

Incorporation Plans Shelved at Oak Ridges

Plans for incorporation of the Oak Ridges - Lake Wilcox area as a separate municipality received a distinct setback last week when

a sparsely-attended meeting of the Oak Ridges - Lake Wilcox Ratepayers Association at Oak Ridges Public School gave the subject a six-month hoist after hearing reports and speakers. Cost of operation of a separate municipality was the main factor which deterred ratepayers from going further with the suggestion.

Pickering Tp. Council Agrees To Retain Police Chief

Pickering Twp. Council Thursday night altered its stand on calling for the resignation of Chief Constable L. W. Trinnell and told the Police Commission of the township that it will rescind the resolution at the next meeting of council. A four-hour secret meeting was held by the commission along with the township council and a few ratepayers. The press was excluded. At the end of the session, Judge F. J. MacRae, chairman, issued a prepared statement to reporters. It said there is no evidence before the Commission to justify criticism of Chief Trinnell and his police administration.

At the opening of the meeting, Judge MacRae asked whether or not reporters should be admitted and upon suggestion of a Pickering resident, Bert Cane, His Honor ruled the meeting would be held in camera. An unusual feature of the affair was that one reporter who is a taxpayer in the township was allowed to be present while four others were excluded.

Judge MacRae said his reason for excluding the press was that "perhaps we can get this ironed out without publicity."

After the meeting, it was learned that the Commission itself had complained about the manner in which the council gave police across-the-board raises of \$300 per annum recently without recommendation from the commission. Early in the year, council offered only \$100 increases but when it was threatened with the case going to a Board of Arbitration, it decided on the \$300 figure without consulting the commission.

Judge MacRae made it clear to all present that if there are complaints about police administration, they should be properly brought before the commission in writing and that if an investigation is warranted, evidence will be taken under oath. No such action has been taken in the present situation.

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MUNICIPALITY OF THE Township of Markham

To the Ratepayers of the Township of Markham

Due to what is believed by myself and members of council, to be unfair criticism of the financial position of the Township of Markham and to stem any further rumours of unstable financing, I hereby issue the following financial statement as issued in the latest report from the township auditors, Wilton C. Eddis & Sons, chartered accountants.

I trust that this report will present the sound position existing in the state of our finances.

Signed: Reeve Win. Timbers, Township of Markham.

WILTON C. EDDIS & SONS
Chartered Accountants

12th August 1952.

The Reeve and Council, Township of Markham, UNIONVILLE, Ontario.

Dear Sirs:

In response to the Clerk's letter of 11th August and the recent resolution of Council asking for a letter from me concerning the finances of the Township:

As auditor I have never been concerned as to the soundness of the finances of the Municipality, nor as to them being administered properly. My only concern was as to the growth and capacity of the office staff not keeping pace with the development of the Municipality as an institution.

At this time in order to overcome any idea that the affairs of the Township are not in good condition, I can only quote from the annual statement which is on file in the office of the Municipality and compare it with other years.

The current assets and the current liabilities as at 31st December of the various years are as follows:

	1951	1950	1949	1948
Current assets:				
Bank balance	43,218.27	29,844.23	14,714.40	12,831.09
Unpaid taxes	23,331.37	34,124.31	30,934.09	24,573.54
Prov. Ont. subsidy	3,081.91	14,329.06	16,419.72	18,848.22
Sundry Accounts receivable	3,081.91	320.63	500.76	1,333.41
Advances re local improvements	49,408.71	13,275.09	2,388.06	4,856.96
Total current assets	\$119,040.26	\$91,893.32	\$64,957.03	\$62,443.22
Current liabilities:				
Bank overdraft	19,304.24			
Accounts payable	24,501.07	11,257.89	11,838.39	8,017.30
Surplus general school rates	3,494.59	2,958.73	1,601.86	920.99
Sundry school sections	31,312.04	28,207.91	15,167.37	21,353.80
Police villages	6,825.68	4,210.32	3,625.28	1,937.06
Special provisions re after-war expenditure			1,420.06	1,420.06
N. Yonge Railway	3,919.16	5,905.31	689.41	2,893.22
Advance re local improvements		8,425.56	8,244.24	
Total current liabilities	\$89,356.78	\$60,965.72	\$42,586.61	\$36,542.43
Excess of current assets over current liabilities	\$29,683.48	\$30,927.60	\$22,370.42	\$25,900.79

The debenture debt which includes the Municipality's share of debentures issued by other municipalities amounted to \$361,594.11, which does not include Markham's share of debentures issued by the Villages of Markham and Stouffville covering their present high schools. This amount is very small.

Comparison of the net tax roll for the past four years is as follows:

1951	\$270,170
1950	192,644
1949	196,109
1948	168,465

The statistics as quoted above will indicate the favourable position of the Municipality as at 31st December 1951.

Yours faithfully,
N. L. Morton.

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