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FRIDAY & SATURDAY, MAY 3 - 4

THE DEAD END KIDS in
"ON DRESS PARADE"

— AND —

FRANK MORGAN - ANN MORRIS in
"HENRY GOES ARIZONA"

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MONDAY & TUESDAY, MAY 6 - 7

SPENCER TRACY - HEDY LAMARR in
"I TAKE THIS WOMAN"

— AND —

JACKIE COOPER - BETTY FIELDS in
"SEVENTEEN"

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY, MAY 8 - 9

PAUL MUNI in

"WE ARE NOT ALONE"

— ALSO —

JAMES STEPHENSON - MARGO STEVENSON in
"CALLING PHILO VANCE"

Lions' Code of Citizenship and Patriotism

To reaffirm my belief in the government of a free people whose inspiration is wisdom, whose greatest cause is justice, and whose noblest objects are peace and liberty; ever remembering our slogan:

'LIBERTY, INTELLIGENCE, OUR NATION'S SAFETY.'

Our slogan, "Liberty, Intelligence, Our Nation's Safety", embraces and fulfills the three stages of democracy.

The first stage is Liberty — individual freedom and political equality.

The second is Intelligence — mutual understanding; agreements involving all; laws which are agreements made by and with the consent of the governed, and individuals who have political equality and individual freedom.

Then comes the third phase, Our Nation's Safety — A widespread education to produce the leaders from among those who have individual freedom and political equality, intelligence, and mutual understanding. These will lead the people and interpret and administer laws with intelligence, wisdom, mercy and justice.

THE LIONS' CLUB IS A SERVICE CLUB

(By Lion Dr. J. P. Wilson)

In considering means of being of service and feeling that good health is the greatest asset of the community the club decided on a health survey of the local public school children. A trained public health nurse was secured for this work and instructions given to pick out particularly any unhealthy conditions which might be corrected. Recommendations were made to the parents by the nurse covering her findings. Generally, parents were cooperative and much corrective work was done. In a number of cases, investigated and approved, the club financed the procedures recommended by the nurse. It is very gratifying to the club to know their assistance is appreciated as evidenced by the letters received from grateful parents. It should be noted however that it is not the purpose of the Lions Club to assume the responsibilities and obligations of parents in general in carrying out the recommendations of the Public Health nurse. Only such cases as are urgently needing attention and in which it is financially impossible for the parents to give the necessary attention the club gladly gives that assistance. In this way the club has made it possible for eight children to have infected tonsils and adenoids removed thus assuring them against the handicap of ill health from this source.

In three cases vision defects were brought to the attention of the club. These were examined by eye specialists and the glasses prescribed were provided by the club. In her survey the nurse noted several children underweight and suggested extra milk for these. For such cases as might properly be considered for the attention of the club over a thousand pints of milk have been supplied at the schools during the past winter. The results of this phase of the club's work has been most gratifying.

Contributions have also been made to the Public School welfare fund, the High School welfare fund, the Red Cross Society, the Juvenile hockey club and the Christmas basket fund. These various interests of the local Lions Club are mentioned not in any sense of boasting but rather with a deep feeling of gratitude that this service club found it possible in so many ways to be of service in our community.

SPEECH DEFECT CLASSES

(By Lion Dr. Jim Langstaff)

At the Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto a new type of speech training has been developed. Some children, who are apparently normal otherwise, do not learn to talk properly. Thorough examination does not reveal any abnormality of mouth, tongue, throat, vocal cords or hearing; but they cannot produce a comprehensible form of speech, although they understand what is said to them and react with average intelligence. These children are usually brought for treatment when they are approaching the school age. They often

come from large families where little attention has been paid to their difficulties in pronunciation. Such cases have always presented a problem, but it is only recently that a satisfactory treatment has been developed. This treatment, as carried on at the Hospital for Sick Children, consists of three classes weekly, where the children are laboriously taught how to shape the mouth and tongue to make the various sounds correctly.

The Richmond Hill Lions Club has made it possible for one local child to attend these classes for the past six months. The almost incredible transformation in this child's speech has been very gratifying to the Lions.

LIONS' DENTAL REPORT

(By Lion Dr. W. J. Mason)

The Lions Club, having made a health survey of the pupils of Richmond Hill Public School, undertook the dental work of a number of the children.

