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Adjourned Meeting

The Village Council held a meeting in the Clerk's office Tuesday evening. Accounts to the amount of \$1897.23 were read and ordered to be paid.

Tenders for supplying coal were read from J. Sheardown and I. D. Ramer. The following motion by Councillor Greene seconded by Councillor Edean, was carried.

"That one car load of mine run Vinton smokeless coal be ordered from I. D. Ramer, at price quoted in tender, \$5.20. Mr. B. H. Lasher to arrange for delivery."

The Building Inspector's report was read showing permits issued during July for buildings and repairs to the value of \$5,150.00.

Councillor McLean reported as to a drain on Markham Road. Mr. W. J. Lawrence, being present, spoke on the matter and it was arranged that he, with Councillor McLean and Engineer Lasher, should go over the ground in the near future and bring in a definite report.

Considerable discussion was had with reference to the condition of certain streets in the Village and the work necessary on each, and on motion the Engineer was instructed to proceed with the grading and ditching of Centre Street west.

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12-Ride Tickets

A new ticket has been issued by the Metropolitan Division for patrons of their Railway. The fare for 12 rides between Richmond Hill and Toronto is \$2.40. The tickets can be used by all the members of the same family, and are good for 30 days. Heretofore, tickets were good for the purchaser only.

Union Picnic

The Union Picnic in connection with St. Mary's, St. Luke's and St. Edward's churches, held on the church grounds here Saturday, was fairly well attended. A splendid supper was served and the afternoon sports and the concert in the evening were enjoyable features. In the contests, Miss May Greene secured the Pearl necklace, Mr. Cotton, the Electric Iron, Mr. French, the Lamb, and little Miss Devlin, the large doll.

Help The Fresh Fund

The Women's Auxiliary of St. Mary's Church (C. of E.) will hold a Garden Party on the grounds of the Rev. R. S. Mason, Yonge St., on Wednesday, August 13th, commencing at 4 p. m. Tea from 5 to 8 p. m. 25 per cent. of the proceeds will go to the Fresh Air Fund. The total proceeds of home-made baking and candy table, will go the Fresh Air Fund. Come and give a child a holiday in the country. Concert to commence at 8 p. m.

Accidents Galore

Many motor accidents happened on the slope south of Richmond Hill, Monday evening after the rain. But fortunately no person was seriously injured. A large car driven by a man who had with him his wife and four children, skidded to the side of the road, completely turning over, and pinning the occupants under the car. The Baldoek wreckage outfit was called out six different times after six o'clock to assist in taking cars off the railway track or out of the ditch. Two of the cars were able to proceed on their way, but the other four had to be drawn to the Richmond Hill garage for repairs.

Fall Wheat Judged

Judging in the fall wheat competition, held annually by the Woodbridge Agricultural Society, was held on Saturday, James Ross, of Woodbridge, attaining the highest number of points with a score of 97. The result of the competition, which is based on the general condition of the whole growth, is: L. Keffer, Woodbridge, 96; Peter McNeil, Maple, 93; George Matheson, Maple, 92; Wesley Clarkson, Maple, 88; Robert Watson, Maple, 88; Robert Watson, Woodbridge, 87, and Henry Barker, Thistown, 84, George E. Foster, of Honeywood, acted as judge.

Mackenzie King Picnic

Arrangements are being completed for a great Demonstration and Picnic to be held in Markham Village, Saturday, August 16, in honor of Hon. W. L. M. King, Premier of the Dominion and M. P., for this Riding, North York. Duncan Marshal, Provincial Organizer, has attended several meetings, and has rendered valuable assistance to the committee in charge of the proceedings. Good prizes will be given for men's and girls' baseball and other sports. There will be a procession from every municipality in the Riding, and the Premier on his arrival in Markham will be greeted by bands, decorations and other marks of honor. Another meeting of the committee will be held in the Town Hall, Markham, this (Thursday) evening.

VILLAGE COUNCIL.

The Council met on August 1st, 1924, in the Clerk's office, all the members present. The minutes of previous meetings were read and confirmed. Communications were read as follows: From the Hydro-Electric Commission enclosing lease for part of its land in the north end of the village. A protest against the erection of a garage and machine shop on North Yonge Street, signed by W. Braybon and fourteen others. A letter from George Smith asking an increase in salary. A

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letter from Mr. E. A. James re Centre Street East drains. From Miss O. Burr asking improvement to drainage conditions at the corner of Centre and Bridgeford Streets. A petition for a sidewalk in front of the Methodist Church on Centre street. From Mr. P. C. Hill objecting to the deepening of the ditch in front of his residence on Wright Street. From the waterworks engineer re the clearwater well at the pump house; also re the price of coal. From the Taylor safe works giving cuts of safes for Municipal service.

A resolution moved by Councillor Edean seconded by Councillor Greene, was passed awarding the contract for laying drains on Centre Street and Yonge Street to Britnell and Sheardown, work to be started immediately. The clerk was instructed to forward a copy of this resolution to the Engineers and Contractors.

A resolution moved by Councillor Edean and seconded by Councillor Greene to increase the salaries of the Village officials was carried.

That the local coal dealers be asked to quote a price on smokeless coal, mine run, by the car load.

That the Engineer be instructed to have the clear water well put in good condition when a favourable opportunity occurs.

A letter from Mr. W. J. Lawrence was read with reference to a drain on Baker Avenue and Markham Road was read, and the Engineer with Councillor McLean were instructed to go over the ground and bring in a report.

The remainder of the communications were discussed at some length, but no action was taken.

It was decided to proceed at once with the completion of the Yonge St. sidewalk which was begun last fall and the engineer was instructed to arrange for teams and material for that purpose.

Council adjourned.

BUS TIME TABLE

Leave Richmond Hill		Leave Toronto	
A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
6.30	12.45	6.30	12.30
7.00	1.40	7.00	1.30
7.30	2.40	7.30	2.15
8.00	3.15	8.00	3.15
9.15	4.00	9.00	4.00
10.00	5.00	9.50	4.50
11.10	5.30	10.50	5.40
11.55	6.40	11.50	6.00
	8.35		7.35
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