

Maple, Concord & Edgeley Districts

"The Liberal" is always willing to publish interesting items regarding people and events contributed by its readers in Maple, Concord & Edgeley districts. Our representative in Maple is Mrs. Len Shore, ALPine 7-1150; and in Edgeley and Sherwood, Mrs. Raymond Stuart, AV. 5-1934.

Maple Notes

Only about now do we fall in with the idea that it is just a matter of time and summer holidays will be upon us. For some students, that time has already arrived and summer jobs have begun. Mr. and Mrs. Wardrope have been looking after Danny since he was so terribly burned recently. However when I phoned to check on how Danny was progressing, I was given two items of good news. First off, Danny is progressing nicely and able to be up and around some. Next item — Mrs. Wardrope was just bubbling over with excitement, she had just received word she was a grandmother!

Proud and happy parents are Bob and Norma (nee Wardrope) Fournier of Cobourg and it's a boy! Born on June 9, 1960, at Cobourg General Hospital he is the first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Wardrope. Norma lived here in Maple with her parents, when after receiving her B.A. at U. of T. she entered Teachers' College and graduated as a primary specialist. She has been teaching kindergarten in Cobourg where her husband is a chemical engineer.

Family Reunion
After four years with the RCAF

in St. Avoild, France, Sgt. "Buck" and Jessie Rogers and son Ronnie, one year old, are back home and will be stationed at Trenton.

Sunday, June 5, was an exciting day when a reunion was held at Waubushene. Mrs. Jessie Rogers is a sister of Betty Rumble and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Whitehouse were the happy hosts at this family get-together at their home.

Another sister, Edna Whitehouse of Toronto joined in with Betty and Pete Rumble, John and Ken, in making the welcome home a warm one.

Strawberry Festival

There will be a strawberry festival (see Coming Events), at Maple Community Hall, June 17 from 5 to 8 p.m. Seems the sponsors, the W.A. of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Maple, have corralled as members some of the country's best cooks. Any bake sale or supper they have put on, has been a great success and we know on Friday, June 17, the tables will be groaning with delicious salads, hams, cakes, pies and tarts — not to mention the scads of strawberries served every way imaginable — and beverages. This is an annual "do" for the whole family and there will be no limit for space this year at the Hall and it's well worth the admission charge, which, after expenses, helps support St. Andrew's through the W.A.

Annual Canadian Cancer Meeting
A goodly representative group of you and your neighbors will be expressed when Maple Branch of the Canadian Cancer Society, holds its annual meeting, Thursday, June 16, at the community hall at 8:15 p.m.

This is an active group, working on your behalf all year — show them you appreciate their efforts by supporting them at this

meeting, called only once in a year, with your attendance.

Church Picnic
Make your plans now to attend the congregational and church school picnic of Maple United Church on Tuesday, June 28th at Boyd Park.

Oh My Shattered Nerves
- O.K. you try to concentrate on writing a column while trucks every sixth second pass by your door and hit that one spot (elongated as well as wide type) in the road. With each contact you'd swear the whole truck was disintegrating then and there.

Graduation Dance
The proud parents of two very new R.N.'s really outdid themselves Wednesday night, June 8, when they sponsored a dance at MacKenzie Legion Hall, Woodbridge, and made the finale of two weeks of an exciting social whirl, attending all such occasions, a dream to remember.

Mr. and Mrs. George Calder and Mr. and Mrs. G. Dahl invited over 100 friends of Helen Calder and Grethe Dahl to this wonderful wind-up following the girls' recent graduation from St. Michael's Hospital and the Toronto General.

Until fairly recently Grethe lived in Maple then moved to Richmond Hill. She and Helen chummed around together during their high school days at Richmond Hill and were enthusiastic and energetic members of Maple's Ladies' Baseball Team.

Guests were co-graduates from their respective classes and former high school and baseball associates and friends in and around Maple.

The hall was most attractively decorated to fit the occasion. The familiar and traditional symbol, a nurse's starched white cap with black band, was conspicuous carrying out the theme throughout.

The buffet tables, with pink and white carnations, held the results of the many hours spent in preparation of cold cuts, salads, Danish pastry and rolls — all a labour of love by the two mothers.

As for the fathers, their pride was busting out all over as they kept the band and dancers rolling and took care of the comforts of the guests.

Truly a night to remember for Helen and Grethe after three years training in preparation for that big day when they would receive their diploma and tack an R.N. after their names — this was the perfect ending to that phase.

Now the next phase starts when Helen will take her post-graduate course in obstetrical nursing on a scholarship at St. Mike's and Grethe will enter U. of T. for post graduate study in mental health this fall.

Congratulations and best wishes from all Maple to two fine local representatives.

Last week we reported the unfortunate accident when Gord Downey and Danny Wardrope received painful injury from burns. Gord and Danny are just eight years old and while the accident was the result of thoughtlessness we had no wish to place the responsibility on anyone in particular.

