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RICHMOND HILL, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1960

Refugee "Blitz" This Friday



Students at the Richmond Hill High School are rummage and bake sale, 2-5 p.m. eagerly preparing ball point pens for sale in support of World Refugee Year.

> Students under the sponsorship of the high school's United Nations Club will be selling the pens Friday afternoon from door-to-door throughout the town. Pro

ceeds from the drive will be used to assist some deserving family to escape from a refugee camp in Europe.

The students are (left to right): John Clement, Janet Thomson, Jane Clement and Robin Wood.

- Photo by John Thomson

MAY 14 — Saturday 11 a.m. Bake sale under the auspices of St. Suggest Need Of Curfew

Town Will Ask Premier To Asks Highways Lay The Dust mage Sale, 2.30 to 4.30 p.m. at the clw46 MAY 16 TO 20 — Save A Life Week, sponsored by the St. John Meek, sponsored by the St. John May 16 TO 20 — Save A Life passengers. A resolution was passengers. department. Call in at the Richmond Hill Fire Department Hall, any night at 8 p.m., Mon., Tues., or Wed., May 17, 18 and 19, and Drainage

sponsored by the Richmond Hill MAY 18 - Wednesday. Bingo. remedy conditions. Councillor Newmarket Legion Hall 8 p.m. Mrs. Southwell said the imports Ruth Garson, A.D.C.M. at St. ourselves out of the world mar-Kodaks in Japan, but we won't even have money to buy one made MAY 21 - Saturday, Richmond Hill Fair Day, featuring Horse

> Mrs. Mitchell, Arnold St., complained that work on the new Post Office grounds had caused erty. Council suggested this was from school. a matter for her own solicitor.

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Jour Council Police To Guard Council unanimously endorsed a resolution from Peterboro City council deploring unemployment and asking government action to remedy conditions. Counciller

Richmond Hill Town Council decided unanimously Southwell and Councillor Broadfrom countries like Japan are Monday night to seek an interview with Ontario's Premier putting our own people out of Leslie M. Frost in a final effort to get some action on the MAY 19 — Thursday. "Music Box work. Mayor Tomlin observed, Concert", presented by pupils of "as a matter of fact we are pricing long-delayed Beverley Acres drainage project.

Action followed a request from Richmond Hill Public Mary's Anglican Church, Wrixon ket. If we keep on we not only School Board for some protection for young children using will not be able to make and sell streets in the area to attend school. It was pointed out that the water-filled ditches present such a safety hazard, especially for children, that a guard should be provided by

Council members agreed that the conditions are not satisfactory and will ask the police to provide patrol proa drainage problem on her prop- tection during the hours children are going to and coming

Mrs. Southwell Asks Highways

passed asking the Ontario Department of Highways to take steps to dust-proof bus stops along Yonge Street.

Councillor Mrs. Southwell introduced the question, asking if something could be done to eliminate the dust nuisance at bus stops. "Every time a bus pulls off the highway at a bus stop the passengers suffer from a cloud of dust," ' said Mrs. Southwell, protesting that this was an inconvenience for bus passengers which should be eliminated.

A resolution by Councillor Mrs. hurst will ask the Highways De-

Budget Battle Booms

It is likely next Monday night

the next council meeting.

the cuts are not little ones.

rate took a 7 mill jump, and another increase is inevitable this year according to all local authorities. There's going to be a big tax boost for Richmond Hill taxpayers when the budget is fin-

boost in store for local taxpayers range from 5 to 7 mills.

"Moff Cockburn" Day, May 25 At

May 25th is a red letter o'clock noon.

will be paid to Moff Cockburn, as he retires from 37 years as an agricultural representative. Moff Cockburn who has crept into the hearts of farmers and those associated with agriculture with his work in the counties of York, North Simcoe, and Carleton; for Moff Cockburn is known province-wide for his leadership in everything from sing songs to his leadership in competitive agricultural activities and better farm practices.

will be B-Day for Richmond Hill

Town Council Members are meeting in special session today in the Battle of the Budget, and it is expected the rates by-law will be ready for

Mayor K. W. Tomlin sounded a warning at Monday's session that all budgets have been cut by the Finance Committee and his tone of voice indicated that

In 1959 Richmond Hill tax

Mayor Tomlin gave assurance that every effort is being made to keep the increase as low as pos-

