YORK COUNTY SUBURBS

TODMORDEN

BACKYARDS SHOW WHAT THEY CAN DO

Poultry, Pet Stock and Garden Association Have Great Display.

the opening of the second annual ex-hibition of the Todmorden poultry, one-fortieth of the revenue of the hibition of the Todmorden poultry, pet stock and backyard garden association in Torrens Avenue School last ed meeting of ratepayers held in Broadway Avenue School last night. The meeting was called by the mayor in order to afford opportunity to all residents of the association's aim, namely, greater production and the residents of the district were to be congratulated for the splendid display. congratulated for the splendid display.

The show will be continued today hibitors will be presented at a concert and social gathering to be held at a later date. A special feature of the exhibition was the high quality of the birds and pet stock, and the splendid array of flowers and garden produce. The judges in the different sections Reeves, senior government inspector

James Joslin, president, and other members of the executive committee were also present during the proceed-

FUR AND FEATHER SHOW.

Arrangements are now being made for the annual Todmorden Fur and Feather Show, which will be held in Torrens Avenue School. The committee, under the supervision of H. Lan-caster, president, C. Redfern, W. Wild and W. E. Brown, are actively pre-paring the various events. Over \$100 in cups, trophies and prizes are at present in hand.

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIAL

A well-attended dance and social evening was held in St. Andrew's Hall last night by the young people of St. Andrew's Parish Church. Refreshments were served by the enter-tainment committee, and an enjoyable

EARLSCOURT

SILL HULD READING RECURD.

Earlscourt still retains its reputation for reading more books for the number of people to the square mile than any other section of Toronto. In the Earlscourt branch of the Toronto public library, Boon and Ascot, are about 7,000 volumes which are continuously being borrowed by both adults and children. The proposed new library for Earlscourt is eagerly awaited, but nothing definite can be said about it at the present time. The spring of 1920 is said to be the date for its

HOUSES GOING UP FAST

North Earlscourt is alive with building activity, many new houses now being erected in the Teignmouth,

that lights be placed on this avenue and others in the immediate vicinity. There are many returned soldiers living here who have won decorations for bravery in the late war.

OPENING PRACTICE

Dr. H. P. Rogers is one of the latest arrivals in Earlscourt from the will be fully explained and answered at Gledhill school. front and is opening a doctor's pracin the statement of expenses." tice here. Dr. Rogers has been serving in the R. A. M. C. for four years the situation of the section and its tice here. Dr. Rogers has been servand has just returned from Syria. He transportation difficulties, giving a served in Mesopotamia and was with synopsis of the activities in the search land on the south side of Danforth. General Allenby's victorious army for settlement, when it entered Beirnut. The residents E. V. Donnet when it entered Beirnut. The residents of this city were in bad shape when that they did not want to leave the for a large garage. The land is said to have been \$300 a foot. Turks had commandeered nearly all the food for the supply of the army and many of the people were stary- residents of North Toronto to stand ing, many being found dead on the

AURORA

LIBERAL-CONSERVATIVES MEET. A well-attended and enthusiastic meeting under the auspices of the of secession. He also gave a resume Liberal-Conservative Association was of the situation to date, and became held in Aurora last night. J. Ausman jocular regarding the repetition of acted as chairman, and the principal "wait 'til 1921." He suggested that it acted as chairman, and the principal "wait 'til 1921." He suggested that it speakers were A. R. Hassard, J. A. M. might be even 1925 before the 1921 ment are negotiating for a lease of the riding. The present political was accepted North Toronto. for the riding. The present political

NORTH TORONTO

ALDERMAN COMBATS DISANNEXATION

H. H. Ball Brings Forward Arguments to Show Folly of Secession.

A large gathering was present at sixth of the total area covered by the pet stock and backyard garden asso- city," said Ald. Ball at a well-attendin the district stated their views on the proposed secession and the trongs prizes won by the various ex- portation difficulties confronting the

rateoayers,
Mr. Durand, in answer to a quesmunity such as North Toronto could exist as a separate city, quoted from the budget of the city of Westmount. The judges in the different sections were: J. T. Isbell, bantams; E. R. Durand, rabbits and poultry, and J. as North Toronto would to Toronto.

as North Toronto would to Toronto.

According to statistics quoted by Mr.
Durand, the assessed value of Westmount was \$44,260.850, and the highest
tax rate levied by the authorities of
that place was 16.5 mills.

No Honest Ocsire.

