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Richmond Hill

Maple

Mr. D. Burgess has opened an Ice-Cream parlor in connection with his store. It was well patronized last Saturday evening.

On Saturday evening a football match was played between Maple and King City teams. The former won by 1 to 0.

The officers of the Methodist Sabbath School are making arrangements for a picnic to be held in the near future.

Anniversary sermons were preached in the Lutheran Church on Sunday by Rev. Jos. E. Wilson in the morning and Rev. W. G. Back in the evening.

The sidewalks in the village are in a very bad condition, many of the boards being loose, making it dangerous for travelling.

Quite a number of ladies attended the monthly meeting of the Women's Institute at the home of Mrs. J. McNaughton. Several ladies from a distance gave addresses, and at the close tea was served. Mrs. J. H. Kirby was elected president for the ensuing year.

Amongst those who have signed three year contracts for new telephones here are the Standard Bank and Mr. J. T. Pollock. Mr. Burgess is also thinking of placing one in his store.

The W. M. Society of Maple met in the vestry of the church on May 16. The following officers were duly elected for the ensuing year:—

President, Mrs. Martin; Vice President, Mrs. (Rev.) Wilson; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Saigeon; Corresponding, Mrs. Byam; Treasurer, Mrs. Craddock; Organist, Mrs. Keys.

The Ladies' Aid and W. M. S. combined raised \$34.15.

The society is in a flourishing condition.

Messrs. Kirby, commissioner, and wife, T. Cousins and wife and J. T. Saigeon and wife visited the Industrial Home at Newmarket on Saturday, June 2nd. They found everything was kept in good order and the premises were exceptionally clean. They speak in the highest terms of the keeper Mr. Armitage, and the matron, Mrs. Armitage, who showed them every kindness during their visit of the institution.

Vaughan Lodge No. 54, A. F. & A. M., met Tuesday evening. The occasion was the annual visit of the D. D. G. M. After the business of the lodge was transacted, the W. M., W. Bro. J. B. McLean, invited all to a banquet held in the lower part of the hall. A large number was present from Richmond Hill, Thornhill, Woodbridge, Toronto Junction, Weston, King and other places. Owing to illness in Mr. McLean's home, W. Bro. Leeds Richardson occupied the chair at the banquet, a pleasant feature of which was the presence of many ladies. The spread was of superior excellence, strawberries and cream, and ice cream being among the delicacies. The usual toasts were proposed, and good speeches were given by the D. D. G. M., R. Wor. Bro. E. M. Carlton; R. W. Bro. H. A. Nicholls, A. J. Anderson, Mayor Smith of Toronto Junction; Rev. Mr. Wilson, Maple; Willoughby, Loosemore, Shaw, Bailey, Keys, Sedgeworth and others.

The speeches were interspersed with musical selections, and a most pleasant evening was spent together.

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S. S. No. 4, Markham.

The following is the report for month of May with names in order of merit.

IV. Class.—Clara Cosgrove, Harold Smith, Gertrude Nelson, Charles Hoover, John Cosgrove, Charles Conner.

Senior III.—Elsie Hoover, Maggie Baker, Carrie Williams, Ralph Williams, Rolph Baker, Phyllis Clark.

Junior III.—Jimmie Cosgrove, Wesley Hoover, Gertrude Cosgrove, Pearl Hunt.

Senior II.—Issac Nigh, Emily Pond, Ida Schell, Reuben Horner, Mary Finley.

Junior II.—John McCague, Eva Conner, Elsie Dener, Ethel Schell, Ruth Hoover, Heber McCague, Ervie Hunt, Willie Horner, Fred Cosgrove, Douglas Read, Bessie Finley, Cecil Finley.

I. Class.—George Read, Gordon Read, Wesley Schell, John Bestard, Ross Baker.

Phonic Class—George Finley, Percy Schell, Russell Boynton, Luella Finley, Elmer Horner.

The following had no mistakes in spelling for the month:—Gertrude Nelson, Clara Cosgrove, Ethel Schell, Elsie Hoover.

The following were present every day:—Harold Smith, Charlie Hoover, Wesley Hoover, Reuben Horner, Willie Horner, Fred Cosgrove. Number on roll 43. Average attendance 34.

King Council.

