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Come On North York - It Can Be Done

PHONE MO. 2172 **CAPITOL THEATRE** Yonge at Castlefield
300 Seats All Evening 25c.

Thursday, Friday, Saturday, May 6, 7, 8

ROBT. TAYLOR, BRIAN DONLEVY,
CHAS. LAUGHTON in
"Stand By For Action"

--- ALSO ---

GUY KIBBEE, GLORIA WARREN in
"Cinderella Swings It"

Added—Superman & Gang Busters for Saturday Matinee

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, May 10, 11, 12

JACK BENNY, ANN SHERIDAN in
"George Washington Slept Here"

--- AND ---

FAYE EMERSON, VAN JOHNSON in
"Murder In The Big House"

MAPLE

The May meeting of the Women's Institute will be held on Wednesday, May 12th at the home of Mrs. Earl Palmer. A good attendance is requested as it is the election of officers.

We are sorry to learn of Miss Janet Walkington and Mrs. J. Harris of our village both falling and suffering broken bones. Mrs. Harris is at her home while Miss Walkington was removed to General Hospital, Toronto.

Lois and Glenn Palmer, children of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Palmer spent the Easter holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Jackson of Caledon East.

Mr. Harry Reynolds has purchased a home in Maple formerly owned by Mrs. Bauer.

Mrs. Wm. George and the twins of Keswick visited last week with Mrs. Enoch McKinnon.

Mrs. Charles Ball, one of the W.A. team captains of the United Church, wishes to take this opportunity to thank all the ladies who helped to make the sale of home made baking such a grand success.

A.C.2 Wm. Bailey spent the past week-end visiting his uncle Mr. Bruce Currie of Binghampton, N.Y.

Bruce Laver visited with his cousin Brock Barker of Woodbridge during the Easter holidays.

Margaret Jones of Toronto was a week-end visitor at the home of her grandfather, Mr. John Ball, Sherwood.

Rev. A. C. and Mrs. Forrest and baby daughter Evelyn Ann of Hamilton enjoyed a few days last week at the home of the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Alex Forrest.

Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald spent the past week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hooper of Malton.

Bill Lawrie visited his grandfather, Mr. George Hemphill at Kleinburg last week.

Miss Campbell and Miss Musgrave of Toronto were week-end guests at the home of Mrs. Horace Jaques.

Mr. Osborne Leslie has purchased the home of the late Mrs. Beddingfield and we welcome him as a resident of Maple.

Be sure to see the Victory Loan display in Austin Robinson's store window.

Be ready for your Victory Loan canvasser when he calls on you.

Miss Agnes Kinnee visited her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. E. Putterbaugh during her Easter holidays.

A few friends surprised Mrs. Chas. Ball with a birthday party on Wednesday night.

The Knit-Wit Club met at the home of the Misses Alice and Lillian Miller on Tuesday evening for the purpose of packing boxes for the boys overseas.

George Bailey, Bruce Laver and Kenneth Dowdall are taking part in the Victory Loan Quiz Contest at Vellore Thursday evening, May 6th.

Miss Jean Keffer has been student teacher at Hope this week as part of her normal school training.

Mrs. W. S. Caldwell of Brampton spent a few days with Mrs. George Bailey this week.

The teachers of East Vaughan Public Schools culminated their year's meetings by a visit to the Ontario Museum in Toronto on Tuesday afternoon.

Keen community interest is shown in the attractive window displays in support of the fourth Victory Loan. The windows feature photos of local boys in the armed services, and there could be no stronger appeal in support of the loan. The boys whose photos we see in these windows will not fail us... let us make sure we do not fail them.

BIRTH

HALLOWELL—To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hallowell, "Laradon", Concord, on April 26th, 1943, at the Private Patients Pavilion, Toronto General Hospital, a daughter, Nancy Elizabeth.

Arbor Day To Be Observed In The Village May 14th

Day Set Apart For Community Clean-up—May 24 Declared Civic Holiday

Arbor Day is to be revived in Richmond Hill and by proclamation of the local municipal council will be observed Friday, May 14th. Arbor Day so named as a day set apart for tree planting, was popularly observed in the good old days when members of the 1943 council were boys, and they think it was an observance which should be revived. The use of Arbor Day expanded from just tree planting to a general clean-up and beautification and that's exactly what Reeve Greene and the members of council want on Friday, May 14th. In more recent years Arbor Day has not been so generally observed, but Richmond Hill councillors think that this was a loss to the community and its observance should be revived not only here but everywhere.

The council is anxious to have a clean, tidy, attractive village. The local authorities are taking the lead and will make a general clean up of streets, ditches and roadways, and the appeal is to the citizens to carry the campaign into the gardens, lawns and boulevards. Co-operative and enthusiastic action by all our people can do much to make the village more attractive, and that's just what the municipal council is asking for. The co-operation of Lions Club, Women's Institute, Boy Scouts, Cubs, Girl Guides and all organizations in the village will be solicited, and it is hoped that a revival of this general clean-up day will result in making Richmond Hill a more beautiful place to call our home.

