

KING CITY

William E. Barker Is Candidate For Council

William E. Barker, one of King Township's best known citizens is this year standing for election as a councillor for the year 1938.

Here is an advertising tip for local and district ministers, which originated in West Point, Missouri, providing of course, such advertising is needed.

FERGUSON SEES TRADE PACT AS BIRTH OF NEW NATIONAL RELATIONSHIP

Claiming that no sane nation would ever attempt to conquer, defeat or suppress the aspirations of the great democracies, Hon. G. Howard Ferguson told the National Motor Show banquet gathering this week that all that was now required to save the world from another great war was the shoulder-to-shoulder co-operation of those democracies.

In the recent Anglo-Canadian American trade treaties, Mr. Ferguson saw the birth of a new national relationship, out of which would probably develop, on the part of the three nations involved, greater, concerted effort to maintain the security, the freedom and the liberty for which, he said, they have always stood.

Getting a reputation saves you money, too. If people think you rich, you can get by with dime-store jewelry.

THORNHILL

The Home and School Association held a well attended meeting Monday evening, November 28th. Mrs. Neal presided. The guest speaker, Mrs. Peter Sandford, member of the Home and School Federation said in her address, "Our children are far more capable than the children of the pioneer days who were given great responsibility while they were still in their teens."

Do not forget the concert to be given by the Lyric Male Choir on Tuesday, December 6th at 8 p.m. in Thornhill United Church.

Thornhill Horticultural Society will hold their annual banquet in Lawrence Memorial Hall on Monday evening, December 5th at 6.45 o'clock. The guest speaker will be L. M. Montgomery and assisting artists, Tom Hewlton and Miss Doreen Johnston. Tickets can be secured from the secretary, Mr. C. McGuire.

It pays to advertise in The Liberal.

NEWTONBROOK

Rev. H. Egerton Young and Mrs. Young left last Thursday night for their home at God's Lake, Manitoba.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Moffat of Weston and Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Batchelor of Lansing were guests at the Parsonage last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart of Pemberton Ave. and their family left last week to live in England. We are sorry to lose them from our midst.

Mrs. Jones arrived last week from Brandon, Manitoba to visit her daughter, Mrs. Campbell.

Mrs. J. Scrimgeour of Trinidad visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wells.

Mrs. Turner of Toronto was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Robt. Pinder Sr. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Watkins have moved from Goward, Ont. into their new residence on Homewood Ave.

Mrs. S. Everest and son Kenneth spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. James Murray.

The marriage of Miss Irene Booth, daughter of Mrs. G. W. Booth and the late Mr. Booth to George E. Stonehouse of Willowdale took place recently in St. Timothy's Anglican Church, North Toronto, with Rev. H. H. Marsh officiating.

The Woman's Association is holding their annual Bazaar and Afternoon Tea this (Thursday) in the United Church School Room.

The North York Red Cross Society is holding their regular meeting on Thursday at 2.30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. H. L. Plummer, on Bayview Ave. and will take the form of a Shower of candy, dried fruit and nuts for Northern Ontario Christmas boxes.

The North York Horticultural Society held its annual Social evening in Earl Haig Collegiate Institute with almost 300 in attendance. The president, Mr. W. A. Curtis, presided and introduced the various speakers of the evening. Over fifty prizes or trophies were presented to those winning special prizes at the annual Flower Show which was held last August.

Newtonbrook United Church was the scene of a pretty wedding last Saturday evening when Ruth M. Burgess, only daughter of the late Mr. Clifford Burgess and Mrs. R. A. Lefler, 48 Pemberton Ave., became the bride of Ernest James Smith, son of the late Mr. Fred Smith and Mrs. Smith of London, Ont. Rev. A. H. Halbert performed the ceremony. The bride, given in marriage by Mr. R. A. Lefler, wore a blue costume with corsage of pink roses and maiden hair fern and was attended by Miss Doris Newson who wore a green costume with matching accessories.

