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300 SEATS ALL EVENING 25c.

PARKING

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22 - 23 - 24 HELD OVER BY POPULAR DEMAND THIS GREAT DOUBLE BILL MICKEY ROONEY - JUDY GARLAND " BABES IN ARMS "

--- ALSO ---TYRONE POWER - LINDA DARNELL " DAY-TIME WIFE " Two of the Season's Greatest Hits

MONDAY & TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26 - 27 RALPH RICHARDSON - MERLE OBERON " THE LION HAS WINGS " - - AND - -

EDMUND LOWE - WENDY BARRY in " THE WITNESS VANISHES '

WED., THURS., FRI., SAT., FEB. 28 - 29, MARCH 1 - 2 MARLENE DIETRICH - JAMES STEWART " DESTINY RIDES AGAIN — ALSO — OUR NEIGHBORS THE CATERS

### VICTORIA SQUARE NEWSY NOTES

a Geography match.

skidded, the front wheels running up and around. dow. Mrs. Caseley was able to get of the study group. The committee before March 1st. out herself, feeling little the worse very ably described the Church in for the experience. The next morn- India. 2 minutes silence was obing found her a bit sore and bruised served in memory of the late Lord but her friends are all glad to see Tweedsmuir. Reports were then

by received a rather nasty gash hostess, Mrs. Nichols. which required the doctor's care. We are glad to say Jim is able to go on with his work.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Martin of PARK, Herbert George-On Sunday, at Newmarket. community on Sunday.

evening missed out on three things, his 42nd year. a happy social time.

portion of the Sunday School con- in St. John's cemetery, Oak Ridges. Plans are being made to continue sandwiches or cakes. vention. Mrs. Collard gave her porhad attended the convention.

was held at the home of Mrs. Bert and youngest son of the late George and wishes to express to the teach- Monday, February 26th. Euchre and Sanderson on Monday evening, B. Newbery of Richmond Hill. Mrs. Collard and Mrs. McRoberts giving their reports of the W. A. convention. Both were well given and proved very interesting.

Dancing from 9 p.m.

The Young People had a jolly | Last Friday evening our Dramatic time at their social evening last Club journeyed to Brougham to give Tuesday evening when 58 gathered the new half hour play entitled with their crokinole and Chinese | "Frank and Erna". After the prochecker boards. Those winning first gram was over and everyone had prize were: Chinese checkers, Viola partaken of the hearty repast pro-Avison, Elmer Huggins; crokinole, vided by the W.M.S. ladies the Vic-Mrs. Ingleton (nee Mary Lilley), toria Square club smilingly returned Floyd Perkins. Consolation, Chin- home, accompanied by the first ese checkers, Irene Knapp, Alvin prize, \$5.00. There were 3 other Caseley; crokinole, Dorothy Oliver, plays given. Now those who would Leslie Hart. As this was to be a like to see this play are asked to money making scheme the prizes come to the February W.A. supper were small. A collection was taken on February 28th when this play which amounted to \$4.80. After the will be given as part of the progames a plentiful lunch consisting gram. The committee had planned of sandwiches, tarts, pie, cookies and a Geography match but we can have coffee was served. While the dishes one of those any time and to have were being washed the group had the play now would save the cast

a lot of extra time.

We are sorry to report Mr. Jim ous week. The meeting was favor- notification that there will be no both lodges and their families. Valliere had an occasion to call on ed with duetts by Mrs. Nigh and School Fairs held in the Province There will be six or eight games Woodbridge Tuesday, February 20. the doctor Sunday morning. While Mrs. Forrester of Melville Church this year. Hon. P. M. Dewan, Min- of Euchre for those who wish to We are sorry that Mr. Howard skating on Saturday evening Jim accompanied by Miss Carruthers. ister of Agriculture for Ontario, in- play with the usual list of prizes. Mathewson of the cast has been ill had the misfortune to come too close After the meeting the ladies were to some fair lady's skate and there- served a very dainty lunch by the

