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**GORMLEY NEWS**

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Parent's Day was observed at S.S. 7, Whitchurch, on Thursday, March 5. The parents were permitted to tour all class rooms at any time of the day. The Senior girls served refreshments to the parents. A very good turnout was reported and the day was a success.

On Thursday evening, March 5, the Conservation Club of Whitchurch Township held a special meeting in Vandorf Hall to present the prizes for the recent conservation contest. The posters and booklets were well displayed in the hall. Many children, parents and teachers were present. Peter Dolderson and Bob Lee of Grade VIII, S.S. 7, Whitchurch, received a special award of \$10 for the fine art work on their booklet entitled "Wild Life." The S.S. award, "A Booklet on Conservation," went to Pine Orchard School. The Intermediate award, "A Wildlife mural," was won by Lemonville School. The Junior award, "A Wildlife mural," was won by Ballantrae School. Beulah Jones of the winning prize money to the pupils, each school that entered the contest was given \$8.

Mr. and Mrs. Chancey Connor of Snowball had supper on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George French.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Elliott had dinner on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Baker at Ballantrae. Mr. and Mrs. John Hall and

**Curtain Club Play**

**Smooth Confidence Trickster Brings Evil On Sweet Old Soul**

The local Curtain Club's spring play "Kind Lady," which is being presented at the Lions Hall on the 9th, 10th and 11th of April, tells the story of a smooth confidence trickster who brings his evil to bear on a sweet old soul who is a passionate — if somewhat indiscriminate — collector of art treasures. It is a suspense type play and it is not our intention to spoil things for the audience by revealing the plot, so instead, a few words about the cast might whet the appetite.

**DONCASTER**

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Saturday, March 14, was the day all of the Bonnici family were eagerly awaiting. It was the day they returned to their home, which was burned out on December 28, 1958.

When they found themselves out in the cold, four days after Christmas, with but a handful of possessions, the future looked very black indeed. Little did they realize that willing assistance would be forthcoming to repair their home and make it livable again.

Friends, neighbours, social workers, in fact the whole community, as well as fellow Maltese-Canadians, rushed to their aid, supplying them with an abundance of articles which were so desperately needed.

Mr. Bonnici, having received the maximum value of his insurance, dug right in on the big task. Volunteer help from friends and neighbors lightened the load.

A temporary home and building materials at cost were placed at their disposal by the Township of North York where Mr. Bonnici is employed.

The Doncaster Community Ladies Club held a euchre marathon to aid the building fund, which was a great success.

The Bonnicis arrived from Malta in October, 1952, and resided at 99 Morgan Ave. A year later, Mr. Bonnici purchased the lot and foundation at 75 Morgan and proceeded to build a modern home.

The Bonnici family includes, besides the parents, Mary, four years old; Silvio 12, Rose 13, John 14, Joe 16 and Doris 17.

They thank everyone for their thoughtfulness.

C.N.R.

For the past month, just about everyone in this community has imagined a train headed straight through their house, but on Saturday, March 14, some learned that this happily will not come true.

It is apparent that the double freight line will run from north of Loblaws on the hill, tunnel under Yonge Street and cross Henderson Ave. at the south-east end of Glencomer. It will go through unlucky number 13 Henderson, touch the northwest end of Proctor east of the creek. Here it will turn north, heading for the eastern end of the beautiful Mizen property, crossing Clarke where it will run over the north-west corner of Clarke Ave. and Sprucewood Dr.

It will run through Doncaster on a 20 foot trestle.

It has been announced that a meeting concerning this matter will be held at the Thornhill High School on Tuesday, March 24.

Socials

Birthdays are in order for Patricia O'Donnell, 3 Henderson Ave., who celebrated her fourth birthday on Monday, March 16.

Birthdays congratulations go to Christopher Villans, 24 Proctor, who was two years old on Wednesday, March 11.

Names are now being taken for the next marathon euchre, sponsored by the Doncaster Community Ladies' Club. Euchre will start April 6 to May 11. A donation from the proceeds will be given to the 1st Thornhill Guides for camp equipment.

NORTH YORK: Expansion of North York's Fire Department by 16 men and purchase of a new aerial truck is recommended in the Department's proposed budget for 1959. Building of a new fire hall at Eglinton Ave. and Swift Drive is also proposed.

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part is played by Elisabeth Jackson, a long time Curtain Club member, with many years theatrical background. The male lead, Ron Solloway, is a relative newcomer to the club, but will be remembered by Richmond Hill audiences by his excellent portrayal of the schoolmaster in the Fall play. Of course, no play would be right without love interest and capably handling the male side is that well known local resident, and theatre-wise Warwick Butt. His fiancée, and later wife, in the play is a newcomer to the club, Harriet Sargent and her performance will undoubtedly set many hearts beating. Another new club member, Suzanne Grew portrays the part of a maid and one might almost say, companion to the Kind Lady. Suzanne hails from King City and brings with her considerable stage experience accumulated at Carlton University and the Ottawa Little Theatre group. Phyllis Fairfield, working hard at her part of Mrs. Edwards, is going to add to her laurels with a brilliant performance if rehearsals are anything to go by. Kay Wallace who made her debut in "The Happiest Days of Your Life," is handling a larger part as the Kind Lady's flighty friend, Lucy, with great ability. Additional newcomers to the club, Esther Postlethwaite, Neville Cross, Ken Davenport, Karl Weinsheimer and Ernest Madden are already proving to be capable of performances that will more than hold their own with their seasoned colleagues. Last but by no means least, little Anne Hall, at least she was little when she joined the Curtain Club with her mother and father as founder members some six years ago. Of course, in six years, she has blossomed forth into a pretty young lady and by some means has acquired a poise and stage presence which is a delight to see and which we are sure will enthrall the Richmond Hill audiences.

**CARRVILLE**

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Communion Service  
Palm Sunday, March 22, is Easter Communion Service at the Carrville United Church at 2.30 p.m.

On Sunday, March 29, Dr. Eddy will have a special Easter calendar and message as well as Easter music.

Oyster Supper  
The Carrville Young People are putting on their annual oyster supper on Wednesday, April 1. Please keep this date in mind.

Belated birthday greetings to Bruce Wark who celebrated his birthday on March 11.

Birthday greetings to Mrs. Jas. Williams who has a birthday on March 18, and Nancy Middleton on March 25.

Socials  
Mr. and Mrs. John C. Nesbitt, Marjie and Archie Nesbitt, are spending a month in Florida in hopes of improving Mr. Nesbitt's health.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Middleton and Gretta and Nancy had dinner on Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Middleton and Glen at Doncaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barton visited on Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. David Barton of Beverley Acres and helped Mrs. D. Barton celebrate her birthday. Then on Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. J. Barton and John had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Wilson of Toronto and daughters.

Sympathy  
We were very sorry to hear of the passing of Mrs. John Baker of Richmond Hill, former resident in Carrville. Sincere sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. E. Anning and Miss Dorothy Baker and other members of the family.

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