The Girls' Mission Circle met at the Parsonage on Tuesday evening with the president, Mrs. W. Murchison in the chair. Miss Lorene Brown and Miss Irene Smith conducted the worship service. The first chapter of the Story Book, "The World in Canada" was reviewed by Mrs. C. Bales. A miscellaneous shower was held to bring Christmas cheer to a family in Western Canada. A nominating committee was appointed. The annual meeting and election of officers will be held on Tuesday evening, December 13th. Mrs. Halbert closed the meeting with prayer.

The Golden Rule Mission Band held its annual business meeting and election of officers last Saturday afternoon. The president, Jean Stephenson, presided. The memory verses were repeated by the members. A duet was sung by Ruth Campbell and Rita Hurd. The topic was taken by the leader, Miss A. Lever. The election of officers was as follows: President, Jean Stephenson; 1st Vice-Pres., Ruth Campbell; 2nd Vice-Pres., Norma Walterhouse; 3rd Vice-Pres., Gordon Hurd; Recording Secretary, Rita Hurd; Asst. Recording Sec., Dorothy Walterhouse; Treasurer, Miss A. Lever; Asst. Treasurer, Leslie Campbell; Book Stewards, Bruce Stephenson, Dick Walterhouse; Membership Committee, Elsie Wells, Jean Hewitt, Beverley McMullen, Merritt Mapes.

Mr. F. W. Moffat showed moving pictures of his travels to the United Church Mission fields in China, India and Palestine at the evening

WOODBIDGE

Institute Euchre and Dance The Euchre and Dance sponsored by the Burwick Branch of the Junior Women's Institute in the Orange Hall attracted a large crowd. Winners in euchre were Mrs. W. Bradshaw, Mrs. S. Robinson, Miss Agnes McCallum, Mrs. Clarence Graham, H. Jeffery, Mrs. George White. The dance program included old time, modern and novelty dances with music provided by Catania's Orchestra.

Christ Church Annual Bazaar Big Success

The women of Christ Church held their annual Supper and Bazaar at the residence of Misses Bessie and Mary Wallace, Pine Street, and this event each year is regarded as one of the leading church events of the year. The 1938 event staged on Thursday of last week was pronounced a grand success. Booths were in charge of Mrs. John Robb, Mrs. S. Stratford, Mrs. Earl Ring, Mrs. S. Stark, Mrs. T. Cole, Mrs. Lulu Willis; Kitchen and table service Miss Mary Wallace, Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Uppington, Mrs. John Meek, Mrs. Walter Rymill, Mrs. Fred Elliston, Mrs. Robert Simpson, Miss Annie Kersey, Miss Mary Kersey, Mrs. Boyle, Miss Mary Maxey, Mrs. A. Thompson, Miss Olive Wallace, Mrs. G. Wilson, Mrs. Ross Livingston, Mrs. Maynard and Mrs. E. Simpson. Rev. J. H. Kidd, Rector, opened the Bazaar.

Jack Nattress, President of the Presbyterian Young People's Society with Mrs. Howard Lovat, program convenor, conducted the meeting last week. A program of readings, music, etc., was rendered by Misses Bessie Elliott, Lillian Brown, and piano solos by Mrs. James S. Roe.

No trace has been found of Chas. Ireland's car which was stolen on Monday night.

Roy Blake's car which was parked opposite the Shoe Store of Mr. Bert Harris, of its own free will started down the grade and stopped when it bumped into a tree on Pine Street.

A Public Christmas Tree sponsored by H. N. Smith is announced.

At a meeting of the Young People of Kleinburg United Church Miss Mazel Shaw, a member of the Earl Shaw staff presented a history of Kleinburg's Business Concerns in the early life of the Village, among those being the H. S. Rowland Flour Mill, Gough's Cooperage and several Saw Mills including Rowland Burr's Mills at Burlington.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q—Where is the coldest place on earth? A—Verkhoyansk, in Siberia, where temperatures of 90 below zero are recorded. Q—Can a snake see while asleep? A—Yes; it has lidless eyes.

service in Newtonbrook United Church last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Moffat returned last May from a trip around the world which took them a little more than eight months.

