

LOCALS.

Fishing lines, floats, hooks, sinkers and all kinds of fishing tackle at THE LIBERAL Office.

Miss Lavinie Wright has been appointed a teacher on the Toronto staff, and will commence duties in Kent school.

Mrs. P. Patterson of Woodstock and Mrs. J. W. Taylor of Toronto called on old friends in the village on Tuesday.

Mr. E. Palmer, a student at the S.P.S., has secured a position for the summer in the shops of the Toronto Street Railway Company.

The Woman's Missionary Society will meet to-day at three o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Crosby. A full attendance expected.

Mr. James McLean, who was confined to his room a good part of the winter with sciatica, has so far recovered as to be able to be out again.

Rev. A. P. Brace is to preach the anniversary sermons at the Peaches Methodist Church on Sunday. Rev. R. Morton of Victoria College will take his work here.

Miss Agnes Deans Cameron who lectured in Toronto on the North West, and her niece Miss Brown, came up Thursday and had dinner with Mrs. Beck at Mr. Terry's.

Rev. W. G. Smith, M.A., of Toronto University, will preach the special anniversary sermons for the Women's Missionary Society of Victoria Square on Sunday, May 16th.

Reeve W. H. Pugsley of this village and Reeve A. E. Pugsley of Sutton, left Tuesday on a trip to Francis and Indemn Road. The former purposes being back by Victoria Day.

At a meeting of the Quarterly Official Board of the Methodist Circuit Tuesday evening, Mr. Switzer was appointed lay delegate to the District meeting, and Mr. Crosby alternate.

Rev. Dr. Crammy, pastor of Bathurst street Methodist Church, Toronto, has consented to preach the church anniversary sermons in the Methodist Church in this place on Sunday, May 23rd.

Mr. Wm. Gould reports having had rhubarb pie on Tuesday of this week. The rhubarb was grown in his own garden in the open air. Mr. Gould hopes to have asparagus from his garden for dinner next Sunday.

With fine weather during the next two weeks it is hoped the new stabling and grand stand in the Park will be in pretty good shape for the fair on Victoria Day. The work is in charge of Messrs. G. Sims, E. Barker, and J. H. Sanderson.

Mr. Bernal D. Proctor, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Proctor of Toronto, and Miss Mabel Florence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Williams of Bartie, were united in marriage on Thursday, the 29th of April. Mr. and Mrs. Proctor will be at home in Cobalt after May 5th.

A number of freight cars on the C. N. O. south of Richmond Hill jumped the track Tuesday evening, and caused some delay to other trains. A number of people from the passenger train transferred at Richmond Hill, and got to their destination over the Metropolitan.

Some people have had difficulty in deciphering the meaning of the large white letters recently placed on various poles along Yonge street. We do not know the object of the work, but we understand the figures indicate the number of feet the particular spots are above sea level. A pole opposite THE LIBERAL Office is marked 794, another nearly opposite the Methodist church is 775.

How is it that Newmarket is always jealous of Richmond Hill? Their bills show that one of the events for their Victoria Day celebration is Rolling a Peanut on Main Street, 100 yards, with a Toothpick. Are our northern neighbors racking their brain in their efforts to provide special attractions, just because Richmond Hill is to have a Punch and Judy Show? We wonder!

Strange.

Housecleaning is the main order of the day in our burg.

Miss Jennie Tawse of Eversley is spending a week with her aunt here, Mrs. D. Carmichael.

Reeve McMurchy made a business trip to Bradford on Friday.

Messrs. Ed. Patton and J. S. Sinclair of Laskay spent Monday evening at A. J. McCallum's, Maple Grange Farm.

Rev. Mr. Gordon of Maple conducted the service in the Presbyterian Church of this place on Sunday.

The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Albert Marshall on Tuesday afternoon with a good attendance.

The Methodist Church congregation of Laskay promises a big time on May 24th. The Sherlock Quartette of Toronto are expected to take part in the concert.

