

# Maple, Concord & Edgeley Districts

The Liberal is always willing to publish interesting items regarding people and events contributed by its readers in Maple, Concord & Edgeley districts. Our representative in Maple is Mrs. R. Manning, Maple 62R24; in Concord, Mrs. Ruth Keffer, AV. 5-2375; and in Edgeley, Mrs. Raymond Stuart, AV. 5-1934.

## Double-Ring Wedding For Couple



The former Helen Irene Thomas, daughter of Mrs. Keith Thomas and the late Mr. Thomas of Maple, smiles radiantly as she poses with her husband Norman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hamilton, of Schomberg, following their marriage in Hope United Church, September 20, 1958. The double ring wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. H. W. Davies, assisted by Rev. A. G. Donald of Willowdale. Following a wedding trip to Northern Ontario the young couple are now residing in their new home near Schomberg.

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## Maple Notes

**Personals**  
Mrs. A. W. Lawrie spent most of last week attending the gift show held in the automotive building on the C.N.E. grounds. She was the house guest in Toronto of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Graham. Mrs. Lawrie reports the articles for Christmas and other special occasions on display were more varied and attractive than ever.

Among former Maple-ites glimpsed from out-of-town who attended the reception for Mr. and Mrs. Bowman were: Mrs. Austin Robinson of Guelph, Mr. and Mrs. William Robertson and Mr. Bruce Robertson from New Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. George Constable from Newmarket, Mr. and Mrs. Hadwin McQuarrie of Aurora, Mr. and Mrs. Neil McDonald, Toronto, Mrs. J. B. McLean and Mr. and Mrs. James McLean of Toronto, M.L.A., A. A. MacKenzie and Mrs. William Dalziel of Woodbridge, Miss Edith Jackson and Miss Jean Constable of Toronto, and many others.

Congratulations to Linda Reid on her appearance on Uncle Jerry's TV program in Buffalo on Sunday, Linda, a fine young vocalist, has entertained many in the community with her singing and all are pleased to know she had the opportunity to appear before such a wide audience.

Mr. Peter Walter of Folly Farm, has left for the University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, where he is enrolled for the coming term. He graduated from Upper Canada College this past June.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry P. Hoyes, Noncilm Farm, have returned from a month's vacation in England.

