

## CAPITOL THEATRE

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Now Playing--- Thursday, Friday, Saturday  
March 8, 9, 10

**EDDIE CANTOR in "ROMAN SCANDALS"**

RUBINOFF & ORCHESTRA, NEWS & ETC.

CONTINUOUS SHOW SAT. 1:30 TO 11:30

REVIVAL FRIDAY AT 10:00 P. M.

FREDERIC MARCH "Eagle and the Hawk"  
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MONDAY and TUESDAY MARCH 12, 13

MAX BAER  
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JACK DEMPSEY  
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Wynn Gibson in "Sleepers East"  
SOUVENIRS OLD MAN of the MOUNTAIN

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY MARCH 14, 15

**KAY FRANCIS in "House on 56th St."**

SALT WATER DAFFY NEWS ETC.  
OPENS AT 6:00 P. M. MATINEE  
PRICES ADULTS 25c., CHILD 15 TO 7:00 P. M.

## Vaughan Unemployed Ask Increased Relief Voucher

Reeve George Kellam received a hearty welcome from his colleagues as he presided at the regular meeting of Vaughan council on Monday for the first time since his recent illness.

The meeting was featured by the request of a deputation from the Veterans organization asking an increase in the relief voucher, and payment of taxes for those on relief. About twenty made up the deputation and Mr. Fred Broome acted as spokesman. Mr. Broome first dealt with the tax question pointing out that many of those on relief would soon be in danger of losing their homes which represented their life savings if the municipality did not come to their aid. The speaker pictured the plight of these men, veterans of the Great War, who caught in the conomic depression had been unable in recent years to secure enough employment to sustain their families. Relief had been granted but in the struggle for the necessities of life there was nothing with which to meet taxes and the arrears now piling up presented a problem which he thought the municipality should take up. The speaker suggested that the township apply to the provincial government for assistance to a larger extent than the usual 66 per cent now being paid to the township. Reeve Kellam assured the deputation such application would be made. In appealing for an increased voucher Mr. Broome stated those on relief were unable to make ends meet under present conditions. The present allowance is 15 cents per day for each adult and 10 cents per day for each child, and in addition fuel is supplied. This, Mr. Broome contended, was not enough. We find that in two weeks we have spent our month's allowance, he said. He pointed out that the necessities of life are much more expensive than a year ago and in the face of such increased prices he felt the present voucher inadequate.

Reeve Kellam complimented Mr. Broome on his masterly presentation of the case for the deputation. "I have every sympathy with the man who is unable to find employment and is on relief to-day," said Reeve Kellam. "I know every member of this council sympathizes with you and we appreciate to the fullest degree the unfortunate position in which you find yourselves to-day. On the other hand as members of the municipal council administering the affairs of this township for the ratepayers we must bear in mind that the only money we have to spend is the money we collect from the taxpayers. Many of those who are contributing to those taxes are experiencing the greatest difficulty in making things go and make real sacrifices to meet their obligations. There is approximately \$40,000.00 unpaid taxes in Vaughan township. So in the light of these conditions I appeal to you men to be as lenient as possible

in your demands. The reeve pointed out that relief payments amounted to \$2,030 in December, \$2,300 in January and \$2,600 in February.

## OBITUARY

**LATE JOSEPH COMISKY**  
After an illness of eleven weeks death came to Mr. Joseph Comisky on Wednesday, Feb. 28th, 1934, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Herbert Smith, Headford. Mr. Comisky was one of Markham Township's oldest and most highly respected citizens and was in his 95th year. He was born in County Monaghan, Ireland, and came to Canada with his parents, William and Caroline Comisky, when very young.

In December 1863 he married Ellen McCague of Victoria Square, who predeceased him about seventeen years ago. After their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Comisky farmed near Stayner for nine years, and at Kettleby for about five years, returning to the homestead in Markham Township where he has lived for the past fifty-seven years. Deceased was a member of Headford United Church and of a bright kindly disposition he was greatly beloved by friends, neighbors and all who knew him. Surviving are, one son, Walter Comisky of Toronto, one daughter, Mrs. Herbert Smith of Headford with whom he resided, one sister, Mrs. S. Cullen of Toronto, also thirteen grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren. A daughter, Mrs. A. Helmky, and a son, Mr. Charles Comisky, both of Markham Township, predeceased him within the past nine months.

