

Thornhill And District News

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FEEDS WHO KEEP RECORDS EVENTUALLY BUY MASTER

Mrs. Jan Meendering was guest of honour at a tea held at the home of Mrs. L. W. Wood of Johnson Avenue last Wednesday evening, August 20. Mr. and Mrs. Meendering who have been living at the Heintzman farm on Yonge Street will be leaving on Friday for their new home in Stratford. Following a pleasant evening tea was served and Mrs. Meendering was presented with a parting gift consisting of a hammered aluminum entrée dish and a glazed pottery bowl. Mrs. Meendering has been very active in the Parish Guild of the Anglican Church and her many friends wish her and her family luck and happiness in their new home.

Friends and neighbours of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Crawford of Arnold Avenue send congratulations on the birth of their 8 pound 4 ounce baby boy born Sunday, August 24, at the York County Hospital in Newmarket.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Garland and family of Arnold Ave. have just returned from a three-week holiday visiting Mrs. Garland's mother and family in Regina and district.

Correction

It was Mrs. W. J. J. Robinson of John Street who suffered broken arms recently and not Mrs. C. W. T. Robinson as was previously reported.

United Church News

The first meeting of the season of the W.A. of the United Church will be held Thursday afternoon, September 4 at 2:30.

Mr. Ness, Mrs. Leusby, Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair all of Yonge St. together with Mrs. John Baker spent a pleasant week touring Northern Quebec, and Ottawa. During their stay in Ottawa they visited the Parliament Buildings and the Ottawa Fair.

Congratulations to the following Thornhill children who won prizes for their gardens recently in a contest sponsored by Veterans' Land Act for this district, under the supervision of Mr. V. O'Malley of Richmond Hill. Miss Jackie Duncan of Arnold Ave. won first prize of \$10 in the 9-12 age group, Miss Dawn Wilson also won a prize in this group; Gordon Crutcher won 3rd prize in the 13-15 group. Steven Crutcher won 6th in the 9-12 group and Terry Townsend won 3rd prize in the under group. The children grew flowers and vegetables which were judged in their own gardens. In addition to the cash awards they were taken on a tour through the James Estate in Islington viewing many beautiful gardens. From there they visited the Holland Marsh gardens at Bradford where Gordon Crutcher spoke to the other children about his grandfather, Mr. B. B. Collins who is a pioneer at the Marsh, explaining how his 1000 acres were developed. The children were shown how the pumps for irrigation worked, the cold storage where the produce is sprayed for quick chilling, then crated and marked with the grower's name. A Dominion man then explained about the different diseases that attack vegetables and also the insects that do so much destruction. Each child chose a sample of produce to take home. At Riverview Inn everyone enjoyed a delightful dinner and the prizes were then awarded. Gordon Crutcher gave a vote of thanks to Mr. O'Malley who has taken so much interest in the children, encouraging them to be first class gardeners in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. John MacNeil and family of Yonge St. and Mr. and Mrs. David Carruthers and family of John Street have just returned from a holiday at Restful Lake near North Bay. The second week of their stay they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carruthers and family of Long Island N.Y.

Library News

The Library will resume winter hours on Tuesday, September 2. The Library will be open Monday and Friday 7.30 to 9 p.m., Tuesday and Friday 3 to 5 p.m. and Saturday 9.30 to 11.30 a.m.

Wedding

Berwick-Ellacott
Wednesday, August 20, at 7.30 p.m., Trinity Anglican Church, Thornhill, was the setting of a pretty wedding when Leona Maude Ellacott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ellacott of Yonge Street, became the bride of William Berwick, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Berwick of Toronto. Rev. S. A. R. Wood officiated as the bride's father gave her in marriage. She wore a delphinium-blue lace suit with yellow accessories and a matching corsage of gladioli and roses. Margaret Ellacott, maid of honour, chose a beige Swiss-hand-embroidered suit with navy-blue accessories and a red gladioli and roses corsage. Mr. Robert Berwick was the groomsmen. To receive at the home of Mrs. Stewart Bell, sister of the bride, Mrs. Ellacott wore a grey suit with navy-blue accessories and a corsage of pink roses and gladioli. She was assisted by Mrs. William Berwick Sr. who chose a navy-blue ensemble with navy accessories and a corsage of pink roses and gladioli. Following a wedding trip through the States, Mr. and Mrs. Berwick will reside in Toronto.

Shower

Miss Kathleen Collins of Crestwood Drive was guest of honour at a community shower held Monday

Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Boyd Judge The Thornhill Horticultural Show

Thornhill and District Horticultural Society held a successful Flower and Vegetable Show at the United Church hall on Tuesday, August 19. Exhibits began arriving the evening before and again during the afternoon of the 19th, and the public and members were admitted to see the final results at 7 p.m. There were over 230 entries and the judges Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Boyd of Richmond Hill spent a busy time selecting the best exhibits. Mr. Boyd gave his comments on the quality of the various exhibits and gave many recommendations for future guidance which were beneficial to members and visitors alike. Mr. Delf, the president, presented each of the judges with a token gift expressing the society's thanks for their services. The meeting closed with the auction of many of the exhibits which were donated by members and other gifts of flowers and fruit brought for sale.

