er number of people who need not travel, but will do so for a consideration—an inducement offered in the way of rate reduction, combined with the possibility of a greater variety of goods and better bargains in buying and selling; but no one can avail himself of the benefit or supposed benefit of the

the benefit, or supposed benefit, of the cheaper ticket until he has paid the company \$7.15, which is sure income to

the company, whether the purchase makes the whole or only a small pro

covered by the ticket; and so for each succeeding month. Hence it seems all most certain that the use of commuta tion tickets such as the above, on ordi-

Day's Doings in YORK COUNTY

West Toronto North Toronto East Toronto

VEGETABLE GROWERS HOLD BIG MEETING

Boy Drowned at Balmy Beach-Fine Concert at Woodbridge - Blaze at Norway.

WEST TORONTO, Jan. 3.—The elec tion fever has already abated and the city is now settled down to its last few Local Meetings Sunday All Had Refermonths of single biessedness before ence to Temperance Measure. union takes place with the City of Toronto. In the meantime, the trous-seau, in the shape of special legislation, will have to be prepared and all

to-day in the Conger Coal Co. yards on Vine-street. The firemen were on the scene promptly and found a car of coal on fire. The damage was slight. For being drunk and disorderly Jas.

Earle Newton gave a musicale at his home an evening or two ago.

Rev. A. P. Brace lectured last Friday night at Greenbank.

SCARBORO JUNCTION. Munro, 30 East Annette-street, was arrested on Friday evening by P. C. Hughes, Police Magistrate Ellis allowed him to go on suspended sentence. There are 50 cars of stock in the Union Stock Yards for to-morrow's

There were large congregations at both services to-day in Victoria Presbyterian Church. Solos were given by Donald McGregor, the newly-appointed Donald McGregor, the newly-appointed choir-leader. Miss Millicent Armstrong McArthur of Agincourt. of Toronto also gave a solo at the evening service. Rev. Dr. Pidgeon preached.

NORTH TORONTO. Mayor Brown Outlines Vigorous Policy for the Year.

NORTH TORONTO, Jan. A. J. Brown, mayorselect for 1909, is busy formulating his policy and plan of action for the year, and has already stated that he wants to have proper organization of the council to expedite the business during the year. He proposes to have his standing and special committees so selected that the chairmen of the different committees reside

consisting of four members; board of and light committee, four members; relief committee, three members; legislative committee, four members; parallel roads committee, and court of revision. He proposes to appoint an annexation committee and a committee for the promotion of better railway fa-cilities. Each of the last two committees shall be the council as a whole.

Besides the regular routine of the town's business the mayor intends to pursue a vigorous policy such as the ppening up of parallel roads; the reorganization of a volunteer fire brigade with regular drill; house num bering and a possible free postal delivery; garbage collection and disposal; the opening up of the upstairs room of the town hall, at present occupied by the Masonic order, and use it as publi library and reading room; and the park and playground question will also receive due consideration from his wor-

For the first time the local rink was last night used for general skating and advantage was taken of the opportunity. Should the weather be favorable a hockey match will be played on Mon-

The executive committee of the Ratepayers' Association will meet in the

UNIONVILLE, Jan. 3.-A most successful entertainment in connection with the Presbyterian Sunday School was held on New Year's Eve.
An excellent program was rendered by the school, consisting of choruses, solos, recitations, dialogs and panto-mime entitled "The Holy City." The church, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion, was filled with a large and appreciative audience. A pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation by the chair of

a handsome cocoa set and the following address, to the church organist, Miss Lillie Morrison: Dear Lillie,—We have again come to the close of another year, and speak-ing on behalf of the choir have as-

nbled together to show our appreciation of your service as organist We realize, as perhaps you do, that this is a tedious but pleasant duty,

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goes with it. We wish you every sucyear may be more pleasant than the

Unionville, Dec. 31, 1908. RICHMOND HILL.

