

The Richmond Theatre

Richmond Hill, Ontario

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Shows Daily at 7 and 9 p.m.

Saturdays and holidays, continuously from 5.30 p.m.

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HOLIDAY SPECIALS

MIDNIGHT SHOW — 12.05 a.m. — JANUARY 2

SPECIAL HOLIDAY MATINEE — MONDAY, JANUARY 2 — 2 p.m.

Remember — Saturday evening shows start at 5.30 p.m. The same applies to Monday, January 2.

TICKETS FOR THE MIDNIGHT SHOW WILL BE ON SALE AT THE BOX OFFICE ALL THE WEEK PRIOR TO JANUARY 2

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Friday & Saturday — December 30 & 31

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Monday & Tuesday — January 2 & 3

Clifton WEBB Shirley TEMPLE

Mr. Belvedere Goes To College

Tom DRAKE • Alan YOUNG

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Wednesday & Thursday — January 4 & 5

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RAY MILLAND • TERESA WRIGHT • BRIAN DONLEVY

"The Trouble With Women"

ROSE HOBART • CHARLES SMITH • LEWIS RUSSELL • IRIS ADRIAN • FRANK FAYLEN

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Friday & Saturday — January 6 & 7

LET NO MAN CROSS HIS STEEL... NOR WOMAN TEMPT HIS LIPS!

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Water, Sewage and Garbage

Water, sewage and garbage disposal services: Present high costs of providing sewage and garbage disposal facilities and in supplying satisfactory quantities of pure drinking water, have imposed serious limitations on the development of new residential areas in the Toronto metropolitan community. The fundamental question to be faced... would seem to be that of providing large-scale installations on some appropriate financial basis and without destruction of recreational facilities. In this connection it is important to recognize that those municipalities with inadequate services would expect to be brought up to the urban standard in the event some form of metropolitan government is created.

Hydro

The most serious defect on the present system rests in the fact that communities outside Toronto are not always able to provide reserve facilities for maintenance of service when power failures occur. The existence of 11 separate municipal hydro bodies means, to some extent, a duplication of service vehicles, service personnel and repair materials both in quantities required and in location. While there is no great variation in rates, it is noted that during the past year the large semi-urban townships have been finding it more and more difficult to provide hydro installations at postwar rates.

Traffic and Transportation

The committee is strongly of the opinion that the final solution to the combined problem of public transportation and roads will involve consideration of several important questions: (1) The fact that several jurisdictions now plan, build and control the three types of roads in existence; (2) The problem of financing arterial roads in the metropolitan area; (3) The advisability of integrating public transportation systems throughout the metropolitan area.

Health and Welfare

Outside the City of Toronto, no trained social worker is employed. Only in those municipalities where there are welfare departments is there more than one person responsible for public welfare matters, these additional staff members are very often not employed fully on this task... A return to the employment conditions of the 30's would involve most municipalities in the area in tremendous financial burdens which, it would appear, can scarcely be met with present revenues... Even in comparatively good times the inadequacies of the present structure are showing up in various ways and in varying degree... The committee feels that in all probability, during the past two or three winters, many citizens of the metropolitan community have been denied social services by both public and private organizations, and on other cases the burden was thrown unfairly on certain public and private agencies. The committee wishes to emphasize the extremely high potential cost of public health and welfare services in the Toronto metropolitan community. Planners in the field of health and welfare believe that the need is increasing and has not yet been reflected in municipal expenditures.

Public Health

In the opinion of the committee, the cost of hospitals and public health facilities generally is perhaps borne too heavily by the residents of the City of Toronto, because of the concentration of high standard facilities. (Because of the appointment of a special committee on metropolitan study, the committee on metropolitan problem will make no recommendations on this point.)

District Women Teachers Hold Meeting At Thornlea

The second open meeting of the York Association of the Federation of Women's Teachers Association of Ontario was held at Thornlea Public School recently.

It was reported that the Association had contributed \$50.55 to the Exchange Teachers' Fund.

A sing-song of Christmas Carols was led by Miss Stallwood of Stouffville. Mrs. Purcell of Newmarket, reviewed the new booklet, "We the Teachers of Ontario," a copy of which had been sent through the Association, free of charge, to each member. Miss Stallwood played a piano solo. Miss Barnes of Newmarket introduced the guest speaker, Miss MacVicar of Victoria College, Toronto, who told of her experiences as a day-school teacher on an Indian reservation on the west coast of Vancouver Island. Miss Hosié of Stouffville thanked Miss MacVicar.

