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#### FORTY YEARS AGO

From our Issue of June 1st, 1899  
The ladies of the Presbyterian  
Church thank the many friends who  
patronized them on the 24th of May.  
After paying all necessary ex-  
penses connected with the dinner  
and tea eighty-one dollars were ad-  
ded to the treasury.

Many loads of very heavy parts  
of machinery have been taken from  
Richmond Hill station to Bond's  
Lake during the week to be placed  
in the Metropolitan power house.  
Three draught teams have generally  
been hitched to the trucks, and as  
the pieces weighed from five to  
eight tons, some of the bridges in  
the way have been pretty severely  
tested.

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friends for their patronage at their  
dinner and tea May 24th. The neat  
sum of \$85.00 was realized.

Among the best reports to the  
Annual District of the Methodist  
Church held here last week was that  
from Richmond Circuit. Every con-  
nexional fund was in advance of any  
preceding year. To the missionary  
fund alone was contributed the hand-  
some sum of \$403.00.

At a meeting of the Agricultural  
Society held Wednesday, a resolu-  
tion was passed authorizing a grant  
of \$25.00 to assist the village coun-  
cil in paying for the repairing of  
the grand stand, the balance, \$37,  
to be paid by the council. An esti-  
mate of receipts and expenditures  
showed a net balance of about \$100.

Dr. Langstaff left on Wednesday  
for Chicago, where he intends tak-  
ing special studies in the larger  
hospitals. During his absence his  
practice will be carried on by Dr.  
H. W. Spence, who has just return-  
ed from the Old Country.

#### THIRTY YEARS AGO

A tramp last Friday made off  
with Mr. H. B. Stirling's bicycle,  
but Constable Walter Eyer recover-  
ed it and captured the light fingered  
gentleman about two miles away  
and landed him in the lock-up.

There have been many splendid  
celebrations in Richmond Hill on  
Victoria Day, but everything con-  
sidered it is safe to say that the  
Exhibition and concert on Monday  
of this week, under the auspices of  
the Agricultural Society were bet-  
ter than ever before. The weather  
was perfect, the roads were free  
from dust, so that these conditions  
assisted in bringing large crowds  
of pleasure seekers to witness the  
fine exhibits, the horse and foot  
racing and the football tournament.

The crowd last year was large, but  
the gate receipts this year were  
considerably larger and the same  
may be said of the concert receipts  
in the evening. Six teams compet-  
ed in the football tournament name-  
ly: Green River, Nobleton, Teston,  
Aurora, Newmarket and Thornhill.  
After a keen contest the \$25.00  
prize was won by Green River. There  
was a slight falling off in the num-  
ber of team entries, but for light  
horses the exhibits were fine. In  
single carriage there were eight en-  
tries, twelve in single roadsters,  
twelve in farmer's turn-out and  
twelve in lady drivers. The new  
grand stand was crowded during the  
afternoon and the officers and di-  
rectors were congratulated on the  
great improvement in accommodation  
over former years. The Newmarket  
Military Band gave a program of  
excellent music. The concert in the  
evening gave good satisfaction. Mr.  
J. H. Sanderson presided, and con-  
sidering the extra large crowd, the  
order was very good.

The Presbyterian congregation  
was out in large numbers last Sun-  
day morning, when worship was re-  
sumed in the auditorium. The in-  
terior decoration is both chaste and  
attractive and does credit to all who  
have had a part in the work of ad-  
ornment.

#### FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

From our Issue of May 29th, 1924  
A splendid meeting of the Young  
Ladies' Baseball Club was held in  
the Hotel. The nominations were:  
Manager, Mr. Charles Glover; Sec-  
-treas., Miss D. Hart; Coach and  
Captain, K. Blanchard. The prac-  
tices are Tuesdays and Thursdays.  
Tuesday the practice was in full  
swing when 21 girls turned out.

#### Weiland-Tuck

On Saturday, May 24th, a quiet  
wedding was solemnized at St.  
Anne's Church, Toronto, Canon Skey  
afficiating, when Rhoda Isabel, eld-  
-est daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J.  
Tuck, Richmond Hill, was united in  
marriage to Mr. William Thomas,  
son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weiland,  
Seaforth, Ont.