The awards were:

- Asters, 6 blooms single, 2 Mrs. G. Crutcher, 2 Asters, 6 blooms, double, F. J. Maw, Miss C. Shaw, Mrs. B. Heslop, 3 Calendulas, 12 blooms, Mrs. J. Gribble, Mrs. L. G. Riley, Mrs. R. Healey, 4 Carnations, 6 stems, no awards, 5 Cosmos, 12 stems, Mrs. L. G. Riley, Mrs. F. Clubine, Mrs. W. Thompson, 6 Dahlias, collection, 2nd Miss F. Clubine, 7 Gaillardia, annual 6 blooms, Miss C. Shaw, 8 Gladioli, 1 spike, any variety, Mrs. A. F. Martindale, Mrs. Naylor, Mrs. Gribble, 9 Gladioli, 3 spikes, long stem with foliage, Mrs. Martindale, Mrs. P. Bone, Mrs. Naylor, 10 Gladioli, 6 spikes, long stem with foliage, Mrs. Naylor, Mrs. Bone.
- Lilies, 2 spikes, any variety, Mrs. G. Crutcher, Mrs. Heslop, 3 Delphinium (annual larkspur) 3 spikes, Mrs. Martindale, Mrs. P. Pherrill, Delphinium (perennial larkspur) 3 spikes, 3rd Mrs. Crutcher, Marigolds, French, 12 blooms, Mrs. Martindale, Mrs. Poulter, Mrs. Riley, Nasturtiums, bowl, 2nd Miss C. Shaw, Phlox, perennial, 3 stems, Miss Clubine, Mrs. R. Whatley, Mrs. Crutcher, Petunias, basket of single, Mrs. Heslop, Mrs. F. Harrison, Mrs. Martindale, Petunias, basket of double, Mrs. Heslop 1st, Mrs. F. Harrison 3rd, Rose, 1 best, Mrs. Crush, R. Whatley, Mrs. R. Healey, Scabiosa, 12 blooms, Mrs. L. G. Riley, Snapdragons, 6 stems, Mrs. Crush, Mrs. Heslop, R. Whatley, Sweet Peas, collection, 2nd F. J. Maw, Verbenas, 6 stems, Mrs. Crutcher, Mrs. Bone.
- Zinnias, 6 blooms, Mrs. Crush, Miss Clubine, Mrs. M. Zinnias, pom-pom, 12 blooms, Mrs. L. G. Riley, Mrs. W. Thompson, Zinnias, fantasy, 6 blooms, W. A. Curtis, Miss C. Shaw, F. Maw. Any other flower not on above list, Mrs. Crutcher, Mrs. R. Simpson, Mrs. R. Healey, Cleome (spider-flower) 3 spikes, Mrs. R. C. Poulter, Mrs. Crutcher, Mrs. A. Winter.
- Vegetables & Fruits
Beans, 12 yellow wax, Mrs. J. Gribble, Mrs. L. Pherrill, F. J. Maw, Beans, 12 green, R. Whatley, Mrs. Gribble, E. Nicholson.
Beets, 6 table, Miss Clubine, R. Healey, Mrs. Crutcher, Carrots, 6 table, R. Healey, A. Martindale, F. J. Maw, Corn, 6 ears, stripped, yellow table, L. G. Riley, Mrs. Crutcher, Cucumbers, 2, R. Healey, Mrs. Crutcher, Mrs. Gribble.
Spanish Onions, 6, 2nd Mrs. Mizen, Onions, A.O.V., 6, L. G. Riley, Mrs. Crutcher.
Potatoes, 6 Irish Cobblers, L. G. Riley, E. Nicholson, Mrs. Crutcher, Potatoes, A.O.V., 6, A. Martindale, R. Whatley, Cabbage, 1, any variety, 2nd Mrs. A. Winter and R. Whatley, Tomatoes, five large red, 3rd R. Healey, Tomatoes, 5 red sunrise, R. Healey, L. G. Riley, Mrs. P. Bone, Peppers, 3 large, Mrs. Crutcher, Mrs. Gribble, F. J. Maw, Vegetable Marrow, L. G. Riley, F. J. Maw, Pears, any variety, 5, Mrs. R. Simpson, Plums, 5, any variety, L. G. Riley, Mrs. R. Simpson.

