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Sunday, February 20th, 1927. FIRST ANNIVERSARY SERVICES Of Present Pastorate. RICHMOND HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 11 a.m. Rev. M. C. Campbell, M. A., Minister Will Conduct The Service. THORNHILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 2.30 P.M. Rev. H. E. Abraham, B. A., Minister, Eglinton-Bedford Park Presbyterian Church will conduct the Service.

LANSING-WILLOWDALE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 7 P.M. (Willowdale Township Hall.) Rev. M. C. Campbell, M. A., Minister Will Conduct The Service. THIS BEING THE FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF THE PASTORATE, A RALLY OF EVERY MEMBER AND ADHERENT IS EXPECTED; AND THE WARMEST INVITATION AND WELCOME IS EXTENDED TO EVERYBODY.

Victoria Square

Report For January Victoria Square public school, S. S. No. 6. Sr. IV.—Luella Heise, Willie Brown Ruby Avison. Jr. IV.—Morion Fuller. Sr. III.—Doris Perkins, Aura Klincck, Elsie Cripps. Jr. III.—Adam Brown, Mary Lilley, Eloise Perkins, Marion Nichols, Violet Cripps, Myrtle Avison, Adeline Reaman. Sr. II.—Edgar Heise, Norman Reaman, Ralph Reaman, Edgar Fuller. Jr. II.—Archie Nicholas, Milton Heise. E. V. Walker, Teacher.

The number of times a car turns over seems to depend on the observer's previous experience as a liar.

Young People's Meeting The annual meeting of the Young People's Recreation Club of St. Mary's Church of England was held at the home of Rev. R. S. Mason on Monday February 14. The following officers were elected for the year. Hon. Pres. the Rector, Rev. H. F. Battersby, President, R. Paris; Vice president, E. Paris; Secretary-Treasurer, Margaret Battersby.

The program which consisted of a vocal solo, an instrumental solo, readings and recitations was well given and much appreciated by the members. The next meeting which will be held on February 28 will take the form of a sleigh ride with a social afterwards at the home of Mr. A. Armstrong.

We Fear Unfair Discrimination Only this week it was decreed by Toronto police that wedding parties will not be able to have noisy celebrations on the city streets in the future. All taxi-drivers will be notified that they must refrain from unnecessary sounding of the horn while travelling over the city streets. The action followed a complaint where a wedding party toured the streets for two hours, the car drivers sounding their horns almost continuously. Although a Richmond Hill Alderman was slated for a wedding ceremony in the Queen City this week it is definitely stated it had no connection with the publication of the decree.

Clubbing Rates When renewing your subscription to Toronto dailies do not overlook the opportunity to save money by taking advantage of the Liberal clubbing rates. We save you money.

Canned Goods An attractive offer of quality canned goods at a considerable saving is made in the "ad" in this issue of Dominion Stores. A list of specials from this popular store appears in The Liberal every week and should be considered an invitation for every householder to visit this store.

A Record The Stouffville Tribune boasts of the record of Norman Bunker's pen of leghorns. He purchased one hundred chicks, June hatch, from J. I. Green, and out of the lot raised no less than ninety-six, there being 58 pullets. Since they started laying Mr. Bunker has averaged 41 eggs per day, a remarkable high percentage.

WEDDING

WELLWOOD-HEYS— On Tuesday, February 15th, 1927 at Richmond Hill by Rev. N. Wellwood assisted by Rev. H. F. Wellwood, Dora Heys, daughter of Mr. J. T. Heyes, Accrington, England to Dr. Milton B. Wellwood, Gravenhurst, Ontario, the son of Rev. N. Wellwood, Richmond Hill.

BALDOCK — ROWLAND The marriage of Mr. Walter G. Baldock popular councillor of Richmond Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. B. Baldock, Weston, to Lillian Rowland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Rowland was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents 253 Rusholme Road, Toronto, on Wednesday, February 16 at 7.15 p. m. The ceremony was performed in the presence of immediate relatives by the Rev. Fitzpatrick of Wesley Church assisted by Rev. Walker and an uncle of the bride. The bride and groom were unattended.