Gord is progressing favorably in the Sick Children's Hospital and Danny is recovering nicely at his home. We all join in wishing them speedy and complete recovery.

Maple United W.M.S. Tulip Tea Held At Home Of Mrs. R. Bigford

The weatherman most graciously ordered up a gloriously warm, bright, sun-shiny afternoon, Saturday, June 4, when the W.M.S. of the Maple United Church, held their annual tulip tea. As before, Mrs. R.A. Bigford opened up her beautifully appointed home and lovely gardens for this occasion. The wonderful array of tulips in their splendid and varied tones and color were a delight to see.

The churches of Maple were well represented and members of Markham Presbyterian executive, Woodbridge W.M.S. and a representative from the Dominion Board of the United Church, Toronto, were among the many visitors enjoying the sociality and the lovely refreshments as well as generously giving their support in a financial way.

Mrs. Bigford as hostess and past president of W.M.S. joins with the executive in thanking everyone for the tremendous success of the tea which was possible only because of your interest and support.

The tea table looked elegant with the wondrous array of dainty sandwiches and cakes, and presiding at the silver tea service at either end were W.M.S. president, Mrs. T. Jackson and vice-president Mrs. Hunter. Sharing in this honor throughout the afternoon was Mrs. Jarrett, the corresponding secretary and Mrs. Wood, recording secretary. The executive members each wore a beautiful corsage.

With 25 years service as supply secretary, Mrs. Jennings was present and celebrating her birthday, June 4, as well.

74th Anniversary Held St. Stephen's W.A. Maple

With the beautiful rectory gardens serving as a background, St. Stephen's W.A. celebrated their 74th anniversary on Wednesday, June 8, at 2:30 p.m. outside, in the warm sunshine.

The president, Mrs. Geo. Robson opened the meeting with prayer, followed by a devotional period.

Special guests, "The Little Helpers", and their mothers, were invited to attend and arrived daintily clad in their Sunday best and on their best behaviour.

These little folk are under the leadership of Mrs. James Martin.

The business session of the meeting was very brief. For some weeks a number of the W.A. members have been busily raising

"Talent Money" by baking, doing needlework, baby-sitting, etc. and turning over all profits to their W.A. treasury.

Presiding and pouring at the pretty tea table were two of the members of long standing, Mrs. F. Cooper and Mrs. H. Taylor.

The birthday cake was a delight to behold — white icing with pale blue and yellow decorations and was cut by Mrs. J. Watson, another member of many years.

After the close of the meeting, Dr. Armitage invited the "Little Helpers" to join him in a brief service in the church where he accepted their little offering boxes. This was the final St. Stephen's W.A. meeting until September.

Edgeley Socials

We extend best wishes and congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dalziel on their 56th wedding anniversary, June 15.

Nine members of Edgeley W.A. attended the Spring Luncheon in Woodbridge last week.

Mrs. McKenzie, past president of west presbytery was the guest speaker.

Mrs. Nelson Peelar of Orillia spent several days with friends in the community while Mr. Peelar accompanied Mrs. Gordon Talman to the races at Indianapolis, Indiana, U. S. A.

Concord and Edgeley Bowling League held their third annual banquet at the Legion Hall, Woodbridge, with 46 members attending the dinner. Twenty trophies were presented and the 1960-61 executive who were elected are:

President — John Witney; Treasurer, Flo Strachan, Secretary, Bernice Cook; Public Relations Officer, John Witney.

Bowling next season will be at 9:00 p.m. Friday nights commencing September 9. It is hoped that all the old members and many new ones will be out to bowl next fall. Anyone wishing further information please contact John Witney, AV. 5-2858.

Service in Ella United Church will be held on Sunday, June 26.

CARRVILLE NEWS

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Mr. Knott, Layman of St. Clair United Church, spoke on "Temperance" on Sunday, June 12, at Carrville United Church.

Next Sunday, service at Carrville will be withdrawn as there is a joint communion service at Thornhill United Church at 11 a.m.

The annual decoration service will be held at Carrville church on Sunday, June 26. Decoration of the graves will be held at 2 p.m. and service in the church at 2:30 p.m.

Centennial
We hope all interested in the Centennial Celebration of Carrville School will be present on Saturday, June 18. It promises to be a most interesting affair, and offers an opportunity to renew friendships with old schoolmates from near and far. There will be a refreshment booth on the grounds.

Middleton Executive
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barton and Bert Middleton attended an executive meeting to plan for the Middleton reunion at Orillia Park on July 1. Mr. and Mrs. George Hewitt of Peterboro and Mrs. Lorne Cox of Orillia, were also present at the meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Barton, Beverley Acres on Saturday afternoon.

Strawberry Festival
The annual strawberry festival is scheduled for June 22 at the Carrville United Church hall.