At a meeting of the Ladies' Bow-  
ling Club held at the home of Mrs.  
A. G. Savage, on May 16th, the fol-  
-lowing officers were elected for the  
current year: President, Mrs. Her-  
-rington; 1st vice-president, Mrs.  
-Portner; 2nd vice-president, Miss  
-Edean; Secretary, Mrs. W. Trench;  
-Treasurer, Miss Gibson; Games com-  
-mittee, Mrs. Savage, Mrs. Jackson,  
-Miss Moodie, Mrs. Herrington, Mrs.  
-Trench.

The York Rangers  
Capt. Hartly Morden took part in  
the Tactical contest held in the  
Armouries at Brampton on Thurs-

### GENERAL NEWS AND VIEWS

Rev. Canon F. H. Battersby, for-  
-merly of Richmond Hill, now rector  
of St. Paul's Anglican Church, Hal-  
-burton, has been named by the Arch-  
-bishop as Rural Dean of the Hal-  
-burton Deanery.

Fall wheat and all spring crops  
look very promising throughout  
York County.

A visitor to our office this week  
asked why the Richmond Hill au-  
-thorities do not seem as anxious to  
enforce the Dog By-Law as the  
wrecking by-law.

Tops in election promises goes to  
the Aurora mayoralty candidate who  
promised if elected to "make Au-  
-rora a real heaven". If he suc-  
-ceeds Richmond Hill citizens will  
at least be close to heaven.

Richmond Hill at least is honored  
by being on the route of the Royal  
Train.

Claremont village fire truck go-  
-ing to a fire recently was decked  
out in 1936 license plates and a  
county constable has laid a charge  
against the municipality.

How about a tax on people who  
are always thinking up new taxes  
says the Hamilton Spectator.

While the fish may or may not  
bite, the human suckers always seem  
ready to do so.

The people who try to get some-  
-thing for nothing, often end up by  
getting nothing for something.

One of the best ways to make  
a town go ahead is to make its  
homes look so attractive that peo-  
-ple who see it wish they could live  
there.

The best insurance against old  
age and disability is an interesting  
mind, Says William Lyon Phelps. In  
my life of professional teaching, I  
have never endeavored to make  
young men more efficient; I have  
tried to make them more interest-  
-ing. I like to hang pictures on the  
walls of the mind; I like to make  
it possible for a man to live with  
himself, so that he will not be  
bored with himself.

J. M. Walton, six times mayor of  
Aurora, and Howard Morton, who is  
entering the municipal field for the  
first time, are candidates for the  
office of Mayor of Aurora. The elec-  
-tion will be held Friday.

Two representative Foxhurst  
Rainbows, the new wonder breed of  
fowl, are being imported by George  
Bryan Curran, Advertising Manager  
of the Orillia News-Letter, and will

day evening, 16th inst., between the  
officers of the County of Peel Regi-  
-ment, and the County Battalion,  
York Rangers, in the map manoeu-  
-res, the Peel Regiment were pro-  
-nounced by the examining district  
officer as the winners.

The Junior Baseball team, under  
Cadet Capt. Bert Grant, have offi-  
-cially entered the Hill's Square  
League for the 1939 season. The  
team will be equipped complete and  
have regimental status as the Rich-  
-mond Hill Cadets. As a reward for  
this consideration, the officer re-  
-sponsible for Cadet organization re-  
-quests that the Cadets ever uphold  
the sporting traditions of the Corps,  
to play the game ever as gentle-  
-men cadets, to take defeat without  
bitterness, and likewise success with-  
out self appreciation.

The contract has been let to Mr.  
Sheardown for the rebuilding of the  
swimming pool on Percy Brillingier's  
farm. The pool will be enlarged,  
and made further complete than  
last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Stirling  
have again given to the Cadet Corps  
the privilege of holding a Garden  
Fete on the grounds of their home,  
the proceeds from which will be  
given to the Cadet Corps sporting  
fund.

Arrangements are under way for  
the reorganizing of the York Rang-  
-ers Richmond Hill Reserve Brass  
Band.

The Cadet Corps at the Orphan-  
-age made a splendid showing before  
the Board of Directors on the 24th  
of May, and this Corps has now  
proved itself as being a finely  
disciplined body of boys, and un-  
-doubtedly reflecting great credit to  
their Matron in charge.

