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Messrs. G. B. Newberry and E. the directors decided to give spe-Legge; Sidesmen, Messrs. Norman cial prizes for best team of agri-Glass and Rolph Kerswill. Delegate cultural horses.

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church to be in a flourishing condi- The Agricultural Society met Wedtion. The receipts for the past year nesday afternoon, amended and conbrick-cladding the church, painting appointed judges for the Fair. A Saturday on a serious charge. and all repairs. The following off- committee was instructed to engage icers were appointed: Wardens, the Newmarket band, 20 pieces, and

Notwithstanding the downpour of At a mortgage sale held at the rain Tuesday evening there was a Queen's Hotel, Aurora, on Saturday very fair attendance at the festival township was re-elected president of last, Mr. Wm. Thomas purchased the held in the Temperance Hall in aid the Ontario Conservation and Refor-Spencely Farm, Oak Ridges, consist- of St. Mary's Church of England. estation Association Zone 3 at the ing of 50 acres, for the sum of There was a choice musical program annual meeting held in Barrie last presented. Rev. Mr. Patterson of week. The district includes Grey, The auction sale of Mr. W. R. Deer Park, gave a pleasing address Bruce, Dufferin, Wellington, Simcoe, Richmond Hill Phones-15 and 142 Proctor's drew a very large crowd and the refreshments which were Peel and York Counties. of people last Thursday, and in the served in the rear of the hall were THORNHILL AND UNIONVILLE afternoon the premises and surround- delicious. The ladies also disposed We are pleased to report that

#### THIRTY YEARS AGO

From our Issue of April 14th, 1910

Street belonging to Mr. Matthew told Council. The report, which was owned by Mr. William Sheppard, to communicable diseases reported. Mr. Chas. Hickson, who contemplates putting thereon a house for himself during the year.

ier, a weekly paper published in Toronto, stated that Hon. Adam Brown ies staged by North York Veterans' of Hamilton is the oldest postmaster in Canada. Last week The Courier first time since the association was admits its error and states what cannot be disputed that our esteemed citizen, Mr. Matthew Teefy, is four years older than Mr. Brown. Mr. Teefy will be 88 years of age next Monday, and has been postmaster here continuously since 1850, a period of 60 years. Mr. Teefy also enjoys the distinction of being the oldest Justice of Peace in York County, and his many friends are pleased to know he is enjoying the

best of health. The funeral of the late James Newton, senior member of the Newton Tanning Company, Elgin Mills, was very largely attended last Saturday afternoon. Many old friends from Toronto, Aurora, Newmarket and other places, who had long been associated with him socially, and along business lines, were present to show their last mark of respect to one who had been well known and

highly esteemed for many years. Two Nelson Shields, in the name of Rt. Hon. Lord Strathcona, acting through the British and Foreign Sailors' Society, have been received by the Richmond Hill Board of Education. One is for the High School, the other for the Public School. The historic copper of which they are made came from Lord Nelson's own flag ships "Victory" and "Foudroyant", and is stampel "E.R.VII" by Royal Command. Every educational institution in Canada will be pleased Mill Street and Wood lane. The of Canada.

### FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

to its appearance.

The Unionist W.M.S. Auxiliary of ing. Thornhill, held their Easter Thank- One of Richmond Hill's most high-

Phone King 42-r-8 pond on the east side, bordering on tery, Markham.

## General News & Views

April 28th.

Mrs. Margaret Buck of Kleinburg were over \$800, and a neat little bal- firmed the prize list, appointed di- was arrested by Sergt. S. A. Barra-Formerly with Heintzman Company ance is on hand after paying for rectors for the various classes, and clough of York County Police last

> "Walter, will the orchestra play anything requested?"

"Oh, yes, sir." "Well, ask 'em to play bridge."

Reeve James Rennie of Markham

of a number of pretty articles which James H. Kirby of North Toronto, had been specially prepared for the father of Hon. Harold J. Kirby, Onoccasion. Rev. Gibson, rector, pre- tario Minister of Health, and well sided at the entertainment. A num- known throughout this district as a ber of cakes which were left over former resident of Vaughan Townwere afterwards sold, Mr. J. T. ship who has been seriously ill has Saigeon acting as auctioneer. The sufficiently recovered to permit his proceeds amounted to upwards of removal to his home. His many friends join with The Liberal in extending best wishes for his speedy and complete recovery.

Many of the farmers in this section | In presenting the annual report of are through with their spring seed- | the local Board of Health, H. S. ing. The land never worked better, Sparks, chairman, urged close inand in most cases fall wheat looks spection of milk sold at the North York Market, before North York Mr. H. A. Nicholls, real estate Council this week. Some farmers agent, reports the following trans- were not carrying out the requirefers during the week in Richmond ments of the law, and it may be Hill: The house and lot on Church necessary to take drastic action, he Patton, to Mr. William Pratt of adopted, stated that during last year Penetanguishene, who will move here the municipality was entirely free of with his family in a few weeks; and infantile paralysis, smallpox and the vacant lot on Centre St. East diphtheria. There were 503 cases of

For the British Empire the present war is a crusade in defence of Some time ago the Canadian Cour- Christianity, Rev. Frank Mesley declared at special Vimy Day ceremonassociation last Sunday. For the organized a church parade was held in the city to Parliament Street United church.

Air cadets, York County Veterans Trumpet band, ladies' auxiliaries joined in the parade, which formed up in Allan Gardens. A. W. Skelly, president of the North York association, was commander of the parade.

Capt. Mesley, padre of the Originals club and the 15th battalion, held up the spirit of Vimy in the last war as an example in meeting the menace of today.

German occupation of Denmark, from where Britain obtained most of her eggs, butter and bacon, has cut off the supply to the benefit of Can ada, whose export trade in these articles gives promise of rapid in-

"The closing of the Danish sources of supply to Great Britain will naturally enhance the prospects of a general improvement in the Canadian butter business," said James R. Ross, of the dairy branch of the United Farmers of Ontario.

The United Farmers state that if the demand for butter increases, there will be a big increase in the supply. Farmers will devote more of their milk and cream to butter-

to receive such a unique historical little trees ten inches or more in trophy from the High Commissioner | height are supplied by the Department of Forestry of the Provincial Government, and will be planted five feet apart. This department has al-From our Issue of April 16th, 1925 ready sent out a man to advise as The Rustic Inn has just received to varieties of trees and preparaa fresh coat of paint, adding much | tion for planting, and will send again a supervisor at the time of plant-

offering meeting on Tuesday at the ly respected residents in the person Manse, Richmond Hill. There was a of Sarah Ann Shoults, passed away large attendance and the offering at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. amounted to over fifty-eight dollars. P. Elson, Roseview Avenue, on Mon-The Horticultural Society with the day morning of this week. The funconsent of the Village Council has eral was held on Wednesday under undertaken to reforest the lot of direction of Rev. H. S. Warren. Inwaste land adjoining the waterworks terment followed in 7th line ceme-



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