

Richmond Hill Horticultural Society Fifteenth Annual Flower Show Will Be Held Sat., Sept. 8

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- 93. Grapes—3 bunches, red.
- 94. Grapes—3 bunches, purple.
- 95. Plums—6 Lombard.
- 96. Plums—6 Bradshaw.
- 97. Plums—6 Burbank.
- 98. Plums—6 Abundance.
- 99. Plums—6 York State Prune.
- 100. Plums—6 Damson.
- 101. Plums—6 Shipper's Pride.
- 102. Plums—6 of any other variety than above.
- 103. Peaches—6 of any variety.

SPECIAL PRIZES

- 1. Best kept home surroundings including lawns, front and rear, boulevard, flower borders. Winners of this prize in 1926 and 1927 are debarred from this entry. 1st \$5.00; 2nd \$3.00; 3rd \$2.00 donated by Bedford Park Co.
- 2. Best kept Vegetable and fruit garden. 1st \$2.; 2nd \$1.00, donated by Mr. H. Moyle.
- 3. Collection of Fruits, 3 of each variety, named. 1st \$3.00 donated by Dr. R. L. Langstaff; 2nd \$2.00 by Mrs. Jno. Sheardown; 3rd \$1.00 by Horticultural Society.

FLOWERS

Prizes—1st 50c, 2nd 25c

- 1. Asters, single—6 Blooms, alike or different, long stems.
- 2. Asters, straight petalled—White, pink, mauve, rose, 6 blooms one or more colours, long stem.
- 3. Asters, straight petalled—Blue, purple, red, 6 blooms one or more colours, long stems
- 4. Asters, curve petalled—white, pink, mauve, rose, 6 blooms one or more colours, long stems.
- 5. Asters, Curve petalled—Blue, purple, red 6 blooms, one or more colours, long stems.
- 6. Geraniums, single—3 Blooms alike.
- 7. Geraniums, double—3 Blooms alike.
- 8. Sweet Peas—12 Sprays, one variety, long stems
- 9. Sweet Peas—12 Sprays, collection, long stems.
- 10. Dahlias—6 Blooms alike or different, long stems
- 11. Dahlias—3 Varieties, 3 blooms of each, long stems.
- 12. Petunias—12 Blooms, single or double, with foliage.
- 13. Stocks—6 Spikes, alike or different, long stem.
- 14. Sunflowers—4 Large.
- 15. Helianthus or Sunflower—8 Blooms, alike or different, long stems.
- 16. Mignonette—6 Spikes, long stems.
- 17. Hydrangea—2 Spikes of shrub, variety.
- 18. Hollyhocks—3 Stems with flowers, long stems.
- 19. Pansies—24 Blooms, at least 5 distinct markings, long stems.
- 20. Verbenas—12 Blooms with foliage on stems.
- 21. Balsams—4 Spikes.
- 22. Snapdragons—6 Spikes, 3 varieties, long stems
- 23. Salvia—6 Spikes, long stems.
- 24. Nasturtiums—15 Blooms with foliage.
- 25. Helenium—3 Stalks one variety, 20 or more blooms.
- 26. Phlox, Annual—6 Trusses with foliage long stems.
- 27. Phlox Perennial—5 Blooms, alike or different, long stems.
- 28. Gladioli—6 Spikes, alike or different.
- 29. Larkspur, Annual—6 Spikes, alike or different.
- 30. Cosmos (Mexican Aster), Single—12 Blooms, variety of colour considered.
- 31. Cosmos, Double—12 Blooms, variety of colour considered.
- 32. Salpiglossis—3 Sprays, long stems.
- 33. Marigolds, French—6 Stalks, long stems.
- 34. Marigolds, Scotch (Calendula)—6 Blooms, long stems.
- 34A Marigolds, African—6 Blooms, long stems.
- 34B Gaillardia—12 Blooms, alike or different long
- 35. Zinnia—6 Blooms with foliage on long stems.
- 36. Celosia or Coxeomb—3 Spikes, long stems.
- 37. Scabiosa—12 Blooms, long stems.
- 38. Michaelmas Daisy—Collection.
- 39. Shasti Daisy—12 Blooms, long stems.
- 40. Black eyed Susan—4 Stalks.
- 41. Cornflowers—25 Blooms, alike or different.
- 42. Helichrysum (straw Flower) Best 10 assorted long stems.

