

Thornhill and District News

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"The Liberal" is always pleased to publish items of interest contributed by its readers in the Thornhill area. Our representative in Thornhill is Mrs. Margaret McLean, who may be reached by phoning AV. 5-2331.

Wed In Zion Lutheran Church



Standing in front of Zion Lutheran Church following their recent wedding are Mr. and Mrs. Ron Henderson. With them are the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Morrison of Doncaster, and the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Henderson of Downsview.

— photo by Barbour

Rambling Around

by Elizabeth Kelson

The dictionary says that one of the meanings of the word "litter" is "scattered rubbish". We have a word coined to fit the persons who blithely scatter rubbish wherever they go. We call them "litterbugs". Now a litterbug can be a man, a woman, a boy or a girl. They can be of all ages and nationalities and of every creed. They can be full time "litterbugs". These last mentioned are people who wouldn't be caught dead cluttering up their own homes and grounds but the minute they get out in their family cars, they cheerfully scatter all kinds of rubbish to the four winds. Many of these litterbugs leave the rest rooms along the road much worse than they found them. They throng to the lovely parks and exhibition grounds of our nation and calmly throw away empty cigarette cases candy and ice cream wrappers, bottle caps, and even bottles; very likely there is a litter basket close at hand, with a sign that says, "Please deposit your garbage here." Most of these litterbugs do not realize what a nuisance they are to other people. I have seen them drive past residential streets and throw wrappers and cigarette cases from the car windows and they usually end up on somebody's well kept lawn. I've seen disgruntled home owners out with a garden rake attempting to clear up the debris dropped by passing cars. I have heard complaints from people who operate garages along the highway, protesting the careless use of their rest rooms that are there for the comfort of the travelling public. There is really no excuse for those who ignore the "litter basket". The least anyone of us can do for our country is to keep it clean, and I believe most everybody does, except of course, the "litterbugs".

Thornhill High School Academic Awards

In announcing the academic prize winners for Middle and Lower School for 1958-59, Principal A. S. Elson of Thornhill High School states James McGhee qualified for all available prizes in Grade XII, but as policy permits that only two prizes may be held by any one student, the remainder go by reversion to other close running students.

Following is the General Course prize list and the prize winning students:
Thornhill Lions Club prize for matriculation — James McGhee, 87.7 per cent.
Board prize for Proficiency in Middle School — James McGhee, 89.8 per cent. Grade XI & XII Gordon Lake Memorial Prize for Languages XII — Helen Simcoe, 85.5 per cent.
Bank of Nova Scotia prize — (Middle School) XI & XII — Helen Simcoe, 86.5 per cent.
Grade XII General Proficiency (Board of Student Senators prize) — Helen Bowman, 79.6 per cent.
Grade XI Board of Student Senators prize for Proficiency — Lynn Hall, 86.6 per cent. Honourable Mention — Ronald Stagg, 84.7 per cent. Louis Davidson, 83.0 per cent.
Grade X Board prize for Lower School Proficiency (Grades IX & X) — Maureen Wright, 89.2 per cent.
Board of Student Senators prize for General Proficiency in Grade X — Maureen Wright, 89.5 per cent. Honourable mention, Jerry Lazar 83.0 per cent and Dorothy Fugler 80.7 per cent.
Grade IX Buttonville Women's Institute prize for General Proficiency — Jacqueline Howard, 87.5 per cent. Honourable Mention — Mary Ann Baker, 86.9 per cent; Patricia Bone, 86.6 per cent.
COMMERCIAL COURSE
Grade XII Board General Proficiency for Middle School (XI & XII) — Susan Purves 84 per cent.
Grade XII Prize (to be arranged) Top Student — Susan Purves 85.3 per cent.
Grade XI R. E. Fugler prize for Proficiency — Sue Ann Melvin, 84.5 per cent.
Grade X R. E. Fugler prize for Proficiency — Louise Martin, 81.6 per cent.
H. Sims prize for greatest improvement in typing skills for any one year — Janet Brown.
Grade X "SOCIETAS HONORIS" (Students with 1st class honour standing)
Grade IX David Agg, Janet Alcock, Mary Ann Baker, David Bare, Patricia Bone, Barbara Boyden, Beverley Bushell, Frances Carver, Marilyn Clark, Eileen Coghill, Kath-

Vera Morrison Weds R. Henderson

The Rev. Hopkins officiated at the wedding of Miss Vera Morrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Morrison, Doncaster, to Ron Henderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Henderson of Downsview, in Zion United Church, at 4 o'clock on Saturday July 11, 1959. The church was decorated with baskets of white gladioli and pink carnations, and Miss Charlotte Pike played the wedding music.

Wearing a short, white lace over satin gown, with finger tip veil attached to a halo of pearls, the bride was given in marriage by her father, and she carried a white prayerbook with pink roses and white lily of the valley, the gift of the groom. Miss Sally Morrison, sister of the bride, attended as bridesmaid wearing pink nylon over taffeta, applied with pink roses and she carried a bouquet of pink roses and blue carnations. Jack Morrison was best man and the ushers were Merv McKenzie and Mel Larocque. Seventy-five guests attended the reception held later at the Eglington Hunt Club, after which the happy couple left for a week's honeymoon in Rochester, New York. On their return they will reside in Newtonbrook.