### DIED

Newmarket called on friends in the February 18th, 1940, Herbert George, second son of Mr. George Park and cultural Representatives are being humorous guessing contests. Prizes Those who were absent from the the late Elizabeth Park of the Second called upon to assist with the war- for this and prizes for that. Mission Circle supper on Saturday Concession, Markham Township, in time production programme and the

interesting and makes one wish they residence, Calgary, Alberta, on Feb. Calf Clubs. 13th, 1940, Alexander Henry New-The regular meeting of the W.A. bery, beloved husband of Alice Cross keen interest in School Fair work talk. Don't forget the date. It is

> You can help by becoming a member of the Red Cross.

YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND

— in the —

HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM, RICHMOND HILL

FRIDAY, MARCH 1st.

Refreshments - Novelties - Dress Optional

ADMISSION PER PERSON 50 Cents

THE RED CROSS

Leap Year

MAX BOAG'S ORCHESTRA

# Disastrous Fire Damages Property Of Mr. Jerry Smith

Efficient Work of Fire Brigade Saves Building

Richmond Hill experienced a disastrous fire Monday morning when the residence of Jerry Smith, Yonge Street, was badly damaged. The alarm was sounded about 9.15 a.m. scene the flames had gained consid- an official government grade. efforts of the Richmond Hill Fire ers concerned. Brigade in command of Chief Bert removed. The cause of the fire is In their great loss Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith have the sincere sympathy of their wide circle of friends in Richmond Hill and throughout this section of the County.

#### LIONS CLUB TO ENTERTAIN YOUNG PEOPLE

The Lions Club are planning to entertain the young people, both Last Tuesday morning as Mrs. E. We are sorry to hear Mrs. Pullan male and female, who reside in Rich-Caseley was on her usual journey is in bed with a heart condition. We mond Hill and the neighboring rural to North Toronto market her car hope she will soon be able to be up areas in the first concessions of Markham and Vaughan between the on the bank thrown out by the snow | The regular monthly meeting of | Elgin Mills and Richvale. All young plow about 40 rods west of the the W.M.S. was held on Wednesday, people who attain their twenty-first Town Hall, Thursday, March 7th. Square corner and upset the car February 14th, at the home of Mrs. year during the year 1940 are rebreaking some glass containers of Lewis Nichols with a good attend- quested to leave their names and admarket produce and one car win- ance. Mrs. McDonald was in charge dresses at The Liberal Office on or

#### SCHOOL FAIRS SUSPENDED FOR 1940

timated last week that such a step There will also be Bingo games for for two weeks and all wish him a might be necessary on account of those who wish to play for prizes. decreased Governmental appropriations necessitated by war-time econ- Mistresses. Prizes for highest rank- No. 6 will meet at the home of Mrs. omy. All schools are being notified ing Orangemen and Orange women Wilbert Crook Wednesday, February 7 p.m.-"Give me - Make me." by the Department of Agriculture present. Prizes, prizes, the night 28th. Members are requested to

the project club work with the old-

ers and pupils, as well as parents, Bingo start at 8 o'clock sharp. his regrets in having to disappoint them and at the same time, asks us to convey to all concerned his deep appreciation of the co-operation he . . has received in this phase of his work.

## RICHVALE

The Richvale Red Cross held their regular euchre on Monday, February 19th. The prize winners were: Ladies, 1st, Mrs. Frank Harrison; 2nd, Mrs. Ed. Rowden; Gents, 1st, Mr. J. Warwick; 2nd, Mr. Donaldson. The aggregate prize was also won by Mrs. Ed. Rowden.

### EUCHRE

Vaughan and Richmond Hill Veteran Ladies' Auxiliary will hold a Euchre at Miss T. Smart's, (Mr. \* of next week and a record crowd \* Thos. Sheppard's home) North Yonge \* is expected as young and old \* Street near Elgin Mills, on Wed- \* join in fun of a real Leap Year nesday, February 28th, at 2.30 o'- \* Dance. clock. Everybody welcome.