The funeral was held on Friday, March 2nd, at the home of his daughter with Rev. A. P. Brace of Toronto, a friend of the family, officiating assisted by Rev. A. E. Lunau of Toronto, a former Pastor, and Mr. F. Maxwell of Headford Church. Interment followed in Victoria Square Cemetery. The pallbearers were Robert Endean, Charles Boynton, Arthur Hayman, John Comisky, W. Cullen and Heber McCague. A profusion of beautiful flowers showed the high esteem in which deceased was held.

The Liberal joins with the entire community in extending sincere sympathy to the bereaved family.

## Curling Notes

"Gid" Moodie's rink won the local curling club championship by defeating the G. Yerex four in the final game last Thursday afternoon. The members of the Moodie rink win the championship and the individual prizes donated by the club president, Mr. W. W. A. Trench. The two rinks in the finals were as follows: R. Paris, J. Dewsberry, J. A. Monkman, G. Yerex skip; Walter Scott Sr., W. Cappell, C. P. Wiley, Gid Moodie skip.

## Radials Have First Monthly Revenue Gain

JANUARY REPORT SHOWS FIRST MONTHLY INCREASE SINCE FIRST OPERATION OF LINE

The North Yonge Radials showed an operating loss for the month of January of \$392.00 as compared to a loss of \$286.04 for the corresponding month in 1933. In December there was an operating profit of \$29.14 as compared to a profit of \$820.53 in December the previous year.

The radial line owned by the municipalities of North York, Markham, Vaughan and Richmond Hill has been operated as a municipal undertaking since July 1930 and the first year showed an operating loss of \$5,104.96, in 1932 there was an operating profit of \$2,627.67 and in 1933 the operating loss was \$707.47. Compared with the results of operations on other car lines in these years of depression the residents of the North Yonge Street district have every reason to be satisfied with the showing made by the line, and with the return of better economic conditions this great public utility should prove a real money maker.

An outstanding and encouraging feature of the report for the month of January is that the passenger revenue for that month was \$5,711.33, an increase of \$8.29 over the same month in 1933. It is a notable fact that this is the first monthly increase in revenue since the first operation of the line in July 1930. The increased costs due to snow accounted for the increase in the loss on the month's operations despite the increase in revenue.

## Call for Tenders For Removal of Village Coop

The council of Richmond Hill Village met in regular session Monday evening.

Reeve Greene suggested that the council consider removing the lock-up from its present location. He pointed out that it was an eyesore to the park and was objectionable to citizens living in that district.

Councillors Mills and Little favored the suggestion of the Reeve. Councillor Middleton said he thought it should be moved but he did not think the present was an opportune time to make such an expenditure. Councillor Neal agreed with Mr. Middleton. He suggested it be left over until later in the year. "We might need that money for something else before the end of the year," he said.

The question of where to move it also came in for considerable discussion. The municipal building was suggested as the best place for the lock-up. It was also suggested that the present building be moved well back in the park. This suggestion seemed to find most favor with the members and a committee was appointed to determine the future location of the jail. The clerk was instructed to call for tenders for the moving of the building.

The provision of garden seed to those unable to buy same this spring was left in the hands of councillor Middleton, chairman of the relief committee.

## DR. C. E. HILL HONORED BY ROYAL ARCH MASONS

Dr. C. E. Hill of Lansing has been honored by appointment as Grand Superintendent of Royal Arch Masons for Toronto District 8 at the annual provincial convention held at Brockville last week. District 8 includes half of the Chapters in the City of Toronto and all in York County and Dr. Hill will have the unique privilege for the next twelve months of presiding over the largest district of Royal Arch Masons in the British Empire. Dr. Hill has been active in Royal Arch Masonry for many years being a past Principal of Victoria Chapter, Thornhill, and the honor now conferred upon him is recognition of his distinguished services to the craft.

