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Division Court will be held here next Tuesday, the 15th of April.

Citizens are pleased to see our Village Clerk, Mr. Hume, in his office again, after being confined a week at his home, from an attack of pleurisy.

An Easter Concert will be given in the Willowdale Church, Tuesday evening, the 15th of April. Solos, duets and a cantata will be rendered by the choir.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church are serving a supper in the school room, on Tuesday, April 15th, from 5 to 7 o'clock. Price 25 cents. Come.

Tuesday's Star stated that Mr. Keith, M. P. F. for North York, would consult legal authority to see if Hydro has the power to raise the rates on the Metropolitan Railway.

The Rev. W. Mason, will give an illustrated address on The Passion of Our Lord, Thursday evening, at 7.30, at St. Mary's C. of E. Everybody welcome.

The Matron and Orphanage Board desire to thank Dr. Lorne Bell, of Richmond Hill, and Dr. Underhill, of Aurora, for the \$20 received for the Orphanage Cadet Corps sporting fund.

Prof. Tomlinson, of the O. A. C., Guelph, will give an illustrated address to the Thornhill Horticultural Society, next Tuesday evening, April 15, at 8 o'clock, in the new school building. The public cordially invited.

Mr. Mills, the new Chief of the Fire Brigade, requests that in case of a fire, the person observing it telephone at once to the Central Office. The operator will notify different members of the Brigade.

Are you keeping in mind, Good Friday, April 18th, when the choir of the Presbyterian Church, will render the Sacred Cantata "Olivet to Calvary," J. H. Maunder. For full particulars see bills.

The Girls and Junior Auxiliary's of St. Mary's C. of E., are holding a Bazaar on April 26th, in the Masonic Hall. Also on the same evening a Musical play entitled "Our Minister's Birthday," will be presented by the young people. Keep the date open and watch for cast of play. 41-42

The regular monthly meeting of the Richmond Hill Horticultural Society will be held in the High School, on Tuesday evening, April 15. Mr. J. H. Dunlop, will give an address on "Rose Culture." Mr. Dunlop's name in this connection needs no comment. The fame of the Dunlop Roses spreads over a continent. The society appreciates Mr. Dunlop's courtesy in replying to their request for an address on this topic.

BIRTHS

RUMBLE—On Thursday, April 3rd, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott Rumble, a daughter, (Marjorie Frances Louise.)

GLOVER—On March 29th, to Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Glover, Victoria Square, a son, Mervin Clarence. (Nee Edna Empringham.)

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Village Council

The Council met April 7. By request the Council agreed to do what it could to assist the Horticultural Society in beautifying the park.

Letters were read with reference to prices for hose couplings, firemen's coats and safes and vaults.

The Building Inspector made some suggestions with regard to the enforcement of the building by-law.

Petitions were presented for a sidewalk west side of Elizabeth street; for an extension of the water system to Benson Avenue; and for the Council to purchase a chemical Fire and Hose truck at a cost of about \$1,700.

The Treasurer's report of the Arena operations during the past season showed receipts \$2761.78, expenses \$1387.21, leaving a net profit of \$1374.57.

On motion, the names of John Shear-down and George Smith were sent for appointment of County Constables.

A committee was appointed to interview the Highway Commission with reference to a sewer on Centre Street east, payment for a large number of accounts was ordered, and the Council adjourned.

AUCTION SALE

TUESDAY, APRIL 22—Auction sale of pure-bred shorthorn cattle, Summit Farm, Jefferson, the property of I. H. Waldon. Sale at 2 o'clock. Terms 6 months. Prentice & Prentice, Aucts.

Metropolitan Area Bill

EAST YORK COUNCILLOR ACCUSES HON. GEO. HENRY OF TRYING TO RIDE TWO HORSES.

EDITOR OF THE LIBERAL :

Sir: In the Metropolitan Area Bill as proposed by Hon. Geo. Henry, allow me to say that it appears to me to be only a subterfuge to soothe the political feelings of ratepayers in East York who are disappointed with Hon. Mr. Henry on his temperance attitude.

At the last provincial election, Hon. Mr. Henry had a manifesto in the Markham "Economist & Sun" of June 21st, 1923, in which he made the following statement:

"I stand for the maintenance of the Ontario Temperance Act and its vigorous enforcement."

This would strongly appeal to the temperance people in the northern portion of East York riding.

Then, in the southern or urban portion, where 80 to 90 per cent. are English-born and many desire to have the freedom of having a glass of ale as they see fit, he sent out a personal circular dated "Todmorden, June 15th, 1923," and in it he did not mention his attitude on the O. T. Act. This looks a shady transaction for a Minister of the Crown.

The "wets" in East York are now disappointed in Hon. Mr. Henry's temperance policy, and to soothe their wounded feelings he is advocating a proposed Metropolitan area scheme which is supposed to lower their school taxes by loading some of it on the city of Toronto which is already over-burdened with taxes.

Then, if Toronto members kick against the bill he can go back to the urban portion of East York and say to them, "I tried to get you relief in your school taxes but the members of Toronto opposed me."

I really believe that Hon. Mr. Henry does not intend to force the bill, for as Minister of the Crown he could introduce it as a government measure and with the big Conservative majority it would be carried in spite of Toronto opposition. It is worth watching how he introduces the bill in the Legislature.

