

**RICHVALE SOCIAL CLUB
POULTRY EUCHRE**
The Liberal has been requested to draw the attention of its readers to the Poultry Euchre on Wednesday, December 20th, and lucky admission tickets, under the auspices of Richvale Social Club, Richvale School. 15 games of euchre. Admission 25c.

ST. MARY'S W.A. FINAL MEETING OF YEAR
The last meeting of the year of St. Mary's Anglican W.A. will be held at the home of Mrs. H. A. Nicholls, Yonge St. on Tuesday next December 19th. Those who have not sent in Cent-A-Meal money for Nov. are asked to do so at this meeting. A record attendance is requested.

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OAK RIDGES

The Rev. E. W. G. Worrall, Rector of St. John's Church, Oak Ridges, presented to His Grace, the Most Rev. D. T. Owen, D.D., Archbishop of Toronto and Primate of the Anglican Church in Canada, seventeen Candidates for the Solemn Rite of Confirmation, in St. John's Church, Wednesday, December 6th at 7.30 p.m. Assisting in the service were the Revs. A. J. Forte, F. V. Abbott, J. J. Robbins, and Rural Dean G. O. Lightbourne. Before the Laying-on-of-Hands, the Choir and Congregation sang "Come Down O Love Divine" to Vaughan Williams' tune. The church was crowded for the occasion.

After the service, the representatives of the Building Committee, S. C. Snively, John Chatterly, Roy Dibb and W. J. Whitten, preceded the choir, clergy and congregation from the church door and guided them into the new Parish Hall, for a short Service of Dedication. The Archbishop commended the committee, congregation and Rector on the sound work done, commenting especially on the strength of the walls. The choir was also highly commended for its excellent singing, and the new hymns sung.

The Parish Hall will not be officially opened for some time to come as much of the interior work remains to be done. Nor is the present building the completed Hall.

A basement 74 ft. long, 30 ft. wide, with walls 8 ft. 6 inches high has been built and the regular roof of the completed building erected on these walls. This work is to be fully paid for, and then, as time and money permit, steps will be taken to raise the roof and build the floor and walls of the main auditorium. In the meantime, the present building will have a large stage, a kitchen, with all conveniences; room for athletics, with a ceiling clearance of 16 ft.

The building is attached to the North Chancel wall of the Church, and will eventually consist of a Clergy Vestry, next to the Chancel, and acting as a coupling link between Church and hall, then for the time being a kitchen under the Vestry, a main hall 28' x 52' x 16', and a stage 12' x 18'. Three Coleman Radiant Circulators, Model 838 will supply the heat, and it is expected that the T. Eaton Co. will supply the lighting fixtures.

Everything possible has been done to keep down expenses. Towards this end, some fifty men and about twelve teams have contributed voluntary labour. Mr. Roy Dibb is in charge of the work, receiving able assistance and advice from W. J. Whitten and others.

It is hoped that the work undertaken so far will be fully paid for this year. Some more money must be raised to ensure this. If you are interested in St. John's, and the community it seeks to serve, and would like to help, please send your contribution, no matter how small, to Capt. S. C. Snively, R.R. No. 2, Aurora.

TESTON

Friday evening, December 22nd is the date set for the Christmas Supper for the children of the community.

Y.P.U. last Sunday evening was well attended, Charles Robson presiding. Meeting opened by singing hymn and repeating the Lord's Prayer. Peter Rogers read the lesson, St. Luke 12:13-21. "The Man Who Wins", a short poem, was read by Jean Robson. C. Robson read another poem, "One of God's Fools". After singing hymn 174 Geoffrey Whittle of Laskay, the guest speaker, was introduced by the convener. Mr. Whittle's subject was 'Thoughts' which proved to be a very thought-provoking discourse that everyone enjoyed. Another pleasing feature was a short sing song of favorite hymns. Hymn 285 and the Mizpah Benediction closed an interesting meeting.

Howard Heacock, who has for the past few weeks been in Western Hospital having undergone operation returned home last Sunday. We are pleased to report he will soon be around again.

The newly weds, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Tilly, visited with Mr. and Mrs. West over the week-end.

Mrs. Castator, little Miss Eleanor, Mrs. Munro Stimers, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Sanders, and Mr. Jerry Boyd, Toronto, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cooper Sunday. Mrs. Stimers, Mr. and Mrs. Sanders and Mr. Boyd had tea with the Carsons Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Baden Taggart and Jack Taggart of Detroit were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Taggart on Thursday, Dec. 7th.