Some of these children in their early "teens" had yet to have their first dental work done, consequently various stages of decay were found in their teeth, some children having a few teeth to be restored to a normal healthy state, others having up to 17 decayed teeth in their mouth.

The Lions Club to date have restored the health of over 100 teeth and have extracted about 25 teeth, which have decayed beyond repair.

A sound and healthy body is essential for every growing child, therefore through the efforts of the Lions Club by its health survey covering a check on the Public School children's tonsils, eyes and teeth, the club are rendering a very valuable service.

IS IT TRUE?

Five golden voiced members of the Richmond Hill Lions Club attended a banquet at the King Edward Hotel Toronto last Thursday evening in honor of one of the big-wigs of Lionism. One vocal number by the quartette, Lloyd Hill, Dr. J. P. Wilson, Bob Little and Paul Angle with Len Clement on the tuning fork resulted in an attractive offer from a large corporation for a radio contract. At the time of going to press the report could not be verified but it is reported they will appear as the "Awful Awmonizers".

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held in the Municipal Hall on Thursday, May 9, at 3 p.m. An interesting feature of this meeting will be material brought by the Thornhill ladies who attended the recent course in meat cookery sponsored by the Women's Institute. Recipes and literature will be given away.

ITEMS OMITTED

An interesting review of Red Cross Activities in Richmond Hill, past and present, in which this issue will appear in next week's Liberal.

REV. C. J. O'BRIEN FUNERAL FRIDAY

Instantly Killed When Struck By
Auto As He Alighted From
Street Car

The district was shocked by another sad fatality about midnight Monday, April 30th when Rev. C. J. O'Brien, Curate of Church of St. Mary Immaculate, Richmond Hill met instant death when struck by a motor car as he alighted from a North bound street car. The body of the late priest who served as curate here for the past year has been resting at the Rectory and tonight will be removed to St. Paul's Church, Toronto, in preparation for the funeral Friday morning. A solemn requiem mass will be celebrated at St. Paul's tomorrow morning at ten-thirty and interment will be in the priest's plot at St. Augustine's Seminary, Kingston Road.

Kenneth Petrie of the R.A.F., Camp Borden, driver of the car which struck Father O'Brien was arrested by Constable Howard Jackman, and as he will face a criminal charge no inquest was ordered by Coroner Dr. J. P. Wilson after consultation with chief coroner Dr. Smirlie Lawson.

Father O'Brien was struck just as he stepped from the car, and Miss Barbara Shoebottom of the High School staff who was immediately

following narrowly missed being struck. The force of the impact hurled the body some thirty feet and death was said to be instantaneous. Father O'Brien was born in Donegal, Ireland, and came to Canada while still a youth. He was educated in St. Paul's separate school, St. Michael's college and St. Augustine's seminary. Before being appointed curate in Richmond Hill in June, 1939, he had served for several years as assistant at St. Gregory's church, Oshawa. He is survived by his father and mother and two sisters, Catherine and Mary, all of Regent St., Toronto.

RICHMOND HILL OLD BOY NOW OVERSEAS

An interesting photo appeared in the Toronto Star of April 13th of a group of Empire soldiers with Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth at the Victoria League Club for overseas men at Edinburgh, Scotland. Standing immediately beside Her Majesty was a Richmond Hill boy, Pte. Gordon Armstrong, son of Mrs. James Armstrong of Toronto. Gordon joined the colors January 6th of this year and left for overseas January 27th.

TREE SPRAYING TIME

Those wanting trees sprayed this spring are asked to get in touch with T. H. Trench or John Martin, secretary of the Horticultural Society, at once.

Feature Attraction at Richmond Hill Fair



Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Forsyth and one of their many puppet actors who are coming to Richmond Hill Fair, Friday, May 24th as one of the many feature attractions.