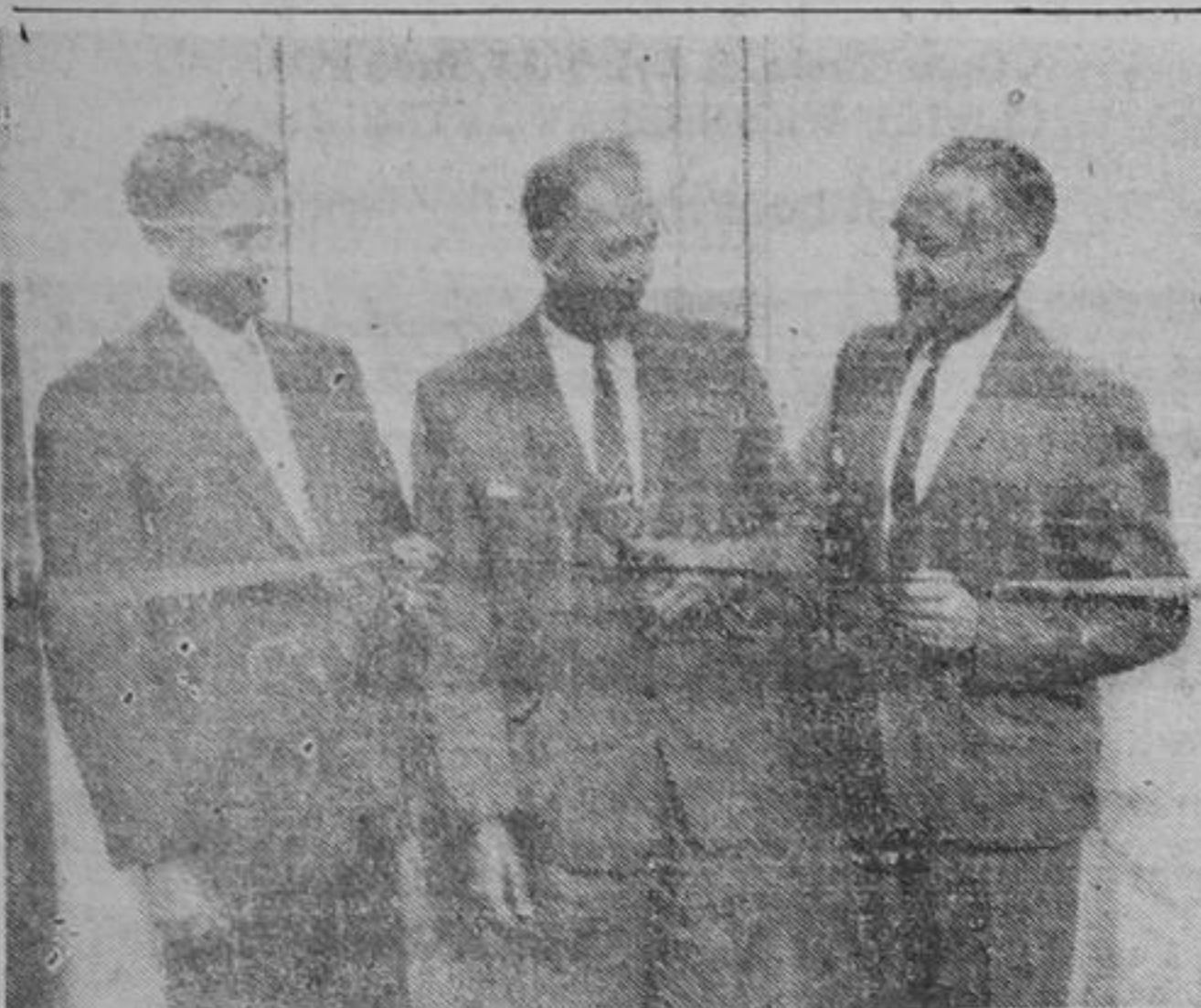
**Community and School Club**  
Maple Community and School Club held its first meeting at the George Bailey Public School on Wednesday, October 1. During the business meeting it was decided to cater to the KKVW girls softball banquet next month. It was also agreed to send a letter to the Lions Safety Committee asking to see what can be done about re-routing trucks off Keele St.

Mrs. S. Cleworth mentioned the fact some children were very careless in riding bicycles on the sidewalks and knocking over pedestrians. Mr. J. Outram reported on a survey taken in his class which showed a number of children came to school with little or no breakfast. He urged mothers to do something about the situation.

Attendance and collection went to Mr. Outram's class.  
Mrs. J. Wismer introduced Miss L. Cameron, grade 1 teacher, who took over the program at short notice after Miss Maddin, who was scheduled to recite had broken her leg and was unable to be present. Miss Cameron gave an interesting talk about work done in grade 1, methods used in teaching reading, counting, and instruction, expression, and many other facets of grade 1 work. She demonstrated her remarks with teaching aids she had brought along.

**Mission Band**  
The Mission Band of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church met on Saturday with the vice-president Marilyn Bryce in the chair. After the scripture lesson by Jane Morris, two hymns and a prayer, the secretary's report by Elizabeth Walker, the treasurer's report by Sheena McDonald, and a "Busy Bee Story" read by Lynda Ingram, the leader Mrs. J. R. Morris presented a chapter of the story book on Japan with the theme, "Friends Helping one another." The girls all signed a card to send to Mrs. E. Keffer and hope she will soon be well. The members took home Christmas cards to sell and one of them may be calling on you shortly.

