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MARK TWENTY-FIFTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

St. Mary's Rectory was gay with flowers and happy faced friends who called on Friday, November 11th to congratulate the Rev. H. F. and Mrs. Battersby on the 25th anniversary of their wedding. Mrs. Battersby received in the drawing room with her sister Miss Helen Orde, of Peterboro and Mrs. Marsh, wife of Rev. Canon Marsh, of Lindsay. During the afternoon the W.A. and other sincere friends presented Mrs. Battersby with a beautiful silver topped silk purse of silver. The address was read by Mrs. Pugsley and the presentation made by Mrs. Mollett. The dining room was gay with flowers and tapers and tea and coffee were poured by Mrs. H. A. Nicholls and Mrs. C. Kerswell in the afternoon and Mrs. R. S. Mason and Mrs. Carter in the evening. Mrs. Arthur Musgrave of Toronto and Mrs. Mollett brought the guests to the dining room and Mrs. Stanford assisted. The Misses Dorothy Hick, Olive Paris, Margaret Battersby served refreshments in the afternoon and Misses Marion Carter, Clara Mason, Olive Paris and Margaret Battersby in the evening, Miss Sylvia Battersby presided at the door.

Those from a distance who came to offer congratulations were Mrs. Marsh, of Lindsay, Rev. H. H. Marsh of St. Paul's Church, Toronto; Mrs. A. Musgrave, Toronto; Miss Orde and Mrs. Andrew Allan of Peterboro; Hon. Mr. Justice and Mrs. Orde and Mrs. Alfred Pope and son of Toronto; Mrs. N.H. Noble of Thornhill and Miss Shore of Caledon, East. Letters of congratulations came from many parts and the presents were very numerous. Rev. H.H. Marsh and Mrs. Marsh both sang during the afternoon.

Interesting Comparison

Municipal figures for the year 1926 compiled and recently published by the Bureau of Municipal Affairs of the Ontario Government reveal some valuable information and comparisons in some cases are very interesting. For instance Richmond Hill with a population of 1211 has the lowest business assessment of any town or village in the County with the exception of Holland Landing. Markham village with a population of only 945 has a business assessment of 25,262, as compared to 12,400 in Richmond Hill. Stouffville with an assessed population of about 150 less has a business assessment almost three times as great.



JOE BAKER
Of Vancouver, veteran leader of athletics in British Columbia, who, at the annual meeting of the B.C. Baseball Association, declared that there were now no really amateur athletes.

WON MANY PRIZES AT WINTER FAIR

H.J. Mills, Ltd., Richmond Hill scored a notable success at the Royal Winter Fair this week in the rose competition. The local firm was successful against keen competition in winning the Gold Medal, four firsts, four seconds and two thirds. The awards were as follows; gold medal for best of new variety, first and third for Premier, first on Columbia, first on any other variety, second on butterfly, second on vase of 100 roses, third on basket of 50, and third on Premier. The success of this Richmond Hill firm is greeted with pleasure by the citizens of this district who extend congratulations for the honor won by the local rose growers and the honor they have brought to Richmond Hill.

Had Bad Fall

Herman Dennison of King suffered painful injuries on Tuesday, when he fell twenty seven feet from the barn on Mr. Charles Hunts farm, Yonge Street, which is in the course of construction. The unfortunate man sustained bad cuts on the face and scalp and was attended by Dr. Langstaff, of Richmond Hill. After treatment he was removed to his home in Wright and Taylor's ambulance, and is making favorable progress.

Local Town Fathers Held Harmonious Council Session

Parking on West Side of Yonge Street Prohibited During Paving Operations

The regular meeting of the Richmond Hill council was held in the clerk's office Monday night with Reeve Lunau in the chair and all the members present. It was an uneventful session, very harmonious and characterized by no contentious business.

The danger of allowing parking on the west side of Yonge Street during paving operations was discussed at some length and in the interests of safety it was decided to have signs erected forbidding the practice. It was pointed out that with a two way traffic on that side it was very dangerous to have a car parked at the curb and it was the opinion of the members that the general public would gladly co-operate with the council in this regard. There is ample parking space on any of the side streets and motorists are asked to heed the signs in the interests of public safety.

Councillor Baldock drew attention to the nuisance of boys riding bicycles on the sidewalks and characterized the practice as a great nuisance. He thought action should be taken to see that it was stopped. It was pointed out that certain youths were apprehended for this offence recently and that if the nominal penalty then imposed did not serve as a lesson there would possibly be other prosecutions.

