

## Industrial Opportunity for Richmond Hill

### Large Manufacturing Concern Considers Locating In Town

**Citizens Have Chance To Secure \$100,000 Factory  
Building and Concern Employing About 250  
Hands—Pay Roll About \$6000 Weekly.**

Developments of the past few days have brought to a head negotiations which have been pending for some months between the Richmond Hill Ratepayers Association and a large, old established manufacturing concern now situated in the city of Toronto with the view of having the company locate their factory in Richmond Hill. The town now has an opportunity of securing a manufacturing establishment which has been doing business for a great many years, with a staff at present of about two hundred and fifty employees, and a pay-roll of about \$6000. weekly. The company proposes to erect a factory at a cost of about \$100,000, the plans and specifications of which have been submitted to the committee handling the proposition.

The committee of ratepayers have had this proposition in hand for many months. Many meetings have been held and a great deal of time and energy spent in attending to the numberless details leading up to the present point where the whole question has taken a definite form and can be submitted to the people for their approval. At the committee meetings held this week canvassers were appointed to make an intensive survey of the town in an effort to raise the amount of money necessary to meet the Ratepayers Association's obligation in the agreement with the manufacturer in consideration of the location of the industry here. The company concerned in the negotiations is a "Going Concern" and is not asking for financial assistance in the form of stock or shares; but the fact of the matter is that there is to day a premium on INDUSTRIES. Every town wants industries as regular employment for a considerable number of men and women is rated as a town's best asset. Therefore towns which want industries to give steady employment to their citizens are willing to make some sacrifices to secure such industries and that is the reason canvassers will call on Richmond Hill citizens during this week in an effort to raise sufficient money to offer to the manufacturing company a free building site in Richmond Hill.

Richmond Hill needs a substantial industry and RIGHT NOW it is quite apparent has an excellent opportunity of securing one. An industry of the size and standing of the one with which the Ratepayers are negotiating located in Richmond Hill would we believe herald the dawn of an era of unprecedented progress, growth and prosperity and would be the first step in an industrial expansion even beyond our dreams. The location of an industry in Richmond Hill would immediately enhance the value of all the real property in the village and would make every foot of land and vacant lot a valuable asset. One does not need to be possessed of any "super-natural vision" to foresee that the location of such an industry here would be a boon to all property holders. Industries bring people, and more people mean more business for tradesmen and merchants in every line of business.

Representatives of the Ratepayers Association will call on you soon, and we trust that they will be given a careful, thoughtful and generous reception. Richmond Hill is facing an important problem, the decision of which will have far reaching effects on the future of the town. It is absolutely necessary that all should do a share. **TOO OFTEN THERE HAS BEEN TOO MUCH OF THE SPIRIT OF CRITICISM AND TOO LITTLE OF THE SPIRIT OF CO-OPERATION.** It is easy to sit on the fence and watch the procession go by. It is

not a difficult thing to criticize but it is a difficult thing to construct. We can take a vessel of water and throw it on the floor smash the glass and dissipate the contents but all the scientists in creation cannot re-make the glass or re-assemble the water. When men seek to do public service they should be encouraged. The canvassers who will interview you are giving not only their money but their time and energy as well to the project they are asking you to support. All cannot have the same views on every subject and the will of the majority must prevail. There are always two sides to every question whether it be a personal matter or a public project. Much often depends on getting all the facts. It is not wise to come to rash conclusions or render judgment on mere surface indications. Hear the whole story from the canvasser, take a broad and public spirited viewpoint of the matter, consider it from every angle if possible, and seek to curb your prejudices and widen your sympathies.

The project is looked on by many as the best that has ever been presented to Richmond Hill. Reports from the committee at the time of going to press are very encouraging and the subscriptions received so far have been generous and have been freely and willingly given. Everything so far looks promising and if everyone does his or her share the burden will not be too much for anyone. Let us remember that anything in this world that is really worth while is not secured without an effort and often demands sacrifices. If the proposition looks big for Richmond Hill then let us forget the inferiority complex and remember numbers do not make a town. IT IS PUBLIC SPIRIT, CIVIC PRIDE AND LOYALTY that really counts in getting things done. If numbers counted China would be the greatest nation in the world. It is quality and not quantity that scores every time in this age in which we live. **CO-OPERATION SPELLS SUCCESS.**

#### Farm Land and Farm Sales Bring Good Prices

A feature of general conditions in this district this year worthy of comment is the splendid prices prevailing at auction sales of farm stock and implements. In addition to this farm land sales reported are all for very satisfactory and many for fancy figures. Farmers in attendance and auctioneers assure us that bidding at the sales is very brisk. Hugh Clark's sale near Agincourt brought over the \$6000 mark; Charles Malloy's sale in Vaughan township is reported to have brought over \$5000. Cattle and especially good milk cows are keenly sought and bring excellent prices. A good horse brings anywhere from \$275 to \$300 and well matched teams are going for \$500 and more. Farm land is also selling well as reports in these columns from time to time indicate.