# County Seed Fair At Richmond Hill Thurs. March 14th

It has just been announced by the York County Crop Improvement Association that they are planning to hold their 4th annual Seed Fair at Richmond Hill on Thursday, March 14th, as guests of the Richmond Hill Agricultural Society. The programme will be somewhat similar to other years except that there will when smoke was noticed coming be only one guest speaker in the affrom the upstairs and although the ternoon and in the Seed Fair, all fire brigade was quickly on the grain and seed exhibits must have

erable headway in the walls and par- W. M. Cockburn, Sec.-Treas. of titions of the second floor. Volunteer the Fair, is arranging to have Mr. help quickly removed most of the F. F. Morwick of the Soils Dept. furniture and furnishings and the of the Ontario Agricultural College, valuable equipment and stock from present with a soil testing display. the store. Valuable tools and clocks Mr. Morwick is in charge of the were saved although some were dam- York County soil testing work and aged and all property of customers as all samples will have been tested in the shop was removed without by that time, he will be able to disdamage. The efficient and effective cuss results with any of the farm-

The other five Agricultural Soci-Cook soon had the fire under con- eties in York County are holding trol and although considerable dam- public meetings and "seed for sale" age was done inside, the building displays the week previous to the of frame construction was saved and Seed Fair. At these meetings, Prof. the damage by fire confined to the Jas. Laughland of the O.A.C. will second floor. Water and smoke how- speak on "Varieties of Crops and ever did considerable damage to the Hybrid Corn" while W. P. Watson rest of the building and to clothes of the Ontario Live Stock Branch, and furnishings which could not be will speak on the "Bacon Hog Situattributed to overheated stove pipes. at the Agricultural Societies Convention in Toronto last week. Farmers having seed for sale are invited Cockburn will have a supply from 10.30 on.

The meetings will be held as fol- the hostess and committee. lows, beginning at 2 p.m.: Schomberg Agricultural Society, Market Hall, Monday, March 4th.

chanics Hall, Tuesday, March 5th. Sutton Agricultural Society, Town Hall, Wednesday, March 6th.

Woodbridge Agricultural Society, Vellore Hall, Friday, March 8th.

### ORANGE SOCIAL NIGHT

The Entertainment Committees of Marritt. Victoria L.O.L. and Empire L.O.B.A. of Richmond Hill are holding a So- | ings to Mr. Geo. Thomas who having Agricultural Representative W. M. cial Night in the Lodge Rooms on a birthday just once in four years her able to be out and around about given by the delegates from the con- Cockburn regrets to have to an- Monday, February 26th. This invi- will be celebrating on February 29. vention held in Toronto the previ- nounce that he has just received tation is extended to all members of The Y.P.U. cast presented their

Prizes for Past Masters and Past

will be full of prizes. There will be bring in finished work. As during the last war, the Agri- prizes for the best guesses on the Come and enjoy the fun and drive Church for Finnish Relief. Offering

cancellation of the Fairs will not dull care away for one night any- will be forwarded direct to the heada good supper, splendid program and Funeral was held Tuesday, Feb. 20 only effect a substantial saving but way. All this is FREE. There is quarters of the Lutheran Church in at Wright & Taylor's Funeral Home, will also allow time to be devoted absolutely no charge except that Finland. Mr. Sven Stadius, vice-Last Sunday Mrs. Haig gave her Richmond Hill. Interment followed to the war-time production efforts. members are asked to bring a few counsel of Finland, of Toronto will

Guest speaker for the evening will ly invited. tion a week ago. Both were very NEWBERY - Suddenly at his late er class of boys through Grain and be W. Bro. Frank Stocker, District Master of Centre York District, Mr. Cockburn has always taken a L.O.L. No. 118. You will enjoy his