After the wedding luncheon was served and the happy couple departed for Detroit and other American cities amid showers of confetti and best wishes. Mr. and Mrs. Baldock will reside in Richmond Hill.

Schoolbag Lost In our classified "ad" column this week a High School student advertises for a school-bag which is lost. The school bag is highly prized as it formerly was carried by a relative who has now passed away. Any information regarding this school bag will be gratefully received by the advertiser and we are sure that with this explanation it will be recovered.

Dickens' Fellowship Players The well-known Dickens' Fellowship Players of Toronto have very generously consented to put on some scenes from Dickens on Saturday, March 19th in the Masonic Hall, Richmond Hill. The proceeds are for the benefit of our own public Library fund. Not often has Richmond Hill had an opportunity like this—remember the date, March 19. Admission 35 cents, reserved 50 cents.

Young People's Society The United Young People's Society met as usual on Monday evening. The scripture lesson was read by Mr. E. Gellatly, Miss Beryl Sanderson recited and Miss Anna Phipps gave a piano solo. Mrs. A. Hume then took the Society with her on an imaginary but very interesting survey of the mission fields of the United Church.

Afternoon Tea Under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. a tea will be held at the home of Mrs. Mylks on Tuesday, March 1st. Keep the date open. Further notice later.

Directors Meeting A meeting of the directors of the Richmond Hill Agricultural Society will be held in the council chamber on Saturday afternoon, February 26th at 2 p.m. Important matters will be discussed and a good attendance of directors is looked for.

Missionary Lecture All ladies are invited to the United Church school rooms on Wednesday, February 23rd at 3 p.m.

Mrs. R. S. Langley will give a special address on present conditions in China. As we have over 300 missionaries in that land this is a splendid opportunity to hear from one fully conversant with conditions, as Mrs. Langley spent many years there.

Tea will be served and proceeds devoted to W. M. S. Funds.

Boys Oratorical Contest "Encourage the boys of our village in oratorical work by attending their contest to be held in the Public School on Tuesday, February 22 at 8 P. M. under the auspices of the Home and School Club.

A Waste Of Time During the crime wave which has been sweeping the country we have failed to notice any reports of bold bandits holding up the office staff of a small town paper. They probably know that there is no money in the safe on account of the large number of subscriptions which are in arrears.

Valentine Party S. S. No. 4, Markham held their valentine party on Friday afternoon. The children gave a short program and valentines were distributed from a post box.

Successful Poultry Lectures The poultry lectures which were given in the Masonic Hall last week were largely attended by poultry men from all parts of the county. The addresses were interesting and instructive and very much appreciated. "The course was one of the most successful special courses ever held in Ontario," said R. J. Rogers, York County representative of the Department of Agriculture under whose direction the lectures were held.

Annual Dance The first dance of the Thornhill Hunt Club will be held in Findlay's Hall on Wednesday, February 23. McDonald's Orchestra in attendance. Dancing commences at 8.30.

Play at Richvale Breezy Point, a bright musical comedy in three acts will be presented in Richvale Community Church on Friday, February 18th. The play is staged by Richmond Hill talent. General admission 25 cents.

Hairdressing Parlor The ladies of this district are fortunate in having right at home the convenience of an up-to-date hairdressing parlor at Davies' Dry Goods Store which is advertised elsewhere in this issue. This parlor is modern in every respect and is in charge of a fully qualified and expert operator. The popularity of this hairdressing establishment is evidenced by the continued and increased patronage from people of the district.

