

Thornhill And District News . . .

The Liberal is always pleased to publish items of interest contributed by its readers in the Thornhill area . . . Our representative in Thornhill is Mrs. Elizabeth Sumner. In order that your items may appear in The Liberal simply phone AV. 5-1338.

AURORA: With the approval of King Township Council, the Aurora Council is preparing for steps towards the annexation of 400 acres of King Township.

Lions & O.P.P. Sponsor Campaign

District Motorists Urged Take Advantage Of Safety Clinic

The safety campaign sponsored by the Thornhill District Lions Club in cooperation with the Thornhill detachment of the O.P.P. got off to a good start recently when it was officially opened by S/Sgt. Raymer of the O.P.P. and Lion President Jack Bentham of the Thornhill Lions.

The safety campaign, which will run for one month, is operated every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon at Loblaw's supermarket, at the south entrance to Thornhill. All motorists who pass the tests receive a windshield sticker signifying that their car is in good condition for safe driving.

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Presentation
Last Friday evening, following the rehearsal of the Senior Choir of the United Church members held a social meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Morton, Thornbank. On behalf of the choir and in recognition of her faithful service Mrs. Morton presented a Hymnary to Mrs. W. M. Edwards who is leaving the community. Mrs. Edwards has been a member of the choir for many years and her absence will be keenly felt.

D. W. Berg, also won a spot prize. Plans were made for a picnic for the members and their children to be held on Thursday June 16 at the home of Mrs. J. Robinson on Bayview. Those wishing to attend the picnic are to meet at the church with their lunches at 4 p.m. This event will bring to a close the activities of the Parish Guild until September.

W.I. Plans For District Annual

The members of Thornhill W.I. met for their monthly meeting at the Masonic Hall with the new president, Mrs. A. Crowhurst acting as chairman of the meeting. About 25 members answered the Roll Call of "Some kind deed our mother did."

Plans for the District Annual to be held at Agincourt, May 25, and the Guelph holiday for members July 18-22, were discussed. This year's Thornhill W.I. Picnic, June 16, will be a bus trip to Peterborough.

A picnic will be held July 7 at Dalziel Park, Woodbridge, when Mrs. Agnew will be hostess, and the York Pioneer Picnic will be held June 18 at Sharon.

An extension service has been applied for, the subject to be "How to conduct meetings", Richmond Hill, Mark-Vaughan are expected to join Thornhill, the date and place to be published later.

A short report on Welfare, by Mrs. Spanton and the President's talk on her visit to the Presidents' Conference at Guelph ended the meeting.

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NOBLETON: King Township Planning Board is at present considering a proposed 400-acre auto race track which if built will exceed the size of the famed Indianapolis track.

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CHILDREN UNDER 12 YEARS FREE
2 SHOWS NIGHTLY — RAIN OR CLEAR



Mr. Chris Zaikos, proprietor of the Thornview Restaurant, Thornhill, is shown with his bride following their marriage Sunday, May 15, at St. George's Greek Orthodox Church on Bond Street, Toronto. Mrs. Zaikos is the former Giannoula Andonopolous and recently arrived in Canada from Greece. The wedding supper was held at 300 Bathurst Street in Toronto.

160 Choristers Take Part In Ascension Day Evensong

One hundred and sixty choir members from Deanery of North York took part in the Choral Evensong service in Trinity Church on May 19th. The service commemorated the Ascension of Our Lord. The office was taken by the Rector, Rev. S. A. R. Wood and the Lessons were read by the Rev. Hugh McClellan of Aurora and Rev. A. B. Cathcart of Woodbridge. The Rev. Rex Symons of Schomberg took the State prayers. The preacher for the occasion was the Rt. Rev. F. H. Wilkinson, M.A., D.D., Coadjutor Bishop of the Diocese of Toronto. In addition to the choir from 11 parishes the Boys Choir from St. Andrews College was also in attendance. After the service a presentation was made to Mr. John Cozens, the choir director. Mr. Cozens is responsible for the organizing and the rehearsing of the choir and the choice of music. Mr. Cozens, who is a member of the Canadian College of Organists and Musical Editor of the Canadian Churchman, brought to the training of this group his wide knowledge of the newly established form of Response singing. It is called speech rhythm, and replaces the old Victorian form whose limitations and irregular emphasis made the singing of responses unnatural and ponderous.

It is interesting to note, that in connection with this occasion a Deanery of Music has been established. This consists of a Library of Church music to which all the parishes have access. They may borrow for a specified length of time, such anthems as they require. One of the anthems, bought and sung especially for this Ascension Day Service was formally presented to the Deanery.

Thornhill Horticultural Society Held Flower Show On May 17

The regular monthly meeting and Flower Show of the Thornhill Horticultural Society was held last Tuesday, May 17, in the United Church hall. Mr. R. C. Poulter, president, announced that the Society would once more hold a flower show in conjunction with the Lions' Carnival at the end of June. He urged the members to support the occasion with as many displays as possible. He also gave a short report on the activities of the Park Beautification Committee and suggested that everyone make a visit to the park to see the development of the shrub beds.