> L. W. Zuefelt, Rec. Sec., Victoria L.O.L. No. 2368

#### SADIE HAWKINS NIGHT FRIDAY, MARCH 1ST

Friday, March 1st will be Sadie Hawkins night in Richmond Hill, when the local Red Cross will hold a Leap Year Dance at the High School auditorium. Several well known local bachelors are \* living in fear and trembling \* these days as it is known that \* \* when the opening gun of the \* \* event is fired there will be plenty ' \* of excitement, and it is hinted \* \* that some of the other sex are ' practicing at sprinting. Anyway \* there's going to be plenty of fun ' \* and frolic at this popular event \*

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"BLONDIE TAKES A VACATION" With PENNY SINGLETON - ARTHUR LAKE

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### MAPLE

The regular monthly meeting of Wednesday, February 14th at the the High School auditorium last ation" which he so ably discussed home of the president, Mrs. Smith. The roll call was answered with tracted large audiences and won the teresting paper "The Importance of of all who attended. The feature to bring 1/2 gallon samples to dis- Rest" was given by Mrs. J. Manning. presentation was the operetta "Sunny play at these meetings and Mr. Mrs. E. Hadwen gave a paper en- of Sunnyside" and the junior rooms of titled "Canadian Industries and Agfanning mill screen material on hand riculture" followed with a poem by

skiing and tobogganing party at the Aurora Agricultural Society, Me- afternoon. An enjoyable time was much admired. spent followed with supper in the S.S. room. A short program was held in the evening consisting of Markham Agricultural Society, guitar duets by Billy and George Armstrong, several piano and violin selections by Miss Evelyn Forrest and Mr. Charles McRoberts. The story of "Black Beauty", illustrated with slides was read by Mrs. Robt.

We extend happy birthday greet-

play "An Adopted Cinderella" in speedy recovery.

Hope and Teston Red Cross Unit

On Sunday next, February 25 at 11 a.m. a special service and offering will be held in Zion Lutheran speak at the service. All are cordial-

## PLAN TOUR OF PACKING

PLANT

Richmond Hill Agricultural Society in co-operation with Mr. Cockburn, district Agricultural Representative, is arranging an \* educational tour of the Canada Packers plant which will be of special interest to hog raisers. \* Any farmers in this district in- \* terested in making this tour are asked to leave their names at The Liberal Office or with any \* officer of the local Agricultural \* Society.

### SUCCESSFUL PUBLIC SCHOOL CONCERT

The annual concert of the Richthe Women's Institute was held mond Hill Public School, presented in Thursday and Friday evenings at-"Favorite Supper Dishes" and an in- unanimous and enthusiastic approval presented as their contribution "An Easter Bunny". The acting and sing-Mrs. D. Smith. Lunch was served by ing of the pupils was exceptionally good and reflected the careful and The United Church S.S. held their efficient training of the teaching staff. All scenery used was the profarm of Mr. Geo. Crooks Saturday duct of the pupils and was very

#### RICHMOND HILL UNITED CHURCH

Rev. C. W. Follett, B.D. Pastor

Sunday, February 25th 9.45 a.m.—Sunday School. All De-

partments. 11 a.m.—Public Worship, "Philip the Enquirer." "Studies in the

Twelve." p.m.-Vesper service. One hour

only. Inspiring music under leadership of Mr. A. Melecci, organist and choir leader. A cordial welcome to you and your friends. Come and worship.

#### RICHMOND HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Rev. J. D. Cunningham, B.D., Minister

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the joy of the Lord. ST. MARY'S CHURCH

(Anglican) RICHMOND HILL Rector: Rev. W. F. Wrixon, L.Th. 4 Markham Road Organist: Miss L. Yerex

Choir Leader: Mr. R. Edmunds Sunday, Feb. 25th LENT 3 11 a.m.-Morning Prayer and Sermon. Subject, "Is the young man Absalom safe?" A sermon for young and old .- Rev. W. S. Pock-

nell. p.m.-Sunday School.

p.m.-Evening Prayer and Sermon. A special message to young people by a young University student who is not ashamed of Christ .- Mr. Coleman.

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