

Roler-Boler Minstrels at Mechanics Hall, Aurora, on Saturday, April 30.

Miss Muriel Baptie of Toronto visited at Elms Lea over the week end.

Quarterly service for the circuit will be held here next Sunday commencing at 11 a. m.

Miss Helen Currie who has been visiting Mrs. Frank S. Rumble for a month has returned to Ottawa.

The Richmond Hill Hockey Club will give a Banquet in Hotel Richmond Monday Evening, the 2nd of May.

The Eckardt Musical Company and Swiss Bell Ringers will give an entertainment in the Masonic Hall next Monday evening, May 2.

Official returns show a "wet" majority for Toronto of 9,010 in the referendum vote. The "dry" majority for the Province now stands at 163,000.

Mrs. Arthur Sanderson, of Oshawa, is making a visit with Mrs. Wm. Cook. Rev. Mr. Sanderson also spent the week-end here and preached in the Methodist church Sunday morning.

The Inland Revenue Department demands a 2 per cent tax on all jobs of printing, to be paid by the customer. In future, therefore we shall be obliged to add 2 per cent to all jobs of printing done at The Liberal Office.

Posters are out announcing a special meeting of Maple U. F. O., in the Masonic Hall, Maple, on the evening of Friday May 6. The speakers will be R. W. E. Burnaby, J. A. Cameron, J. G. Whitmore and Miss Agnes McPhail. Everybody welcome.

Garbage Day comes on Wednesday, the 4th of May. Gather up your tins and broken glass and crockery and have them ready when the wagons go round on the morning of the 4th.

Mr. J. A. Greene has sold his new brick veneer house on Wright St. opposite his own residence, to Mr. Leavy, of Toronto. The family purposes moving here about the middle of May.

Mr. George Allison of Richmond Street has purchased from Mr. Sumner the store and dwelling at stop 46 1/2 Yonge Street, about 1 1/2 miles south of Richmond Hill. Mr. Allison will, a little later in the season, open up a grocery store and ice cream parlor.

All farmers who are interested in Shorthorn cattle should be present to hear Prof. G. E. Day at Newmarket on Saturday evening, May 7th. This meeting is being arranged through the local Branch of the Department of Agriculture and any who would like to be present should communicate with J. C. Steckley, Newmarket.

A meeting of the Executive of Vaughan S. S. Asso. will be held in Woodbridge Presbyterian Church next Saturday, June 30, at 2 p. m. All ministers and S. S. Supts. are members, and business in connection with June convention and other matters will be considered. Kindly accept this notice and attend if possible.

E. W. MOYLE, Sec'y-Treas.

Mr. Lawrence Baldwin, of Toronto, will address the Thornhill Horticultural Society on "The Home Garden" with special reference to early spring vegetables, (illustrated with drawings and charts) Miss Mary Yates, president of the O. H. A. will speak on preparation for the exhibit of flowers to be given at the Toronto Exhibition. We want Thornhill to be represented this year and now is the time to prepare. The members of Richmond Hill Society are invited to attend also. Meeting in Victoria Hall, Tuesday May the Third at 8 p. m. All are welcome.

York Ranger Cadets

The strength of the company is now 58. Practising for the Grand Concert to be held on Wednesday the 11th of May is now under way. Mothers Day the 8th of May must be reverently observed by all cadets. Uniforms are to be worn in honour of the Day.

Cadets of the protestant faith each must escort his mother to the morning service of his own church. In the evening the company will parade for Divine Service to the Presbyterian church; all protestant cadets must attend this service.

Cadets of the Roman Catholic faith will parade at 10.30 o'clock and will march to their own church. The O. C. will attend the morning mass with them.

Cree Elocutionist

The W. M. S. of the Richmond Hill Methodist church are giving a concert in the Methodist church on May 5. They have secured for this date Miss Frances Nickawa, the now famous Cree Indian maiden, whose recitals of Indian poems and legends, have become so popular. Miss Nickawa, who is the natural successor to Pauline Johnson in this kind of work, has taken the west by storm, and is now repeating her triumph in Toronto and other cities in Ontario. She will be assisted by local talent. You cannot afford to miss this rare treat. Keep the date in mind. Proceeds in aid of the funds of the W. M. S. Admission 25c.