Mr. Ernie Kohler gave a short talk on flower growing, chrysanthemums in particular. This was followed by a question and answer period, questions covering everything from asters to zinnias. Mr. R. D. Little of Richmond Hill, who judged the evening's flower show gave a commentary on it and offered some helpful criticism. It was option night also and most members picked up their options or availed themselves of the plant sale.

The show itself was a Tulip Show and as usual it was beautiful. In addition to the tulips there were lilacs, daffodils, iris, lily of the valley and sprays of flowering shrubs. The baskets of spring flowers and the special table arrangements were most attractive. The prize list follows: Specimen Flowers - All Members 3 Tulips, single, one colour: Mrs. Dolan, Mrs. F. Teasdale, Miss H. Welsh, 3 tulips, single, mixed: Mrs. F. Teasdale, Mrs. Riley, Mrs. J. M. McLaren, 6 Tulips, single, one colour: Mrs. F. Teasdale, Mrs. Riley, Mrs. Martindale, 6 Tulips, single, mixed: Mrs. Riley, Mrs. W. Thompson, 1 specimen Tulip, double, any colour: Mrs. G. Crutcher, 3 Cottage Tulips, double or single, any colour: Mrs. L. J. Smith, Mrs. G. Crutcher, Mrs. Dolan, 3 Lily-flowered tulips, any colour: Mrs. Crutcher, Mrs. W. Thompson, Mrs. C. B. Atkinson, 1 Parrot Tulip, any colour: Mrs. J. Bridges, Mrs. Riley, Mrs. W. Thompson, 3 Parrot Tulips, any colour: Mrs. J. Bridges, Mrs. L. J. Smith, 1 spray Flowering Shrub, any variety: Mrs. R. Healey, Miss C. Shaw, Mrs. Riley, 3 Narcissi, one each three varieties: Mrs. Riley, Mrs. G. Crutcher, Mrs. W. Thompson, 3 Narcissi, one variety: Mrs. Riley, Mrs. G. Crutcher, Mrs. W. Thompson, 3 Narcissi, long trumpet (daffodils): Mrs. Horton, Mrs. G. Crutcher, Mrs. Whatley, 3 Narcissi, multiple-flowered type: Mrs. R. Healey, Mrs. W. Thompson, Mrs. Horton, 1 Panicle Lilac (1 head): Mrs. F. Teasdale, Mrs. G. Crutcher, Mrs. P. Bone, 1 iris, bearded, any colour: Mrs. Gribble, Mrs. Riley, Any potted rock plant in bloom: Mrs. J. Bridges, Mrs. L. J. Smith.

Decorative Arrangements
Basket spring flowers, tulips to predominate: Mrs. W. Thompson, Miss C. Shaw, Mrs. L. J. Smith, Collection Pansies with own foliage, not more than 12 blooms: Miss C. Shaw, Mrs. R. Healey, Mrs. R. E. Dean, Vase of spring flowers: Mrs. G. Crutcher, Mrs. McMullen, Mrs. Riley, Miniature arrangement (must be 2" over-all, not to exceed 6"): Mrs. Horton, Miss C. Shaw, Mrs. McMullen, Modernistic arrangement of Lily of the Valley, Decorative foliage: Mrs. Crutcher, basket of lilacs: Mrs. Horton, A basket of lilacs: Mrs. Crutcher, Mrs. F. Teasdale, Mrs. W. Thompson, Arrangement of seven Tulips, own foliage, in vase or bowl, prize donated by Dr. and Mrs. Lundy: Mrs. Horton, Mrs. Dolan, Miss C. Shaw.

Thornhill Public School To Present H. M. S. Pinafore

"H. M. S. Pinafore" will be the highlight of a musical program by the students of Thornhill Public School on June 2 and 3 at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium. Pupils of grades 5, 6, 7 and 8 will perform the Gilbert and Sullivan opera. There are two casts, one for each evening and two choirs of 60 voices each. Grades 3 and 4 will do songs, dances and choral work and grades 1 and 2 will give a short musical play "The Elves and the Shoemaker".

The music for these two evenings is under the direction of Hugh Martin, School Area Music Supervisor. Costumes and scenery are being made by the children in the art classes under the supervision of Mrs. Jack Elliott. The accompanist for "Pinafore" is Mary Davidson who has given a great deal of her time to rehearsals. This is a first attempt in the performance of an opera and it should point the way to further evenings of merit. The students, many of whom are face to face with Gilbert and Sullivan for the first time in their lives have worked tirelessly and with great delight and enthusiasm.

Combine Church Services

Combined services will be held during July and August as follows:
July 3, 10 and 17—United Church, Rev. C. H. Chambers B.A., B.D.
July 24, 31, August 7—Baptist Church, Rev. E. B. Eddy, B.A., B.D.
August 14, 21, 28—Presbyterian Church, Rev. P. Buck, B.A.
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