Thornhill

Good prizes, lucky draw, will be of interest at the Card Party and Dance in aid of the Thornhill Branch of the Red Cross Society which will take place on January 11th and 12th, 1940, in Lawrence Memorial Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Izzard of Toronto spent last week-end with Mrs. Seoney.

ROYAL ARCH MASONS ELECT OFFICERS

Victoria Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, Thornhill, have elected the following officers for 1940: G. Baker, Z.; A. R. Hill, I.P.Z.; J. Kerr, H.; J. Stokes, J.; T. J. Johnstone, S.E.; R. C. Nelles, S.N.; J. E. Francis, treasurer; H. Sparks, D. of C.; J. Davis, M.4V.; J. B. Farley, M.3V.; E. Jacques, M.2V.; C. R. Scott, 41V.; W. J. Taylor, S.B.; W. Kerr, S.B.; J. Mills, D. L. McKay and G. Cheeseworthy, stewards; A. W. Terry, tyler.

CARRVILLE

The Women's Association met at the home of Miss Minnie Reaman on Dec. 7th with fifteen members and four visitors present. The meeting opened by singing hymn 57, followed by the Lord's Prayer. The minutes were read and declared adopted. The business of the meeting was transacted, then Mrs. Vanderburg read the scripture, second chapter of Luke, first fourteen verses, followed by prayer by Mrs. Barton. Mrs. Wynn gave a very appropriate reading on Xmas Message, and Miss Jessie Mitchell favoured with two musical selections. The treasurer, Mrs. Walker, gave a splendid report. The roll call was responded with "How can I best keep Christmas?" Mr. McDonald took the chair for election of officers for the next year. Officers are as follows: Hon. Pres., Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. Hancock; President, Mrs. W. Keffer; Vice-President, Mrs. Wynn; Sec., Mrs. Wark; Treas., Mrs. Walker; Cor. Sec., Mrs. E. Bone; organist, Mrs. Clark; Asst., Mrs. Vanderburg; flower and sickness com., Mrs. Middleton, Miss Reaman, Mrs. Durie; sewing convener, Mrs. Vanderburg; auditors, Mr. Keffer and Mr. Vanderburg.

The meeting closed with the benediction followed by a lunch served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Wark, Mrs. E. Bone and Mrs. Clarke.

A Christmas tree for children of the Bingo Club members will be held at the home of Mrs. Stan Woods Saturday, December 16th. There will be gifts for all the kiddies and the usual store of good things. New members of the Bingo club will be made welcome any time.

EXHIBITORS GET \$28,000 AT CATTLE SHOW SALE

Ontario live stock men more than pleased at success of Provincial Winter Fair commercial show and sale at Union Stock Yards.

Approximately \$28,000 was realized from the sale of 262 cattle, 60 sheep and 60 swine following the commercial live stock show at Union Stock yards, Toronto, sponsored by the Ontario Provincial Winter Fair. Live stock men were more than pleased at the success of the show and sale as it gave them an outlet for animals usually shown and sold at the Winter Fairs which were cancelled this year when the buildings were requisitioned for military purposes.

Sale prices were most satisfactory. The T. Eaton Co. purchased many prize winners in the beef and lamb divisions, while Canada Packers bought the first and second prize pens of hogs. Eatons paid 40 and 42 cents a pound for the Grand and Reserve Champion steers of the show, an Aberdeen-Angus and Shorthorn, both owned by Thomas Henderson, Guelph, who was awarded the handsome Royal Bank trophy for Grand Champion animal of the Show. Eatons also bought the first prize Hereford steer.

The champion pen of lambs, owned by Silver Stream Farms, Richmond Hill, brought 34 cents a pound from Eatons, while Canada Packers paid 14 cents a pound for the prize hogs raised by Geo. A. Wilkinson of Alliston.

Other large buyers at the sale included Swift Canadian Co., Rice and Whaley, Toronto; Morantz Beef Co., Montreal; Canadian Dressed Meats, Toronto; Dumart Packing Co., Kitchener; Danahy Co., Buffalo; E. A. Hales, Guelph; Arthur Talbot, Toronto; A. Puddy, Toronto; F. J. Bridgman, Weston; Canadian Abattoir, Toronto, and Isaac Newton, Toronto.