Sale Bills The Liberal Job Printing Department turns out the better class of sale bills at the Right Price. If you are having a sale it will pay you to consult The Liberal. We guarantee a courteous and efficient service. If it is not handy for you to call at our office mail the copy to us and it will receive our careful consideration, if you wish to discuss the details with us, telephone our office and a representative will call on you anywhere in the district.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. Switzer was the recipient of many letters, flowers and valentines on Monday, February 14, it being the occasion of her birthday as well as St. Valentine's Day. Throughout the afternoon and evening numerous old friends and relatives called to wish her many happy birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur van Nostrand of Vandorf visited Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Campbell on Sunday.

We extend congratulations to Mrs. Wm. Harrison, Richmond Street who celebrated on Monday last her eighty-first birthday. A large number of friends and acquaintances called during the day to extend best wishes.

Mrs. W. J. Taylor (nee Mary E. Price) will receive for the first time since her marriage at her home Richmond Hill, Ontario, on Saturday, February the twenty-sixth from 4 to 6 o'clock Mrs. J. A. Taylor and Mrs. C. F. Van Horn will receive with her.

Miss Reva Watson of Kleinburg has been visiting Mrs. Harry Graham.

Mrs. H. H. McMahon of Toronto visited with Richmond Hill friends over the week end.

Mr. C. N. Cooper attended the Hardware convention at the King Edward Hotel, Toronto on Wednesday.

Hospital Burned Fire, which is believed to have started in the basement immediately under the entrance, destroyed the main section of the new York County Hospital building at Newmarket on Monday night. The building was to have been opened on April 1st and had no patients in it. Loss is estimated at \$20,000 and may be more if the X-ray machines were destroyed and only covered by \$15,000 insurance.

Bolton Rector Inducted Following the ritual of the Church of England, his Lordship the bishop of the diocese of Toronto last night inducted Rev. Frank Hermann into the charge of Bolton and Tullamore Anglican churches. A large congregation, including members of both charges and also residents of Bolton attended, and special music was rendered by the choir.

We Get Results "Please cancel my 'ad' as my farm is leased." This is the message received by The Liberal this week after two insertions of a classified "ad." This is only typical of scores of testimonials received each month from satisfied users of our advertising columns. Advertise in The Liberal if you want results.

A Suggestion Why shouldn't the County Councillors wear full dress suits when attending sessions as suggested by one of their number? They might feel the dignity of their position if they did, and anyway, it would not be any more ridiculous than many requests that are granted.—Stouffville Tribune.

OBITUARY

Late Lewis S. Langstaff The Yorkton Enterprise of Yorkton Saskatchewan in its issue of January 18th carries an account of the death and funeral of the late Lewis S. Langstaff whose death occurred Jan. 13th. The late Mr. Langstaff was born at King City in York County in December 31, 1864 a son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lewis Langstaff. He was educated at the County Grammar school and at the age of eighteen entered mercantile life in the City of Toronto. Some years ago he moved to Western Canada and since 1919 has been living at Yorkton. He was married in 1906 at Brandon to Miss Margaret Martin of Orillia who with four daughters and one son are left to mourn the loss of a devoted husband and father. The funeral was largely attended and a profusion of floral tokens bore testimony of the respect and esteem of a host of relatives and friends. Two brothers, Alvan of Garden City, Kansas and Fred O. of the Rhein district and two sisters, Mrs. C. M. Cameron and Mrs. John Donaghy of Montreal survive him.

Willowdale

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jiles entertained the Northeast Lodge no 476 I. O. O. F. to a euchre and dance at their home, Hudson Avenue, Stop 10 Yonge Street on Friday evening, February 11. A large number of members wives and friends were present and the house was tastefully decorated on the occasion of a Valentine Party. The first part of the evening was spent in euchre and the following were the successful prize winners:—Ladies 1st, Miss Viola Meyers, Ladies 2nd, Miss E. Harrison, Ladies consolation, Mrs. R. Gillespie. Gents 1st Mr. R. M. McLeod; Gents 2nd, Mr. Frank Perry, Gents consolation, Mr. E. Coulson. Refreshments were served and the balance of the evening spent in dancing. The Rosewood Novelty Orchestra provided the music.