Jack Fraser Farm

day in the history of York County for on that day all the friends of "Moff Cockburn" and the people of York County are invited to attend Moff Cockburn Day on the farm of Jack Fraser (south of No. 7 Highway on Dufferin Street, in Vaughan Township), starting with a basket picnic lunch at 12 May 25 is the day tribute

May 25 - Ring the calendar and make it a date to salute that man among men who put Culture in Agricul-

partment to remedy the situation. \$1,500,000 Plaza Will Open June 3

\$1,500,000 project in the north- of Ontario." west section of Richmond Hill will be officially opened June 3. | the Griffin Construction Comoffice unit covers 100,000 square Limited, Blue Square Investmond Heights, one of Richmond | Construction Company Limited.

A mall will connect the north of these experienced firms. end part of the plaza to still other sideration for more than two business establishments. Excavaproject on this phase is now un-

> Strategically located to service the shopping needs of its patrons, tive architectural design, durable brick-steel-glass material and ease of access to the canopied structure's goods, services and of-

John Griffin, in association with Bert Grant, Jr., and Albert Jacobs, both of Toronto, told "The the grand opening in September. Attending the June 3 cere-

mony will be the three associates responsible for the construction, tenant representatives, Mayor Ken Tomlin and members of the town council and other dignitar-

Commenting on the new Centre, Mr. Grant pointed out that it ily produced in aid of World Re- deftly handled by Wanda Trott, given away free, one to the lucky consistent needling to get action. would be a definite boon to the who gave a natural performance person whose name appears on Councillor Howard Whillans overall economy of Richmond The Curtain Club's play took as the kindly, energetic woman the coupon drawn, and one to the enquired if there was any life- Hill. "Since last November, when the audience into the bleak and whose own troubles have given storekeeper where the entry is saving equipment in the Bever- the project began to take shape, ley Acres area. At the same time | some 300 men have found work,' Every week the photo of some he enquired about similar equip- he said. "It is expected that by September, when the entire plaza coast of England. The play, Mrs. Stratton, (and their baby the "ad" and if the owner identi- Deputy-reeve S. F. Tinker said will be in operation, that well "Table Number Seven", is actual- upstairs), Mr. Fowler, an ex- fies it, and brings it to "The Lib- such equipment has been supplied over 100 persons will have found ly the second act of Terence Rat- school master, and a horsey type eral" office he is given a mer- not once but twice for the pond permanent employment," he said. Mr. Jacobs said that the new centre points up in a tangible Dorothy Painter in their portray- Make sure you have a chance It was suggested a photo be way the continuing growth of al of the medical student and his at the next Polaroid. Visit one of taken of the Beverley Acres flood- Richmond Hill and its economic

Richmond Heights Centre, the ger things coming for this section

The three associates represent The modern, 22-shopping-and- pany, Elgin Mills Investments, feet and is an extension of Rich- ments, Limited and Lawrence Hill's most recent subdivision de- The centre represents the construction and financial know-how

Heights Centre are: Santo's Hair Stylist; Loblaws; Laura Secord years is held up waiting Ontario tion work and a land clearing Candy Shops, Ltd.; G. Tamblyn Limited; C. Cole & Co., Limited; Nordica's Sportswear; The Canadian Bank of Commerce; Jack Watts Hardware; Rice Flowers; Dynes Jewellers; Young Folks (Children's Wear); Tom Surgeoner Men's Wear; Smoke, Variety Men's Wear; Agnew-Surpass Shoe industry, has been with Sterling gave him the honorary rank of Stores Limited; Reitman's (Can- for 30 years. He joined the Bayada) Limited; Bata Shoe Stores Limited; S. S. Kresge Co. Lim- salesman following graduation Purpose of the dinner at which ited; Shoe Repair, Luggage and from the Ontario College of the V. C. winner will speak, is to Leather; Golden Loom Fabrics Pharmacy, later becoming sales extend a greeting to Richmond Shops Limited; Burroughs Furni- manager and afterwards vice- Hill's industries and to establish a ture Limited; Java Shoppe Res- president in charge of sales for closer liason between industrialtaurants; Firestone Tire and Rubber Co. of Canada Limited.