RICHMOND HILL, Jan. 3.-Great the annexation negotiations brought to a satisfactory conclusion. Mayor Baird will finish his work.

The death occurred early this mornaddressed the men's meeting in the "In every case of a lower toll given Temperance Hall, and a platform meet- to one person, commodity, or locality up family. He has lately been employed the morning. All the services were as agent for the Stanley Piano Co..

and was a member of the C.O.F. The funeral will take place on Monday at 2 p.m. to Prospect Cemetery.

A small blaze occurred at 12 o'clock to-day in the Conger Coal Co. yards

SCARBORO JUNCTION. Happy Event in Which Scarboro Young Couple Figure.

SCARBORO JUNCTION, Jan. 2.-The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas was the scene of a pretty wedding at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening, Dec. 30, when their eldest daughter, Miss Delbia Thomas, was united in marriage to Obediah Peacock. The

The bride entered the drawing room carrying a bouquet of white carnations and was given away by her father. Miss Ida Thomas, sister of the bride, was her attendant, while Jacob Adams was best man. The happy couple received a number of useful presents. Among those who were present were Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas, Boxgrove; John Thomas, Markham; Mr. and Mrs. William Twaites, Scarboro Junction; Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Smith, Aurora; Mr. and Mrs. George Carr, Scarboro; George Bishop of Toronto and others. After a short honeymoon

The Toronto branch Ontario Vegetable Growers' Association held their "Profitable Greenhouse Crops for the Vegetable Grower," and was given a Crawford, Miss Bella Thompson, Miss

Dutch set onions. An executive committee was named to make arrangements for the annual banquet in February. Members are very enthuslastic of the year's program and a large increase in membership is looked for. About 20 new members were introduced to the secretary, F. F. Reeves, and paid their fees.

WEXFORD.

Organist of St. Jude's Church is Pleas-antly Surprised.

WEXFORD, Jan. 2.-A very pleasing event took place at the residence of William White on the York town line on Wednesday evening when the a hockey match will be played on Monday evening.

Next Wednesday being the Feast of Epiphany, holy communion will be celebrated at St. Clement's Church at 10.30 a.m.

m:mbers and enoir of St. Jude's Church paid a surprise visit for the purpose of acknowledging the valuable services of Mrs. White as organist in the church. An appropriate address, accompanied with a present of silverware, was premembers and choir of St. Jude's Church sented to Mrs. White as a slight appreciation of the zeal and fidelity with which the latter has fulfilled the dutcouncil chamber on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

which the latter has fulfilled the design of that position. A delightful evening was spent by all present.

BOTH ARE CONFIDENT.

Young Lady Organist is Kindly Remembered at Close of Year. Disagree as to Termis, But All Tending to Annexation.

The World is in receipt of a letter from W. T. Pearson, 20 Langford-avenue, in which the latter objects ity unconditionally, taking their for this compliment I not only chance with the others.

tition now in circulation asking for by you shall not be a misplaced one special terms is being largely signed With best wishes to all my fellowand will be presented to the municipal poard in due time. The latter petition suggests the same terms as the Avenue-road district.

EAST TORONTO.

EAST TORONTO, Jan. 3.-Pending ne re-organization of the choir of Hope Methods t Church, the musical portion of to-day's services was furnished by a special choir. There was a reunion of the "old boys and girls" threatened a number of adjoining residence.

WOODBRIDGE.

of the Woodbridge branch of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Agnes Cameron, Pinestreet, on Tuesday, Jan. 5. at 3.30 p.m.

The members of the Westen and Lambton branches are expected to give the ton branches are expected to give the program. Tea will be served. Every-known.

Camp McLean Sons of Scotland held their annual concert on New Year's night, when a packed house greeted the artists, who rendered one of the finest rograms ever given in the village. The talent, consisting of Harry Rich and a number of well-known artists, mong whom were Miss Bertha M.

Railway Discrimination Opinion of Commissioner Mills in Wegenast Case.