The above council met at Kettleby, Saturday, May 26th.

Members all present. The minutes of last regular and adjourned meeting read and confirmed.

The council in committee of the whole on bills. Mr. Deacon in the chair when the following bills were passed and ordered to be paid:—

Joseph Billings, months salary \$33 33

John McCarroll, repairs to culvert..... 2 00

Rank Hughey, repairs to scraper 3 74

John Thompson, repairs to road 4 50

J. S. Jenkins, postage, express etc 16 57

Bert Mabley, 1 ton of Stone... 5 00

Wm. Ough & Son, 1 spade..... 1 00

Patrick Kenefick, repairs to road, con. 12..... 12 00

Wm. Rainey, repairs to culvert... 2 00

Harry Rolling, repairs to culvert 50

John Cook, repairs to culvert... 1 50

Arch Mitchell, repairs to road... 2 88

Thos Ellison, building wire fence on new road, L & S. 84 00

Norman—Deacon—That the reeve and councillors, Burns, Norman and McMurphy be a committee to examine the roadway at lots 12, con. 4, and orders such repairs as they think necessary.

Norman—McMurphy—That Thos. Kuake be appointed road overseer in Div. 3, Con. 10, in lieu of Wm. T. McCutcheon, wrongly appointed being in another Division.

McMurphy—Norman—That the petition of John Rogers be received, and that the clerk be instructed to have the necessary By-laws prepared and proper notices posted and published.

Norman—McMurphy—That the clerk order from the Wilkinson Company, 20 scrapers to be delivered at King Station.

McMurphy—Burns—That Wm. Williams be paid the sum of \$100.00 on account for the manufacture of tile.

Norman—Burns—That the clerk introduce a By-law at next regular meeting of this council to fix a time for payment of taxes, and to charge a percentage on all unpaid taxes at such a date.

Norman—McMurphy—That the following persons be paid \$ value for sheep killed by dogs:—John Edward \$8.67, Thos. Wray \$5.34.

Norman—McMurphy—That councillors Deacon and Norman, be and are hereby authorized to repair or rebuild culvert at lot 33, con. 10.

McMurphy—Burns—That a grant of \$2.00 be given for cutting hill between lots 5 and 6, in rear of con. 6, known as O'Brien's Hill.

Deacon—Burns—That this council do now resolve itself into a Court of Revision as per notices on the several complaints of the assessment rolls of this municipality.

The appeal of Wm. Linton as having no land in the Township was sustained.

J. M. Gillham appealed as assessed too high, assessment reduced to \$400.

Robert Gallagher appealed to be assessed as owner, appeal not sustained.

Wm. Hoover appealed as being assessed too high, appeal not sustained.

Alex. Davis, appealed as being assessed to high, on buildings, assessment reduced \$200.

Some ten appeals to have dogs struck off the rolls were sustained as also one appeal by councillor Burns, to have dog placed on the roll.

Norman—Deacon—That the assessment rolls as revised be now passed by this court and certified by the clerk as passed.

By-law—To regulate the finances of the Township of King, received its several reading and passed.

On motion, council adjourned to meet at Harris Hotel, Schomberg, on Saturday June 30th.

Victoria Square

The Victoria Square Methodist S. S. will celebrate their Silver Anniversary on Saturday, the 16th of June. At 2 o'clock there will be a football tournament for Junior teams for a cash prize of \$2.75. This will be followed by a football tournament for senior teams, for a prize of \$13.75. League teams are barred from the contest. The Markham Band will be present both afternoon and evening. Tea served from 4 to 8 o'clock. Refreshment booths on the grounds. In the evening an excellent entertainment will be given by first-class talent, assisted by the band. Among the entertainers are:—Master Harry Hunter, Boy Soloist of Bond Street Anglican Church, Toronto; Miss Annie Caruthers, of Whitby Ladies College, Elocutionist; Miss Laura Humphreys of Pine Grove, Elocutionist; Master Theo. Cuyler, Boy Elocutionist, Bethesda.

On Sunday, June 17, Rev. Wesley Dean, of Toronto, will preach anniversary sermons at 2.30 and 7 p.m. Solos will be sung by Master Harry Hunter, assisted by the Victoria Square Orchestra. A general invitation is extended to all.

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