VEGETABLES

- 43. Sweet Corn—6 ears, yellow.
- 44. Sweet Corn—6 ears, White.
- 45. Sweet Corn—6 ears, Black Mexican.
- 46. Tomatoes—6 pink.
- 47. Tomatoes—6 red.
- 48. Onions—6 from sets, any variety, not peeled
- 49. Onions—6 from seeds, any variety, not peeled
- 50. Carrots—6 table, any variety, half stalk.
- 51. Beets—6 table.
- 52. Turnips—6 White.
- 53. Parsnips—6 any variety.
- 54. Squash—Hubbard, Green.
- 54A Squash—Hubbard, Golden.
- 55. Squash—Vegetable Marrow.
- 56. Squash—Early White Bush Scallop.
- 57. Pumpkin, best
- 58. Brussels Sprouts, best.
- 59. Endive—3 bunches.
- 60. Peppers—6 sweet.
- 61. Peppers—6 Hot.
- 62. Musk Melon—Best.
- 63. Watermelon—Best.
- 64. Celery—3 bunches, any variety.
- 65. Cucumbers—3 White Spine.
- 66. Cabbage—Head, any variety.
- 67. Cauliflower—Head, any variety.
- 68. Radishes—12, red or white.
- 69. Lettuce—3 heads.
- 70. String Beans—12 pods, yellow.
- 71. String Beans—12 pods, green.
- 72. Potatoes—Plate of 6.

FRUITS

- 73. Pears—6 Bartlett.
- 74. Pears—6 Clapp's Favorite.
- 75. Pears—6 Anjou.
- 76. Pears—6 Howell.
- 77. Pears—6 Seckel.
- 78. Pears—6 Flemish Beauty.
- 79. Pears—6 Duchess.
- 80. Pears—6 any other variety than above.
- 81—Apples—6 Duchess of Ogdensburg.
- 82. Apples—6 Duchess of Kent.
- 83. Apples—6 Wolf River.
- 84. Apples—6 Alexander.
- 85. Apples—6 Wealthy.
- 86. Apples—6 Golden Sweets.
- 87. Apples—6 St. Lawrence.
- 88. Apples—6 Baxter.
- 89. Apples—6 Bismark.
- 90. Apples—6 of any other variety than above.
- 91. Crab Apples—6 of any variety.
- 92. Grapes—3 bunches, green.

GENERAL NEWS AND VIEWS

East Whitby Township Council paid out \$570 to two farmers for sheep killed by dogs during July.

Mr. J. W. Bowman, Editor of the Express-Herald, Newmarket has been notified of his appointment, as a Justice of the Peace.

The barn of Jos. Kirk of Markham Township was recently struck by lightning and burnt to the foundation, is being reconstructed on the old foundation. The frame work is now completed and the new barn will be ready for use in a few weeks.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Branch 66 Canadian Legion, Willowdale, held a successful bazaar at the North York market on Saturday. Home-made baking and fancy work featured the sale.

The list of lands liable to be sold for arrears of taxes in North York Township has been compiled by the township treasurer, J. A. Bathgate. All properties on which taxes are in arrears on October 24, will be sold by public auction at the Council Chamber at Willowdale.

Mrs. Lincoln Ferguson was returning home to Temperanceville with her two small sons when the buggy in which they were riding was hit by a motorcar. One wheel was broken from the buggy and the horse bolted, throwing the three into a ditch. Mrs. Ferguson was painfully bruised, but the two boys escaped injury.

Snake Island lying at the south-end of Lake Simcoe and one of the landmarks of Indian days is to be sold. The Government is taking over the Island from the remnant of the Ojibway-tribe and the money realized which is expected to be about \$200,000 will be turned over to the credit of the Indian Department. The Island is a most picturesque piece of property consisting of nearly four hundred acres, beautifully wooded and fertile. The Indians have no use for it and it will probably become a favorite summer resort.

By the will of the late James McCullough, barrister, of Stouffville, an estate of \$167,761.97 is disposed of, mainly to members of the immediate family. The executors are directed to distribute to the poor and needy of Goodwood and vicinity, at their own discretion, the sum of \$1000, and a further sum of \$200 is to be invested for the care and upkeep of the family plot in the Goodwood cemetery.

