

SUTTON: Fire destroyed the pavilion at "The Everglades" just west of Jackson's Point. Sutton Fire Brigade fought the fire, saving one end of the frame structure.

UXBRIDGE: Potato-growers of the Uxbridge - Zephyr - Mount Albert district are reported having made recent sale of potatoes at a record high price of \$5.25 per bag of 75 lbs.

STOUFFVILLE: Mrs. Ken Lashway and Mrs. Fred Grosse won the L. T. Spaulding Trophy emblematic of the Provincial Ladies Lawn Bowling Championship at Hamilton last week.

PICKERING: Ratepayers held a meeting to protest council's move to disband the police force.

STOUFFVILLE: The Ontario Municipal Board has set September 10 as the date for the hearing of complaints against the new village Land Restriction by-law.

ALTON: Police are investigating a sudden outbreak of cattle rustling; fifteen head of cattle have disappeared.

NEWMARKET: Plans are underway for the erection of a prefabricated building to replace the present Humane Society shelter.

TWEED: Twenty-six business men have signed up as charter members of Tweed's first Kiwanis Club.

NEWMARKET: A public spirited citizen has offered \$500 to any group who will undertake a campaign to raise funds to restore Fairy Lake.

WOODBURGE: A resident of Woodbridge for the past 20 years, Mrs. D. Witherspoon celebrated her 93rd birthday on August 25. Thomas Reames Wilcox, also of this village, celebrated his 89th birthday on August 26.

In The Liberal Window

This week the Liberal window is displaying another reminder of the days gone by. It is a copy of "Nason's Directory of the East and West Ridings of the County of York", printed in 1871 and belonging to Mr. Elmo Snider of Maple. The book contains the names of all the residents of Etobicoke, Markham, Scarboro, Vaughan and York townships at the time of printing. It is open at the Richmond Hill page where we see such familiar names as Savage, Trench, and Palmer, and many professions such as wheelwright, saddler, lock maker and pedlar now vanished from the local scene.

W. Ingram, Maple Retires After 30 Years With Bell Telephone

Mr. William (Scotty) Ingram, of Maple, retired on pension from active duty on the staff of the Bell Telephone Co., on August 30, after 30 years and 9 months service. He started with the Woodbridge and Vaughan Telephone Co. when the first manager was the late Dr. Frederick Routley. At that time the business office was in Dr. Routley's home and the switchboard in

Thursday's Chuckle

The rose garden stretched, unfenced, to the sidewalk, and its owner was much annoyed with a neighbor who made a practice of picking the best blossoms. Finally, the owner's son, who works in a radio station, undertook Operation Rose Protection.

Coming Events

- SEPTEMBER 6 - Saturday. Dance at Lake Wilcox community hall from 8 to 10 p.m.
SEPTEMBER 7 - Sunday. Meeting of Thornhill L.O.L. No. 91 in the Masonic Hall, Thornhill.
SEPTEMBER 8 - Monday. Meeting of Markham Township Council at the Municipal Offices, Unionville at 7 p.m.
SEPTEMBER 8 - Monday. Meeting of Richmond Hill village council at the municipal offices at 7 p.m.
SEPTEMBER 9 - Tuesday. Meeting of the Richmond Hill United Church W. A. will take the

Twenty Teachers

Richmond Hill District High School Opening Day Registration - 473

The beginning of another milestone in the history of secondary education in Richmond Hill and District. The District High School, which with the new wing opened last September has a recognized capacity of approximately 475 people, is taxed to that capacity this year. Present on opening day were 453 students with expected late registrants numbering 20, to make a total registration of 473.

K. Hamill Oak Ridges Wins Outboard Motor

Lucky Winners Vaughan & R. Hill Veterans Draw

The officers and members of the Vaughan and Richmond Hill Branch of the York County Veterans Association would like to express their thanks and appreciation to the merchants of Richmond Hill and surrounding district who donated prizes for the raffle which was held August 31. They would also like to convey thanks to Mr. Jack Smith, M.P., who so kindly made it draw for the lucky prizes and to Mr. Ned Hill.