Birthdays
Birthday greetings to Lynn Morris and Mrs. E. Bone who have their birthday the same day, June 20.

Wedding anniversary greetings to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wood on June 14; and to Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Kirk on June 17.

Mrs. Dean Wilson and Myra Jane and Betty Ann of Toronto, visited the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barton, and attended the Rowntree-Hendry family picnic at Mr. Tom Knight's home at Doncaster, as did the Bartons and the Bert Middletons.

The fifth Rowntree-Hendry family picnic was held on June 12, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Knight in Doncaster. There were 115 present to enjoy the reunion.

Prize winners in the races were:

Girls under 5: Myra Jane Wilson, Edna Barton. Girls 6-7: Susan Ditta, Boys 7-8: Glen Rice, Boys 9-10: Doug Collyer, Girls 9-10: Susan Dinnner, Boys 11 and over: Gary Rowntree, Girls 11 and over: Joan Kitchener.

Ladies' shoe kicking: Jean Ellen Jenkins. Men's shoe kicking: Bill Jenkins. Roll the ball, men: Ed Parsons. Roll the ball, ladies: Beth Wilson. Pie plate race: Chas. Kitchener and daughter Joan.

Spot race, children: Gary Rowntree. Spot race, adults: Elinor Whyton. Nail driving, ladies: Gertrude Hendry. Nail driving, men: David Barton. Bean guessing contest: Susan Ditta.

Miss Picnic was Shirley Davidson. Mr. Picnic was Howard Plunkett. Baldest head: Lloyd Davidson. Oldest man: Mr. Wm. Hendry. Oldest lady: Mrs. Dunham.

Longest distance away: Mr. and Mrs. Will Hendry and family of Porquos Junction, Ont.

Youngest baby: Karen Stewart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stewart. Most recently married couple: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stewart. Longest married couple: Mr. and Mrs. Britton Punkett, 40 years married.

The same executive was re-elected: President, Jack Barton, Maple; vice-president, Fred Hendry, Edgeley; sec-treasurer, Mrs. Jack Barton, Maple; committee: Sam Stewart, Oshawa, Lloyd Davidson, Woodbridge, Tom Rowntree of Weston, Gordon Monks of Alliston.

Tom Knight invited the reunion back for the second Sunday in June, 1961, and all accepted.

STOUFFVILLE — The Seventeenth Annual Convention of the Whitechurch Township Sunday Schools was held May 26 in the Hartman United Church and was extremely well attended.

Patricia White Fashion Expert

Patricia White, proprietor of the Patricia White Shoppe in the Richmond Heights Shopping Centre, is her profession's own best advertisement. Young, slender, thoroughly feminine and always charmingly dressed without being ostentatious, the casual observer would never guess that she is an astute business woman. She is the owner of a second fashion shoppe in Toronto and has been in business for herself more than 10 years.

Her shoppe in the Centre, like that in Toronto, will specialize in ladies' fashions for young and old with emphasis on petite sizing.

Miss White does all her own buying, regularly visiting the best fashion wholesale houses in Canada and the United States. One of her chief functions, she said, is to make certain that her clients can avail themselves of the latest styles. Everything offered to shoppers is carefully examined for style, quality and economy. A staff of three, each one highly trained in fashions, will provide expert advice to local shoppers.

Miss White, Toronto born and raised, feels that Richmond Hill has a wonderful future. "I think it will amaze everyone even more than it already has," she said. She is active in the North Toronto Business and Professional

Women's Club and is widely known as a fashion co-ordinator. She said that her busy schedule leaves little time for recreational pursuits but that she golfs whenever possible.

One Flashing Light Needed On Keele?

On a recent Friday, around midnight, another automobile bit the dust in front of the Millers' home opposite the I.G.A., Keele Street. This time it was a Cadillac, whose driver had refrained from slowing to the required 30 m.p.h. He found out the hard way, that that section of Maple Ave., coming east, just doesn't exist on the other side of Keele at that given point.

Now he knows — there is a jog for half a block — and we trust he will slow at the proper places, but in case he hasn't learned, maybe we can save him — and others — a real bent-up axle and worse, by having a flashing light, or something similar, installed at that point before a human gets badly hurt — or worse.

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Grant G. Webb, B.S.A. of R.R. No. 2 Maple, Ontario, has received his degree in Microbiology from the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, at the annual spring convocation. Active in Club and Societies and various athletics, he will be engaged in Post Graduate Studies at the University of Toronto.

Tip To Mothers - Of Cyclists

If your child rides a bike to school daily, take a few minutes at noon or 3:30 to make a surprise check on him, or her, to see if he observes the safety rules. As has been mentioned before, bicycles have permission to use the sidewalks during such hours and it would curl your hair to see some of those small types weave along the road when traffic, in trucks and cars, is increasing daily. A check-up now may save a tragedy occurring later. Man it's wild some days and hardly fair to the exasperated motorist!

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