Members of St. Stephen's Women's Association are asked to remember the meeting and show-up to be held at Mrs. H. Bryan's home on Friday evening, October 10, at 8 p.m. Gifts are to be brought for sale at the bazaar of the association this fall.  
Thanksgiving services with special music will be held in all the churches in the community. At St. Andrew's Presbyterian, Rev. Fred Douglas of Toronto, will be the guest preacher.



The first water control scheme to be completed by the Metropolitan Toronto & Region Conservation Authority was officially opened this week at Goodwood, 10 miles northeast of Stouffville. With MTRCA and municipal officials attending, The \$35,000 project known as WC-1 is designed to drain accumulated run-off from the area which sits in a depression. During peak flooding, an estimated 22,000,000 gallons of water inundate a portion of the Goodwood area. It's the first of a total of 14 water control schemes currently being undertaken by the Authority, to be completed. Here, R. L. Nesbitt, member of MTRCA from Uxbridge cuts the official ribbon while Dr. G. Ross Lord, right, chairman of the Authority and Earl Doswell, Reeve of Uxbridge Township looks on.

## Edgeley Cattle At International

Alf Bagg left for Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A. and the International Dairy Show on Monday morning, where he has entered in the Jersey Show three head of cattle that were prize winners at this year's Canadian National Exhibition. His son, Norman, left by plane for Chicago on Monday night to be on hand to assist Alf in the show ring on Tuesday.

## Alf Bagg Wins At Markham Fair

Alf Bagg of Edgeley captured many prizes in the Jersey Show last week, winning ten first prizes, five second prizes and three third prizes. His five year old grandson, Randy, who has exhibited calves at several fairs this year, and feels quite at home in the show ring, took third prize with his calf, while Randy's father, Norman, judged the 4-H projects on Friday.

Norman, who is at the top of the list of prominent Jersey show judges, will be in Erin Saturday of this week to judge the Jersey show there.

## Mr. & Mrs. D. Smith Celebrate Silver Wedding Anniversary

On Tuesday, the twenty-third of September Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Smith of Concord, celebrated their silver wedding anniversary by attending a dinner with their sons Allan and Edward and friends of the family at the "Town and Country". The following Saturday saw the couple feted by the relatives of the bride in Harmony Hall, Vars, Ont. The rector, Rev. Allan Rogers, a former pupil of the bride, was master of ceremonies. St. Andrew's Guild prepared a surprise anniversary supper with forty guests enjoying traditional wedding cake and wine. Guests included those from Lafargeville, N.Y., Carleton Place, Cornwall, Kemptville, Ottawa, Toronto and Vars. At these events the couple were the recipients of many gifts and best wishes.

## CARRVILLE NEWS

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A large congregation was present at Carrville United Church at the fall communion service. Dr. Eddy was in charge.

The Carrville choir had only three members present, but sang very well, their anthem was "I believe in God the Father." Boys are welcome in choir too, so come on and help out. Practice is on Saturday afternoon.

There were 18 present for Sunday School. We hope the other boys and girls will be back and become regular in attendance from now on.

W.A.  
The Carrville United Church Women's Association held their October meeting at the home of Mrs. J. A. Baker on Wednesday evening with 14 ladies present.

Mrs. J. McEwen, the president, presided over the meeting. The meeting opened with the theme hymn "Let the beauty of Jesus be seen in me," then all repeating "The Lord's Prayer." Then hymn 23 "When all thy mercies, O my God," was sung. The devotional theme was "Thanksgiving."

Miss Dorothy Baker read the scripture Psalm 96.

Mrs. A. Read read the explanation of the W.M.S., an invitation to pray. Miss E. Sheppard read a very appropriate story on "The Crown of Goodness." The ways and means committee are having a meeting at the home of Mrs. J. Barton, convener, to price the various articles there will be for sale in the bazaar at the turkey supper.

Mrs. Baker extended on behalf of the Thornhill W.M.S., an invitation to the Thanksgiving meeting, having as their guest speaker, Miss Muriel Stevenson on October 14.  
The Maple W.M.S. also had an invitation by letter for the ladies of Carrville to attend their W.M.S. Thanksgiving meeting on October 21 and their guest speaker is to be Mrs. Struthers, a deaconess from Fred Victor Mission.