The observance of Arbor Day, the repair of village streets, and many other items of business were considered at the regular meeting of council Monday night. Reeve J. A. Greene presided and all the members attended.

The council decided to proclaim Monday, May 24th a Civic Holiday for Richmond Hill this year. Victoria Day, due to wartime regulations, is no longer being observed as a national holiday, but as this is Fair Day in Richmond Hill the council felt that it should be a general holiday. It has been proclaimed a Civic Holiday in Toronto.

Councillors drew attention to many complaints of dogs running at large, and the Constable was instructed to strictly enforce the by-law which provides dogs must be tied up after May 1st.

Insurance on the Village fire truck was increased to \$1000.

It was decided on motion of Councillors Little and Bales to purchase \$2000 in Victory Bonds from the reserve account of the local Hydro. Purchase of bonds from the general account was laid over pending advice from the Department of Municipal Affairs.

The practice of many householders of dumping their ashes on the roadways was discussed and the clerk authorized to prepare a by-law to make such a practice illegal. A by-law will be prepared also to govern parking. The practice of trucks parking on sidewalks while loading or unloading will be prohibited and parking near intersections will be out under the proposed regulations.

A by-law was passed completing the sale of a lot on Benson Ave. to Mr. John Jarvis at a price of \$150.

The utilizing of the new water supply was discussed at length and arrangements made for the installation of the equipment necessary. The new well on Centre St. East has been given rigid tests this spring and has been given the O.K. by the engineers. It is assured that the well will supply more than the needs of the local water-users and the quality of the water is excellent. It is hoped to have it flowing in the mains for general use in the very near future. When this is accomplished Richmond Hill will have a water supply second in quality to none in Ontario.

Due to wartime demands oil is not available for village streets this year. However many of the streets are in excellent condition from previous years and it is not likely they will create any dust nuisance. On other streets and sections of streets where the dust is likely to be a nuisance calcium chloride will be used. It cannot be used however on streets which have a hard surface, as before the application such streets would have to be scarified.

Councillor R. Paris, chairman of the Parks and Buildings committee was instructed to have the skating arena painted, and an effort will be made to have the job done before May 24th. Improvements to the curling rink building were discussed but no action taken. It was questioned whether in such strenuous war days any but the most necessary repair work should be undertaken.

Loan Sales Near Half Objective Nine Days To Go

Canada's Fourth Victory Loan Drive is progressing very favorably throughout all Canada, and North York is working steadily toward the objective of \$2,150,000. Sales up to Wednesday night in North York amounted to over \$1,000,000, a little short of half the objective with half of the campaign time elapsed. If we are to reach the goal set, returns for the last half of the drive will have to be just a little better than in the first half. Richmond Hill is a little short of the half-way mark of its \$100,000 objective, and Markham Township is about \$25,000 nearer to its goal of \$270,000 than the neighbouring township of Vaughan.

Victory Loan committee workers and salesmen are confident that during the last half of the campaign the people of North York will rally and put the County well over its objective. The fine spirit of the great majority of the people in buying to the very limit is heartening to those who have this big job in hand. On the other hand the odd case is encountered where the subscriptions are disappointing.

In all Canada the loan is running considerably ahead of the last one on comparative days. Up to Wednesday the national campaign total was \$503,936,100 compared with \$414,583,900 in the same period in the last Victory Loan.

The display windows throughout North York in support of the Loan which feature photos of local boys in the armed forces sums up the appeal of this National undertaking. The boys in the armed forces have offered everything in this war... they will not fail us... let us not fail them.

Fine Response To Appeal For Blind

The Canadian National Institute for the Blind Tag Day held last Saturday was most successful the total sum received through the homes and other donations amounting to \$201.07. The committee in charge are very grateful to those who responded so generously and to the ambitious group of young girls who tagged, namely: Helen and Marjorie Patterson, Audrey Hirkle, Betty Wilson, Joan and Lois Bourne, Shirley Paris, Betty and Eleanor Smith, Marion Little, Alverna Smith, Eleanor Young Jean and Bernice Muir, Joyce Webb, Lorene and Donald Booth, Clara Mackey, Doreen Horner Joyce Munroe. Once again citizens of Richmond Hill have not passed up the opportunity to help a very worthy cause.

OBITUARY

LATE A. M. CARROLL

For the past three years supervisor of the aeronautical inspection division, of de Havilland Aircraft of Canada, Limited, Anson Mackay Carroll, 57, brother of Dr. Lillian Langstaff of Richmond Hill and well known here, died at his home at West Hill last Saturday. He had been living in West Hill for four years.

Born in Fremont, Nebraska, Mr. Carroll graduated from University of Toronto in 1908. For several years he was manager of Badger Mine, Cobalt, and during the first Great War, served with the Canadian Air Force in Canada. He was a resident of Toronto for a number of years.

