

# Township of Markham WEEDS

Owners and Occupants of property in the Township of Markham take warning that if any **Noxious Weeds** are found growing on lands within the Township after JUNE 10th, the Township will destroy the same without further notice and will charge the cost of such work against the property in taxes.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that Weeds must be kept cut throughout the entire year or the Township will destroy them as often as necessary to prevent their growth.

OWNERS should make certain that tenants destroy their weeds in order to avoid these charges against the property.

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and  
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J. W. WARRINER,  
WEED INSPECTOR.

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# Thornhill Arts and Crafts Show For Red Cross Featured By Outstanding Arts Display

Work of Some of Canada's Most Talented Artists Will Be Shown — Show To Be Held At Home of Miss Agnes Boyle, Saturday, June 13th

There is probably no village can boast as many outstanding artists as residents, as Thornhill. All are co-operating by exhibiting pictures at the Arts and Crafts Show which is sponsored by the Thornhill branch of the Red Cross and will be held at the home of Miss Agnes Boyle, Centre Street, Saturday, June 13, from 10 a.m. until 10 p.m.

Among the artists whose work will be on display are, Mr. Fred Haines, President of the Royal Canadian Academy, Miss Yvonne McCague whose canvasses have been exhibited in all important centres on this continent as well as in Europe, Mr. Franklin Arbuckle and his equally talented wife who is a daughter of Frans Johnson, Mrs. Charles Hill whose flower studies were greatly admired at the C.N.E. last year, Mr. Thorea MacDonald who illustrated the newest edition of "Marie Chappelaine", and a picture by his father the late J. E. H. MacDonald will also be loaned, Lady Windle and her versatile niece Marjorie Nazor will show some of their paintings, and Miss Ruth Collins, Mrs. Ralph Roberts, Mr. William Howard, Mrs. Harold Hook and last but by no means least Mr. Angus MacDonald will lend painting and sketches. Mr. John Greer who as a member of the "Toronto Masters" won the Dominion award in the Drama Competition for two successive years will lend paintings.

Don't let this list of celebrities intimidate you. All cannot paint or draw beautiful pictures but many can sew, knit, crochet, carve, spin weave etc. and since variety is the spice of life you will add much to the interest and success of the show by bringing along an exhibit of your handwork whatever it may be. Greatest care will be taken of all exhibits. Children will be admitted only if accompanied by adults. If you have something to exhibit please contact Mrs. John Greer, phone Thornhill 147, if you have something you can donate to the White Elephant Stall phone Mrs. Willis or Mrs. R. H. Neill, and Mrs. Schaefer will be glad if you can contribute sugarless cookery or garden produce for her department. Mrs. C. E. Jaeger is in charge of the Tea Room and Lady Windle will receive the silver collection at the door.

We extend to Miss Marguerite Boyle our most sincere congratulations upon the splendid performance of her talented pupils in the recital given on Friday night in Foresters' Hall.

Rev. J. C. Ross of Bolton occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church here last Sunday. Rev. S. W. Hirtle was preaching anniversary services at Bolton.

On Sunday, May 31st the opening of the Jackson Memorial organ took place at Trinity Anglican Church. The organ is a bequest from the will of the late Mrs. Jackson in memory of her husband and herself. The choir rendered special music for this occasion. There was a large attendance with many visitors from Toronto, Richmond Hill and other points.

Congratulations are extended to Reeve Robt. W. Scott on his appointment to the National War Services Board.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jamieson of London were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Jamieson, Thornhill.

The W.A. of the United Church will hold their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Currey on Wednesday, June 10th at 3 p.m. Everyone welcome.

## UNIONVILLE

### LATE FRANK KINCAID

The entire community was shocked to learn on Thursday of the sudden passing of Frank Kincaid of lot 9, con. 5, Markham. Mr. Kincaid suffered a stroke seizure in the early morning and died a few hours later.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kincaid, he was born in Madoc, and had resided at his late residence for the past 21 years. He was a member of the Markham Masonic Lodge and Central United Church, Unionville. Many friends offer sincere sympathy to the bereaved family and mourn the loss of a good neighbor and trustworthy acquaintance.

Funeral services were held Saturday from his late residence, Rev. A. E. Owen officiating. Brother Masons conducted the grave obsequies.

Surviving are his widow and two small children, Keith and Jane Ellen, also his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kincaid and a sister Mrs. Freda Humphreys of Toronto.

### JUNIOR FARMERS' MEETING

The June meeting of the Unionville Junior Farmers brought a large attendance at both the girls' and boys' meetings. The presidents, Chas. Watson and Myrtle Hamill, were in charge. Plans were made for the Markham Fair exhibits and announcement made of Achievement Day and the annual picnic at Muskegan's Lake. A splendid program has been arranged for the picnic with various activities including the dance at night with Max Boag's 10-piece orchestra. A system of correspondence has been arranged, whereby every member has the privilege to write one of the overseas members.

