wednesday and Friday during February. They ask that the interest so warmly manifested in the Serbian "showers" be continued for these countries.

UNITED WOMEN VOTERS: House Workers' Committee, Y.W.C.A., 21 McCowen Street, Toronto, will be held at the University Hospital, Supply, 100 North Street, Wednesday, February 13, 10 p.m. Address by Miss Bolter, "Realizing the Dreams for Working Girls."

FIRST OF A SERIES of lectures dealing with reconstruction, will be given by Sir Robert Falconer, K.C., at the University of Toronto, on "The Intellectual Development of Canada," Wednesday, February 13, 10 p.m. In the Physics building of the University. Free to the public.

WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB—Friday evening, Feb. 8, 8 o'clock, at the Hamilton Hall, Yonge and Davenport Road, Sir George H. Smith, national educational secretary, will speak, and Dr. Helen MacMurchy will also give an address on "Child Welfare."

Some of Miss Della Davies' friends gave a very enjoyable surprise party at Chester Park at the end of the week.

Major Green has been appointed manager of the Royal Bank and his wife, Mrs. Green and her children, who have been with Lady Hughes at Lindsay since the war, have joined him there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Walker gave a small dinner party last night in honor of Miss Parry and Mr. T. Collins, when the table was, as usual with this popular hostess, very beautifully arranged. Mrs. Walker wore a black velvet gown with jet and a rope of pearls. The guests included Mrs. Victor Lewis, Miss Mary Curran, Mrs. Gordon Shaver, Mr. Perry, Miss Victoria Clark, Mr. Clark and Mr. Ralph Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baird, Laidlaw have returned from New York.

Sir George McLaren Brown, K. C., E. was in town from Hamilton yesterday to address the Endeavour Club at its luncheon at the King Edward.

Mrs. Austin and the musical committee of the Women's Art Association have issued an invitation to a reception on Tuesday, the 11th inst., from 4 to 6 o'clock, to meet Miss Victoria Lewis, Mrs. Mary Curran, Mrs. Gordon Shaver, Mr. Perry, Miss Victoria Clark, Mr. Clark and Mr. Ralph Burns.

General John Hughes, Winnipeg, is at the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa.

Mrs. W. H. Climes gave a small tea yesterday for Mrs. Frances, who is guest from Niagara-on-the-Lake.

The patronesses of the University Schools Athletic Association dance are Mrs. H. J. Crawford, Mrs. Rhys D. Fairbairn, Mrs. G. D. Porter and Mrs. C. B. Nisbet.

Mrs. Gash is giving a dance in Jenkins' Gallery on the 10th inst.

Mrs. J. W. Bundy gave a luncheon in the Louisa room at the King Edward yesterday for the officers, directors and convenors of circles of the Women's Liberal Association, numbering fifty-five. One table was arranged for the guests of honor and smaller tables all being decorated with daffodils. The hostess wore a green embroidered gown and carried a hat to match. After the meeting, many of the women adjourned to the corridor seat, where it was almost impossible to get a secure table, so great was the crowd.

Word has been received in Ottawa that Col. Eric Charles, D.S.O., of the Royal Engineers, has been decorated with the C.M.G., he being included in His Majesty's list of New Year honors, for service in Palestine. Mrs. Charles and her young daughter are living in Surrey, England.

Mrs. Ernest G. E. McConkey, Russell Hill road, gave a not-out dance for her daughter, Miss Ella McConkey, who looked very pretty in a frock of white georgette crepe. The twenty-four guests danced in the hall, living-room and dining-room, which were decorated with spring flowers. The buffet supper table was arranged with daffodils in a silver basket on a lace centrepiece. Those present included: Misses Dorothy Johnson, Margaret Aikens, Mary Wood, Eileen Smith, Elizabeth Byra, Maud McQuillan, Mrs. Edgar McConkey, Misses King, Messrs. Edgar McConkey, Leroy Allward, Frederic Cramp, Jack Ross, H. Millar, Dudley Irvine, W. J. Cameron, Graham Addison, J. Mueller.

Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Elwood Moore are on the way down from Edmonton.

Miss Zillah Worthington has been spending a few days in Brantford with Mrs. Cadwell.

Mrs. John Hays is in town from Detroit, the guest of the Misses Wrenshall, St. Anne's road.

SIR GEO AT

Extols W Fighting For NOTHING

Canadians Prowess C

Mr. George H. Smith, national educational secretary, will speak, and Dr. Helen MacMurchy will also give an address on "Child Welfare."

