

**Announcement**

Nixola Fisher wishes to announce that she is now qualified to teach vocal and basic fundamentals of piano. Anyone wishing further information telephone Richmond Hill 5.

**AUCTION SALE  
HOUSEHOLD GOODS  
FURNITURE, Etc.**

The Property of the Estate of the  
**Late MRS. H. BROWN**  
North of VICTORIA SQUARE  
Lot 34, Con. 4, Markham Twp.  
**SAT., FEB. 1st, 1941**

- The entire contents of 3 bedrooms
- 3 Feather Beds
- 2 Stoves
- 1 Small Quebec Stove
- Entire Dining Room Furniture, including one good Oak Table
- Sitting Room Furniture
- A Number of Chairs, including several Rockers
- 1 Sewing Machine
- Quantity of Carpets, Rugs and Mats
- 1 Large Congoleum Rug, nearly new
- Quantity of Dishes
- A Quantity of Glassware, including many antique pieces
- A Quantity of Fuel
- And many other items too numerous to mention

**TERMS:—CASH**  
Sale starts 1 p.m. S.T.  
A. S. FARMER, Auctioneer

**Notice to Creditors**

All persons having claims against the estate of THOMAS THOMSON late of the Township of Markham, in the County of York, Retired Farmer, deceased, who died at the said Township of Markham on the 24th day of August, 1940, are required to send details of the same verified by affidavit to the undermentioned Solicitors for the Executor, on or before the 8th day of February, 1941, after which date the Estate will be distributed among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which the undersigned shall then have received notice. Dated this 17th day of January, 1941.

WILLIAM COOK AND GIBSON,  
912 Federal Building,  
85 Richmond Street West,  
Toronto, Ontario,  
Solicitors for the Executor.

**MEMORIAL SERVICE**

For the  
**LATE LIEUT. GEN. LORD BADEN-POWELL**  
Soldier, Scout, Statesman, Christian  
Will be held in  
**ST. MARY'S ANGLICAN CHURCH, Richmond Hill**  
**Sunday, January 26th, 7 p.m.**  
Scouts, Guides, Cubs, Brownies, War Veterans and other Public Bodies invited to join in this tribute to one of the EMPIRE'S GREATEST MEN.  
The Address will be given by the Rev. W. F. Wrixon  
The Public is Cordially Invited  
**COLLECTION FOR BRITISH WAR VICTIMS FUND**

**Peeler's R.O.P. Sired  
Barred Rocks**

When you go to a hatchery to order chicks this spring find out what they have done in a breeding way to better the quality of their chicks and compare it with Peeler's.

During the past season we had the honor of filling an order received by the Dept. of Agriculture, Ottawa. This order was from a breeder in the Orange Free State, South Africa for 6 pullets and 2 cockerels. These had to be outstanding birds with good breeding. At New York in the Central Egg Laying Contest competing against many of the most prominent breeders in the United States we had the high Barred Rock pen.

At home this past season we made better records in R.O.P. than ever before. Qualified a larger per cent of birds with more eggs per bird.

Order your Barred Rock Chicks from

**C. A. PEELAR**

PHONE 57r11 MAPLE, ONT.

**BUTTONVILLE**

The monthly meeting of the Buttonville Institute took place on Jan. 16th at the home of Mrs. C. Hooper. The president Mrs. R. Boyington presided for the business part of the meeting after which Mrs. R. Stiver president of the Brown's Corners United Church W.M.S. was in charge. The ladies of the W.M.S. provided the programme. A quintet of ladies sang several selections which were much enjoyed. Mrs. Rigler's rendering of "An Old Man's Lament", comparing the church of yesterday to the church of to-day, gave us very vividly the great difference in the two. Mrs. A. Stephenson sang in her usual pleasing style. Mrs. Walter Craig's paper on Adolph Hitler gave an account of Hitler's early youth in a little Austrian town and of his spectacular rise to power in Germany. The paper went on to give a psychiatrist's view of why we have dictators.

After the program a dainty lunch was served by the hostesses Mrs. C. Hooper, Mrs. J. McQuay and Miss J. French. The class in remodelling furniture in charge of Mrs. G. Kelly will be held during March.

The members of Brown's Corners United Church are very sorry to hear of the illness of the Rev. R. W. Rumley. All join in wishing him a speedy recovery.