History Of Early Yonge St.

Chapter XII, Page 125 start, "Pioneer Life in the County of York" by Edwin C. Guillet. Indians used trails along both the Rouge and the Humber Rivers on their trading trips and war expeditions, and the first settlers followed the same routes. On September 25, 1793, before Yonge St. had even been surveyed, Lieutenant-Governor Simcoe made a journey to Lake Simcoe and beyond. Four officers, a dozen soldiers, and a group of Indians went with him, and the party rode thirty miles, largely over the Humber portage trail, which, in many parts, followed a course close to the present Yonge Street.

Fire Destroys Ice House

A large ice house belonging to Mr. Charles Crawford who owns the Lake Wilcox Ice Company was destroyed by fire early Friday morning. Situated at the end of a long private lane the ice house had not been used for two years. Mrs. J. Webster who occupies a cottage across from the ice house had a car drive down the lane a short time before flames reflected in her bedroom window aroused her. Flames were escaping in at least six places. Mr. Herbert Grounds returning from the Exhibition about 1 a.m. saw the flames and notified the Aurora Fire Department. Unable to save the building the firemen stood by for three hours to prevent the flames from spreading to the nearby bush and cottages. Water was pumped from Wilcox Lake.

Doug. Boyd Prize Winner At C.N.E.

Doug. Boyd, well-known Richmond Hill silversmith has just won several prizes at the C.N.E. Of seven entries entered into the General C.N.E. competition he won three firsts, two seconds, and one third. Mr. Boyd's first prizes were for candlesticks, bowl, and cream and sugar. His second prizes were for a pin and flatware. The third prize was for a jug.

Don Valley Scenic Trail Marked Through District

The Don Valley Conservation Authority has a scenic trail marked in the Don Valley. Starting at the foot of Leslie Street arrows direct one to the mouth of the Don River where it enters Lake Ontario, up the valley to the old brick plant, and following on through more picturesque scenery, one follows the Don River to its source. Crossing No. 7 Highway and Yonge Street, still following the arrows and Don Valley Conservation signs, one finally arrives at Bathurst Street. Many points of interest along the way are marked. This route was used by travellers and explorers long before there were roads.

4 Applicants For Treasurer

Contract Awarded For The New Markham Twp. Offices

Will Receive Prov. Grant Towards Cost Of Garage

Markham Township's proposed new Township offices to be erected at Buttonville are one more step closer to becoming a reality when on Tuesday a majority of Council awarded the contract for its construction to Mr. W. A. Stephenson of Newtonbrook at the price of \$53,523. The actual resolution moved and seconded by Deputy-Reeve A. James and Councillor C. Hooper read as follows: "That this Council accept the revised tender of W. A. Stephenson of \$53,523 for the Township offices at Buttonville and that the Reeve sign the contract with above named contractor." However the decision to build was not a unanimous one. On a recorded vote on the resolution as requested by Councillor A. LeMasurier, Reeve Timbers, Deputy-Reeve James, Councillor Hooper and Councillor Lennie voted in favour, while Councillor LeMasurier was opposed.

Use Of Firemen's Resuscitator Saves Life-Richvale Res.

Three Richmond Hill firemen are credited with saving the life of a Richvale woman, who was seized with a heart attack early Tuesday morning of last week. Dr. C. Cowan of Richmond Hill, who was called to attend Mrs. Louis Barter, of Richvale, summoned the local brigade to bring its resuscitator to help revive the woman. Answering the call were Fire Chief Alf. Stong, and firemen Russell Lynett and James Pollard. This is the second time they have been called upon to use their resuscitator.

Thornhill Horticultural Society Sponsoring Junior Flower Show

On Tuesday, September 9, the Thornhill and District Horticultural Society is sponsoring a Flower, Vegetable and Hobby Show for the Public School children of Markham-Vaughan School Area No. 1 and Junior Horticultural members. Exhibits will be received between 7:30 p.m. and 8:15 p.m. The Classes are: 1. Six Cosmos. 2. Six Zinnias. 3. Six Marigolds. 4. Six of any other flower. 5. Collection of flowers. 6. Collection of Vegetables. 7. Your Hobby. 8. Arrangement in a dish garden, using figurines, moss etc. 9. Arrangement of leaves and foliage.