### IT WAS HALF RIGHT ANYWAY

The reliability of the Toronto  
press in reporting suburban news is  
exemplified in an eighteen line ac-  
-count of the Richmond Hill Horti-  
-cultural Society tulip show held here  
Monday evening and which appear-  
-ed Tuesday morning. In the eight-  
-een line account there were exact-  
-ly nine mistakes, which we would  
say is a fair average for the Metro-  
-politan dailies. Let the home town  
weekly make just one little mistake  
and you should hear our telephone.

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Australia — a 9 foot specimen was  
recently found.

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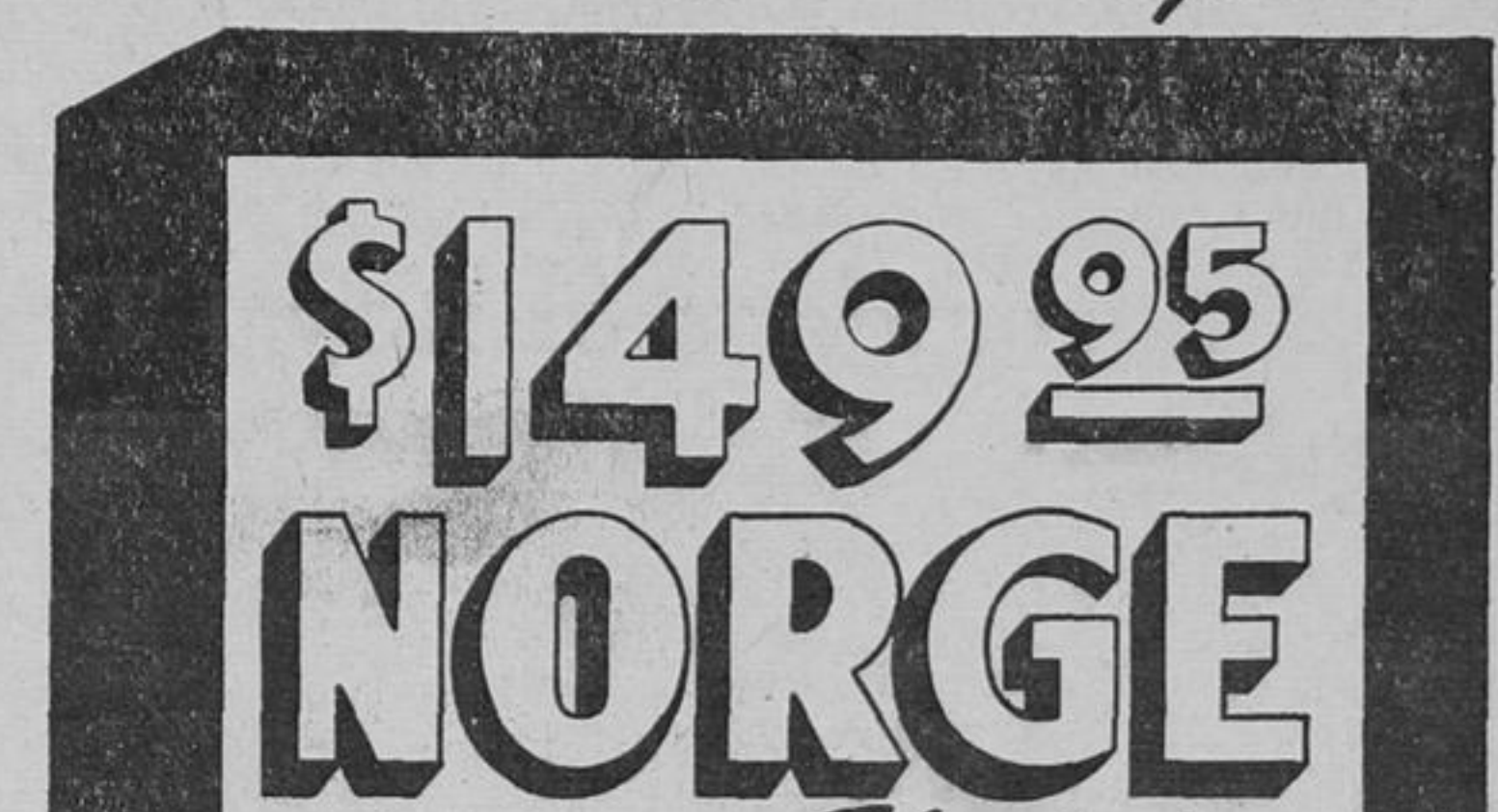
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