The Country Parson



Major Pollock, the "raison d'etre" of the play, was beauti-"The Christian church is in Richmond Hill's spectacular many of which have nothing

Council Decides

Town To Quit HOME PAPER OF THE DISTRICT SINCE 1878 SINGLE COPY 10c Metro Plan Area

Unanimous Request

Richmond Hill Town Council | direct representation on the Monday night unanimously pass- Planning Board. ed a resolution asking permis- The resolution introduced by sion to withdraw from the Met- Reeve W. J. Haggart was as folropolitan Toronto Planning Area. lows: "Whereas the Metropolitan

T.S.A. Vaughan Sets \$494,855 Levy For 1960

The Board of Trustees for the Township School Area of Vaughan announces the levy by taxation for Public School purposes to cover the 1960 current operations and debenture payments has been requisitioned at \$494,855.00 and approved by Vaughan Township Council.

In addition to this amount the Board will receive a further amount of at least \$27,500.00 from the Capital Lot Fee.

The balances, if any, in the current operating fund in the be applied as a reduction to their 1960 levy.

Richmond Hill now is included Toronto Planning Board has of in this planning area, but has no its own volition and without prior notice to the Town of Richmond Hill published a draft of an official plan for the Metro Planning Area, and whereas the said draft plan if adopted would give

the Metro Planning Board jurisiction in certain areas of responsibility now vested in the Richmond Hill Town Council, and whereas the Town of Richmond Hill does not have any represen-tative on the Metro Planning Board, be it resolved the Council of the Town of Richmond Hill petitions the Minister of Planning and Development, and the Minister of Municipal Affairs requesting permission for Richmond Hill to withdraw from the

Metropolitan Planning area." There was little discussion on the resolution which had the approval of all members of council. "We are reasonable and want former school sections will to co-operate" said Mayor K. W. Tomlin, "but we don't want to do I it with a shot gun to our heads."

taxpayers when the budget is finally adopted, the only question is the amount of the increase. Best informed guesses as to the boost in store for leading to the land to the Be Guest Speaker



FRED A. TILSTON, V.C.

ner, Fred A. Tilston, is president | Another honour came his way of Sterling Drug Mfg Ltd., which in 1953, when he was made an two years ago moved its opera- Officer Brother in the Venerable new plant in Aurora. The dinner of Jerusalem, England's oldest

er Company, a subsidiary, as a Good-Will Is Objective

of the company in 1957. position with a grenade.

Wounded Twice More

One of the ten Canadians a-| When ammunition ran low, in warded the Victoria Cross during spite of his wounds he crossed World War 11 will be the guest open ground six times, through a speaker when members of the hail of enemy fire, to bring more Yonge Street Business and Pro- from a unit on his left. On his fessional Association entertain last trip he was hit again, this representatives of the growing time in the other leg. When he number of industries which have received his Cross from King Listed as tenants of Richmond | made Richmond Hill their home | George VI at Buckingham Palin recent years, together with ace in 1945 it was on two artirepresentatives of longer-estab- ficial legs, both of his own having lished industries. The V. C. win- been amputated below the knee.

tione from Windsor, Ont., to a Order of the Hospital of St. John will be held Tuesday, May 17th. | order of chivalry. His old regi-Mr. Tilston, one of the best- ment, the Essex Scottish, paid a known men in the Canadian drug further tribute in 1957 when it

the entire Sterling Drug organ- ists and business and professional ization. He was named president men and women, says President F. J. Picking of the Yonge Street Born in Toronto, Mr. Tilston Association. The dinner will be entered the Canadian army in held at the Richmond Theatre 1940, served first as a sergeant Grill. Also expected to be present and gained his commission a year are Mayor Ken Tomlin; Reeve later. His V. C. was won at the W. J. Haggart, who is also chair-Hochwald Forest where, as a man of the Industrial Commis-Major and company commander sion, and other members of Fown with the Essex Scottish, he led Council. Featuring Richmond his company, in one of the most Hill's position as "Canada's Rose bitterley fought engagements of Centre" pictorial displays of the war, across 500 yards of open some of the outstanding roses ground without tank support. developed locally are being ar-Wounded first in the head, he ranged by Fred Gardiner. Also kept on fighting, charging enemy likely to be on display are colpositions with his Sten gun. La- oured illustrations of the proposter, when one of his platoons ed new "Welcome" signs which was held up by heavy machine the Business and Professional Asgun fire, he knocked out the op- sociation is attempting to arrange as additional decoration for the town's main thoroughfare,

Badly wounded in the hip, Til- As accommodation is limited, ston fell, but later struggled to tickets are being offered in the his feet to lead his sadly depleted first instance to members of the company in hand-to-hand fighting | Association. A committee com-Organizing a defensive position, posed of William Neal, Alf. Mche and his small group beat off Latchy and Jos. Parisi is hand-

one counter-attack after another. ling distribution.

