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IN THE MATTER OF a change of name of certain streets in the Corporation of the Town of Richmond Hill;

AND IN THE MATTER OF the application of the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Richmond Hill for approval of its By-law No. 924.

TAKE NOTICE that I have appointed Tuesday, the 28th day of June, 1960, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon in my Chambers at the City Hall, Toronto, for considering By-Law No. 924 and for hearing those advocating and opposing the changes of names of streets in the said By-law which follows:

1. That the name of the highway being the continuation of Newkirk Road and extending southerly from Crosby Avenue, Centre Street, and now known as Sneddon Road, be changed from Sneddon Road to Newkirk Road to avoid confusion since the said Newkirk Road and Sneddon Road is between the highway or street.

DATED at Toronto this 25th day of May, 1960.

F. DENTON,
Judge

APPROVED

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LANGSTAFF NEWS

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Women's Institute

The final meeting of this season was held at the home of Mrs. M. Roy on Thursday, June 2nd. Eleven members answered the Roll Call of "What I Might Do To Attract Tourists to our District."

Many good ideas were expressed including, Langstaff should have better signs so as tourists know where they are, also picnic tables should be placed in Boyle Park and signs directing people to the Park should be erected.

Mrs. Thompson gave a very interesting report on the Public Relations Conference which she attended at the Ontario Agricultural College in Guelph.

Final arrangements were made regarding the June tea and Rummage Sale to be held at the home of Mrs. Lepky on June 8th.

It was decided to apply for the short course on Choosing and using Fabrics, the date of which to be announced later.

The Annual family picnic will be held on July 10th at Boyd Conservation Park, Woodbridge, providing necessary reservations can be made.

Mrs. Hamblin - District Director, read her report on the District Annual Convention held at Scarborough on May 17th. Judging by the roll call at the Convention, Mark-Vaun is the youngest W.I. in the York East District. Mrs. Hamblin announced the Royal York Convention to be held on November 3rd, 4th and 5th.

A very nice lunch of hot dogs and cake were served by the hostesses during which Mrs. Ray conducted two games lucky prize winners were Mrs. Shearer, Mrs. Drew and Mrs. Wilkins.

There will be no further regular meetings until September, when any ladies interested in the Women's Institute will be welcomed.

Baptist Church News
Speakers and singers for Sunday, June 27th at Langstaff Baptist Church will be:

Speaker: Rev. Lawson.
Singers: Mrs. Stan Carter, P.M. Miss Jo-Ann McLean.

Langstaff Baptist Church
The teens wish to express their appreciation to all who supported the F. B. Y. P. A. Rally at Niagara Falls. Two bus loads about 97 in all left the church about 8 a.m. and arrived at Niagara Falls Arena in time to attend the first session at 11 a.m.

Mr. Calhoun of Moody Bible Institute in Chicago was the guest speaker for the day, and his message was a real source of inspiration.

Langstaff was well represented on the platform, with Mr. and Mrs. E. Lawson at the piano and again, our instrumental group Stephen McLean, Ted Weaver, and Ed Lawson who played during the receiving of the offering, and our duet team Miss Jo-Ann McLean and Miss Sandra Martin, who sang the invitation hymn after the message.

While Langstaff did not win the attendance cup in the 50-100 group, they were second only to Meaford Baptist whose points were greater because of distance travelled.

Teens
The teens have closed their regular meeting for the season, but hope to resume again in

July when they will embark upon a programme of summer recreation and fellowship.

Lamp-lighting have closed their regular meetings and will not start again until September.

Mission Circle
The evening Mission Circle will close their regular meetings with a "Bring your neighbour" supper to be held in the Church Basement on Thursday, June 9th at 6:30 p.m.

The Women's Missionary Fellowship will continue their regular meetings until the end of June, and will resume again in September.

The Good News Bible Club which was held in the home of Mrs. E. McLean brought their meetings to a close with a children's party and will look forward to starting again next September.

Do not hoard your good unwanted clothes, hats, jewellery or dishes etc. through the coming summer months, it is needed at the rummage sale to be held on June 8th at 207, No. 7 Highway, E. Phone Mrs. Hicks, AV. 5-2244 if you have pick-up problems. Proceeds for the new Community Hall.

HEADFORD

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The funeral of the late Fred D. Lee took place on Wednesday afternoon last from the parlour of Wright and Taylor. Tribute was paid by Dr. Binnington of Victoria Square charge, of which Mr. Lee was a member. Interment was in the family plot in Richmond Hill Cemetery.

Sunday was Memorial Day in Headford Church with Dr. Binnington speaking on "Messages from God's Acre". We were happy to welcome back for the summer Mr. and Mrs. Percy Briggs. Flowers in the church were in memory of Mr. Fred Lee.

It is nice to have our choir chairs back in place, and very many thanks to Charlie Barker for the grand job he has done on them.

It will be Missionary Day in Sunday School next week, when there will be a film strip, a special story and a special collection. Let us have everyone out.

Headford W.A. will meet at the church on Sunday evening, June 14.