The social held by the Brown's Corners United Church was one of contests, games and fun. The highlight of the evening was a suitcase race in which Gleeson Rigler, Aubrey Stephenson and Walter Craig dressed in the costumes provided for them.

Monday evening, January 27th is the night of the Buttonville Red Cross Euchre and Dance. Place, Victoria Square hall. Time, 8 o'clock S.T. Ladies provide.

Arthur B. Purvis, Montreal, has been named chairman of a new committee known as the British Supply Council in America.

A group of Irish-Canadians cabled de Valera this week urging co-operation with Britain in the finish fight with the Nazis.

A "hobo-hen" found in a freight car at Brantford had laid two eggs during an 800-mile train ride with a shipment of lumber.

Beat barbarism by blackening the sky over Germany... Buy a bomber by buying War Saving Stamps and Certificates regularly.

**WHAT FRANCE  
MUST PAY**

**Toll Exceeds Half National Income,  
Twice France's Whole War Budget**

by a Special Correspondent  
The cost of maintaining the German troops occupying France has to be paid by France at the rate of 20 million marks a day.

This sum was fixed by Article 18 of the Franco-German Armistice terms, reported on June 24, 1940.

At the rate of exchange of Fr. 20 to Rm. 1, fixed by the Armistice Commission, this amounts to Fr. 146 milliard a year.

But the whole French pre-war national income — that is, the total of personal incomes — did not exceed Fr. 290 milliard.

This means that the Germans are demanding under this head practically 50 per cent of France's pre-war national income. In view of the inevitable reduction of this income by the disasters of war, the real proportion is higher.

The cost to Germany of the Allied armies of occupation after the last war was less than one per cent of her national income.

The French budget for 1939 was Fr. 66 milliard, and the first war budget was Fr. 79 milliard. The sum demanded by the Germans is thus nearly twice the total war budget, and more than twice the normal peace budget of France.

The cost to Germany of the Allied armies of occupation was less than seven per cent of her 1913 budget, and just over three per cent of her 1924 budget.

Le Journal says that one month's maintenance of the German army at the prescribed rate exceeded the combined budget for 1939 of the French Ministries of War, Navy and Aviation.

The German army in France includes the troops in the invasion ports, and is not strictly an "army of occupation". Even if all troops are included, the sum demanded is enormous.

In addition France is mulcted by the artificial exchange rate imposed. The acceptance of Reichsmarks at this rate is compulsory in the occupied zone.

The Bank of France is also obliged to convert into franc notes Rm. 3 milliard of mark notes of the Reichskreditkasse. No credit has been allowed for property or territory taken by Germany.

The claims for the expenses of the Allied Armies of Occupation were based on the actual costs incurred. Down to 30 April, 1921, German reparation payments had approximately covered these costs, on the assumption that credit was given for cessions of property and for deliveries in kind.

But, as the payments and credits received were provisionally retained by the Powers receiving them, Great Britain was some 22,500,000 pounds out of pocket. The credits included the value of the Saar mines, though this was not included in the sum available for meeting the costs of the army of occupation down to 30 April, 1921.

In June, 1919, it was promised that the cost of occupation should be reduced to 240 million marks a year when German demobilisation was satisfactorily completed. Later it was agreed that this sum should come into force as from 1 May, 1922.

The Dawes plan provided that the prior charge on German payments allocated to occupation costs should be reduced, as from 1 September, 1924, to 160 million marks, the balance being met by the countries concerned out of reparation payments.

The rational income of Germany in 1913 was 45.7 milliard gold marks. In 1923 it was 60 per cent of this, in terms of 1913 purchasing power, namely, 28 milliard gold marks.

The cost of the armies of occupation, reckoned at 240 million gold marks, was thus less than 1 per cent of the national income, or, more exactly, 0.85 per cent.

The German budget expenditure in 1913 was 3.5 milliard marks. In 1924, after stabilisation of the mark, it was 7.2 milliard.

The cost of the armies of occupation was thus, in terms of the 1913 budget, 6.8 per cent, and in terms of the 1924 budget, 3.3 per cent of the national expenditure.

A group of Woodbridge ladies sent a bale of clothing on Wednesday of this week to the war victims in Chelsea, England. The bale, consisting of warm clothing for women, children and babies, is sent direct to a Welfare Nurse who distributes the clothing among the needy. Anyone wishing to donate to this worthy cause, kindly leave donations with Mrs. A. B. Cousins. Another bale will be sent in the near future.

