

C. N. R. Presentation



Locomotive fireman P. E. Svenson of 434 North Taylor Mills Drive, Beverley Acres, proudly accepts a Canadian National Railway's suggestion award cheque from Spadina Shops Superintendent R. J. Crux (left). Mr. Svenson's award was for a suggestion he made to correct a safety hazard on certain types of diesel locomotives.

VICTORIA SQUARE NEWS

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Couples Club

The March meeting of the Couples Club was held on Tuesday evening of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barry King at Beverley Acres. Rev. A. F. Binnington was guest speaker. Plans were made for the Columbia Players of St. Columba's United Church, Toronto, to present their play in the Victoria Square Community Hall on Friday evening, April 24. Further particulars at a later date. Refreshments were served at the close.

Good Friday Service

The annual Good Friday service was held in the church on Friday morning when the congregations of Headford, Brown's Corners and Victoria Square united. The choir was composed of members from the three congregations. Rev. C. G. Higginson of the Richmond Hill United Church was the guest speaker. Rev. A. F. Binnington was the guest speaker at the Richmond Hill United Church.

Stork Shower

On Thursday evening of last week Mrs. Jack Leitch was hostess at a stork shower for Mrs. Philip Rummy, when about 18 neighbours and friends were present. Mrs. Rummy received many lovely and useful gifts. Ice cream and cake, tea and coffee were served at the close.

Church News

The church was beautifully decorated on Sunday with Easter lilies. There was also a large attendance. The choir sang two anthems and a quartette composed of Miss Nancy Trenka, Mrs. Allan Orr, Mr. Carl Walker and Mr. Harry Barber Sr., sang a number which was very much enjoyed. The sermon theme was "Mary Magdalene and the Risen Lord."

Sunday, April 5, there will be Holy Communion and the reception of new members. The sermon theme will be "Placed in This Togetherness".

Men's Banquet

The annual men's banquet sponsored by the Victoria Square United Church stewards will be held in the Sunday School room on Friday evening, April 3, at 7 p.m. The guest speaker will be Mr. J. M. Fraser, vice-president of the Canadian National Exhibition. He will speak on his world trip.

Youth Rally

There will be a Youth Rally in the Newmarket United Church on Monday evening, April 6, at 8 p.m. The guest speaker will be Rev. and Mrs. F. Muir, missionaries from Japan. Mr. W. White will lead the singing. It is hoped that some of the young people will attend.

Official Board

The official board for the Victoria Square church will meet in the Headford United Church on Monday evening, April 6, at 8 p.m. All the members are requested to attend.

Euchre

The park committee is sponsoring a euchre to be held in the Victoria Square community hall on Wednesday evening, April 8, at 8:15 p.m. Come and give your support.

Sr. Women's Institute

The April meeting of the Sr. Women's Institute will be held on Tuesday evening, April 7, at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. P. Willows. The convener will be Mrs. D. Parsons. Roll call is to be answered by "What I like to do on a rainy day". There will be a demonstration on fashions. Mrs. Allan Orr will be in charge of the music. The election of officers will also take place at this meeting. Hostesses will be Miss Mabel Sanderson, Mrs. M. Jarvis and Mrs. G. Joyce. Please bring used clothing for the Unitarian Relief.

Neighbourhood Notes

Birthdays: Birthdays to Mr. Heber McCague for April 2; to John Buchanan for April 2. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Alan Chadwick, who on April 4 will be celebrating their 14th wedding anniversary. A speedy recovery is wished for Mrs. Hewitt who had the misfortune to fall and dislocate her shoulder.

Mrs. Douglas Gee entertained a number of friends at a quilting on Saturday.

Mrs. Harold Foster and baby son returned home from the hospital last week.

Congratulations are extended to the proud grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Binnington on the birth of their first grandchild. The baby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hewitt (Anne Binnington) of Chatham, New Jersey.

Misses Cheryl and Cathy Collard of Temperanceville spent the week-end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey

GORMLEY NEWS

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Sympathy is expressed to Mrs. J. T. Johnson on the death of her sister, Mrs. Baker of Richmond Hill last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Doner had supper on Monday with Mr. M. Shupe of Stouffville.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harvey had dinner on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sprag of Aurora.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George French were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Empringham, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Heise, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Heise, Mr. George Cober, and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Brown of Welland.