Surviving are his widow, Bird Hagerman Carroll; a sister, Dr. Lillian Langstaff of Richmond Hill, and a brother, H. M. Carroll, an official of the Bell Telephone Company, Montreal.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED ARTICLES

13 hats, all kinds, leather, wool, cloth; 3 mitts, leather, odd; 4 pairs leather mitts; 1 pair woollen mitts; 16 odd mitts, woollen; 5 hockey sticks; 1 purse; 1 umbrella; 6 wool sweaters; 4 scarves, all kinds; 7 windbreakers and coats; 1 rubber raincoat; 2 pair ice skates; 4 odd ice skates; 3 pairs rubbers; 2 odd rubbers; 3 school bags; 1 pair small child's shoes; 1 pair slippers.

The above are articles left in the Public School and for which we can find no claimant. Should parents wish to look them over they will be available for one week after this issue of The Liberal. After that unclaimed goods will go for salvage. WALTER SCOTT, Principal.

Bedford

Yonge St. at Glenforest Rd. * Hudson 5437

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, MAY 7, 8
"WHO DONE IT"
With ABBOTT and COSTELLO
NOVELTY — SHEEPISH WOLF MARCH OF TIME No. 5
TRUMPET SERENADE — SPORTS IN THE ROCKIES

MONDAY & TUESDAY, MAY 10, 11
"SEVEN DAYS' LEAVE"
With LUCILLE BALL, VICTOR MATURE
--- AND ---
"NAVY COMES THROUGH"
With PAT O'BRIEN, GEORGE MURPHY
NEWS

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY, MAY 12, 13
"WAR AGAINST MRS. HADLEY"
With FAY BAINTER, EDWARD ARNOLD
--- AND ---
"ONE NIGHT IN PARIS"
ALL STAR CAST

Family's Loss By Fire Touches The Community Heart

Generous Response to Appeal on Behalf of Elgin Mills Family Recently Burned Out

Deeply touched by the hard luck of Mr. and Mrs. Caffen, Elgin Mills sideroad, who lost their house and all its contents as well as their greenhouse and spring crop in a recent disastrous fire, the people of the community have responded most generously to an appeal on their behalf. A subscription list organized by Mr. Murray McLean and Mr. Ralph Wideman now totals about \$1200. In addition there have been many donations of furniture, tools, bedding and household goods of all kinds. Recent community gatherings were held at the home of Mr. Murray McLean and at the home of Mr. Albert Rice when Mr. and Mrs. Caffen were showered with many useful gifts and donations. The response to the appeal on behalf of the family speaks well for the fine sympathetic and generous spirit of the people of the district and as well is a tribute to Mr. and Mrs. Caffen whose industry and good christian citizenship has commended them to the people of the community in which they live. The subscription list still is open and donations may be given to Mr. McLean or Mr. Wideman or may be left at The Liberal Office.

HOUSE SOLD

The sale was reported this week of the Drury residence on Centre St. East. The purchaser is Mr. Koenig of Brown's Line.

SEEDING STARTED

Some seeding has been done throughout the district but the spring work on the farm is generally held up by the weather conditions. Potatoes were planted in the Honeypot district Wednesday.

VICTORIA SQUARE

Sunday services were well attended with 87 in church.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Perkins had dinner and supper with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boynton on Friday.

The following chaps, now members of the King's forces, were home over the week-end: Lorne Mortson, Andrew Forson, Norman Martin and Ernie Jackson.

Little Dorothy Matheson returned home from Ripley accompanied by her aunt Miss Dorothy Matheson and Mr. Emmerton of the R.C.A.F., formerly of Ripley.

Miss Gwennie Pennell of Toronto is spending a few days with Miss Coral Perkins. The "Old Home Night" was a great success and the committee are to be congratulated on their work. We would like to thank the "Tattler" for special mention last week. The proceeds of the evening amounted to between 20 and 25 dollars.

On Sunday, May 9th is Mother's Day. As usual there will be a joint service of the Sunday School and church which will be held at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. McKay has asked that we make this a family service. There will be a special service for the entire afternoon service.

Mr. Alvin Caseley, Mrs. Marcus Jarvis and Miss Mabel Sanderson were present at the county Junior Farmers executive meeting held in the Representative's office where they learned that Mr. Bill Sutherland had returned to his home and that Mr. Jim Moore of the O.A.C. has been assigned to assist Mr. Cockburn in his work.

The W.M.S. will hold their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. L. G. Stoutenburgh on Wednesday, May 12th at 2 o'clock. Will all of the ladies please remember to bring their good used clothing to the church on Sunday or to this meeting to be packed in the bale.

Mr. Harold Hendricks was a Sunday guest with the Smith family.

HOCKEY GAME TONIGHT

It's spring but Richmond Hill Minor Bantams still are playing hockey, and tonight play the first in the final series for the championship with Ralph School team of Toronto. The game will be at the Royal Rink.

Finals - VICTORY LOAN QUIZ

PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF KING TOWNSHIP

will be held in

McDonald & Wells Hall, King City
FRIDAY, MAY 7th at 8 p.m. D.S.T.

In addition to the contest there will be moving pictures and other entertainment

This contest will decide the pupil to represent King Township in the finals at Aurora on May 12th.

All Invited — Come and Boost Your School

ADMISSION FREE

NORTH YORK VICTORY LOAN COMMITTEE

Buy Victory Bonds
"SALADA"
TEA