Juniors
Vase of Cosmos, Audrey Thompson, Mary Harrison, Gordon Crutcher, Collection of Vegetables, Ernie Gribble, Gordon Crutcher,

evening, August 25, in the Masonic Hall in Thornhill. The hostesses of the evening were Misses Margaret Ellacott, June Carter, Beverley Charles and Mrs. Leona Berwick. Many beautiful gifts were received by the bride-to-be whose wedding to Mr. George Woods of Ricevale takes place Friday, August 29, at Trinity Anglican Church, Thornhill. A very pleasant evening was concluded with the serving of a dainty lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smook and daughter Valerie have returned from a three-week vacation in Matheson, Ontario and Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Obituary

Residents of Thornhill were very saddened to learn of the death of Mrs. Mabel Jaeger of Yonge Street last Wednesday, August 20. Mrs. Jaeger, wife of the late Clayton E. Jaeger was born in Winnipeg, Man., Mabel Kate Douglall, and has lived in Thornhill for the past 15 years. Mrs. Jaeger who has been ill since Spring is perhaps best known for her large and beautiful collection of antiques. This line of endeavor started as a hobby with Mrs. Jaeger eventually turning it into a business of considerable size. Miss June Jaeger, who has inherited her mother's love for antiques plans to continue the business. During the war Mrs. Jaeger was very active in the Red Cross and Women's Institute, holding various offices in these organizations. She is survived by two daughters, June and Belle and a son Terry.

Eleanor Taylor, Green Lane, recently had the misfortune to fall and cut her forehead. Two stitches were required to close the wound.

Miss Dorothy Gribble, John St., and Mr. and Mrs. Woolsey, Colborne St., motored to Detroit recently, to visit relatives and friends there.

Flower arrangement for luncheon table, Percy Bone Rose Bowl Trophy, Miss Carl Shaw, Mrs. A. F. Martindale. Flower arrangement, dinner table, Mrs. Crutcher, Miss Clubine. Front view arrangement for living-room table, using 3 flowers and any other materials, Mrs. Martindale, Mrs. Riley, Mrs. F. Harrison. Vase of flowers arranged for effect, Mrs. Martindale, Mrs. R. Healey, Mrs. Crutcher.

Modernistic flower arrangement, colour harmony to count, Mrs. Dolan, Mrs. Horton, Mrs. Martindale, Miniature bouquet, not over 4 ins., Mrs. Bone, Mrs. Horton, Mrs. Riley, Corsage and man's boutonniere, Mrs. W. Dean, Mrs. Pherrill, Mrs. F. Harrison. Old fashioned nosegay, 4-6 ins. high, Mrs. F. Harrison, Mrs. W. Dean, Mrs. Thomeycroft, 6 Qt. basket Tomatoes, L. G. Riley, Mrs. Gribble, 6 Qt. basket potatoes, L. G. Riley, E. Nicholson. Modernistic arrgt. using Gladioli, Mrs. Martindale. Tuberous begonia in flower pot, Mrs. Heslop, R. Whatley, Miss C. Shaw. Collection of Tuberous Begonias in bowl, Mrs. B. Heslop, R. Whatley, Miss Shaw. Miniature Pool arrangement, Mrs. Horton, Mrs. Thomeycroft, Miss C. Shaw. Arrangement in original container, Mrs. Mizen, Mrs. Bone, Mrs. Riley. Show basket gladioli, 3rd Mrs. W. Thompson. Show basket of flowers (arrgt. to count) Mrs. Martindale. Basket of large Zinnias, Mrs. F. Harrison, Mrs. Mizen, Mrs. Crutcher.

Best specimen entry in show, Mrs. W. Dean for corsage and man's boutonniere.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Couper and family spent a very enjoyable holiday at Beaumaris last week.

The Mackay family of Clarke Ave. went sight-seeing last week at points north.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Steele will be at home to friends and relations at their residence, 13 Morgan Ave. on Monday afternoon and evening, September 1, on the occasion of their 50th anniversary.

Recent visitors of Dr. and Mrs. Steele were Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Sanderson from Santiago, also Miss Ruth Nisbet.

Sorry to hear that Dr. Steele suffered a very painful accident when a car ran into him on Morgan Ave. and Yonge St. About a dozen stitches were required to close the wound in his head.

Barbara and Brian Dale of Proctor Ave. were seven years old last Tuesday. The twins with 21 friends had a wonderful time.

Miss Wakeley's sister is staying with her for a few weeks.

The Doncaster Ladies' Club will meet at the home of Mrs. E. A. Watts on Tuesday, September 6, instead of Miss Wakeley's.

Mr. and Mrs. Bottomley and Billy of Clarke Ave. spent a week's holiday in the Peterboro District.

Mrs. F. Rowe of Toronto spent ten days with the Mizen family and Mrs. Adams the week-end.

Bob and Phyllis Watterson of Clarke Ave. have spent the last week in Rochester U.S.A. attending the North American Manx Convention.