Notice was received that the expropriation proceedings in regard to certain land used by the town for waterworks extensions this year would commence in Judge Denton's Chambers at the City Hall on Friday of this week and the Reeve, members of the council, village clerk, Medical Officer of Health were instructed to attend.

A. E. Glass applied for exemption from water frontage rates as he pointed out his land was used for farm purposes. It was pointed out that the lot in question contained only about seven acres whereas nothing under ten acres can be assessed as farm land. No action was taken therefore as the property not being assessed as farm land was not entitled to exemption.

Alf Mills Dufferin Street wrote the council stating that inasmuch as the municipality had constructed another tile drain on the north side of Dufferin Street without having a proper out-

let he was giving notice that he would hold the town responsible for any damages to his property by water. The members of the council felt that some action should be taken to take care of the water at this point and will look over the ground as a body next Saturday afternoon and endeavour to solve the problem.

The matter of improving lighting on Roseview and Church Streets in certain sections was left in the hands of councillor McLean chairman of the Lighting Committee.

There was considerable discussion re drainage in the neighbourhood of Richmond and Centre Streets. Councillor Sloan expressed himself very strongly for going ahead with the work of cleaning out the ditch. He drew attention to the deplorable conditions which exist in this neighbourhood every spring and urged that the work be done this fall. "I first brought this thing up a year ago last spring and it's not done yet. If it had been for Church Street it would have been done long ago" he said. The work will be done immediately if the Reeve is able to get in communication with certain land owners affected.

It was agreed that the grader should be put to work on the side streets as soon as possible as the recent rains would make conditions ideal for the work. Practically all the streets will be gone over.

Appeals from the Beck Memorial Institute and the Social Hygiene Council of Canada were laid on the table and no action taken.

Home and School Club Meeting

The Home and School Club have arranged a program for the winter months which promises to be of great interest and profit to all its members. The next meeting will be held in the Public School on Tuesday, November 22 at 8 p.m. This meeting will be addressed by Mrs. A.A. Perry, Mr. G.H. Duncan and Mr. R.S. Cooper on the subject "Trustees and the duties of Trustees." Come and bring a new member with you.

An Exhibitor at The Royal

Mr. E.T. Stephens of Fairview Farms is an exhibitor at the Royal Winter Fair this week. He is showing five head of horses.

MAPLE

HEADFORD

The Bazaar held in the Community Hall on Saturday in connection with Hope United Church was a great success. The sale of fancy articles, home made baking etc., and the afternoon tea brought in the sum of \$320 which will be used for Church purposes. Many former residents of Hope called in the afternoon and spent a social hour.

Service will be held in the United Church next Sunday morning instead of in the evening.

Anniversary services will be held at Hope next Sunday at 2.30 and 7.30 p.m. Rev. Dr. Stewart of Toronto will preach and the choir of Maple United Church will conduct the singing.

There was a good attendance at the box social held by Mr. Roberts' class of Boys last Friday evening. The proceeds amounted to \$22, which will assist in paying for having the school room re-decorated.

Word has been received here of the death of Dr. Thomas A. Noble, at Harvey, Ill., on the 11th of September. Dr. Noble formerly resided here and attended High School at Richmond Hill. He had been practising in Harvey for the past thirty-five years.

Mrs. L. Card of Nashville is spending the week with Miss M.E. Morrison.

After a long illness, Mary, eldest daughter of the late Michael Powers, passed away on Monday night at her home. The funeral took place on Wednesday morning to St. Luke's cemetery, Thornhill.

Anniversary services here last Sunday were very successful, two very inspiring sermons were preached by a former pastor, Rev. A.P. Brace, Toronto. Miss Jean Helmkey, Toronto, assisted the home choir at the morning service and sang a very beautiful solo. The choir of Brown's Corner's United church sang at the evening service and was very much enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Endean and family, Richmond Hill, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Boynton, Sunday.

Mrs. Hart and Miss Daisy Hart spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. A. Henricks.

Rev. A.P. Brace and Mrs. Brace, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Wright, Richmond Hill, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Clark, Richmond Hill, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Wellman.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Blatchford, Toronto, spent Sunday at the home of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. C. Comisky.

Mrs. Elson, Richmond Hill, was the guest of Mrs. Tricker, Sunday.

Mr. A. Leek attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Mantle, on Monday last, at London, Ont.

Miss Jean Helmkey spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Helmkey.

Miss Montgomery spent the weekend at her home at Sherwood.

Mr. Chas. Comisky is the first in our community to have the Hydro installed.

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