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the necessary expenses."

Councillor Hooper.

municipalities concerned. efficiently by Richmond Hill and breakfasted near the source of a North York.

Thornhill Street Lights

will be requested to have a rep- time; and for this reason as well resentative come out and discuss as for its magnificent natural beauwith Township Engineer Babcock ty it should be protected and prela project for laying a sidewalk served. north from Steele's Corners to Thornhill. It is hoped to get ac- we have received on my own betion on the project this summer. half and on that of Mrs. Simcoe,

ported that it will cost \$5,500 an- call us from the past whenever we nually to inaugurate garbage col- may be of service to the cause in lection on the east side of Yonge which we are all interested. St. from Steele's Ave. to No. highway and he had written the Brought Together various ratepayers groups along "The Don Valley Conservation the route advising them to this Association has brought the resi-

ing for bids that the collector ations to come. Today we are a must provide his own dumping factor and a power for the common

#### Trade Fair

(Continued from page 1) ticket for the grand prize will re-

ceive a special prize of \$10.

Ed Little assured the group that own rich reward. the Horticultural Society would parking as they did last year.

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#### |Don Valley

(Continued from page 1) in the townships of North York "I believe the whole cost should and East York alike. In my day be borne by the bus line" declared I also urged that a University be Councillor Hooper, "We're only established in the capital of this getting 11% of the profits and new province to form a bulwark why should we be assessed 25% of against the inroads of Republicanism. We wanted none of our youth "We're getting some new roads to be tempted to American seats of out of it" commented Reeve I'im- learning "where their morals might bers. "But we'll have to bear the become corrupt and their loyalty burden of snow removal in the win- overthrown." In the University which now adorns the city of Tor-I don't believe there should be once formerly known as York, I any objection to having the cost understand there is a hall which come out of the general revenue bears my name. I hope it will be of the bus line" commented Coun- a constant reminder to graduates and undergraduates alike that Can-"Improvements for the old street adian Education should still be for car line always were paid out of Canadians. We hope the Univerthe operating fund" suggested sity places a just value on outstanding achievement, and is not It was finally decided to have designed primarily to permit as Reeves Hostrawser and Timpers many students as possible to gradreopen the matter with the other uate with as little effort as possible for themselves or their instructors.

The matter of creating a fire ar- I am happy to participate in this ea in Thornhill was discussed excursion of the Don Valley Conbriefly and inasmuch as little had servation Association because of been heard from the village re- my own early familiarity with this cently, there wasn't much possibil- area. My summer home was on ity of action this year. Difficulty the lower Don; and in 1793, while of getting personnel was emphas- seeking a path between Lake Onized as a serious obstacle to ere- tario and Lake Huron, I discoverating a fire department in the ed a fine trail from Holland Landvillage which is now served harrly ing to the mouth of the Don. We

small branch, now known as German Creek, at what I understand Clerk McDonald reporting on is now approximately the site of street lights for Thornhill, said as- Elgin Mills. We travelled six or surance had been given by Chair- seven miles further to the east man Robert Saunders of the On- branch of the Don and there entario Hydro Commission that the camped. This would be about two latter would finance installation of miles south of your Thornhill. We the lights and would collect later later reached the west branch aban instalment basis. It was out a mile and a half below your decided to have this definitely un- York Mills, near which there was derstood before further action is in my day a most excellent spring. This Don Valley was replete with The Department of Highways historical associations even in my

May I thank you for the welcome and our companions, Captain and Clark Hoover of Markhani re- Mrs. Macgill. We hope you will

SIMCOE

dents of entire streets together in He estimated that such a price a common appreciation of the would work out at about \$13 a year woodland wealth at their doors" per family and action is being declared President Sauriol. "We held up pending further word as an association have sown seeds from the property owners concern- of conservation which will produce ed. The council stipulated in ask- crops in their own way for genergood of all."

"We do not bargain our time for money in the matter of conservation, for conservation is priceless: The planting of a tree, the producing of a trillium from seed, the protecting of a river bank, the preserving of a spring, are minor acts of conservation which carry their

"We love our tiny part of this put on a flower show the same as immense Canada, down to the very last year and the local rose grow- life-giving soil itself. We are eners will be invited to arrange dis- amored of the beauty which that plays. It is expected the Boy soil casts through growth across Scouts will cooperate in handling our landscape, and we want it to endure. We will protect it and fight for it against its woud-be despoilers. It is our heritage, yours and mine, and our children's.

"A century ago Wm. Lea pioneer settler of Leaside wrote these lines, he was speaking of the Don, 'If the object was to contemplate the works of the creator here was quiet; only the rippling of waters over a stony bed, or the whirr of wild ducks . . . This might truly be considered a temple not made with hands!

"Thankful are we that some of this heritage has been handed down to us. Another generation may well thank us for the modest work in conservation which we are loing today.

"Last fall a number of us made a trail in a previously inaccessible woodland of the Don valley - so long as the trail was not made, no one passed that way - but no sooner it seemed, had the soil been cut with the spade and the ground cleared than the trail was discovered. Already its ground is packed hard with the impact of many

"Today we have blazed a new trail, a trail to the thinking of thousands of our citizens who will discover for themselves that the paths of conservation lead to good citizenship, to the preservation of an heritage, to mutual undertanding and love and respect of ferlow men. May it also make us conscious through gatherings sucn as this of the effort of the pioneers and the history makers of our country to whom we owe so much. There were also brief addresses by Art Uren president of the Richmond Hill Business Men's Assocliation, and Harry Simpson, reeve of East York.

#### WEDDING

HUDSON-HARVEY Lillian Anita Harvey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harvey, May Ave., Richmond Hill, became the bride of Albert George Hudson eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hudson, Markham Road, Richmond Hill. The marriage took place in St. Mary's Anglican Church Saturday, May 12, 1951. Rev. W. F. Wrixon officiated.

#### DEATHS

PETRIE - Mary Stuart, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Wilkins, 8 Dudley Avenue, Thornhill on Monday, May 14, 1951, Mary Stuart, beloved wife of George Petrie, and dear mother of Helen, Burford, Ont. and Rev. George Part and May (Mrs. Albert Wilkins).

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