Another son was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. Evans of Clarke Ave. on Monday morning, August 25. Mother and baby doing well.

Miss Marion Frazer, Markham Rd., had the honor of representing Richmond Hill District High School at the C.N.E. on Saturday. Marion was one of the High School students chosen to be a guest of Mrs. Kate Aitken for the day. At noon they were served box lunches, attended fashion shows, dinner with the Directors and were guests at the evening performance on the Grandstand.

Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Lahonen entertained at a miscellaneous shower for Miss Virginia Riggs Saturday night. The surprised bride-to-be was conducted to a tastefully decorated wishing well in pink, blue and white which was overflowing with gifts.

Mrs. Passien, the bride-to-be's sister, helped to pass the gifts around to be admired. The ladies who attended were Mrs. Best, Mrs. Bruce Duncan, Mrs. Harper, Mrs. E. Fox, Mrs. M. Fox, Mrs. K. Fox, Mrs. Riggs, Mrs. Wm. Riggs, Mrs. J. Robinson and Mrs. John Robinson, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Hook, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Ness, Mrs. J. Curtis, Mrs. Stephenson, Marilyn Curtis, Mrs. G. Carr, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Reid, Mrs. Wagle, Mrs. Eric Duncan and Mrs. J. Gribble.

Lunch was served by the hostesses. Miss Riggs will become the bride of Mr. Wm. Ness early in September.

Miss Dorothy and Harold Gribble entertained Woodbridge Zion's League at a corn roast at their home Wednesday night.

Mr. John Weeks and son Ralph from Pennsylvania are newcomers to the district. They have bought Mrs. Drew Smith's house at 63 John St. Thornlea gives them a welcome to the district and to Canada.

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However, the W.I. is undertaking the task of salvaging whatever historical material it can and in so doing, is seeking the co-operation of the residents of the community. To succeed in this work the W.I. must have the help of everyone. Anyone who can supply information under the following headings is asked to get in touch with Mrs. Ed. Phillips, Historical Research Convener. (1) Origin of name of community. (2) Pioneer families and pioneer settlements. (3) Churches and schools. (4) Achievements of early settlers. (5) Natural resources and industries. (6)

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Putterbaugh and their daughter, Ruby, motored to Meaford on Sunday where they had dinner with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jenks. Coming home they called on the Rev. P. J. Lambert and his family at Brock's Beach. At Keswick they spent some time with Mr. and Mrs. Morley Kinnee and their daughter Agnes and the Rev. and Mrs. Fockler and their daughter, Margaret.

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On Saturday last, the task of redecorating the church was completed and during the time the work was in progress, it was discovered that the belfry was in advanced stages of decay and a hazard to the congregation. To eliminate this dangerous condition, the decorating committee removed the belfry and constructed a small gallery with a louver window to house the bell.

There is still considerable exterior work to be done, but it is expected that all will be in readiness for the Re-opening Services on Sunday, September 7.

At the morning service, the choir will lead the praise and will be assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Stevenson, Maple.

For the evening worship we welcome Rev. E. E. Kent, D. Th., of Thornhill to the pulpit. The Kinsmen so well-known for their Gospel singing, will lead the praise.

Mrs. Alf Bagg will preside at the organ for both services.

The public is invited to these services.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Witty of Concord were Thursday dinner and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Spencer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bagg were in Ottawa last week. Mr. Bagg judging Jersey cattle at the fair.

Birthday

Many happy returns of August 28 is wished for Miss Helen Spencer who will be six years old on that day. Mrs. John Young Jr. has a birthday on August 29 and her father-in-law, John Young Sr. on August-30. Happy birthday to you both.

Tweedsmuir History

The Edgeley Women's Institute is endeavoring to complete the village history and bring it up-to-date, but their task is not an easy one as much valuable historical data is lost, due to improperly kept records or to the fact that in many instances no records at all were kept of the past.

Mr. Gordon Mortonson and his two sons, Wayne and Bruce and Mrs. Winnifred Mortonson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stong. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. E. Stong of Lansing were their supper guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hendry and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baker and family of Concord enjoyed a happy day picnicking at Jackson's Point on Sunday. On Monday morning Miss Margaret Hendry was off to Seabright to visit her cousins, Joyce and Jance McNabb for the week.

HIGHLAND PARK NEWS

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Mr. H. Bow, 20 Grandview Ave., underwent an operation on August 19 at Sunnybrook hospital. He is coming along nicely, but will be there for several weeks. Visiting hours are 7 to 9 p.m. each evening.

Mrs. J. Huggill of Sault Ste. Marie, is visiting the next two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Cole Sr. and Mrs. Faye, her niece, 25 Drury Ave.

David DeClercq, Stephen Scarffe, Douglas Thomson and Harold Sanders had a big day on Saturday, August 23, when they ventured to the Exhibition on their own.

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