Ald. Ball, replying to a statement
made by E. V. Donnelly as to the reason for the meeting, explained that the
mayor had called it to allow discussion, not of secession, but matters of
vital importance to the district. He vital importance to the district, stated that he did not believe

there was an honest desire for seces-sion in North Toronto.
"No deliberate body would perform such an act as is required by the secessionists, (if I can call them such). If the people, according to a vote, want it, that is a different matter. If they want quick action I will have a peti-tion prepared asking for a vote on the question on January 1, and would be prepared to justify the mandate." Answering the charge that the section had not been justly treated, the speaker said that of the \$554,000 total tax from North Toronto, \$460,000 was general tax and \$80,000 was local improvement. He explained that the last collection in the old town of North Toronto was \$103,000 and not \$83,000, as is generally stated. In making a 19-mill rate no levy had been made for a \$275,000 debenture debt nor on behalf

of the high schools. Regarding the statement that noth-

been bankrupt when appexed, but the 1920 is said to be the date for its erection. Last winter the rain leaked thru the roof of the present building, which is badly adapted for library purposes. the speaker but the district is lighted. policed, has fire protection and every other public convenience other sections

of the city have.

He questioned the possibility of any bank assuming the financial obligations of the new city of North Toronto tween Greenwood and Woodbine. Goodwood and Day avenue districts. under conditions that would exist if The new houses are being built of the secession movement succeeds. brick in contrast to the numerous Concluding, Ald. Ball said that the frame houses which have done duty people, having voted secretly and profer the past ten or fifteen years.

The residents on Teignmouth com-The residents on Teignmouth complain of the need of lights on the annexation. He advised the people to wait for the promised statement of wait for the promised statement of the complex of the promised statement of tion of the transportation problem of-fered in the Mount Pleasant car line. "What Are We Gutting." ming pool veniences.

The incr

"What are we James Robertson: getting for the \$460,000?"

the British arrived and they received city, but 90 per cent. of the people.

troops with acclamation. The canvassed had signed the secession man, has purchased the house at 240 petition. He outlined the conditions Danforth, thru W. A. Summerville, existing in Westmount and urged the and will open a practice there.

Might Be 1925. Dr. Risk read a letter from Commissioner Harris, which advised that \$2,900,000 had been received in taxes from the section since annexation, but that the statement of expenditure had not yet been completed. The speaker suggested that North Toronto would not owe the city much in the event Messrs. Grant & Stevens.

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OPPOSITE CITY HALL

The GERHARD HEINTZMA

of the Mount Pleasant car line. He stated that officialdom, the war and pending negotiation between the city ALL THE LATEST and the Metropolitan Company were in part responsible for the delay in doing things for the north. The speaker believed that secession would **VICTOR** be a backward novement. An argu-ment occasioned by his remark that Metropolitan interests might have something to do with the secession movement, raised a storm of protest. but Mr. Banton assured the meeting that he was not accusing anybody, and had no tangible facts on which to base the statement. It was his private

opinion and not an accusation against any party or parties.

Mr. Ellis also spoke and the meeting was shortly closed by the singing of the national anthem. During the

CUTTING DOWN HILL

Coxwell Avenue Earth Being Used to Fill Gerrard Street Ravine.

The city's locomotives and dump cars, which have been in use for three seasons in removing a hill off Keele street and dumping it into Cathan pond have been put to work on the filling of the Gerrard street ravine, east of Leslie street. Earth to make the fill will be hauled from the city's property on the east side of Coxwell, between Gerrard and the T. Eaton Company delivery building. The railway has already been taid down. The bill on this property will be cut down

BUILDING VERY ACTIVE.

Stores and business blocks continue to rise on both sides of Danforth ave-nue. About 125 new stores have been opened this year already and a careful Regarding the statement that nothing had been done for North Toronto Aid. Ball stated that although the Junction had been annexed four years before North Toronto, the cars still run to Keele street only. "There has been no further advance in transportation, with the exception of the short Bloor street line."

Cheques Repudiated.

E. V. Donnelly took exception to respect to rise on both sides of Danforth avenue. About 125 new stores have been opened this year already and a careful estimate places the number now under construction at 75. Excavations have been completed for a block of 12 stores on the north side, immediately west of Jones avenue. This is the first invasion of the market garden area between Jones and Greenwood. The branch for the Bank of Montreal E. V. Donnelly took exception to statements that North Toronto had at the corner of Danforth and Carlaw will be ready for occupancy within two weeks. It is understood the Canadian Bank of Commerce will commence in a few days the erection of a branch on the southeast corner of Danforth and Woodbine. west corner is being held by the Wm. Davies Company as a site for a meat

> There is no let up on house building activity in the district, especially be-

EIGHT ROOMS FOR SECORD

The school trustees of school section 26, York township, have decided to place an additional eight rooms to the present Secord school building. Barrington avenue, and will advertise sent to the township council asking expenditure to be furnished by the for tenders next week. The building civic officials and spoke of the solu- when finished will contain a swimming pool and other up-to-date con-

The increased accommodation has become imperative owing to the present overcrowded state of the school Ald. Ball: "The school system has There are between 800 and 900 chilbeen doubled, garbage collection, permanent fire department,—but all that Secord's two portables and two rooms

SITE FOR GARAGE

The sale is reported of 102 feet of east of the Allen Theatre, as a site Dr. Hipwell, a returned medical I. Pimblett, corner of Danforth and Main, is erecting three stores on Danforth, at the corner of Westlake

avenue. BUSINESS CHANGES HANDS

Messrs. Sparrow and Butters have purchased the real estate business at 261 Danforth, formerly conducted by

POSTOFFICE ON DANFORTH

7, York township, at a recent meet-ing decided to levy \$12,000 for the Mr. Banton said that he was pleased Danforth avenues for a branch postto hear so many protestations in favor office. A branch is badly needed in Plains road school for the forthcom-

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MIMICO. REPORT ON INDUSTRIAL

At the monthly meeting of the board of management of the industrial schools, held at the city hall yesterday afternoon, Ald. W. H. Hitz in the chair, C. Ferrier, superintendent of the Industrial School for Boys, Mimico, reported for the four months ending September 1.