## Edgeley Socials

Mrs. Allan Bagg and Norma Jean of Alliston, accompanied by Mrs. Garnet Keffer, enjoyed a shopping trip in Toronto on Friday of last week.

Mrs. Karen Glahn of Bronte spent the week end with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bodker and family.

Many happy returns of the day is wished Mrs. C. J. Agnew and Miss Ella Whitmore, October 7, and Mrs. James Ash, October 12. Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. A. Tomkow who are celebrating their wedding anniversary on October 12. Wedding bells are ringing for Miss Sonia Bodker of Edgeley and Mr. Neil Penna of Scarborough. Their marriage will take place the end of November.

Mr. Bill Sullivan of Weston was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Stuart and Miss Gladys McGivry on Saturday evening.

Miss Sandra Cross of Concord visited with Miss McGivry during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mains attended the Phillips-Scott wedding in Woodbridge on Saturday afternoon.  
About 16 members of the Edgeley Women's Institute and their husbands enjoyed a dinner party on Thursday evening of last week at the Summit Restaurant in Richmond Hill and afterwards joined in a few games of Court Whist under the convener'ship of Mrs. J. A. Spencer, Mrs. Chas. Agnew and Mrs. George Mains.

**Bowling**  
The regular game of the Edgeley-Concord League on Friday night finds B. Boake with a high of 227, Nora Mitchell 250, Willard Young 276, Bill Hawkesworth 256, Bernice Young 233, Ken McKay 239 and David Young, substituting for June Young 235. The high for the night was Pat Asbury with a score of 301.

**NORTH YORK:** Mrs. Mary Young of Larchmore Ave., North York, foiled an attempted hold-up last week when a hitch-hiker she had picked up attempted to steal her wallet at gun-point. Mrs. Young grabbed the wallet off the seat, jumped out of the car and hailed a passing motorist. The would-be thief escaped into the grounds of the nearby Thistle-town branch of the Hospital for Sick Children.

## Honour Rev. & Mrs. C. H. Bowman

It was a memorable occasion last Wednesday evening, October 1st as nearly three hundred persons gathered in the small, brick country church, St. Paul's Presbyterian on the seventh concession of Vaughan. The occasion, witnessed perhaps once in a lifetime, was the bidding of farewell at the time of retirement to a pastor and friend of thirty-three years standing.

St. Andrew's, Maple and St. Paul's, Vaughan congregations gathered to pay tribute to the Rev. Charles H. Bowman and Mrs. Bowman — they presented them with a gift of money, a handsome television set, a floor lamp, a bouquet of radiant, red roses, and testimonies of regard for the shepherd Mr. Bowman has given through sad and happy times, through depression and abundance, and from birth to death. Mr. Bowman thanked the donors in his customary, gentle manner and invited all to visit them in their new home in Niagara Falls.

**Inspiring Service**  
The service was opened with a hymn led by St. Paul's choir with Miss Freda Constable at the organ. The scripture reading and prayer, by Rev. Robert Manning of High Park Church, Toronto, who entered the ministry while a member of Mr. Bowman's congregation. Following the devotional Mr. Jack Nattress of Noletton sang.

After this Mr. Archie Cameron, clerk of session, presided as master of ceremonies. He called upon the moderator of West Toronto Presbytery, Rev. J. G. McGillivray of Toronto, who with Rev. M. E. Burch of Mimico, clerk of Presbytery, attended as official representatives of Mr. Bowman's fellow presbyters.

Mr. McGillivray spoke of Mr. Bowman's long and devoted service to the two churches. He extolled his simplicity and humility in putting the church before all else. At the conclusion of his words he presented to Mr. Bowman a purse of \$100.00 from the Presbytery.

