

VICTORIA SQUARE NEWSY NOTES

Has your former scribe gone on a journey Mr. Editor? Well Victoria Square is yet very much on the map and lest your readers should forget us I must try to pen a few lines for your many subscribers.

SHOWERS WELCOMED

The shower of Wednesday noon was very much enjoyed by not only the vegetable world, but also by everyone. The dust from the motor driven vehicles had made everything near the road, gray. Root fields, gardens and grain fields have improved wonderfully in a few hours. When the early season was so wet everyone was anxious for some dry weather, but now we are delighted to have the refreshing showers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Boston and Miss Marion spent last week with friends around Tilsonburg. They report a very pleasant trip through an excellent farming and dairying centre.

Mrs. Goforth is visiting with her son Mr. W. F. Goforth, of Scarborough village this week.

Mr. David Hopper, of Toronto, spent last week with Mr. Robt. Hopper.

Miss Gertrude McEachern and Miss Lillie L. Meyer, of Toronto, were entertained on Sunday by Mrs. R. E. Sanderson.

Dr. and Mrs. Spaulding, Mrs. S. M. Brown, Miss Augusta Fierheller, of Toronto, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Thos. Frisby.

Mrs. Stanley Boynton is spending two weeks at Jackson's Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert and two children, of Brooklin, spent over the week end at the parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCague, of Alliston, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. M. McCague, of Toronto, and Mr. James A. McCague spent Sunday with Mrs. S. Boynton.

Mrs. M. Wellman, Miss Marjorie and Mr. Geo. Wellman spent Sunday with Mrs. Louis Nichols.

Mr. Perry Edwards had the day of days when he accompanied his sister and her family with annual Hydro workers' picnic of Toronto, to Niagara Falls.

Rev. William Haig and Mrs. Haig had a pleasant visit to Bond Head on Saturday when Mr. Haig performed the ceremony that united in bonds of matrimony Mr. Gordon Brethet and Miss Marion Kerswill, two of the town's popular young people.

Mr. Bert Peach, of Orilla, visited with his nephew Mr. L. G. Stoutenburg over the week-end.

Miss Taylor was the guest of Miss Mae Flavelle over the week-end.

Miss Kathleen Dennis, after a month's holidays returned to Jersey City where she is engaged to do work with the children.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson, Miss Muriel and Master Nelson, of Toronto, spent Sunday with Mrs. Homer Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gooderham spent a few days last week with Mrs. W. F. Nichols. Many old friends were delighted to meet them at the Garden Party and were pleased to see Mr. Gooderham so much improved in health.

Mrs. W. Brumwell we are pleased to state managed to visit the party on Saturday and was greeted by hosts of friends. We wonder if her arm didn't ache after so many warm handshakes. She reports a substantial gain in weight. We hope the she continues to be in evidence until she is her former self.

Mr. John Hickson, Mr. and Mrs. B. Meek, of Oshawa, were back to greet old friends on Saturday.

The electrical storm of yesterday was quite severe. At No. 7 school,

Miss H. Winger standing on a metal register received a shock that almost knocked her to the floor at noon hour. At two o'clock again she was almost overcome with the electric currents in the air and had to be taken home.

Mr. James Denne has now all the papers any car driver needs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Winterstein, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Carver spent Sunday with Mrs. W. Dennie.

SUCCESSFUL GARDEN PARTY

Great crowds from far and near found their way to our corner on Saturday. Many during the afternoon enjoyed the baseball tournament and the warmly contested horseshoe pitching contest. Thornhill team took the money home with them.

We believe the greatest interest was manifested in the game of ball between the boys of Unionville and a number of the Victoria Square boys. The home lads had not practiced once this season yet they won a signal victory over the visiting team.

The evening program rendered by members of St. Clair United choir, Toronto, under their skilled leader, Mr. Chapman, was thoroughly enjoyed by a large crowd of people.

INSPIRING ANNIVERSARY SERVICES

On Sunday afternoon a full house was on hand to enjoy the service conducted by Rev. Mr. Black, of Aurora. Although Mr. Black was formerly a Methodist we believe it was his first appearance in our pulpit. Judging from the many complimentary remarks heard regarding the inspiring, and evangelical address given, he shall always receive a warm welcome in this church.

In the evening Rev. Mr. White, of Aurora, also gave a soul searching address to a large congregation.

At both services Miss Gertrude McEachern, of the St. Clair Avenue United Church, Toronto, accompanied by Miss Lillie L. Meyer gave inspiring messages in her songs.

"BROWN," "BLACK" and "WHITE" The services of the day were unique a "Brown" address to the Sunday School followed by a "Black" address to the afternoon congregation and a "White" address to the evening assembly. The combination worked for we believe the offering was the largest in Sunday School anniversary history.