The recent decision of the Dominion Railway Commission in the suburban service case, which came on for hearing in your attendance, and untiring in your labors, and as a small token of appreciation we ask you to treasure it, not for its intrinsic value, but for the love and esteem which but for the love and esteem which but for the love and esteem which goes with it. We wish you every sucgoes with it. We wish you every success and hope that our pleasant relationship may be long continued.

In conclusion, we wish to convey to you our thanks for the help you have been to us and hope that the coming year may be more pleasant than the past.

Unionville, Dec. 31, 1908.

While in the opinion and down by Judge Mapee, chief commissioner. His dissenting opinion reads as follows:

"The Grand Trunk Railway Company admits that it has been and is now discriminating against the Town of Brampton as compared with the Town of Oakville in the matter of committation tickets

commutation tickets.
"Discrimination in tolls, or rates, against any person, commodity, or lo-cality, is prima facie unjust, and should be disallowed by the board of railway commissioners, unless facts are stated and reasons given which interest centred in the services here are sufficient to prove that, under the to-day. Rev. H. S. Magee, field secrespecial circumstances and conditions

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"Mr. M. K. Cowan, counsel for the railway company, stated that the commutation tickets were withdrawn from Brampton, because "they had not been taken advantage of," and Mr. Bell testified that they were withdrawn on account of a demand, backed by a threat from the branch backed by a threat backed by a thre by a threat, from the business men of the town, because so many Bramp- to order the issue of any class of tick.

hearty vote of thanks.

Eva Cuthbert and Miss Clara MetMcInnes, London, spoke on growing calfe, delighted the large audience, in song and elocution, and were each and all encored again and again. Camp Mc-Lean in all its long and successful career has never given a more successful or pleasing annual.

BULING WAS REGULAR.

misconception which has arisen rela- leader. tive to the election of public school

trustees in that section. The elections, which took place, were held in the statutory manner on Wednesday last. The nominations were mysterious writer in his messages announced that before the guests were When the vote was taken it was found that each of the candidates had received 17 votes, and the chairman, Mr Edwards, giving the casting vote in duly elected. Mr. Edwards as chairman took this course, and his ruling can only be up-set by the proper authorities.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the electors of the Town of North Ladies and Gentlemen: It gives me indeed great pleasure to convey to you. thru the public press, my heartiest thanks for the noble support you gave claimed four women blocked voting ir strenuously to the attempt on the part | me at the polls on New Year's Day, of a section of the Chester and York when you elected me as your chief ma-Township ratepayers to secure a fixed gistrate for the Town of North Toronassessment from the city. Mr. Pearson declares that all the district interested is anxious to come into the you, but will strive to the best of my Representations have likewise been ability and with due diligence, to promade to The World by a number of mote the interests of this fair town of ours, and the trust reposed in me

> A. J. Brown. Mayor-elect.
> North Toronto, Jan. 2, 1909.
> SATURDAY NIGHT BLAZE,

citizens, I remain, yours truly

Efforts of Neighbors and Firemen Averted Big Blaze.

A fire which broke out on Reid-avethe choir under the leadership of dences. An alarm was at once tele-E. Zieman, a former leader of the phoned to the Bolton-avenue and Beach noir. Some 45 attended and rendered fire brigades, and two lines of hose several anthems in good form. Next sunday Miss Murray of Tillsonburg will assume charge of the organ and the new choir. The wind, which was blowing strongly from the west, was favorable toward WOODBRIDGE, Jan. 2.—A meeting saving the houses. The neighbors rendered valuable assistance, but the fire