Mr. and Mrs. Orland Teal of Springdale spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nigh and Mr. and Mrs. French.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Dodridge of Welland spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nigh.

Mrs. Roy Nigh returned to Welland to spend several days with her daughter.

Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Lucas of Wallaceburg visited Mr. and Mrs. George French on Saturday.

There were 17 posters and murals from the two S.S. 6 and S.S. 7 Whitchurch schools, entered in the poster and mural project sponsored by the Gormley Women's Institute as a historical project.

In the intermediate room at S. S. 7 there was a tie for first place for "Mixed Farming" and "Buccaneers and Pirates". Second prize was given for "Routes and Explorations in Canada" in the Sr. room of S.S. 7 with "Canadians at Ypres" being a close runner-up. Third prize was given to the junior room for the mural, "Places in the Community".

At S.S. 6, Whitchurch, first prize was given for a mural on "Battle of Queenston Heights", second prize to the junior grades for their "Indian" mural, and third prize to the intermediate classes for the mural on "Farming". The prizes were \$5, \$3 and \$2 to each school.

The posters were very well done and showed that a lot of time and effort had been put into them. All those competing are to be commended for their fine work.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Heise and four daughters of Auburn, Indiana, spent Easter week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heise.

Master Bryan Hunking is spending the Easter holidays with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. Ferris of Dundalk.

Rev. and Mrs. Willis Hunking both spoke at missionary conventions in the Sarnia area over the week-end. Baby Garth stayed with his aunt, Mrs. C. Wraggett of Willowdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Elliott had dinner on Good Friday with Mr. Lee Elliott of Toronto.

Master Billy Ratke of Scarborough spent Easter with Mrs. Bovair.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKendry and Paul of Stoney Creek spent Easter week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McKendry.

Corporal Jack McBeth of Portage la Prairie, Man., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. Moorby.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Slaymaker of Lancaster, Penna., visited several days with her sister, Mrs. Bruce Steckley.

Collard.

Mrs. John King and Jean of Newmarket spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mortson and Joy. They also were visitors at the church service.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tatton, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bolender, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Chadwick and Karen, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sanderson and baby son, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sanderson and girls spent Good Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nigh and David.

Mrs. Leslie Moir is spending the Easter holidays with friends at Thorncrest Village, Islington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson and boys of Etobicoke spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. John Empringham.

Miss June Collard and two of her friends are spending the Easter holidays at the University of Michigan, East Lansing, Michigan.

Mrs. L. Knapp and Irene had Sunday evening dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Empringham and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hill and Charlene of Islington had Sunday lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hart and family.

Master Albert Tatton and Miss Mary-Allen Tatton are spending a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tatton.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernen Mikkelsen had Sunday evening dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Alan Chadwick and Karen.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Brown of Richmond Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Perkins and family, Mr. Albert Naylor of Richmond Hill, Mrs. R. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Bordon Mortson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barker and Ross had Thursday evening dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Don Pickering and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Leitch and family of Willowdale, Mr. Emerson Killingbeck of Smith's Falls had Sunday evening dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Steckley.

Mrs. R. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mortson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barker and Ross had dinner on Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gee and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stong of Weston, Mrs. R. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barker and Ross had Sunday evening dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mortson and family.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Snider (Janet Oakes) who were married in the Victoria Square United Church on Saturday afternoon.

Master David Bolender of Kitchener is spending his Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bolender.

The two rural mail couriers enjoyed a holiday on Good Friday and Easter Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Steckley and John spent Sunday with friends at Niagara Falls.

Messrs. Lawrence and Alvin Wideman spent Good Friday with their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Sider of Wellandport.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Pope and son of Sudbury spent Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pope.

Quite a number in our community have been suffering from severe colds and flu. We wish a speedy recovery for all.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hawkins and Sharon of Lagos, Nigeria, Africa, spent Easter week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Allan Doner and Dale at Ilorin, Nigeria.

Mrs. McKendry Sr. of Willowdale spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McKendry.

Mr. M. Hazel spent several days last week with his son and family at Peterborough.

Missionary Sunday will be observed in the United Missionary Sunday School on Sunday, April 5, at 10 a.m. You are cordially invited to attend.