Miss Norma Lapp gave the girls a demonstration on the proper way of using make-up, also manicuring the nails. Her model, good looking to start with, was a ravishing beauty when she finished. The girls' meeting dismissed early to join the boys in viewing motion pictures depicting the activities of the Navy and Air Force. The Newscaster, read by Elliot Harrington, was amusing and educational as well. Olive Reesor and Sam Gough led in the sing song, bringing forth some pleasing new numbers.

Refreshments and dancing brought to a close another splendid meeting.

RICHMOND HILL UNITED CHURCH  
Rev. C. B. Brethen, B.A., Minister  
Sunday, June 7th

10 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship conducted by Rev. C. E. Fockler of Maple, Ontario.  
7 p.m.—Evening Worship conducted by the minister.  
All are welcome.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH (Anglican)  
RICHMOND HILL  
Rector: Rev. W. F. Wrixon, L.Th.  
4 Markham Road

Sunday, June 7th Trinity 1  
10 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11 a.m.—Holy Communion.  
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon. "O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness".

It was just a short time ago when a woman wouldn't think of wearing a pair of hose which had a ring in one of the stockings.

## BIRD CHATTER

### THE EARLY BIRD

One mild morning some weeks ago when the Robins had first come back and when it was still dark at 5 a.m. our whole neighborhood was set in an uproar by the simple turning of a switch. The farmer innocently turned on the yard light on this way to the barn and a robin who was roosting on a Spruce tree a few feet from the high powered electric bulb burst into startled song. This woke every robin in the neighborhood and they all loudly apologized for having overslept. The big dog next door was spending his first night out doors and, being somewhat nervous, was wakened by the unexpected music and barked loudly and long to show his disapproval. This, of course, started all the dogs in the neighborhood, and also woke the owner of the big dog who leaned out of the window and told him in no uncertain terms just what he thought of him. This in turn woke the baby, who in his turn cried and woke the rest of the family. But perhaps the story doesn't end here — when a bird sings or a dog barks at that mystic hour when night and day are just teetering in the balance the sound spreads as surely as do the ripples when a stone is dropped in a quiet pond. So perhaps for hundreds of miles across our peaceful Ontario countryside robins sang — and dogs barked — and men swore — and babies cried — and mothers and children woke — just because the farmer turned a switch. Who knows!

### THE WHIP-POOR-WILL

The Whip-poor-will which we sometimes hear in the evening, but seldom see, did not shy himself from two birdists the other evening. Just at dusk when returning home from a ride in the country, the call of the Whip-poor-will was repeatedly heard with unusual distinctness. The urge to locate the bird seized us and so making our way through the dusk we were able to come within twelve feet of it. It was plainly seen perched on a bare branch of tree and calling Whip-poor-will to its heart's content. The shining eyes of another Whip-poor-will met us face to face on the road coming home.

Did you know that the Baltimore Oriole is named for Lord Baltimore who was the founder of Maryland? In 1632 he visited Virginia and the color of his livery was the brilliant colorings of the oriole. The early

settlers named this orange and black colored bird Baltimore.

We hear the musical warble of the Baltimore Oriole everywhere these days. The rich reddish orange and black of its plumage makes us think of the tropical birds and we wonder,

How falls it, Oriole, that thou hast come to fly

In tropic splendor through our northern sky?

At some glad moment, was it nature's choice

To dower a scrap of sunset with a voice?

The Baltimore Oriole breeds in Eastern North America and winters in Central America. Its nest is most interesting, made of grasses, plant fibres, hair, strings and bark firmly interwoven. It is in the form of a bag and is hung between two twigs near the end of a limb 20 to 40 feet high. The nest is so knitted and fitted together that though tossed through winter and summer storms it remains in place for several years. This bird is one of the greatest destroyers of hairy caterpillars, May beetles, grasshoppers, etc., eating cultivated fruit occasionally as a relish. The good the bird can do is great and the harm slight.

We were sorry to hear the other day that some thoughtless boys had been attempting to destroy a tree swallow's nest. These swallows have been building in the same place for several years and we hope the boys will think seriously of what they are doing and cause no more harm to these birds.

A pair of screech owls and five baby owls are causing a great deal of interest down Mr. I. D. Ramer's way on Roseview Ave.

### THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH RICHMOND HILL

Rev. S. W. Hirtle, B.A., Minister  
Sunday, June 7th  
10.30 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11.45 a.m.—Divine Worship. The minister will preach.

### DIED

PRENTICE, Mary H. Henderson—  
At the residence of Mr. Stanley Ransom of Centre Street east, Richmond Hill, Sunday, May 31st, 1942, Mary H. Henderson, widow of the late James Prentice, in her 60th year.

The funeral was held from the above address Wednesday, June 3rd at 2 o'clock and entombment followed at Forest Lawn Mausoleum.

## TOWNSHIP OF VAUGHAN

# Weeds Weeds

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS and TENANTS

Public notice is hereby given in accordance with the WEED CONTROL ACT that unless weeds which may be growing on lands within

## Township of Vaughan

are cut the Township may enter upon the said lands and have weeds cut, charging the cost of same to the owners concerned in their taxes.

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SAM IRELAND,  
Vaughan Weed Inspectors.

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