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With CHARLES LAUGHTON - MAUREE O'HARA

Comedy — "CLEAN SWEEP KENNEDY"

Novelty — "DONALD'S PENQUIN"

MONDAY & TUESDAY, MAY 6 - 7

"CHARLIE MCCARTHY DETECTIVE"

With EDGAR BERGEN - CHARLIE MCCARTHY

— ALSO —

"THE MAN FROM MONTREAL"

With RICHARD ARLEN - ANDY DEVINE

MARCH OF TIME — BATTLE FLEET OF ENGLAND

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY, MAY 8 - 9

"THE GREAT VICTOR HERBERT"

With ALLAN JONES - MARY MARTIN

— ALSO —

"OUTSIDE THESE WALLS"

With DOLORES COSTELLA - MICHAEL WHALEN
PARAMOUNT NEWS

VICTORIA SQUARE NEWSY NOTES

Stop! Look! Listen and Come! To hear the Toll Brothers give their travelogue on "Hiking Through South America", an evening's entertainment that is highly recommended to be both entertaining and educational. This evening will be a 2-hour program of motion pictures in Kodachrome and black and white and over 100 still views in colour all taken by these two brothers on their hiking trip through Central and South America from February 1938 to April 1939. Be sure and bring the children, they are sure to like it. The proceeds are in aid of the choir.

Mr. H. C. Bennett has purchased a new home a short distance west of Aurora known as Mrs. Dunn's property named "Dunworthy". The family expect to move there sometime during this summer.

We welcome to our neighborhood Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Mortson. They are living on the farm formerly owned by Mr. J. Cober on the 3rd concession. I'm sure the community would be pleased to welcome them both at our church and other community activities.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Mount has left our community. He will be greatly missed in the choir and Young People's services.

Mrs. M. Nichols and her daughter Mrs. Ratcliffe motored to Vineland last Wednesday to visit Mrs. Anson Nichols and family.

Mrs. D. Rumney, Mrs. J. Snider, Mrs. M. Jarvis and Miss Mabel Sanderson motored to Wexford last Wednesday to the East York Summary Day, which proved to be very interesting, looking over the exhibits of meat dishes, seeing a butcher cut up half a beef and explaining the different cuts, the way to choose young, tender, cheap meat in accordance with the need.

The W.A. supper last Wednesday was fairly well attended, and what was thought to be no program at one time, proved to be an excellent one, if not the best secured from our own members.

Sunday visitors at the afternoon church services were Miss Wilma Forrester of Cashel, Mr. Isaac Williamson of Pickering College and Master Billy Beatty of Richmond Hill, Mr. and Mrs. John Leece of Maple.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sanderson called on Mrs. Harvey Quantz of Ringwood last Thursday.

Oh Boy! What a smile that Harry has. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. H. Barber on the birth of a son last Sunday evening.

The Junior Institute and Farmers held a social in the Community Hall on Tuesday evening, progressive euchre and crokinole being played for the first half of the entertainment. Prizes were awarded as follows: Euchre, Ladies, 1st, Mrs. Wilfred Ferguson; Consolation, Mrs. M. Jarvis;

Gentlemen, 1st, Mr. Harold Wellman; Consolation, Mr. Norman Martin. Crokinole, Ladies, 1st, Miss Eloise Perkins; Consolation, Miss Shirley Sanderson; Gentlemen, 1st, Mr. McRoberts; Consolation, Mr. Harold Klinker.

After the games were over lunch was served after which the lucky draw was made for the Institute's set of dishes, the seventh ticket drawn to be the lucky one. Miss Connie Rumney came forward and picked the tickets, the 7th ticket bearing the name of Mr. Geo. Wellman. I'm sure the Institute would like to thank the public for buying these tickets and helping them along financially.

We still had another interesting item at our party, that of a presentation of kitchen enamelware to Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Ferguson (nee Edna Chadwick). Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson in a few well chosen words thanked the young people for the useful gift, and asked one and all to visit them any time it was convenient. Then Messrs. George Wellman, Dalton Rumney, Fred McRoberts, Andrew Forsen favored us with some music and an hour or two of dancing was enjoyed by those present.

Sunday, May 5th the W.M.S. are holding their annual church services afternoon and evening. In the afternoon at 2:30 Rev. and Mrs. Burbridge of Korea will speak and their children will sing in Korean. Mrs. Harrington of Unionville will also sing. In the evening at 7:30 they will show slides of Korea.

"The Lost Church" will be presented in the Church Friday, May 3rd at 8 p.m. by Melville United Church under the auspices of the W.M.S.

The regular monthly meeting of the W.M.S. will be held next Wednesday, May 8th at 2 p.m. in the church. The theme "My Missionary Responsibility" and there will be a missionary quiz. Several of the members of the local Society attended the W.M.S. Rally at King last Tuesday.

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