

# Crosby Heights Graduation Exercises



The 1960 graduates of Crosby Heights Public School were most pleased to receive their diplomas from their former teacher, Mr. Glen Wood, who is this year teaching in North York — at the graduation exercises held last Thursday evening. Mr. Eldon Gooding, principal, congratulated the graduates and after the presentation introduced Miss Edna Izzard, Head of the English Department at Richmond Hill High School, who was guest speaker.

Darlene Knipe was valedictorian. Mr. Wood also made special presentations to two students for the highest academic standing in Grade 8, Mary Ann Catania received a pen and pencil set and Wayne Everett a pen. The ladies of the Crosby Heights Home & School Association served refreshments at the completion of the exercises.

Back row, let to right: Bill Richardson, John Sykes, Don Burleigh, Ed Hermanovics, Ron Foster, David Hughes, Wayne Everett, Keith Prosser, John Baxter, Allan Gould.

Centre row: Mr. Gooding, Ron Groom, Sylvia Inglis, Darlene Knipe, Mary Ann Catania, Nancy Williams, Pat. Darlington, Sandy Snook, Joan Millenburg, Martin Loftis, Mr. Wood.

Front row: Caroline Iwanciw, Susan Pitt, Christine Adams, Norma Bott, Annette Lacaille, Elaine Last, Vivienne Last, Sandra Wilson, Cheryl Heal, Gayle Edwards.

Absent: John Becker, Jim Bradley, Mary Lou Coppin, Tim Humphreys, John Waldon.

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NOTICE is hereby given that I have complied with Section 9 of the Voters' Lists Act and that I have posted up at my office in Richmond Hill, on the 7th day of November, 1960, the list of all persons entitled to vote in the said municipality at Municipal Elections and that such list remains there for inspection.

And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law. The last day for appeals is the 21st day of November, 1960.

DATED at Richmond Hill this 7th day of November, 1960.

**RUSSELL LYNETT**  
Clerk, Richmond Hill

## BUTTONVILLE NEWS

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**Neighbourhood Notes**

Master David Turner spent some time in hospital last week for a tonsillectomy. He is home now and doing nicely we're happy to say.

Again in the children's department, Ted and Ellen Gough have had their hands full. Debby recently recovered from a session with the mumps, and now her three younger sisters have them.

Friends in this neighbourhood will be sorry to learn that Miss Edith Hood is in St. Michael's Hospital at present.

It was a memorable evening for Mr. Wm. Clark, York County Warden, and the members of his family, on Friday evening of last week when York County officials and employees and guests met at the King Edward Hotel, Crystal Ball Room for the Warden's Banquet.

Another former Warden from this neighbourhood, Mr. Charles Hooper and Mrs. Hooper were also guests.

An auction sale of antique furnishings held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Worsnop (formerly the Alick Gardner residence) attracted visitors from far and wide last Saturday afternoon. As early as 9.30 a.m. prospective buyers were on hand to inspect sales articles. During the afternoon a relay of Harmony Club members from Brown's Corners United Church served coffee and doughnuts to the shivering public. Among those serving were Mrs. Norman Reid,

Paterson, Miss M. Rodick, Mrs. H. Coleman, Mrs. E. Sherman, Mrs. Rose Herd, Mrs. H. Steffler and Mrs. John Brown.

Now that the pheasant hunters have all gone home for the year Markham Township dwellers are heaving sighs of relief. Never before can we remember such indiscriminate shooting in built-up areas. At least one small boy in the neighbourhood was the victim of a stray shot, fortunately not serious, but that was not by dint of good management. Perhaps the time has come for the municipality to call a halt to this sport?

Deer hunters have been tripping north lately. Bill Hood returned last weekend; Mr. H. Hill and Mr. Charles Hooper are at camp this week and this weekend Mr. Dick Jones and Mrs. George Hooper expect to be on their way.

Attending the Central Ontario Area convention of the Women's Institutes last week as delegates from Buttonville W.I. were Mrs. Charles Hooper and Mrs. F. H. Leaf. Mrs. John Wilkins, Buttonville W.I. president; Mrs. George Hooper, Mrs. E. Sherman, Mrs. M. Sherman, Mrs. Joe Robinson, Mrs. H. Porter and Mrs. Don Hoshel attended the luncheon meeting at the Royal York on Thursday when the guest speaker was The Honourable the Reverend A. W. Downer.