On May 1, 315 boys were in attendance, and on September 1 there were 302. Of the new committals only two were from Toronto, the other thirty two being from outside points. Of

two being from outside points. Of the 67 paroled 12 were sent to farm houses, 5 to other situations and

others to their own homes.

The general health was reported good. Special teachers were employed to carry on teaching during July and August. In the teaching staff changes had been made by the retirement of Mrs. Brodie and Mrs. Pottinger. Remembling the face which the turning the face with the teaching the tea Mrs. Brodie and Mrs. Pottinger. Regarding the farm work, the turnip crop was reported a complete failure, the other vegetables yielding enormously and the gtrawberries giving 2,000 baskets from less than half an acre.

Mr. Ferrier recommended that the old automobile which had done good service be sold and a new one bought. This was approved by the board after enquiry as to its need. The accounts for the Industrial School for the four months amounted to \$29,536.99, of which \$8,500.03 was for salaries and \$21,036.96 for general maintenance. The sum of \$4,800 of the boys earnings and savings has been placed in Victory bonds. The board were pleased to report that 80 per cent. of the pupils of the Industrial Schools make good. Some discussion took place regarding the status of teachers financially. The teachers have agreed

financially. The teachers have agreed to carry on at present salaries until Among the recreations reported was

a picnic to the Island, arranged by some of the residents. Thanks were moved by the board for free transportation by the Toronto Street Railway and Toronto Ferry Company for free transportation on that occasion.

FLECTRICAL WORKERS' UNION.

Bell telephone members of the Electrical Workers' Union are understood to be satisfied with the award of Judge Gunn's board of arbitration, which has granted a 44-hour week for Arthur Booin, recently appointed general organizer for the American Federation of Labor, and whose special interest centras around the Teamsters' International Union, addressed the Toronto local of that union last night. He is a delegate to the connight. He is a delegate to the con-vention of the Trades Congress now superintendent at Montreal, during the being held at Hamilton, and will spend sessions of the board had evoked real a week in Toronto when the convention is over in a general survey of of his straightforward handling of all labor conditions here. questions in dispute. questions in dispute.

RIVERDALE

\$500; free text books, \$500; repairs

cial government, \$30. Total, \$2,330.

As the assessment of the section

A meeting of the Daughters of England, Mistletoe Lodge, which has been moved from O'Neill's Hall, took place at Playter's Hall, Danforth avenue, last night. Mrs. W. Hodges, president, occup ed the chair. Arrangements were made to hold a

social evening and extend a welcome to members of sister lodges. Two members were initiated. Mrs. W. Poulter, secretary, stated that the standing.

YORK

GURNEY PROPERTY SOLD.

Edmond B. Ryckman has purchased the property at 44 Walmer road from the trustees of the estate of the late Edward Gurney for \$70,000. The lot has a frontage of 140 feet by a depth of 242 feet. The house is assessed for \$50,000 and the land for \$15,400. Dr. F. C. Marlow has purchased from Dr. R. S. Richardson the residence at 647 Broadview avenue for \$14,650. The lot has a frontage of 57 feet on Broad-

Sixth Floor. in Sumpson ing calendar year as follows: Deficit from 1919, \$2,356; salaries, \$7,690; coal, APPOINTED A. F. OF L. ORGANIZER debentures. \$2,784. Total, \$14,330. The income from various grants is: York township, \$1,700; provincial government, \$500; county council, \$100; text book grant from provinis \$1,165,178, the rate for 1920 will be 10.3 mills on the dollar.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Lieut.-Col. K. R. Marshall, C.M.G., D.S.O., recently returned from active service overseas, has succeeded his father, Col. Noel Marshall, as President of the Standard Fuel Company of Toronto, Limited.

In making this announcement, the directors of the Company take the opportunity of thanking their many friends for their long continued patronage and good will, and trust that the pleasant relations to the public, extending over a period of nearly fifty years, may be continued to the new manage-

K. R. MARSHALL, President.

N. C. MARSHALL, Vice-President.

J. A. GLOVER, Secretary-Treasurer.

Delegates of the Toronto Street Railway Union, Local No. 113, attending the Trades and Labor Congress at Hamilton. From left to right they are: Sheppard, G. P. Gerring, H. B. Oakley, Wm. Varley, A. E. Midgley, J. Scott and Joe Sharp.