Exported peaches 2 lbs. for 2c. Silver plums 1 lb. Italian plums 1 lb. 1c. 1/2. Cherry 1 lb. 1c. 1/2. Apple 1 lb. 1c. 1/2. Strawberry 1 lb. 1c. 1/2.

PERSONALS.

Mr. A. Palmer and Mr. W. Heise spent over Sunday with Mr. Holmes Crosby.

Mrs. Wilson of Newmarket is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Sanderson.

Mrs. Alex. Mackenzie of London, Ont., was the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. M. Wood, last week.

Mrs. Dr. Kerr of Dunnville and Miss Bell of Toronto were among the callers at the Manse on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. McDonald and daughter Jean drove over to Stouffville and spent Sunday with Mr. Frank McDonald.

Mrs. (Dr.) Coulter and daughter, Miss Winnifred Coulter, of Ottawa, and Mrs. J. Whimster of Aurora, spent Thursday with Miss Coulter.

Mr. Will Storey and Mr. Karl Storey spent Saturday afternoon and evening with relatives and friends here. The latter returned Tuesday to his position in the Post Office Department in Vancouver, B.C.

Mrs. W. R. Proctor and Miss Kathleen Proctor of Toronto spent from Saturday to Monday in the village, on their return from the marriage of Mr. Bernal Proctor and Miss M. F. Williams in Barrie the previous Thursday.

ANOTHER SUDDEN DEATH.

Another familiar figure has suddenly passed into eternity in the person of Mr. John Devine who expired shortly after the noon hour on Saturday. He had been up to the village for his daily paper, and returned home between 11 and 12 o'clock. After having his dinner he went to the stable to assist Mr. Wm. Baker unload a small load of hay. The latter, finding that the hay was not being taken back, went up into the mow to investigate, and found that the old gentleman had fallen in the hay and was apparently unconscious. Mr. Baker hurriedly went to the house and informed Mrs. Devine, but nothing could be done, and he passed away in a few minutes. Coroner Carlton decided that death was due to heart trouble. Deceased was of a bright and cheery disposition, and his honest, handsome face was an index of his true character. The funeral took place at the Thornhill R. C. Cemetery on Monday. Besides the widow several sons and daughters are left to mourn the loss of one so suddenly called away, who had apparently been enjoying the best of health. "In the midst of life we are in death."

FRATERNAL VISIT.

Thirteen of the brethren of Richmond Lodge, A.E. and A.M., visited Robertson Lodge of King City last Monday evening, the occasion being the official visit of R. W. Bro. Haywood, D.D.G.M., to that lodge. Visitors were also present from Vaughan Lodge of Maple to the number of thirteen and also from Rising Sun of Aurora to the number of thirteen, which surely must prove a good augury for Robertson Lodge. After an initiation performed in such a way as only W. Bro. Stone knows how the brethren repaired to Crossley's Hall where tables were spread, fairly glowing under the load of good things provided by the lady friends of the members of Robertson Lodge. It is needless to say the members of the craft did ample justice to the excellent viands prepared, and after speech-making and songs repaired to their respective homes voting this, at any rate so far as the banquet was concerned, the best of the season.

UNIQUE.

Last Sabbath, May 2, 1909, being the fortieth anniversary of Mr. Wm. Harrison's appointment to the position of Class Leader in the Methodist Church, by the late Rev. John Bredin, D.D. in 1869, he presented each of the only surviving members of the class of that date with a leaf from his first Class Book of Membership as souvenirs. All the members of the class including the pastors on the Circuit at that time have passed into the beyond with the exception of three and the Leader. Mr. Harrison must have a predilection for the number forty. He has been a Class Leader forty years, a Member of the Circuit Quarterly Board forty years, a Member of the Church Trust Board forty years, Secretary of the same forty years, and was Superintendent of the Sabbath school forty years in succession, retiring in 1899.

Maple.

The new store and bakery were opened on Saturday. Mr. Norman has engaged as baker Mr. Bell of Bradford, and purposes keeping a stock of groceries and confectionery.

Rev. J. F. Reycraft has rented Mr. J. Craddock's house, and with his family moved here last week. Mr. Craddock is staying at present with his daughter, Mrs. W. Malloy, and intends taking a trip to Manitoba in June.