Mrs. W. T. Wells was hostess at an Afternoon Tea last Wednesday at her home which was held under the auspices of the Auxiliary of the W.M.S. Bronze and gold chrysantheums made a pretty dining table centre with yellow lighted tapers. Mrs. Harry Smith poured tea. Mrs. A. W. Stephenson and Mrs. W. T. New helped serve. The artists who entertained were Mrs. Burton of Toronto, elocutionist, Mrs. Plumpton, soloist and Mrs. J. Scrimgeour gave a short talk on Trinidad. All enjoyed a happy afternoon.

Practise has commenced for the annual S. S. entertainment which will be held in the United Church School Room Tuesday evening, December 20th.

The United Church will hold its Sunday School Anniversary on Sunday, December 18th. Also its White Gift Service.

Rev. A. H. Halbert preached last Tuesday evening at a special service at Edgeley United Church.

CHARGES ACT OF TAX LEVIES BADLY ABUSED

"Only a Headache," Inspector of Municipal Affairs Declares at Orangeville

Orangeville, Nov. 19. — E. P. Coombs, inspector of municipal affairs for Ontario, charged before Dufferin County Council yesterday that no act in the Statutes of Ontario is more abused than the Assessment Act.

"If the clauses of this act were abided by the municipalities of this province the statute would not be the headache that it is to-day," said Mr. Coombs.

Before council and other municipal officials of Dufferin municipalities, he stated that, because of the small wages which are drawn annually by assessors, the only way they can do their duty is by copying their reports from other assessment rolls.

"I am willing to gamble that there is not one municipality in Dufferin County which is assessed for 100 per cent of its actual value," said Mr. Coombs emphatically. "To remedy this it is necessary to hire competent assessors at an increased salary and for them to fight for equalized assessment in every municipality."

ONLY FOUR COUNTIES

"There are only four counties in Ontario in which assessment is carried out according to statute," he revealed, "and I am sorry to say that Dufferin is not one of them. Men of to-day have not the sterling qualities of the pioneers 50 years ago. People paid their taxes then and paid them on time."

Mr. Coombs further charged that rising costs of hospitalization could be traced partially to doctors who, knowing that they will get no money for treatment of indigent patients, send these patients to hospitals for further treatment. Dealing with relief Mr. Coombs stated that "whether we like it or not, relief is here to stay."

Although he did not question the reliability and integrity of auditors employed to look after various councils' book, Mr. Coombs stated that a more thorough system should be brought into effect. "The question of municipal audit is much more than addition and subtraction," he stated. "I could take your county books to the public school," pointing to the school building 150 feet away, "and have the children of the Senior Fourth class audit them."

Referring to a surplus of \$19,360 posted last year in Dufferin County, the speaker paid high tribute to a "good sign of financing." "No less than 938 municipalities in 38 counties in Ontario have gone bankrupt and to give assistance to these municipalities was one of the main reasons that the Department of Municipal Affairs was formed," stated Mr. Coombs.

THE MASTER PAINTER

The Autumn day's sweet mellowness flows round my heart in swells intangible, yet strong enough to set the golden bells Of joy vibrating in my heart to see that God's own hand In vivid colour scheme now renovates my native land. Pale yellow here and orange there and often deepest red, And shades that grace the Painter's art, which never can be spread By hand of mortal man, nor can their glory be Translated to a poem here to catch their ecstasy! And in the clear serenity of dusk at evening's door, I pause to thank the Master Painter for His priceless store Of gifts of colour to this Canada, that can be made The promised land for which our sturdy pioneers have prayed! Charles A. Tupper, In The Globe and Mail.

Wilfrid R. Scott Successor to J. J. Deane Director of FUNERAL AND AMBULANCE SERVICE WOODBRIDGE, ONTARIO

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