The 23rd York County Seed Fair held in Newmarket Town Hall on March 18th brought forward some very high quality entries in the seed grain and clover classes, and especially the hay classes. The oat classes were down somewhat from last year. However, the quality was excellent. In the early and medium

class, first prize went to Alfred Bagg of Edgeley on a Garry entry, and 2nd to Donald Bagg of Edgeley on his exhibit of Clintland oats. In the late oat class, M. H. Tapscoft of Agincourt took first on his Rodney oats. In the red clover class, Russell Boynton of Woodbridge had the top entry and in the dent corn class, first prize went to Clarence McDowell of Stouffville. The hay classes were exceptionally strong this year, with individual class winners being Donald Bagg, Edgeley; Shur-Gain Farms, Maple; Bruce Snider, Maple; C. A. Cathers, Newmarket; and Allan F. Isdon, Sharon.

The speaker for the afternoon program was Dr. N. J. Thomas, O.A.C. soils department, who gave an illustrated talk on "Farming in New Zealand." He showed how different quantities of rainfall affected the type of farming carried on, and how soils, especially hilly areas, were utilized to best advantage for grassland farming. Dr. Thomas pointed out that New Zealand, due to its ability to grow good grass, is one of the most efficient livestock producing countries in the world.

The bidding for registered seed in the auction sale, carried out by Mr. W. D. Atkinson of Stouffville, was slower than usual but the first prize lot of registered Rodney oats, shown by Alf. Bagg, sold for \$1.90 per bushel to Wm. Sutherland of M-F Farm, Milliken.

W. M. Cockburn, agricultural representative for York County, presented a wrist watch to Mr. W. D. Atkinson of Stouffville, who had the top yield in the 100 bushel corn club competition in 1958. Mr. Atkinson had a yield of 90.8 bushels of dry shelled corn per acre.

The A. E. McKenzie Special for the exhibitor showing for the first time who wins the greatest number of points, was won by Donald Brodie of Gormley.

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The severe winter weather experienced this past year has created a deeper frost level than normal. When the frost "comes out", as milder temperatures prevail, ground movement will be greater than in other years.

The Works Departments of many municipalities have warned of the damage that has already occurred to streets and paving, and that more damage will take place. Repairs to broken roads, water mains, etc., cost thousands of dollars each year and the estimates this year are greater than ever.

The many miles of gas mains buried in the ground, as well as sewer networks, hydro conduits and telephone cables have been installed and maintained for years in accordance with the best known engineering and operating practices. All of these facilities will be subjected to pressures and movement as the ground begins to thaw.

Where our new gas mains and services have been installed, refilled trenches will likely settle. Any resulting damage to lawns, walks, roads and driveways will be adjusted as quickly as weather permits.

Under these abnormal conditions the possibility of natural gas leakage is increased. The Gas Company therefore requests the assistance of all citizens in the community in guarding against gas leaks that might otherwise go unnoticed.

Gas leak detecting crews constantly patrol the area, checking streets, utility manholes, sewers and buildings. In addition to this safeguard we ask your co-operation by reporting ANY UNFAMILIAR ODOUR to us promptly. In addition any of the following circumstances should be reported without delay:

1. Any noticeable bubbling in pools of water on the ground and streets.
2. Any odour which has no readily apparent cause, either in buildings or out of doors.
3. Any indication that a furnace, regardless of fuel, does not appear to be operating as it should.

Basement floor drains should be checked to ensure that they contain water. Sewer gases, natural gas and other combustible fumes can enter homes through basement drains if they are dry. Pour a pail of water into dry cellar floor drains to fill the water traps and prevent the entry of gases.

Your participation in this safety program is appreciated. Please assist us to render the best possible service by reporting ANY STRANGE ODOUR to us quickly at any time of the day or night.

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TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

In The Estate of Nellie Snider, Deceased

All persons having claims against the estate of Nellie Snider, late of the Township of Markham, in the County of York, deceased, who died on or about the 28th day of November, 1958, are hereby notified to send in to the undersigned full particulars of their claims on or before the 27th day of April, 1959, after which date the Executor will distribute the estate having regard only to claims of which he shall then have notice.

Dated at Willowdale, this 17th day of March, 1959.

"NELSON KERR", Executor, By his Solicitor, W. S. Jenkins, 4780 Yonge Street, Willowdale, Ontario.

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