Death Of Rev. P. A. Jourdan

Shortly after noon Sunday Rev. Phillip Albert Jourdan, pastor of Bedford Park Methodist Church, died after a prolonged illness.

He was born on May 28, 1863, in the Channel Islands. At the early age of 18 he entered the ministry as a probationer, and in 1887 was ordained. As a young man he came to Canada.

He held several pastorates successfully, notably in the old Agnes Street Church, Toronto, in Stouffville, Barrie, Cooksville, Newtonbrook and, during the current year, at Bedford Park.

Mr. Jourdan is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ellen Clara Low Jourdan, by two daughters, Mrs. J. C. Henderson and Miss Hattie, and by one son, Mr. George Jourdan of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Toronto.

The funeral service was held in the Bedford Park Church Tuesday afternoon following a private service at the house. Many colleagues in the ministry were present, and many friends from former circuits to pay their last tribute of esteem.

Interment in Mount Pleasant cemetery.

OAK RIDGES

Oak Ridges, April 21st 1921.

To the Editor of the Liberal:

Sir: I would be glad if you will publish this letter in the next edition of your valuable paper, in answer to one that appeared in your last edition signed Taxpayer.

I would like to state in the first place that the young men of Oak Ridges did not ask for the use of the upper room of the Oak Ridges School as a Club Room. We were approached by the school trustees who asked us if we would like the use of the room. It is true that we are getting light and heat free, but as all the members are taxpayers or the sons of taxpayers, I think this is nothing but right. As regards the room being left dirty, I would like to state that the room is being used by the school children who have the free use of our Victrola. Everytime that we use the room which is only about once a month, we have had to spend all the previous afternoon cleaning it up and polishing the floor, besides paying the caretaker \$2 for doing same. I would like to remark in closing that should the majority of taxpayers object to us using the room we are quite willing to give it up, or pay a rent for it if they will let us.

Yours, etc.

V. E. Elfrod

President Oak Ridges Social Club

Byron Stauffer Lecture

Lectures are generally considered dry, and the audience is seldom large in numbers. Not so Monday evening when Rev. Byron Stauffer gave his lecture, "The Folks Next Door". The auditorium of the Methodist Church was well filled and a large number had seats in the gallery. The speaker delighted the large audience, and it was not hard to agree with most of his statements which were practical and sound.

After the president of the League, Mr. E. R. Fortner, had introduced Rev. A. McNeill as chairman the latter called upon Rev. Mr. Legott of Maple who opened the meeting with prayer. During the evening Mrs. G. Elmore Reaman contributed vocal solos, and the Misses Switzer and Miss Marjorie Wright a trio.

The Lecturer impressed his audience with the fact that it is more profitable to be interested in our next door neighbor than it is in worrying about people in far away lands. He gave instances to show that it was not always pleasant to have your neighbor's hens in your garden, to have to listen to a crying baby or a crowing rooster at 2 o'clock in the morning, or be troubled by the escapades of their cats and dogs, but he made it very clear that all those little annoyances were trifling compared to the loss of a neighbor's friendship and good will.

Don't be too ready to believe what you hear in the street. Much of this may be only gossip. Be sure to get all the facts before passing a report on—a report which may do an injury to an innocent person. Rev. Stauffer, however, did not believe in the admonition, "Mind your own business". People who follow that course are usually selfish, and do not take an interest in other peoples affairs. Temperance advocates are often told to mind their own business. People collecting for missions or other worthy causes sometimes receive similar treatment. Follow the Golden Rule. Always be ready to say the kind word; help your neighbor in sickness or trouble; don't be too frank; tell people they look well even if your veracity should be questioned; write letters to bereaved friends; take an interest in the children of your neighborhood.

In advising people to use tact he instanced two distinguished Canadian statesmen—Hon. Edward Blake and Sir John MacDonalld. The former possessed wonderful ability, whose honesty, integrity and uprightness were never questioned, yet he was cold in his manner, and did not draw the people to him. The latter made no pretence to heavy speeches, he cared little what the world thought of his character, yet he could sway large audiences, was beloved by his party, and was a leader of men because he possessed tact in no small degree.

The Dr. concluded a very able lecture by expressing the wish that rich people in their costly mansions, and poor people in their small dwellings, could live side by side, so that one could help the other. The entertainment was brought to a close by singing "Blest be the tie that binds," Rev. Harold Wellwood of Aurora pronouncing the benediction,



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