Press Representatives Enjoy Press & Radio Day At The Ex.

By L. Stephenson. Friday, August 29, was Press and Radio Day at the Canadian National Exhibition. Mrs. Kate Aitken, Women's Director, entertained members of the Press and Radio to luncheon and tea and a tour of the grounds. The luncheon was served in the picnic grounds to the east of the Electric Building, where tables were set up under the trees. Besides the delicious food, it was very interesting to meet women who have made names for themselves in their various fields. Seated at our table were Mrs. Caroline Ion, women's editor of the Era and Express, Newmarket; Greta Lucas, a commentator on CKFH; Mrs. Laura Rolling, King, and myself.

James Butler New Cadi For York Twp.

Next week a traffic court for York Township will be established and will be held every Tuesday in York Twp. municipal building. Previously York Twp. traffic cases were heard in the York County Court.

Attend Old Jefferson Sch.

It is announced that all of grade four and 13 pupils from grade 5 at Lake Wilcox School will attend classes in the old Jefferson School. Mrs. B. Morton of Newmarket will be the teacher in charge there.

Richvale Sunday Sch. Bus

The Richvale Chapel Sunday School bus will cover North Yonge St. Beginning this Sunday, September 7, a Langdon's bus will carry children to and from Sunday School between Oak Ridges and Richvale.

Eagle Seen

Mr. C. Hooper, Markham Township councillor, reported seeing a large Eagle on his farm near Buttonville last Tuesday. He and his son noticed the bird while working in one of the fields. Mr. Hooper estimated the bird had a six foot wingspread, but was unable to determine the actual type of eagle.

V. L. A. Garden Competition Is Great Success, Seventeen Winners

The Junior Garden competition sponsored by V. L. O'Malley, Settlement Supervisor for the Veterans' Land Act in Markham and Vaughan townships, has been a terrific success this year. There were 60 entrants in the competition from whom 17 winners were picked; the winners were quite evenly distributed through the different age groups. The judges, Russ Gomme, District Horticulturalist, and John Lundy, Regional Supervisor both of V.L.A., inspected the individual gardens of the entrants as a basis for their final decision. Mr. O'Malley, who is a resident of Richmond Hill, was very pleased with the enthusiasm of the children and the good show they made. The cash prizes were donated through the courtesy of local business men and veterans' groups. Among the contributors were the North York Vets Club, Woodbridge Branch of Canadian Legion, Unionville Veterans' Club, Sheppard and Gill Lumber Co., Butler & Baird Lumber Co., Perkins Farm and Home Equipment, H. W. Morton and Richmond Hill Dairy, all of Richmond Hill; Answell Ltd., Thornhill; Gravelly Canadian Co., Toronto; H. R. Lenhardt, Richvale; Chas. Ireland & Son, Richvale; F. Robson, Maple; Chas. Maynard & Son, Unionville. The winners were as follows: Group 1, 9 & Under: Jacqueline Duncan, Thornhill, \$10; Bobby Sprule, R. R. 1, Richmond Hill, \$8; Walter Austin, Unionville, \$5; Terry Townsend, of Thornhill \$3; Christine Marson, R. 2, Gormley, \$2; Lynda Johnston, Maple, \$1. Group 2 - 9 to 13: Miller Brice, Maple \$10; Sheila Miller, Richvale, \$8; Douglas Cutler, R. R. 1, Maple, \$5; Dawn Wilson, Thornhill, \$3; Laurie East, R. R. 2, Gormley, \$2; Stephen Crutcher, Thornhill \$1. Group 3: Gordon Crutcher, Thornhill, \$2. Group 4: Helen Calder and Frank Calder of Maple \$5 each; Laurence Brice, Maple \$5; Kerry Brock, R. R. 1, Richmond Hill, \$2.