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Richmond Curlers Defeat Granites

First Guest Of Granite Club In New Quarters

Last Thursday afternoon the Richmond Hill curlers were invited down to the Granite Club, Toronto for a friendly game. Incidentally this invitation had a peculiar significance as it was the first invitation extended to any club to visit the Granite Club in their new quarters on St. Clair avenue. Our boys were delighted with their treatment and also with the Granite Club which stands in a class by itself as a sporting centre. After a short inspection of some of the activities of the institution the curlers proceeded to the rink and on 3 sheets of as nearly perfect ice as possible enjoyed themselves as only mer. All the lodges of the three curlers can. By some unexplained reason at the conclusion of the game the score showed Richmond Hill leading by twelve shots. The only fly in the ointment being the defeat of H. Thomson's rink by 2 shots. A return game is expected next Saturday afternoon.

The following is the score:— Richmond Hill Granites

- C. Hunt W. Benson G. Yerex H. Thomson, skip 12 H. Beatty skip 14 E. T. Stephens C. Agnew A. G. Savage G. Moodie, skip 18. J. Lumbers skip 8 Rev. A. Wall R. Agar W. Scott J. S. McNair skip 14. A. E. Dalton, 10 44 32

Monday was an interesting day in the singles competition. The match between Charles Cooper and Robert Agar was keenly fought and after a hard contest "Charlie" came out on the top, winner by a score of 7 to 6. Scott McNair defeated Harry Naughton by 11 to 6 and now Harry is numbered among the slain. Harry isn't worrying and we can say better luck next year Harry. Walter Benson defeated Mr. Walter Scott, Jr. after a splendidly fought game. This brings the first round almost to a close. Much interest is attached to the second round and some great and interesting battles may be expected.

Two rinks from Unionville were visited by G. A. M. Davison and D. Frisby visited Richmond Hill Curling Club for a friendly game and after a spirited contest Unionville won by a majority of 8 shots.

Richmond Hill rinks were skipped by G. Moodie and G. Yerex. After the evening's sport, Mr. Davison on behalf of Unionville curlers thanked Richmond Hill for the pleasant and enjoyable evening spent, and the cordial welcome given them.

The annual bonspiel of the Richmond Hill Club will be held on Tuesday, February 22. Three sets of valuable prizes will be competed for and also a handsome shield which has been donated by Mr. E. T. Stephens for annual competition. Seven sheets of ice will be available for the big event and about 28 rinks are expected to compete.

The 12th At Markham It is expected that a monster 12th of July celebration will be held in Markham village this coming summer. All the lodges of the three bodies in York County, as well as a reason at the conclusion of the game from Ontario County are expected to participate. The County Master is Angus Kippen of Toronto, who heads the committee in charge of the arrangements.

To Beautify North York The regular meeting of the North York township horticultural society was held in the Municipal building, Willowdale, Tuesday evening, Ward 2 of the township is to be circularized in the near future in order that the society may be brought to the attention of the public and a larger membership enlisted to carry on the work of beautifying North York Township.

Annual Meeting, Bethesda and Stouffville Telephone Co.

The annual meeting of the Bethesda Telephone Co., Limited, was held in the head office of the company in Stouffville on Monday afternoon of last week. While it is not usual for any great number of the shareholders to attend this yearly meeting on this occasion it was marked by an unusual number being on hand. President A. D. Bruce was in the chair, and guided the various items of business in his usual capable and happy manner.

The presentation of the annual report is the most interesting item of business, and it was a very gratifying one for the shareholders. A neat surplus was carried over into the new year, after meeting all liabilities, including the bonded indebtedness of the company. The old Board of Directors was re-elected as follows:—President A. D. Bruce, Vice-president, Dr. W. A. Sangster, Secretary, D. W. Heise, Treasurer, J. H. Ratcliff, Members, S. P. Foote and Walter Scott.