NORTH YORK: The North York Public Library has been listed as the fourth largest in the province since 1955, 2,900 books were traded in one day recently.

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Thornhill Notes

Energetic Young Lady

While black headlines threaten "loading" students and educators everywhere ask for more scholarships and bursaries, some earnest young people quietly pursue their goals, often against great handicaps. Such a one is Miss Joyce Honey, a resident of Fairlea Avenue, Thornhill for the past three years. You may have seen her picture in a Toronto daily last week, taking part in some rather strenuous looking exercises at the Physical Education Summer Course at McMaster University. Joyce's ambition is to be a Physical Education teacher and to further this ambition she is now taking her second year of a three year summer course at McMaster. The classes last for five weeks each summer and are more than a little arduous, although they do leave the students in tip-top physical condition.

odendrons, allowed to grow quite wild, reach as high as 25 feet. While in Rome, Miss Coleman also visited Salisbury and Winchester Cathedrals, Romey Abbey, Stonehenge and the New Forest with its wild ponies. Leaving Rome, Miss Coleman went to London and flew to Rome to join a friend. Together they toured the surrounding countryside, visiting Sorrento, Capri, Naples and Capri. Their chief impression of the countryside was one of flowers and sunlight. Everywhere they were met with friendly co-operation from bus-drivers, guides and other people. From Capri, Miss Coleman brought home a delicately inlaid little table, about 20 inches high. The top lifts up to show a fitted tray beneath, while a tiny concealed music box plays "The Isle of Capri".

TOWNSHIP OF MARKHAM Committee Of Adjustment

NOTICE OF HEARING FILE CA-59-1.

Notice is hereby given of a hearing to be held by the Township of Markham Committee of Adjustment at the Municipal Offices, Buttonville, on Thursday, July 30th, 1959, at 8:00 p.m.

NATURE OF APPLICATION:
The application to be heard has been submitted by Mr. R. Roeger, owner of Lot 20, Registered Plan 8806. A variation to the minimum frontage requirement of By-law Number 1442, Section 7 (100 feet) has been requested in order that the owner may divide the property into two parcels, each having a frontage of 82' 6".

Signed, written submissions on this application will be received by me at this office, prior to the hearing.

R. FORREST,
Secretary-Treasurer
Committee of Adjustment

July 21st, 1959

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Open Wells Safety Threat To Children

Deputy-reeve W. Dean informed Markham Township Council Monday that he has received three complaints from parents regarding open wells and septic tanks in the dormant Selkirk Subdivision at Thornhill. Children have been seen playing in the area, and fears have been expressed that some child might fall into a well or tank. Mr. Dean reported the wells are some 30 feet deep. The police will be instructed to get into touch with the owners of the property at once. Councillor L. Mumberson thought a health problem might be involved and suggested the matter also be referred to the York County Health Unit.

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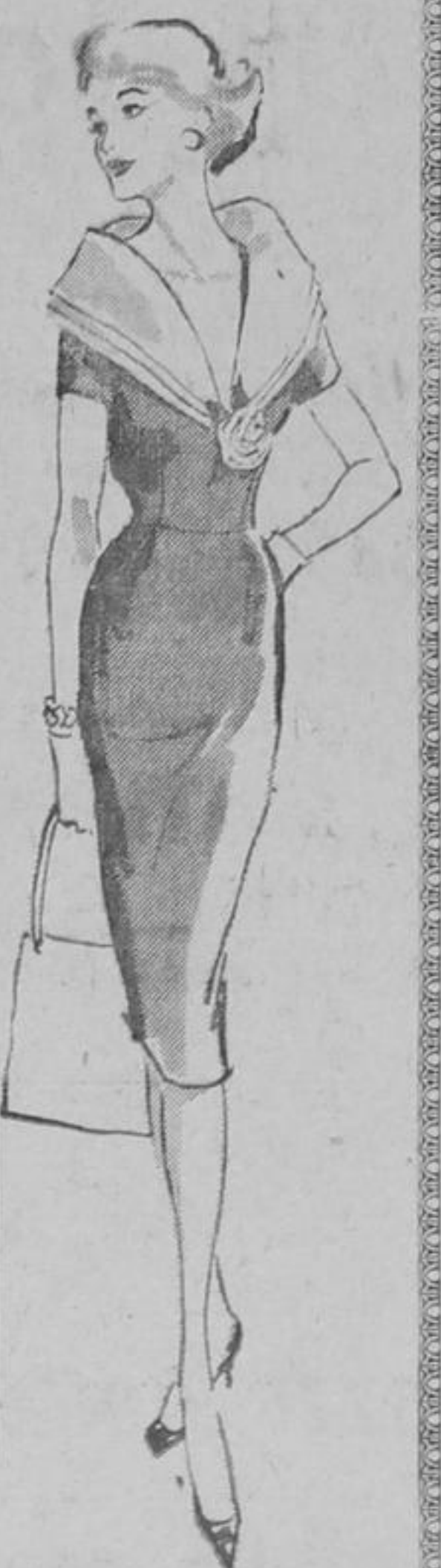
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