#### Important Sale of Jerseys

An auction sale of more than ordinary interest will be held on Wednesday, April 4, when the herd of high class, registered and fully accredited jerseys of Mr. W. A. Harbinson, lot 15, con. 3, Whitechurch, two and a half miles east of Aurora will be sold. This is a well selected lot of well bred cattle including some fresh milkers, some due to calf and some good bulls. This is a clearing sale as Mr. Harbinson is going out of the cattle business. All pedigrees of registered stock will be produced on day of sale. Prentice & Prentice, auctioneers will handle the sale.

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EVENTS

### SUPER-SIXES POPULAR VICTORS OF TOURNAMENT

The Richmond Hill Hockey Tournament concluded with a hard fought game on Monday night between the Telegram and Super-Sixes both of Toronto. The Tely boys stepped on the ice as favorites to win the jewelry but the Super-Sixes went out and played a sensational game of hockey and from start to finish had the best of the play. They won a four to one victory which was richly deserved and the fans were not slow to recognize it and cheered their every rush to the echo. The first period ended in a 1-1 score and it looked like anyone's game. The second period was scoreless but in the final encounter the Super-Sixes were hitting on all cylinders and took every bit of opposition the newsboys could offer on high gear and scored three goals. They checked their opponents vigorously and displayed some flashy play, which put the French & Head boys in strong with the fans. Their victory was a popular one and the team are worthy holders of the championship of the 1928 Richmond Hill Tournament.

Before the presentation of the prizes an overtime period was necessary—but contrary to the general practice it was not played on the ice but in the dressing room. There was a protest entered resulting out of a claimed infraction of the rules which took the committee some time to decide but after some consideration it was disallowed and the first prize of eight gold watches was presented to the Super-Sixes and a second prize of gold cuff links was awarded to the Telegram. Reeve Lunau and Councillor David Hill made the presentations.

#### Oratorical Contest

The annual oratorical contest for the High School under the auspices of the Home and School Club will be held in the High School Gymnasium next Tuesday evening, March 27 at 8 p. m. The public are cordially invited to attend and the officers and members of the Home and School Club are desirous of having a large attendance.

### INTERESTING ADDRESS TO HORTICULTURISTS

The local Horticultural Society was favoured by having present at the regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, March the 20th, five men, prominent in the Toronto Horticultural Society. Mr. Lionel Godson, who is also director for this district in the Ontario Horticultural Society; the secretary, Mr. John F. Clark, and three directors, Mr. F. R. Heywood, Mr. James Miller and Mr. Davison.

Mr. Godson on request of the local president took the chair for the evening and in his opening remarks told of the rapid growth of the Ontario Horticultural Society. Twenty-two years ago, when it was organized, the membership was fourteen hundred and this year there is a paid membership of seventy-five thousand. There are three hundred local societies, forty-two of these being in Mr. Godson's district.

Mr. Heywood gave an instructive address on "Climbing Roses and others climbing vines." Copies of this address in condensed form, will be supplied all members of the society and should prove helpful.

Mr. Clark in speaking of the deepening interest in flower growing, said that fifty years ago there was but one flower shop in Toronto and to-day there are one hundred and fifty. Fifty years ago, nine thousand seven hundred bulbs were imported and last year nine million were imported.

The local Horticultural society meet the third Tuesday each month in the High School and all are welcome, whether members or not.

#### Notice

All members of The Horticultural Society desiring the use of the sprayer please notify the Secretary, Mrs. Hume as soon as possible. All persons who are not already members may have the use of the sprayer by paying the membership fee of one dollar.



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### High School Notes

The Literary Society will hold their monthly programme, Friday afternoon with 4th form putting on the program. They promise us a good afternoon of fun.

Robert Moore who won the school honours in Oratory and also was among the three who won the oratorical contest held in the school last week, journeyed to Toronto Saturday to uphold the school, although he spoke very well he was not among the winners. Tough luck Bob better luck next time.

#### Boys Sports

Last Thursday the senior boys journeyed to Aurora and lost a well played game to Aurora by the score of 37-30. The game was full of Personal especially for the Richmond Hill boys. Chas. Proctor, Clem Proctor and Al White being removed from the game on account of receiving 4 personals. This win of Aurora creates a three cornered tie between Aurora, Pickering and Richmond Hill, and a play-off is necessary to call the winners.

### STOUFFVILLE

Late William Malloy  
William Malloy one of the town's oldest citizens died Saturday afternoon, March 17, at the home of his son H. J. Malloy, in his eighty-sixth year. He was born in Vaughan Township in 1842, and at 18 years of age obtained his public school certificate. His first school was at Edgeley. He was Headmaster at Port Rowan High School two years, and spent two years on the Beamsville staff, two at Streetsville, and for five years was a member of the staff of St. Catharines Collegiate Institute. He then moved to Stouffville and entered the newspaper business, being editor and proprietor of The Tribune for 25 years.

### Unionville

In the final hockey game of the season for the Markham Township League, Locust Hill defeated Milliken by a score of 2-1. Friday night's game marks the close of the most successful season ever known in the township the new community rink proving the mecca for young players from all over the countryside.

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