Your scribe has attended these functions for more than twenty-two years and in his opinion the proceedings were carried through with a harmony hardly ever equalled.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Burke and Miss Verna, of Scarborough, visited with Mrs. W. Brumwell on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Annis, Messrs Arthur, Elmo, Clare Annis, Miss Irma Miss Evelyn, Port Huron, were guests at the party on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rowbotham, of Stouffville, visited with Miss Velma Boston last week.

Mrs. Harry Barber is spending a few days with her mother in Scarborough.

Mr. Ezra McMullen has added much to the appearance of Heise Hill by the erection of a fine commodious barn, eight feet long and a large up to date steel driving house.

Miss Kaiser, of Toronto, was guest of Mrs. Kaiser over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Heise returned this week after spending a few days in Michigan, attending conference there.

Miss Helen Henderson, of Buffalo, spent Thursday afternoon with Miss Pearl Dennie.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carver, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Winterstein and son Bruce, of Lemonville, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dennie.

THORNHILL DISTRICT NEWS

SOCIAL and PERSONAL
Miss Gweneth Baker, of Perth Collegiate is home on her vacation.

Mrs. Carleton, of Brantford, was renewing old acquaintances in the village this week.

Mr. Currie, father of Mrs. W. J. Wesley is seriously ill at Mrs. Wesley's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Francis visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Francis on Sunday.

Mrs. Appleby, of Parry Sound, returned home on Monday after spending the week with Miss Agnes Cooper.

Misses Margaret and Irene Lane, spent Sunday with Mrs. N. Smellie.

Mrs. Burgess, of Toronto, spent the week-end with Mrs. S. Elson.

Rev. John Oke and daughter Hazel, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Oke on Sunday.

Miss Mead, of Unionville, is spending a few days with the Misses Edey.

Several of the members of the Women's Institute will attend the district convention at Stouffville on Thursday.

Miss Mary Dean and Miss Eva Rosier are holidaying in Bermuda.

Miss Ruth James, of Syracuse, U. S. is visiting with Mrs. F. Simpson.

Mrs. B. Heslop and son James accompanied by Mrs. James Heslop and Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper spent the week-end at Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Jno. Dean, of Hamilton, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dean.

Misses Muriel and Reta Dean, spent the week-end with friends in Hamilton.

Miss Rhea Hooper with Mrs. Whitt, of Elgin Mills, motored to Detroit, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bird and to attend the wedding of Miss Hazel Bird.

Dr. Sparling, of Weston, who has accepted a call to the United Church here, will take his first service on Sunday, July 7th.

The W.M.S. of the United Church will withdraw their meetings during July and August.

BUSINESS CHANGE
Mr. Geo. Miller, of Toronto, and Mr. Price, of Oakville, have rented the garage belonging to the Hooper estate. They will take possession on Monday, June 24th.

PATTERSON LODGE A.F. & A.M.
Parading to the United Church on Sunday evening last, Patterson Lodge accompanied by visiting brethren, was addressed by Rev. W. E. Baker, pastor of the church, who took as his subject "Co-operation with God." Rev. John Oke, a former pastor of the church assisted. Special music was rendered by the choir and Miss Barker sang a solo. The offering was in aid of the Sick Children's Hospital.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC
The Sunday School Picnic of the United Church will be held on Wednesday, July 10th at Elm Park, Woodbridge.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL
The Women's Association of the United Church are making plans to hold a "Big Garden Party" on Saturday, July 13th on the grounds of Major and Mrs. Morrison, Langstaff.

JOHNSTON — DUNCAN
The marriage of Leila A. Duncan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Duncan to Ewart Johnston, son of Mrs. Mary Johnston, took place on Saturday afternoon, June 15th, at the Parsonage, Newtonbrook, Rev. E. R. Young officiating. The bride was attired in a navy blue suit with hat, shoes and stockings to match. After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Johnston will take up residence in Orillia.

SHOWER FOR BRIDE
The friends of Miss Leila Duncan, German Mills, held a miscellaneous shower in her honor at the home of her parents on Thursday, June 13th, about two hundred being present. The lawn was decorated for the occasion and confetti was much in evidence. The presentation was made by Miss Ada Denby and Mrs. Jack Robinson, a basket with the gifts being decorated in pink and white. Lunch was served, followed by an informal dance.

AURORA WINS FIRST LEAGUE GAME FROM THORNHILL
The Thornhill Ladies Softball team with a number of supporters motored to Aurora last Friday, June 14th, when the two teams played their first league game of the season. After five innings of play Aurora won by a score of 13-8.

THORNHILL LADIES AGAIN CARRY OFF FIRST PRIZE
The Thornhill girls were fortunate again in carrying home the first money, when they played at Victoria Square garden party. After defeating Highland Creek by a substantial margin they met Lansing aggregation in the finals. The Thornhill girls came out on top by a score of 16-5.