Richmond Hill Curtain Club Wins Many Festival Honors tion cannot be remedied until such time as the Beverley Acres Drainage project is proceeded with. "How much longer do we have to wait?" asked Councillor Three Top Awards John Macfarlane And Patti-Lu

Table Number Seven.

Bill Ferguson, and David Coon.

adjudicator, this play narrowly ly by Phyllis Fairfield, whose ter. All you have to do is fill in Municipal Board explaining the missed the award for the Best character provided a good con- a coupon at any of the participat- delay is due to pressure of work. Production which was won by the trast to the overpowering Mrs. ing stores, listed in the special He hoped for action soon. Broadview Y.M.C.A. Barn Play- Railton Bell, portrayed by Mary ad appearing in this issue. The "They have their problems, ies. ers, with their entry Prisoners of Monks. The role of Miss Cooper, next draw will be made June 4 and we have ours," said Council-Peace, a play which was primar- the hotel manageress, was most when again two Polaroids will be lor Broadhurst advocating some fugee Year.

sometimes subtly cruel realm of her an insight into the minds | made. every day life as lived in a seedy and feelings of others. Other residential hotel on the south guests in the hotel are Mr. and home in the district appears in ment for the mill pond tigan's "Separate Tables", and in the person of the eccentric chandise order of \$5.00 good at area and it has just been carried was the Curtain Club's entry for the Ontario One Act Drama Fes-

tival. fully portrayed by Rex Sevenoaks, (who directed the group) as the phony major who never quite Polaroid Winner Ex-Mayor William Neal made action," said Reeve W. J. Hag-

On Friday night at the One fools either the audience or his "The Liberal" Polaroid Home of Council members agreed and the new Centre combines attrac-Act Drama Festival at Kitchener, fellow guests with his stories of the Week Contest last Saturday. his motion seconded by Council-Richmond Hill's own Curtain former military glory. His final The name on the lucky coupon lor Mrs. Margaret Southwell ask-Club took three of the four top scene, in which he admits his drawn was John Macfarlane, Ma- ing for an appointment with acting awards, with their entry overwhelming fear of life was ple, and the entry was made at Premier Frost carried unanimboth sensitive and very moving. the Patti-Lu Shop, Richmond ously. Rex Sevenoaks, Best Actor; No less moving was the perfor- Hill. A Polaroid Camera was pre-Mary Monks, Best Actress; Esther mance of Esther Postlethwaite as sented to the winner, John Mac- we any closer to action in this Postlethwaite, Best Supporting Sybil, the crushed and tormented farlane, 10 year old son of Dr. important matter? It's been hang-Actress. Added to these honours daughter of Mrs. Railton Bell, R. P. and Mrs. Macfarlane of ing fire so long and we don't Liberal" that the June 3 cerethe club gained four Honourable and Mrs. Postlethwaite had the Maple, and one to Mrs. Patricia seem any closer than six months monies will be the forerunner of Mentions, through the acting ab- audience right behind her when Anderson, proprietor of the Pat- ago." ilities of Wanda Trott, Beth Jones, she finally defied her mother. ti-Lu Dress Shop. The gentle and likeable Laiy Another contest begins right the meeting read a letter he re-

According to James Dean, the Mathieson was played convincing- away, and there is no cost to en- ceived recently from the Ontario

Miss Meecham. David Coon and any of the participating stores. away by vandals.

clash seriously. One also felt coupon. You may be the lucky that Mrs. Stratton was a Railton one when the next draw is made Council members deplored the believe that there are even big-| Saturday, June 7.

Councillor Mrs. Margaret Southwell was insistent that something be done. She said people are asking if a child has to be drowned before some action is

It was pointed out the condihave to wait?" asked Councillor Tom Broadhurst who suggested there should be more pressure for action by the provincial authorities. The project under con-Municipal Board approval. "We should stop taking the run- derway. September has been set around from underlings, and go as completion time for the entire right to the Premier and demand building job.

Deputy-reeve Tinker - Are

Solicitor J. D. Lucas present at

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