**Deputy Minister  
Gives Impressions  
of Famous Fox Hunt**

**Surprised to See It Get More Publicity Than Fall of Bardia**

We were pleased last week to receive a letter from Mr. D. J. Taylor, Ontario's Deputy Minister of Game and Fisheries relative to the story appearing in The Liberal telling of George Walwin's feat as a fox hunter in comparison with the much publicized hunt carried on in Markham Township by a city hunt club. "I beg to plead not guilty of being present on this occasion," says Mr. Taylor, "although I admit at the request of Markham officials I did suggest certain city slickers who might enjoy some recreation and do the farmers a service by eliminating a few of the surplus fox in that area." "I too was quite surprised," he said, "to find that this hunt received more newspaper space than the fall of Bardia, although the casualties in the latter case I believe were much in excess of the fox hunt, which also somewhat surprised me as I understand the speed of the fascist soldier is equal to that of the fox under similar circumstances. In the term of the hunter it would be jump for jump, if anything the "wop" would be in the lead."

We are indebted to Mr. Taylor for drawing to our attention the following version of the "Fox Hunt" by Thomas Richard Henry in the Evening Telegram: "Taken for a Walk"

The city slickers were 'taken for a walk' up in Markham Township yesterday.

The farmers up there had reason to believe that there were a couple of foxes in the neighborhood.

They had the foxes for a foxhunt but they didn't have the hounds.

So they thought up sort of a foxy idea.

Why not use a gang of city slickers for the hounds? City men need the fresh air and exercise anyway.

A foxhunt with shot guns instead of hounds was organized, with the farmers up there understanding perfectly that all the shots the city slickers would get would be inward and not outward-bound—but that was all part of the fox hunt. The idea was to fox the Toronto men.

The only chance of a mishap would have been for the fox to have run the wrong way, with a lot of city hunters trampled to death trying to do a Caporetto turn.

Being familiar with farmers and having studied urban conceptions of the great outdoors, we felt we should have first-hand information of this event. Accordingly we were represented on the spot by Old King Tally-ho Cole and Telescopic Vision Camera-Eye Judges.

"Tally-ho" claimed to have seen a gun once, and "Camera-Eye" once took a picture of a fox in a cage, so they were both well qualified.

The farmers selected two old soldiers of their number, one with a wooden leg, to shoot the foxes.

They put the city nimrods to work walking over hill and dale and through brush and brake, like native bush beaters. The two veterans drove their car around the concession roads ahead of the direction the bush beaters were going. Eventually the beaters raised the foxes, and when they ran across the road the farmers shot them.

That was all there was to it.

But we understand that there may be an aftermath of bitter protest on the part of fox hounds because city men, engaged in other occupations, are trying to take their living from them by running foxes for no reward at all. Of course the city men will argue that they thought they were the hunters and not the hounds.

And next time the Markham farmers need a pack to go fox hunting—they will be able to kid the same city Nimrods all over again."

**RICHVALE**

Winners at Bingo held at Richvale School on Monday last were Mr. and Mrs. Alexander, Mr. Brown, Mr. J. Clement, Mrs. Durie, Mrs. Dickenson, Mrs. Erickson, Mrs. F. Hill, Mr. Donald Huestis, Mrs. Jackson Taylor, Mr. Jack Warwick. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to enjoy another evening next Monday night under the auspices of East Vaughan Ratepayers Association. Remember the date Monday evening, January 27th, at 8 o'clock.

You can help win the war by buying war savings stamps.

**Classified Advs.**

THIS IS THE DAY OF ADVERTISING—MAKE THE MOST OF IT  
RATES—Five lines or less, 25 cents for first insertion and 15 cents for each subsequent insertion. Over 5 lines 5 cents per line extra each insertion. IF CHARGED 7 CENTS PER LINE.

**FOR SALE**

DRY WOOD. Apply R. Michael, phone Richmond Hill 12.

COMBINATION STORM and Screen Door, \$2.00. Apply 39 Church St.

21 YOUNG PIGS 7 weeks old. C. E. Walkington, King, phone King 42r3.

1940 JAMESWAY Oil (Brooder) Stove, reasonable. Phone Maple 50r22.

1933 FORD COUPE, rumble seat. Apply phone 55, Richmond Hill, or David Hill Co. Ltd.

HORSES, \$35.00 to \$75.00 for quick sale. Leechwood Farm, R.R. No. 2, Gormley, 2½ miles east of Thornhill, 1 mile south of No. 7 Highway.