The output of gold from mines in the Province of Ontario for the first six months of this year had a total value of \$15,977,980, an increase of \$224,368 in value over the corresponding six months in 1927.

Work is expected to start on the dilapidated roadway in the east end and centre of the village of Stouffville about August 27th, or a week later.

A Sutton man is very angry at a school teacher. His boy is one of her pupils. When the teacher asked "What is a strait?" the boy replied, "Deuce, three, four, five, and six." The teacher gave him a grade of zero, but the boy's father insists the answer was correct.

The County Industrial Home at Newmarket is rapidly nearing completion. The roof is finished, plastering is done inside and it will be ready for occupation in the near future.

Markham Village tax rate has been fixed at 31.5 mills for the year.

Henry Ford is with the Republicans this year and will work for the election of Hoover. John J. Raskob, head of General Motors, is organizing Smith's campaign. It looks like a race between the two big automobile concerns.

The new County roadway from Ballantrae south for 2½ miles has been completed by the Dagg Construction Co. This provides a first-class tarvia road through the entire Township of Whitchurch with the exception of a good gravel stretch from Baker Hill to Ringwood.

A. E. Kearney, for several years manager of the Schomberg branch of the Royal Bank, has received word of his appointment as manager of the Whitby branch of the same bank. General regret is felt in the community with the removal of Mr. and Mrs. Kearney, who had a wide circle of friends.

Struck by a southbound taxi outside Dinsmore's market at Finch's Corners on Saturday, Mrs. W. Winterbaum, of 27 Horseham Ave., sustained a severe laceration about the right temple and painful injuries to the lower limbs. The temple wound required three stitches to close. Dr. C. E. Hill, of Lansing gave the necessary medical attention.

The ice cream booth across from the York Mills Inn was broken into Sunday night and a quantity of tobacco and chocolate bars stolen.

Leopold Macauley, J. Earl Lawson, Reeve W. W. Anderson and Ex-Warden Wm. Graham were among the speakers at the annual picnic of the South York Conservative Association held at Willowdale last Saturday. Reeve Westbury was honored by a presentation in recognition of his many years of service. North York Band was in attendance.

On writer says: "The cow and the sow are the gold dust twins of the farm." We dine on the cow and bank on the sow.

The professor had just finished an evening talking on Sir Walter Scott and his works when a lady said: "Oh professor, I have so enjoyed your talk. Scott is a great favourite of mine." "Indeed," said the professor "which one of his books do you like best?" "Oh," answered the lady, "I haven't read any of his books, but I am so fond of his Emulsion—I've used a lot of that."

The work at the Newmarket High School is progressing rapidly and has now risen to the second floor. The wrapped steel girdens have been moved and replaced and the old part is now ready for the roof. The corners have been rounded in the gymnasium and ready for the floor. The inside work is going on apace and according to one of the foremen, the front part will be ready for occupation by October 1st.

HEALTH SERVICE OF THE CANADIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

MEASLES
 Measles is a child-killer. This disease which so many regard as of no seriousness and which is thought of as a necessary evil, accompanied by certain inconveniences, is, as a matter of fact, a serious menace to child life, and because of the number of children it kills, it ranks high amongst those diseases that take life in early childhood.

In 1926, there occurred in Canada 893 deaths from Measles, of which 264 were children under one year of age. Most deaths from measles occur under five years of age. The disease attacks especially those under three years. The older the child, the better chance he has of recovery.

Measles is a communicable disease; it is passed from the sick to the well. It is very easily spread and practically all who are exposed contract the disease, unless they have been protected by a previous attack.

It is a mistaken idea that every child must have measles. It is criminal to expose children to measles, because to do so is to risk their lives. Measles is serious not only because it kills, but because it seems to prepare the ground for other diseases. It is the pneumonia following measles which makes it so dangerous. Tuberculosis may become active after measles.

Concerning the control of measles, it must be remembered that measles is most contagious during the days before the rash appears. For this reason, it is advised that every child with a cold in the head be kept away from other children, not only to prevent the spread of colds, but because the cold may be the first stage, the most contagious stage, of measles. Part of the protection of child life is the protection of the child from measles. Questions concerning Health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College Street, Toronto, will be answered by letter. Questions as to diagnosis and treatment will not be answered.

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