NEXT WEEK IS CHERRYBLOSSOM WEEK.

## W.G. Maxwell Reappointed Road Supt.

TOWNSHIP PLANS WORK PROGRAM TO COMMENCE NEXT MONTH

At the regular session of Markham Township council held at the Township Hall, Unionville, W. G. Maxwell was re-appointed as Roads Superintendent for the coming year. No other name was mentioned when the annual by-law making the appointment was presented and the only discussion was concerning the salary to be paid. Last year the superintendent received 50 cents per hour but this year his salary was fixed at \$80.00 per month for the year.

Road expenditure for the year was estimated at \$18,960.00 which is made up of \$1,000.00 for estimated new construction, \$1,000.00 for bridges, \$960 for superintendent's salary, and \$16,000.00 for maintenance work.

The Township has entered into an agreement for a Relief Works program providing for an expenditure of \$6,000.00. It is planned to commence this work as soon as weather conditions permit and it is expected to get under way early in April.

It is hoped that this works program will provide work for the unemployed and thus reduce the burden of direct relief which in February reached a record high point, the expenditure for the month being \$2,000. Approximately one hundred families in the township are securing direct relief.

General accounts were passed totaling \$625.00 and road accounts totaling \$750.00.

Grants were made as follows: Sick Children's Hospital \$15.00, Richmond Hill Library \$10.00, Thornhill Library \$10.00, Unionville Library \$10.00, and Markham Library \$10.00.

## Young Canadians May Play Senior O.A.L.A. This Year

An O.A.L.A. senior grouping including Richmond Hill Young Canadians is prominently mentioned in sporting circles and it is not unlikely that when the zero weather departs and the boys pick up their lacrosse sticks that Richmond Hill will be playing senior lacrosse with Malvern Grads, Oawoods, Native Sons, Toronto, and Peterboro.

A meeting of the local club will be held this evening when the program for the coming year will be discussed but it is not unlikely that the boys will decide to cast their lot in with the Toronto group. The four Toronto teams will play at the Ulster Stadium where there is splendid flood-lighting and the games can be played at night.

The prospects of the Tri-County league for the coming year are very uncertain. It is doubtful if there will be more than one senior team and that the strong Orillia Terriers. This would mean that to play senior lacrosse in the Tri-County league Richmond Hill would be linked up in a series with Orillia alone which would not provide much lacrosse for the players or fans. It is also doubtful whether or not there will be much competition in the intermediate section without travelling long distances. According to pre-season talk it is doubtful if there will be any Tri-County lacrosse this side of Allandale. A meeting of the Tri-County is expected for the very near future.

The Oakwoods, Malvern Grads, Native Sons and Toronto all played here last year and the fans are well acquainted with the splendid brand of lacrosse which may be expected from these clubs. Peterboro in 1933 went right up to the finals in the intermediate play-downs and will field a strong team this year.

SEE MISS CHERRYBLOSSOM DON'T FAIL TO SEE MISS CHERRYBLOSSOM AT THE UNITED CHURCH NEXT THURSDAY AND FRIDAY EVENING.

**FAIR BOARD MEETING**  
A meeting of the officers and directors of the Richmond Hill Agricultural Society will be held in the Council Chamber next Tuesday evening.

## Bedford Theatre

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YONGE AND GLEN FOREST  
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THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY Mar. 8, 9, 10

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Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, MARCH 12, 13, 14

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THURSDAY, FRIDAY SATURDAY MARCH 15, 16, 17

"Dinner at Eight"

WITH HOLLYWOOD'S GREATEST STARS  
MARIE DRESSLER, WALLACE BEERY, JOHN BARRYMORE, JEAN HARLOW, LIONEL BARRYMORE, BILLIE BURKE AND A HOST OF OTHER GREAT STARS  
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## Program Competition Keenly Contested by Young Farmers

PROGRAM COMPETITION OF YORK COUNTY JUNIORS DRAWS LARGE CROWD

Approximately 300 people, including 150 competitors, representing all rural sections of the County attended the second annual Programme Competition put on by the York County Junior Farmers and Junior Institutes. The Competition was held at Pickering College on Friday evening, Mar. 2nd.