SIX ROOM BRICK HOUSE, modern, in Richmond Hill, good garden. A good buy for someone desiring a home in most desirable location. Apply Box 121, Liberal Office, Richmond Hill.

100 ACRES, Lot 3, Con. 5, East, Whitchurch, excellent clay loam, 95 acres workable, lots of water, creek at back. Would divide. There are two houses, buildings fair, drained. Apply Maurice Pike, Stouffville R.R. 4, Ont.

SPECIAL NOTICE—SAVE MONEY on Radios, Refrigerators, Ranges, Frigidaire Milk Coolers and DeLaval Milkers. We still have a quantity without the new 25% tax. "Act quickly". Trades accepted. B. R. Leech, Toronto Radio & Sports, Ltd., 241 Yonge St., Toronto.

FARM, 140 acres, bank barn 35x80 stable 17 cattle, 6 horses, water in stable. Barn 35x90; implement shed; pig pen; 7 roomed house with water in house. Electricity in house and barn. Reason for selling ill health. Apply Lots 19 and 20, concession 3, Markham. Wm. Leuschner, phone 4714 Richmond Hill.

FOR SALE OR RENT  
7 ROOMED HOUSE, 18 Elizabeth St., for sale or rent, hot water heated, large fire place, two halls, sun room. Possession February 1. Apply 15 Centre St. E., phone 38 Richmond Hill.

FOR SALE OR RENT  
MODERN SEVEN ROOM BRICK house, all modern conveniences, decorated throughout. Open for inspection after January 27th. Edith E. Luesby, Thornhill, phone 114W.

**Sale Register**

SATURDAY, FEB. 1—Auction sale of furniture, household goods, etc., including articles of antique furniture and glassware, the property of the estate of the late Mrs. H. Brown, lot 34, con. 4 Markham, north of Victoria Square at 1 p.m. S.T. Terms cash. A. S. Farmer, auctioneer.

SATURDAY, FEB. 1—Cash sale of cows, horses, sheep, pigs, fowl, etc., the property of Oliver Boyle, lot 70 con. 1, Whitchurch, Yonge St., opposite CFRB. Sale at 1 o'clock sharp D.S.T. No reserve. F. N. Smith, auctioneer.

WEED INSPECTOR WANTED  
The Township of North York requires the services of a Weed Inspector to enforce the provisions of the Weed Control Act. Applications should be addressed to the undersigned and should state age, qualifications and experience.  
H. D. Goode, Clerk,  
Township of North York.  
Dated at Willowdale,  
this 16th day of January, 1941.

**Euchre**

9 VALUABLE PRIZES  
Also free draw for quarter ton of coal  
**Mon., Feb. 3rd**  
8 p.m.

RICHVALE SCHOOL  
Under the auspices of  
Richvale Red Cross

Conrade Delisle, Quebec City, won the Laurentide Cup, emblematic of the Canadian two-event ski championship, on Monday.

Have you considered using Canadian Coal. We carry an excellent grade of Alberta for stoves or furnaces. Phone Jones Coal Company, Richmond Hill 188.

**TO RENT**

HOUSE to rent on Centre Street. Apply Rustic Inn.

2 LARGE unfurnished rooms. Apply 1 Wright Street, Richmond Hill, phone 78.

APARTMENT with modern conveniences, electric range, hardwood floors. Apply Liberal Office.

COMFORTABLE SIX ROOMED HOUSE, water, electric, good garage. Apply I. D. Ramer, Richmond Hill.

**MISCELLANEOUS**

HOUSES Raised and Moved. Phone Thornhill 73.

ALL KINDS FURNITURE repairs, upholstery, cabinet work, wood carving. Estimates given. N. G. VanDyke, 33 Hunt Avenue.

**WANTED**

EXPERIENCED FARM HAND, good with cows. Apply Box 40, Liberal Office.

WANTED TO EXCHANGE, City bungalow cost \$5600, will rent for \$42.00 per month. Good district and low taxes, for small house and about 1 acre of land near Richmond Hill. Apply Box 91 Liberal Office.

**FOUND**

STRAY DOG, sand colored, Alsatian female, came to lot 12, 5th concession Markham about Jan. 14. Claimant to give satisfactory proof of ownership and pay advertising. McKinley's Poultry Farm, Unionville.

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