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sented as withdrawing the commutation tickets from Brampton at the dictation of the business men of the town because so many people were going 'daily to the city,' and at the same time justifying the withdrawal on the ground that it was then and is now impossible to develop a reasonably profitable suburban traffic between the town and the city—traffic of the kind which the company desires, but no evidence is given to prove that the admitted discrimination against Bramp-

tickets, under approved conditions would benefit the country as a whole mitted discrimination against Bramp-ton is not unjust or unreasonable. "Mr. Bell stated that, after making but I am satisfied that it would in-crease the revenue of the railway com-"Mr. Bell stated that, after making an experiment with commutation tickets, the company had withdrawn them from certain places, including Brampton, and had decided to continue them at Oakville, because 'some people in Oakville, during this experimental stage, had bought homes in the country, that they might have to sacrifice if the cheap rates were withdrawn'; but further on he stadd that the country and if the cheap rates were withdrawn; but, further on, he stated that he could not tell how many people living at Oak-ville were doing business in Toronto when the company decided to continue the tickets to Oakville and withdraw them from Brampton. He was, he sa'd, just stating the general principle'. Trunk at Brampton is adequate, sattletted to the formula or the continue of the co

company had issued commutation tickets to Brampton and other places for a number of years, and why it had ceased to do so, especially in the case of Brampton.

Would Increase Revenue. the business during the year. He proloses to have his standing and special
committees so selected that the chairline of the different committees reside
in different parts of the town under
the following names:

VEGETABLE GROWERS MEET.

Finance and executive committee,
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The Toronto branch Ontario Vegetsonable.
"Therefore, my judgment is that the board is under obligation to take such action as may be necessary to remove the discrimination, either by ordering The Toronto branch Ontario Vegetable Growers' Association held their regular monthly meeting at the Albion, President Thos. Delworth in the chair. A. McMeans, O.A.C. Guelph, the rate was put in to cultivate. It to those who must do a certain amount of the chair and the latter than the control of the chair. A. McMeans, O.A.C. Guelph, the rate was put in to cultivate. It to those who must do a certain amount of the rate was put in the control of the chair. chair. A. McMeans, O.A.C., Guelph, gave a very interesting address on

MRS. SCHWAB THREATENED.

E. T. SANDELL But Will Hold Reception Despite My-terious Missives. CHICAGO, Jan. 3 .- Mrs. Henry C Schwab announced last night that her monster reception scheduled for Jan. 6 would be held exactly as planned. This announcement followed a day excitement, during which a score BRACONDALE, Jan. 2.-John Ed- of private detectives worked in vain wards, chairman of the Bracondale school board, is anxious to correct a

Mrs. Schwab has invitations out for rustees in that section.

The elections, which took place, were night at the Congress Hotel. Four assembled Mrs. Schwab would be kill-

BARTENDERS WOULD PROTEST Believe That Friday's Vote Was Not Fairly Taken.

At a meeting of the Bartenders' Union yesterday, it was decided to take steps to see if legal proceedings can-not be taken to restrain the passing of the license reduction bylaw. It was declared that irregularities at the polling booths prevented scores of qualified voters from registering their ballots.

One case was cited where it was one booth for nearly an hour, while a number of male voters left, rather than wait in the long line of voters that accumulated.

AN ATTRACTIVE SIGN. One of the most attractive signs in

this city, and one which has already caused a great deal of favorable comment is that of the Riverdale Lumber Company on Queen-street, a short distance west of Broadview-avenue. pictures, representing as they do the evolution of the raw material into the finished product, are marvels of beauty, and represent a new and forward step in street signs in this city. Allen & Sons, the advertising sign painters, who did the work, are deserving of the highest praise, while the Riverdale Lumber Company may fairly be congratulated on the happy blending of the artistic and practical.

directing the railway company to cease and desist from further discrimi-nation against the said town as com-pared with the Town of Oakville in the matter of commutation tickets."

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against the Town of Brampton, but

not unjustly so maintaining that the discrimination complained of and admitted was just, fair and rea-

sonable.

(3) The said raffway company completely failed to justify the said discrimination—not having given any evidence which, by the utmost

stretch of imagination, could be said to prove that the difference in treatment of the Town of Bramp-ton as compared with the Town of Oakville, is either just, fair, or rea-

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