Five Clubs competed, representing the communities of Unionville, Vellore, Mt. Albert, Victoria Square and Nobleton. Each Club had the privilege of contributing six numbers to the program. Entries were grouped in six classes with a club scoring five points for first prize, down to one point for fifth prize.

Unionville, for the second consecutive year, was the winner of the Inter-Club Shield. This Club stood first in five classes and second in one giving them a total score of twenty-nine points. Vellore Club was a close second with twenty-three points.

The musical numbers were judged by Miss Emily Tedd, Supervisor of Music, Dept. of Education, Miss Crawford, Dept. of Education, and Mr. Aubrey Bailey, Newmarket. The judges of Public Speaking were H. A. Jackson, Principal, Stuart Scott School, D. O. Mungoven, English Instructor, Newmarket High School, and W. Adams, English Instructor, Aurora High School. Miss Tedd in announcing the awards and making criticisms of the various numbers, congratulated York County Juniors on their accomplishment. She stated that many of the numbers ranked with the best she had ever judged outside the city of Toronto.

Mr. Jackson who announced the results of the Public Speaking, complimented the boys on the high standing of their public speaking and stated that it rated with the best of their high school competitions.

Mr. R. E. White as Chairman and Mr. Murray Macklin as President of the County Junior Farmers expressed themselves as more than pleased with the program put on wholly by the rural groups.

The awards in each class were as follows:  
CLASS 1—CHORUS:  
1st—Unionville  
2nd—Vellore  
3rd—Mt. Albert  
4th—Victoria Square  
5th—Nobleton

CLASS 2—QUARTETTE:  
1st—Unionville  
2nd—Vellore  
3rd—Victoria Square  
4th—Mt. Albert

CLASS 3—PUBLIC SPEAKING:  
1st—Unionville, John Moscow  
2nd—Victoria Square, Gerald Lyons  
3rd—Vellore, Donald McCallum  
4th—Nobleton, Heber Irwin  
5th—Mt. Albert, Frank Ross

CLASS 4—INSTRUMENTAL NUMBER, PIANO:  
1st—Unionville, Gladys Owen  
2nd—Nobleton, Margaret Watson  
3rd—Vellore, Laurena Rutherford  
4th—Mt. Albert, Jack Jarvis, Oscar Robertson  
5th—Victoria Square, Velma Boston

CLASS 5—INSTRUMENTAL, other than piano:  
1st—Unionville, John Moscow  
2nd—Vellore, Eileen Carson  
3rd—Mt. Albert, Gus Gruber, Fred Herbstreit  
4th—Nobleton, Francis Trainor  
5th—Victoria Square, Harry Barber, Ralph Perkins

CLASS 6—VOCAL NUMBER:  
1st—Vellore, Bob Young  
2nd—Unionville, Alex Morgan  
3rd—Mt. Albert, Marie Draper  
4th—Victoria Square, Mrs. Heber McCague  
5th—Nobleton, Kenneth McTaggart

## BOARD OF EDUCATION

The regular meeting of the Board was held on Tuesday evening in the Municipal Building. Principal Stewart was present and gave the Board a review of the standing of the High School in regard to the examinations held last year and showed that the school stood well up to the average of other schools in this district and province.

Attendance Officer Mabley gave a report of his work since taking over the duties of the office. Twenty-four cases had been investigated all of which were satisfactorily settled, one permit had been issued.

Chairman Eden gave a report of the Associated High School Boards of Ontario Convention held in Toronto which he and Trustee Trench had attended as Delegates from this Board.

The Board decided not to appoint delegates to the Ontario Trustees and Ratepayers Convention to be held during the Easter vacation.

Trustee Sanderson presented the report of a special committee appointed to go into the matter of the use of the High School Gymnasium to outside organizations but the members present decided not to take any action on the report until next meeting as some members of the Board were unavoidably absent on Tuesday. Other routine business concluded the meeting.