We are more than sorry to have to report that Mrs. Calder, president of the W.A. is under the weather. It is hoped x-rays showed nothing serious and that she will soon be back to normal.

The Turner family of Carville Road are leaving for a trip to England. This will be their first return trip in almost 40 years.

The Brodie family entertained friends on Sunday from Erin. This is an annual affair at this time of year.

Belated birthday greetings to Mary Ellen Johnson, who was five on June 2; and to Sharon Rumble, who celebrated on June 7. Also long overdue congratulations to Mrs. Hugh Deverell for May 31.

ELGIN MILLS-JEFFERSON NEWS

Correspondent: The Evening Branch of the
Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's Anglican Church
TU. 4-2708 TU. 4-1534

On Tuesday evening 31st May, the Guides and Brownies of the 1st Jefferson Company took their mothers to supper for the annual Mother and Daughter banquet.

Prior to supper at 7 p.m., Rev. D. C. H. Mitchell said grace and a prayer for the future, followed by a toast to the Queen and God Save the Queen, before supper began. It is amazing how quiet a group of young people can be!

After supper the district Commissioner Mrs. Currie gave a brief resume of the Guide and Brownie movement in Canada.

Mrs. A. Morrison of Toronto then read a tribute to the girls in poem form, and presented the immediate past president of the Mother's Auxiliary Mrs. Ivan Petersen, who thanked all for their presence and interest and extended a vote of thanks to those who helped with the supper and especially those who served supper. They were Mrs. A. McFee, Mrs. J. Laughlin, Mrs. J. Hall, Mrs. Corliss and Mrs. Ted Lavender.

Everyone was very pleased to see the new flag presented to 1st Jefferson Guides on behalf of the Community Club, by Archie McFee.

Brownie Carole Jones thanked all who made the supper a success, on behalf of the Brownies. Following a brief recess a surprise feature - Cartoons without sound. Hard to say who enjoyed the picture show the most; the mothers who can recall some old silents in their youth (I can and loads of fun too) or the young folk to whom this was a novelty.

Overheard someone trying to guess what was being said. Mr. Laurence Clarke received a very hearty thanks for his novel contribution to the festivities.

Guide Mary Jane Terry thanked everyone on behalf of the Guides and so closed a very successful evening. There were two other surprises, one was the lovely Lily of the valley corsage at each mother's place; the second was a presentation of a beautiful bouquet of flowers to "Aunt Mary" Morrison by Brown Owl Mrs. Trixie Gray on behalf of the brownies and guides.

Thanks girls, it was a superb evening and Brown Owl says "thank you one and all."

Cub News
Glen Helling was enrolled last Thursday evening into the 1st Jefferson Cub Pack. Congratulations, Glen.

The parents are reminded of the Rally on June 11th in Richmond Hill. The parade assemblies at the High School at 4:45 p.m. The march begin at 5 sharp with arrival at the Park at approximately 5:20 p.m.

There will be a picnic supper to be supplied by each youth and the families are asked to attend and meet the lads at the Park. Everyone enjoy yourselves.

Community Club News
President Archie McFee of the Community Club met with the members of the executive committee at his home last Thursday. It was decided not to sponsor swimming at the Thornhill pool for this year.

Also the annual Community Picnic will be held at the summer cottage of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Terry. So start making plans. The date is July 10th.

Church Parade
Members and leaders of the 1st Jefferson Brownies, Guides, Cubs and Scouts paraded to St. John's Church, Jefferson on Sunday 4th June for the dedication of their respective flags. It was a very impressive ceremony.

Birthday Greetings
June is always a very busy month and especially a happy one. These lucky people have helped to make it so: June 10th is the big day in Tommy Wragg's life. Marg Passmore a sincere wish on the occasion of her birthday on June 11th. Christopher Fullman celebrated his birthday on the 12th. A special wish for a very happy birthday to Jane Burns when she celebrates her 3rd birthday on June 13th.

Return Visit
The former friends and neighbors of Mrs. Shirley Hartz will be glad to know that she has returned to the district for a visit Mrs. Hartz is staying with Mrs. Ivan Petersen.

Church News
Members of the confirmation class of St. John's Anglican Church and their parents attended a corporate Communion Breakfast on Sunday, June 5th. Breakfast, at 8:30 a.m. was held in the Parish Hall. Tables were tastefully decorated with summer flowers. Mr. Teetly of King gave a timely and interesting lesson to those attending. Thanks especially to Mrs. Waters and Mrs. Flood for a delightful breakfast. The corporate communion was held at 10 a.m. in the church.

Thornhill Notes

On Thursday, May 26, the girls taking Home Economics in Thornhill High School presented a fashion show. The Home Economics teacher, Mrs. Scovell and Mrs. Cantelon were surely proud of the girls from Grades 9 to 12 as they did a very professional job. The girls had sent out invitations to their parents and friends, so including the staff and students there was a large audience.

Heather Orser and Ann Jeffrey of grades 12 and 11 did a fine job of commenting, after modelling their outfit at the beginning of the show. The girls in grade 9 had made cotton co-ordinates; the girls in grade 10 used wool to make skirts and vests or jumpers; the girls in grade 11 made dresses of various synthetic, such as, nylon, dacron and arnel, and the girls in grade 12 had tailored woolen suits.