Rev. Dr. Carmichael of King preached in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday, the occasion being the fiftieth anniversary of his preaching here for the first time.

A good programme was given at the concert in aid of St. Stephen's Church, but the attendance was small. Most of the talent was from Toronto.

A friendly game of football was played here on Saturday evening between the Maple and Teston teams, but no goals were scored. The team here has been reorganized for the season, with W. Cousins as captain and R. Rumble as secretary and treasurer.

At the annual meeting of the officers of the Methodist Sabbath School Mr. T. H. Keys was elected superintendent.

Mrs. Adams and Mrs. North of Toronto were here Sunday and Monday.

VILLAGE COUNCIL.

The Council met in the Council Chamber on Monday, May 3rd. Present—The Reeve, and Councillors Palmer, Hopper and Sanderson. Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

The following accounts were passed: J. Sheardown, teaming, etc. \$20.80 Wm. Gibbs, work on streets. 3.85 Stiver & Ramer, coal. 13.17 J. Hall, oil, etc. 46.78 G. Soules, sundries. 24.73 H. Blanchard, work on streets. 14.87 J. T. Startup, work on streets. 12.25 Robt. Tyndall, teaming. 10.00

The Clerk reported receipt of a letter from the Toronto & York Radial Railway in answer to a letter sent the company per instruction from the Council in reference to speed of cars in the village.

A committee who were appointed to examine the Village Band instruments with a view to ascertaining their condition waited on the Council and stated that several required repairing. As the prospect of reorganizing the Village Band is at present encouraging, the committee asked the Council to have the instruments put in repair. The Council authorized the committee to have the necessary repairs done, and also granted the use of the Council Chamber for practice. The Clerk was instructed to let those wishing to join the Band have the instruments, he taking receipt therefor.

By-law No. 222 to borrow \$700 was passed.

The 15th day of June next was set for the first sitting of the Court of Revision.

Council adjourned. A. J. HUME, Clerk.

CHANGING HANDS.

Mr. Norman J. Glass has bought Mr. Armand G. Savage's stock of Gent's Furnishings, Clothing, Boots and Shoes and will take possession on Monday, May 10. Mr. Glass intends running it along with his agency business, and in his absence the store will be under the management of Miss Mary Ross. He asks for the patronage of all of Mr. Savage's customers and hopes to have the patronage of many new ones. Mr. Glass will do all in his power to merit the confidence of all who favor him with a call.

Art baking powder, 1 lb. tin with large enamelled preserving kettle, 50c. tin. Atkinson & Switzer.

Saturday's dailies contained the names of 41 hotels and hotel keepers ordered to close their bars on the 1st of May. By paying a fee of \$400 each will be allowed till the first of August to sell their stock and adjust their business.

French macaroni 12c. pkt. Italian macaroni 15c. pkt. Atkinson & Switzer.

MARRIAGES.

OSBORNE—DUNCAN—At St. Margaret's Church, Spadina Avenue, Wednesday, May 5th, at 11 o'clock, by Rev. Dr. Osborne, rector of St. Saviour's, East Toronto, father of the groom, assisted by the Rev. R. J. Moore, rector of St. Margaret's, John W. Osborne of the Standard Bank of Canada, to Laura E. Duncan, youngest daughter of John Duncan, Richmond Hill.

BIRTHS.

MCDONALD—On Thursday, April 20th, at Maple, to Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McDonald, a son.

BEYNON—On May 4, 1909, at 162 MacPherson Avenue, Toronto, to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bynnon, a son.

DEATHS.

FRANCY—At Victoria Square, Markham, on Sunday, May 2, William Francy, in his 88th year.

MCAIR—At the residence of her sister, Mrs. James McGowan, East Toronto, on Saturday, May 1, Mary McAir, in the 79th year of her age. Interment at Richmond Hill, Tuesday, May 4.

DEVINE—On Saturday, May 1, near Richmond Hill, John Devine, in his 75th year.

Interment in Thornhill R. C. Cemetery, Monday, May 3.

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