

Kildonan Ratepayers To Vote On Proposed 18-Room School

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East Kildonan School Board, at their regular meeting last night, was advised by Hon. W. C. Miller, Department of Education, that his department recommends "that if the by-law carries, the interest on the proposed debenture issue of \$345,000 be guaranteed by the Province, and that if suitable arrangements cannot be made elsewhere, they be purchased by the Province from the School Lands Fund."

Before East Kildonan will have its 18-room school with auditorium, the board must wait until D. L. Mellish, Public Utilities Board chairman, gives his O.K. that this municipality can proceed with the venture financially.

But to speed up operations as far as is possible under the circumstances, we have assigned the job of designing and drawing finished plans of our new proposed school to Architects Prain and Ward.

This school, which has been recommended by the Board, endorsed by Council and recommended by the Metropolitan Town Planning Commission, would be situated near the centrally located Miles Macdonell Collegiate, and will dispose of staggered hours this fall.

Also, this municipality has a great need for the proposed auditorium in the school, which would be very convenient for concerts, games, or large meetings which otherwise have never been possible.

East Kildonan voters will have the opportunity to sanction this necessary education project (by passing the proposed by-law) within the next few weeks, or, as stated before, just as soon as the Public Utility Board approves the undertaking.

There is probably some question in the minds of some people that since this municipality is no longer under the Public Utility Board, why must we wait. The answer is simply this: All or any debentures sold within the Province of Manitoba must meet with the approval and be passed by the Public Utilities

Board (D. L. Mellish, chairman). This applies to Provincial, School or any other debenture issues.

School Registration For Beginners

Registration for beginners to start this fall term in East Kildonan schools will be held in all schools May 17 to May 28 inclusive. Parents should register at the school nearest their home, and bring proof of birth.

Registration applies to all children who are six years of age by and including Nov. 30, 1954. The Board suggests parents bring along their child to become acquainted with the teacher or principal.

Miss Kay Irwin Crowned Queen Of East Elmwood

The members and executive of the East Elmwood Community Club may now justifiably boast of an unusually successful winter carnival held March 5 and 6 at the club, Manhattan and Keenlyside.

Friday night's program of fancy skating was an excellent display of abilities under the capable supervision of Harold Snell. Members of the East Kildonan Skating Club attended and the soloists of that group were fine performers.

The crowning of Miss Kay Irwin as carnival queen was performed by Ron Vaacher and Keith Pierce, of the Blue Bombers. Princesses were Miss Carol Wood and Miss Joan McCormack. Page boys were Bill