The stage and stairway, decorated with flowers acted as the runway and was completed by the centre isle of the gymnasium. Some of the North York students of Home Economics helped back-stage to keep the show running smoothly. The show, starting at 3:20 and finishing at 4 o'clock was over too soon.

But following the fashions the girls and their guests had coffee and cookies which were served and made by their fellow students. After the refreshments the mothers left, proud of their daughters' achievements. I am sure all who participated in watching or performing will agree that the fashion show was a successful experiment.

WILLOWDALE - North York's department of recreation report for 1959-60 shows that the people of North York are making good use of facilities and programs provided. There has been an increase in the number of persons using facilities for basketball, pee wee hockey, bowling, and figure skating.

Village Ladies To Attend Peace Rally

Several ladies of the village have indicated their interest in the Women's Peace Movement being organized by a group of ladies in Toronto, particularly Lotta Dempsey a well-known newspaper columnist. A speaker for this newly formed group will address the meeting called for Friday, June 10th at Massey Hall. This meeting has been organized by the Toronto Committee for Disarmament, a group formed at the University of Toronto. "As custodians for the race they (women) also have a responsibility for its continued existence on this globe" writes Miss Dempsey, and I can only agree with her. It is expected that several Thornhill ladies will attend the Massey Hall meeting, so you will probably hear more about this.

THORNLEA

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Home and School News
To all the ladies in the district - not only mothers of children attending Thornlea School, here is your opportunity to support your local home and school association, and also meet the local ladies. There is going to be a June Tea on June 22nd at the home of Mrs. Mehlman, John St. Tickets can be obtained from the school or at the door, there will be door prizes and also home baking, knitting, sewing etc. so put aside your household duties for an hour and come and join us in a cup of tea. Commencing at 1:30 p.m.

Pen "Blitz" Raises \$1,000 For Refugees

Finance Chairman Roy Bick reports that the "Blitz" sale of pens by the Thornhill High School students grossed \$1,196.95. After paying for the pens, this will mean a net of approximately \$1,000.00. This represents a terrific effort by the students and the committee gives them a big thank you. The Bencics have not yet at the time of this writing left Italy as they had to undergo another physical examination. We do have more information about them, though, and here are some of the vital statistics. The girls in the family are Josipa, age 13, Maria 5 and Gabriella, 3. The boys are Srecko 12, Carlo 10 and Giovanni 7 months. Mr. Bencie is six foot tall and weighs in the neighbourhood of 175 pounds. Mrs. Bencie is five foot four and weighs approximately 130 pounds. Mrs. Hubbard, Chairman of the Clothing Committee, estimates that Mr. Bencie would wear clothing size 38 or 40. Tall and Mrs. Bencie should wear size 16. If you have any good used clothing in these sizes, or any that could possibly fit the children, call Mrs. Hubbard at AV. 5-3147.

Housing is still the main problem for the family and in spite of the best efforts of the committee, nothing suitable has yet been rounded up. Mr. A. J. Everett at AV. 5-3154 is working on this, so call him, or Mr. Markle at AV. 5-3207, if you know of any possible housing for the family.

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Silver Linings

by Elizabeth Kelson

The medium of TV comes in for a lot of adverse criticism at times so it gives me real pleasure to report that station CKGM in North Bay is winning a great many supporters with its Silver Linings Show. The program has one purpose in mind, and that is to promote the ability, not the disability of handicapped people. The program is hosted by genial Bill Saunders, who is blind, and attractive and pleasant Elaine Rickers, a polio victim.

The soul-stirring bars of the melody "Look For The Silver Linings" introduces the program on the air. Immediately you are impressed by the good humour of these two very charming people. They combine their talents in the service of other handicapped people and have been on the air regularly over CKGM for the past three years. Bill supplements his income from TV by tuning pianos and Elaine, as well as co-hosting on Silver Linings writes and presents children's stories on TV 10's popular Tee Pee Pow Show.

On the Silver Linings program, they interview people who have handicaps who have shown outstanding courage in fighting and controlling their handicaps.

At the time I was observing the show, Elaine and Bill were interviewing a young woman who was in a bad car accident shortly after her honeymoon. Although permanently crippled, she has a child who is perfectly normal. Her attitude is one of cheerfulness and courage and she carries out all but the heaviest household duties.

Besides these interviews, live entertainment is featured on Silver Linings, plus telephone calls to patients to cheer them up. (As the telephoning is being done, the photograph of the patient is flashed on the TV screen and it all seems wonderful to hear the voice of the patient at the same time.)

Local handicapped people have been so cheered by this program that they formed a Silver Lining Club which gives them the opportunity of sharing activities with each other. Many of these people were previously confined to their homes permanently, due to a lack of desire to go into the world of normal people. Through the work on TV 10's program with Elaine Rickers and Bill Saunders as hosts, plus the club, many have learned to adjust socially and mentally to a life with their handicap and are once more contributing their abilities to society.