WEEKLY NEWS NOTES FROM THE UNIONVILLE DISTRICT

Members of the local branch of the Women's Institute put care and trouble behind and entered fully into the holiday spirit at the annual Christmas party held at the December meeting when they met at the home of Mrs. C. H. Stiver on Thursday last. The president, Mrs. G. R. Whaley was in charge of the meeting. Splendid reports were heard from the annual convention held recently in Toronto. The delegates were Mrs. W. J. Perkin, Mrs. E. E. Braithwaite and Mrs. J. Brown.

The Christmas party, when gifts were exchanged between the members, was most entertaining and many good wishes expressed for a happy holiday season. A delightful reading by Mrs. W. J. Russel and the singing of Christmas carols were features on the program. Following the program refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. C. H. Stiver, Mrs. W. J. Perkin, Mrs. A. K. Harrington and Mrs. J. Brown.

Such a lot of strange whisperings, going the round, Not gossip, but laughter is the accompanying sound; There's a lot about fairies and angels and stars, And funny wee folk—well—just hop in your cars And on next Wednesday night come to the Town Hall, It's the Public School concert, there's a glad welcome for all.

Next week promises to be a busy one for Unionville, Tuesday evening the Veterans annual Christmas tree, Wednesday the Public School Concert, Thursday the Hockey Boys Euchre, Friday the United Church Sunday School Christmas Concert. We recommend each one for a good entertainment, and, as Christmas comes but once a year, it would be folly to pass up any of the fun.

The White Gift Service held in Central United Church proved very inspirational and the generous response to the call for those less fortunate was appreciated. Rev. W. Wilson of the King Street mission was the guest speaker and gave his listeners information about the splendid work accomplished there. The Sunday School met along with the congregation and had a special part in the service.

Unionville is indeed honored to have so many celebrating wedding anniversaries of note. On Saturday next, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stiver will celebrate their fifty-fourth anniversary. Both are well known throughout the vicinity for their kindly friendship to many friends who at this time extend most hearty congratulations and best wishes for many years more of association together. Mr. and Mrs. Stiver have resided continuously in Unionville since their marriage.

On the Sunday following, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller will celebrate their forty-eighth wedding anniversary, and congratulations also go to this splendid couple who also have chosen to make Unionville their home for many years. Mr. Miller has been a well known builder and contractor in this district and along with his genial partner has also made many friends who are happy indeed to have had the pleasure of association with them. The Liberal joins in extending best wishes to both Mr. and Mrs. Stiver and Mr. and Mrs. Miller.

The annual meeting of the Central United Women's Association will be held in the Sunday School rooms on Tuesday next. Kindly note change of date. Election of officers and reports of different committees will be important business.

Mrs. F. S. Pollard spent the week-end in Belleville.

Mrs. A. E. Milner and Miss Stella Coulson were Toronto visitors on Tuesday.

Rev. Gordon Duncan and Miss Annie Duncan of Warkworth were guests of Mrs. R. A. Stiver this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Coulson of Oshawa and family were guests of Mrs. D. Coulson over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stiver, Robt. Stiver, C. E. Stiver and Mrs. F. Boudway attended the funeral of Mr. James Thompson, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Murphy attended the funeral of Mrs. J. Ellis, Toronto, on Wednesday.

Mr. Cliff Hartman, formerly of the Bank of Commerce here, now living in Peterboro, called on Mr. and Mrs. D. Harrington on Wednesday.

The annual Christmas concert held under the auspices of Bethesda Lutheran Church will be given on Sunday evening, December 24 commencing at 7 o'clock. A cordial invitation is given to attend.

Col. Straight, Mr. G. Size and Miss Ruby Empringham were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Noble last week.

It is rumored that Mr. Harry Boudway will have charge of the new service station at the corner of Kennedy Road and No. 7 Highway. Mr. Boudway is well known in this vicinity and his many friends wish him every success.

CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH Unionville

Pastor—Rev. A. E. Owen
10 a.m.—Church School.
11 a.m.—"The Christmas Call to Worship."
7 p.m.—"Scrooge."
8.15 p.m.—Fireside Gathering.

EBENEZER UNITED CHURCH

1.30 p.m.—Church School.
2.30 p.m.—"The Christmas Call to Worship."

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