It was decided to have the next open meeting in February, probably in Newmarket.

Miss Maxine Marshall, principal of Thornlea School, served a delicious lunch.

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Sanitarium Association Report Reveals Results Of October T.B. Exams

In October this year the second planned and carried out by public spirited members of the Lions Club, with splendid cooperation and volunteer help from other local groups. Calls were made from house to house, persuading persons to present themselves for examination. The successful completion of such an endeavour speaks well for the neighbourhood, and probably encouraged the community spirit.

Perhaps the greatest value of a chest X-ray examination to the individual, is the knowledge and assurance that he or she does not have early tuberculosis of the lungs, when it would produce no symptoms. The X-rays will detect tuberculosis of the lungs in the early stage before symptoms occur, and thus will tend to prevent spread of infection to others.

The greatest value of a survey to the community is the knowledge that sources of tuberculosis infection are being found, and in that manner, the community is made a healthier place in which to live. This value is greatest when the greatest number of people living in that community present themselves for a chest X-ray.

To detect tuberculosis of the lungs as it is developing in the EARLY stage, periodic chest X-rays are advisable. Therefore, it is anticipated that this service will be provided for residents of Richmond Hill. By periodic and repeated chest X-ray examinations, offered to all persons, the National Sanitarium Association can make it possible for everyone to be sure that no tuberculosis of the lungs is present, or that if present, the disease will be found in the earliest stage.

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Obtaining entry by smashing glass in the front door thieves ransacked the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Bone at Stop 17, Thornhill, on the evening of December 23, while they were in Toronto meeting their daughter who was returning home for Christmas.

Besides stealing two diamond rings, a watch, a suit, overcoat and other clothing, in addition to Christmas presents, the robbers did much malicious damage, ransacking the place, turning drawers inside out, smashing ornaments on the Christmas tree and damaging a radio.

One of the rings stolen was Mrs. Bone's engagement ring and other articles taken included some of great sentimental value. The house of Louis Dinoff, Concord, was broken into at approximately the same time as the Bone robbery but, according to police, nothing was taken.

Vandalism Marks Robbery Of Bone Home At Thornhill

General Motors Deliveries Good, States Local Agency

A steady flow of cars and trucks is now coming through following the conclusion of the General Motors strike, states N. W. Bradshaw of Bradshaw Motors, Richmond Hill, recently appointed dealers in Buick and Pontiac cars and General Motors trucks. Vehicles are being snapped up as fast as they come in, he reports.

Presbyterian Ladies Elect 1950 Officers

The annual meeting of the Presbyterian W. A. was held recently at the home of Mrs. H. H. MacKay. Annual reports were read by the officers showing a very favourable and profitable year.

The officers for 1950 are as follows: Hon. Pres., Mrs. S. W. Hirle, Mrs. Thos. Moore, and Mrs. Geo. Ball; president, Mrs. K. Blanchard; 1st vice, Mrs. M. Savage; 2nd vice, Mrs. H. H. MacKay; rec. sec. Mrs. D. Armstrong; treas., Mrs. F. Schissler; corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. Beresford; flower committee, Mrs. G. Yerex, Mrs. H. H. MacKay; pianists, Mrs. Yerex, Mrs. Ball. The January meeting will be held on January 19 at the home of Mrs. Beresford.

Mansbridge Meat Market Adds More Cold Storage

Providing extra facilities for proper storage in keeping with the growth of business and the community, Mansbridge's Meat Market has installed a large additional cold storage room.

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HAPPY NEW YEAR!

In wishing the citizens of Richmond Hill a Happy and Prosperous New Year may I emphasize particularly that 1950 will be a most important year in the history of the municipality.

Many important problems affecting the welfare of our inhabitants will have to be dealt with. The future of our home town for many years to come will be shaped by the decisions which will be made during the coming year.

It is my firm and unshakable belief that only by the utmost in the way of co-operation and goodwill between our Municipal Council, our business men and all our citizens can the goal we are aiming at — the welfare of our community and each and every one of its citizens — be achieved. It will be my aim to do everything humanly possible to promote that spirit of co-operation.

In that spirit I extend my best wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year to all our people. I should particularly like to include with them our friends in neighbouring municipalities, whose good-will and friendship we value highly.

JOHN A. GREENE

Richmond Hill Reeve-Elect

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