If Hon. Mr. Henry was serious and wished to lower school taxes in his and other districts he should introduce a bill that in the case of a sale of vacant land in all cities, towns, villages and townships bordering on cities, there should be taken a certain percentage of the unearned increment or profit tax for school purposes in such municipalities.

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METHODIST CHURCH

The Young People of Victoria Square will give the play "Between Two Lives," in the Masonic Hall, Richmond Hill, on the night of April 24th. This play is being given under the auspices of the Y. P. S. of the Methodist Church. Keep the date open.

The Young People's Society of the Methodist Church, will be "At Home" to the Y. P. S. of the Presbyterian Church, next Monday Evening. A leading feature of the programme will be an "Old Time Spelling Match"—the words to be selected from the "Epistle to the Hebrews," and also "Epistle of James."

Services in the Methodist Church April 13th

10 a. m.—Mr. A. E. Plewman
11 a. m.—Educational Anniversary—special speaker, Prof. De Witte.
2.45—Sunday school and adult classes.
7 p. m.—"The Betrayal with a Kiss." Special Palm Sunday music—Strangers cordially invited.

Notice of Registration of By-Law

NOTICE is hereby given that a By-law was passed by the Council of Richmond Hill on the 10th day of March, 1924, providing for the issue of Debentures to the amount of \$95,000, for the purpose of building a new High School, and that such by-law was registered in the registry office for the East and West ridings of the County of York, on the 31st day of March, 1924.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same or any part thereof must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice, and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated the 8th day of April 1924.

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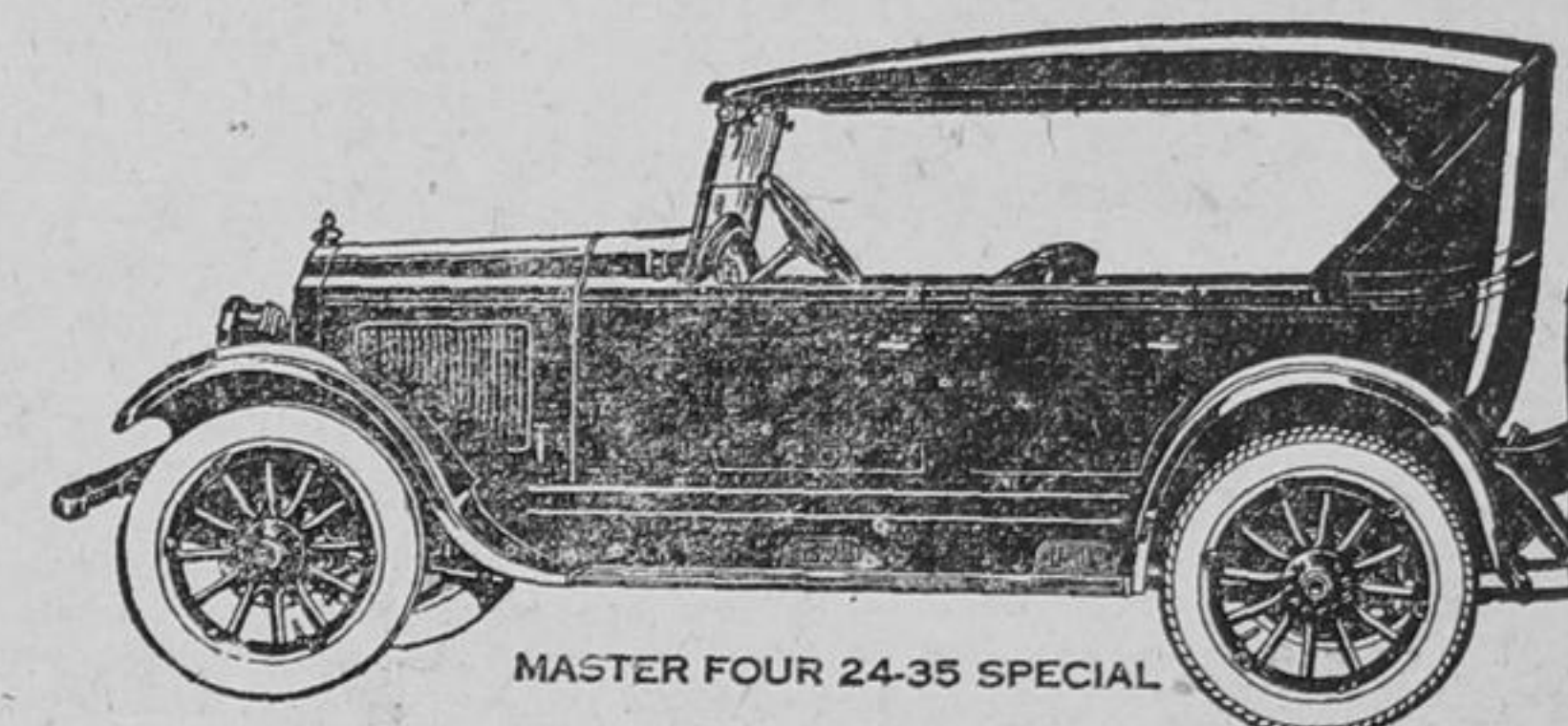
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