MUNICIPAL CHAPTER, I.O.O.F.—All daughters of the Empire, and their friends are invited to an open meeting at the St. Lawrence Hotel, 100 North Street, Wednesday, February 13, 10 p.m. Speakers: Mrs. Geo. H. Smith, C. C. Cathers, on education; and the order, Dr. Helen MacMurchy, on "Child Welfare."

REALIZING THE DREAMS of hundreds of thousands of refugees in Roumania, France and Belgium, the University Hospital, Supply, will be held Monday, Wednesday and Friday during February. They ask that the interest so warmly manifested in the Serbian "showers" be continued for these countries.

UNITED WOMEN VOTERS: House Workers' Committee, Y.W.C.A., 21 McCowen Street, Toronto, will be held at the University Hospital, Supply, 100 North Street, Wednesday, February 13, 10 p.m. Address by Miss Bolter, "Realizing the Dreams for Working Girls."

FIRST OF A SERIES of lectures dealing with reconstruction, will be given by Sir Robert Falconer, K.C., at the University of Toronto, on "The Intellectual Development of Canada," Wednesday, February 13, 10 p.m. In the Physics building of the University. Free to the public.

WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB—Friday evening, Feb. 8, 8 o'clock, at the Hamilton Hall, Yonge and Davenport Road, Sir George H. Smith, national educational secretary, will speak, and Dr. Helen MacMurchy will also give an address on "Child Welfare."

Some of Miss Della Davies' friends gave a very enjoyable surprise party at Chester Park at the end of the week.

Major Green has been appointed manager of the Royal Bank and his wife, Mrs. Green and her children, who have been with Lady Hughes at Lindsay since the war, have joined him there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Walker gave a small dinner party last night in honor of Miss Parry and Mr. T. Collins, when the table was, as usual with this popular hostess, very beautifully arranged. Mrs. Walker wore a black velvet gown with jet and a rope of pearls. The guests included Mrs. Victor Lewis, Miss Mary Curran, Mrs. Gordon Shaver, Mr. Perry, Miss Victoria Clark, Mr. Clark and Mr. Ralph Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baird, Laidlaw have returned from New York.

Sir George McLaren Brown, K. C., E. was in town from Hamilton yesterday to address the Endeavour Club at its luncheon at the King Edward.

Mrs. Austin and the musical committee of the Women's Art Association have issued an invitation to a reception on Tuesday, the 11th inst., from 4 to 6 o'clock, to meet Miss Victoria Lewis, Mrs. Mary Curran, Mrs. Gordon Shaver, Mr. Perry, Miss Victoria Clark, Mr. Clark and Mr. Ralph Burns.

General John Hughes, Winnipeg, is at the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa.

Mrs. W. H. Climes gave a small tea yesterday for Mrs. Frances, who is guest from Niagara-on-the-Lake.

The patronesses of the University Schools Athletic Association dance are Mrs. H. J. Crawford, Mrs. Rhys D. Fairbairn, Mrs. G. D. Porter and Mrs. C. B. Nisbet.

Mrs. Gash is giving a dance in Jenkins' Gallery on the 10th inst.

Mrs. J. W. Bundy gave a luncheon in the Louisa room at the King Edward yesterday for the officers, directors and convenors of circles of the Women's Liberal Association, numbering fifty-five. One table was arranged for the guests of honor and smaller tables all being decorated with daffodils. The hostess wore a green embroidered gown and carried a hat to match. After the meeting, many of the women adjourned to the corridor seat, where it was almost impossible to get a secure table, so great was the crowd.

Word has been received in Ottawa that Col. Eric Charles, D.S.O., of the Royal Engineers, has been decorated with the C.M.G., he being included in His Majesty's list of New Year honors, for service in Palestine. Mrs. Charles and her young daughter are living in Surrey, England.

Mrs. Ernest G. E. McConkey, Russell Hill road, gave a not-out dance for her daughter, Miss Ella McConkey, who looked very pretty in a frock of white georgette crepe. The twenty-four guests danced in the hall, living-room and dining-room, which were decorated with spring flowers. The buffet supper table was arranged with daffodils in a silver basket on a lace centrepiece. Those present included: Misses Dorothy Johnson, Margaret Aikens, Mary Wood, Eileen Smith, Elizabeth Byra, Maud McQuillan, Mrs. Edgar McConkey, Misses King, Messrs. Edgar McConkey, Leroy Allward, Frederic Cramp, Jack Ross, H. Millar, Dudley Irvine, W. J. Cameron, Graham Addison, J. Mueller.

Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Elwood Moore are on the way down from Edmonton.