THORNHILL GIRLS TO PLAY AT BRIAR HILL CHURCH
The Thornhill girls softball team are invited to play the Lansing girls at a garden party to be held at Briar Hill Church on the corner of Dufferin St and Briar Hill Road, Fairbank, on Tuesday, June 25th. Will supporters please come along and help the girls.

THREE YEAR OLD BOY INJURED

While turning in his gateway on Sunday, June 16, Mr. Ed. Irish's truck was struck by a Paige car from Michigan, U. S., which was forced by another American car from the rear. In the last car a three year old boy was forced through the windshield and badly cut about the head. He was rushed to the office of Dr. Johns where his wounds were dressed. Mr. Irish's car was little the worse, but the two American cars were badly damaged. The three cars were travelling south.

FIRE AT THORNHILL GOLF CLUB

Damage to the extent of approximately six-hundred dollars was caused when fire broke out in the pump house of the Thornhill Golf Club on Sunday afternoon, June 16th, burning some of the main switches, and part of the building. The Richmond Hill fire engine was called and the fire quickly extinguished. It is thought the cause was through defective wiring. Loss is mostly covered by insurance. Much credit is due the Richmond Hill brigade for their prompt and effective action.

We extend congratulations to Mr. W. R. Fee, of Langstaff, who was successful in first year medical exams at Toronto University and Mr. R. P. Johns, of Thornhill, who was successful in second year exams.

The Thornhill Ladies Softball team will play with the Planters Ladies, leaders in the Oakwood League, tomorrow, (Friday) evening, on the Thornhill diamond at 7.30. Everyone come out and give the girls your support.

York Market

Producers were on hand with a fine supply of fresh foodstuffs when the North Toronto market opened on Tuesday at two o'clock, but business was very slow starting, it being about five o'clock before the market took on its usual busy aspect.

"The people don't seem to know yet that we open the market at 2 o'clock," was the explanation given by the farmers. The early opening was adopted about two months ago at the market.

A big variety of home baking proved a boon to the housewives, with the weather making cooking none too pleasant. Many new varieties of cut flowers sold quickly. Prices were as follows:

Farm Produce
Chicken for roasting, 40c. lb.; boiling, 35c and 38c.; milk-fed, 55c. lb. Eggs, specials, 45c. doz.; extras, 40c.; pullets, 35c.; duck eggs, 70c. Butter 45c, 47c. and 48c. lb. Cream 40c. pint. Roast pork, 60c. lb.; back bacon 45c.

Vegetables
Potatoes, 20c. basket; beets, 35c.; onions, leaf lettuce, white radishes, 3 for 10c.; head lettuce, 2 for 15c. and 10c. each; spinach, 15c. and 20c. peck; asparagus, 2 for 25c.; rhubarb, water-cress, 3 for 10c.; mint, 5c. bunch.

Strawberries were on four or five stands, selling at 25c and 30c. pint, or 38c. quart.

Home Cooking
Bread, 14c. and 15c. loaf; buns, 20c. dozen; whole wheat bread, 15c.; cakes, 25c, 40c. and 60c. each. Pickles, 20c and 25c. jar. Honey, amber, 60c for 5 lbs.; clover, 75c; bottles, 10c., 20c and 30c each; combs, 35c. Lemon cheese, 15c., 25c and 45c. bottle; apple butter, 25c; strawberry vinegar, 35c. bottle. Whole wheat nut date bread, 15c. loaf; whole wheat muffins, 30c. dozen; trill-bys, 20c. dozen.

Plants and Flowers
Cabbage plants 15c. dozen, 2 for 25c.; tomato plants, 15c. dozen; celery, 20c. Hothouse tomatoes, 35c. lb.; mushrooms, 25c. pint. Iris, 15c. bunch; peonies, 40c. dozen; pinks, 3 bunches for 25c.; snow in summer 10c. bunch; delphinium, 25c. bunch, sweetpeas 20c.

CASHEL

Mr. Ernest Appleton motored to Brampton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fuller, of Unionville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hobbs last Sunday evening.

Mr. Thomas Rogers and Miss N. Rogers both of Toronto, were the guests of Miss Flossie Roberts last Sunday.

Mr. Murray Summerfeldt, of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brillinger last week-end.

Mr. Roy Appleton, of Toronto, spent the week-end under the parental roof.

Mr. A. Brown, of Unionville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hitherill last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter, of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lotton last Sunday.

Mrs. Len Roberts and daughter, Flossie accompanied Mr. and Mrs. D. Harrington motored to Toronto, Wednesday eve'g., when they attended the Riddel-Walton wedding, which was a smart event in Danforth United Church.

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