**Clerk of General Assembly**  
Mr. Cameron then introduced Rev. E. A. Thomson, clerk of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church who has been a friend of Mr. Bowman's since college days. Mr. Thomson emphasized "the unstained honor" and the steadfastness of Mr. Bowman's character as well as the affection he had for him personally. He regretted illness was forcing retirement several years earlier than had been anticipated, but stated the church at large would need and use his services in many ways for many years to come.

Other ministers present were Rev. J. N. Hepburn of Richmond Hill, Rev. Wm. Weir and Mrs. Weir of Brampton, Rev. Marshall Jess and Mrs. Jess of Bolton, and Mr. William McDonald and Mr. Thomas Geggie, elders from the West Toronto Presbytery.

**Gifts Presented**  
Mr. Herbert Constable, who was one of the first children baptized by Mr. Bowman as he began his ministry in this community, was asked by Mr. Cameron to take charge of the presentations from the congregations. Mr. John

McGillivray, oldest member of the congregation, presented a billfold containing \$1,300.00 for combined charges; Mr. William Ingram unveiled a large TV set, a floor lamp was brought forward by Mr. George Bishop, superintendent of St. Paul's Sunday school, and a bowl of red roses by Sheena McDonald, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McDonald, who on presenting the roses to Mr. Bowman made a graceful curtsy.

Mrs. Bowman, who wore a pretty red and white corsage on her beige ensemble, was the former Mary McQuarrie, and, as Mr. Thomson mentioned, she has successfully filled the difficult role of "being mistress of the manse in her own home town." Mrs. Bowman, in a quiet way has maintained an interest in the activities of the congregation, especially in the missionary society and the children of the church.

Following the presentations, friends gathered round the Bowsmans to express their individual good wishes. Friends, old and new, came from many parts of the province as did relatives. Serving as ushers were Mr. Andrew Snider and Mr. Mel White from St. Andrew's and Mr. Archie Cameron Jr. and Mr. Elmer Bryson from St. Paul's.

The church was decorated with varicolored gladioli by the ladies of the congregations, and a basket of giant dahlias presented by the Bowman family from Niagara Falls.

Refreshments were served by the ladies of the two congregations in the Sunday School room. Platters of dainty sandwiches, relishes, and delicious cakes and cookies were enjoyed served from a long table attractively decorated with fall flowers.

## Concord Notes

**Socials**  
Mrs. J. Baron and daughter Lisa, attended a birthday for Randy Baillie, who celebrated his 5th birthday on September 30.

Sorry to see that Lorne Whaley has run into a little difficulty and will be on crutches for a few months.

**Guides And Brownies**  
The 1st Concord Brownie Pack and 1st Concord Guide Company will hold the annual fly-up ceremony on Tuesday evening, October 14, at the school. This will be the first year that Concord has held its own ceremony. Mothers of the Brownies who are flying up are invited to attend this important and impressive ceremony in which the girls take great pride in participating.

**Bowling**  
The Concord Edgeley Bowling League turned in scores again this week. High trip for men goes to Pat Asbury with his 197-250-285 for 732. For the ladies the honor goes to Mary Pemberton with her 231-241-254 for 726. The cash prize for the high single game of the evening goes to Pat Asbury with her fine game of 301. Other high scores for the night were Jim Atkins 281 (flat), Willard Young 276, Kay Fitzgerald 259 and 257, Bert Knowles 257 and 255, Bill Hawkesworth 256, Fred Rumney and Tom Bryce 255, Nora Mitchell and Tom Green with 250 each. The league standings show Jack Fitzgerald's Indians pulling further out in front with 17 points. The Lions are second with 13, tied for third are Cubs and Wildcats with 12, Hornets fourth with 10, Bears fifth with 9, Tigers with 6 and the Bruins last with 5 points.

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**NORTH YORK:** It was suggested that fines for infractions of by-laws in North York be raised. Mr. Quinnell, Chief Building Inspector, suggested that the maximum fine be raised from \$50 to \$300.

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