Miss Isabel Hood of London spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hood.

On Thursday evening of last week a pot luck supper and family get together for Brown's Corners United Church people took place at Buttonville Hall.

With the continued good weather progress on the new structure at the church is being made rapidly, and those present last Thursday were given an encouraging report.

In this growing area the need for new church facilities is very real, and there is an air of excitement prevailing these days as the community begins to see just what can be accomplished when everyone helps. The stress is for leaders, now.

Last Thursday evening the Y.P.U. members gave the ladies of the congregation a rest when the young people assumed responsibility for serving and dishwashing.

During the congregational meeting Mr. Charles Turner, Sunday School superintendent, took charge of the children's group and showed pictures.

As usual, when the last Saturday in November rolls around, the Harmony Club members of Brown's Corners United Church will assemble their efforts at handmade crafts, knitting, etc., when they hold their Christmas Bazaar.

This year there will be a savoury corner where hot-dogs and coffee are served and the White Elephant booth will attract antique hunters, or those looking for a good-as-new skirt or sweater or snow-suit for the younger fry.

Brown's Corners W.M.S.

On Wednesday afternoon of last week Brown's Corners W.M.S. members and friends met at the home of Mrs. A. F. Binnington for the Annual meeting. During the election of officers, which Mrs. Binnington conducted, all officers of W.M.S. and Harmony were returned to office for 1960-61.

Mrs. Wm. Rodick presided, and Mrs. English provided music.

**More Roads**

Considerable activity has been noted in this neighbourhood where roads are concerned.

There is a newly laid road-bed on the fifth concession north of No. 7 highway and along 16th Avenue to the new Hydro project; surveyors have been active along No. 7 highway at Don Mills, in Buttonville and on the 3rd concession; and at Gormley, a beginning is being made on the cloverleaf for the highway to be built connecting the Don Roadway and Lake Simcoe.

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## CARRVILLE

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Church News

Rev. Howard J. Veals, was in charge of the service at Carrville United Church on Sunday, November 6, and gave a good sermon on Armistice.

The Carrville Choir sang.

Brian Walker joined the choir last week and a few weeks ago Julie Melnic, Nancy Middleton and Roy Hill joined. Jim Bushell the organist and choir-leader, welcomes any boy or girl who cares to come.

Rev. Veals, announced the Cemetery Board would hold a meeting Thursday evening at 8 p.m. and the Board of Stewards the same evening at 8.30 p.m. both at the church. Roy Hill received a silver pin award for completing another 13 Sundays at Sunday School.

**Birthdays**

Johnny Mitchell celebrated his 8th birthday on Saturday, October 29, and had a birthday cake with Grandpa and Grandma Mitchell (Mr. and Mrs. A. Mitchell) and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mitchell and family at their home, his mother and father and sisters were also present, then on Monday, Mrs. John Mitchell, on October 31, celebrated her birthday, hope all had a nice time on their special day and have many more.

Mr. Albert Middleton celebrated his 85th birthday, November 1, happy birthday to him too also happy birthday to Roy Hill who will be 1 year old on November 13.

**Halloween Party**

Jim Bushell entertained the Carrville Choir at a halloween party at his parents home, in the early part of Monday evening. Reports are they had a real nice time, then some of them decided pouring rain or not they would go shelling out so, of course, needless to say they really got drenched.

**Socials**

Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, and family spent the week-end at Kingston with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harding and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barton and John visited on Sunday evening with Mrs. Jos. H. Drumm, at her home in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Middleton and Gretta and Nancy had dinner Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stevens and family, Scarborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Miller of Keswick, Miss Laura Fraser, Downsview and Bob Swarbrick and John Barton, visited on Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Middleton and family.

**Accidents investigated 21; court summonses issued 76; served for other police departments 46; warrants of commitment executed 15; theft 9; break, entry and theft 2; liquor seizures 3; domestic complaints 3; false pretences 4; dog complaints 10; malicious damage 5; fatalities 1; funerals (escort and duty) 21; fire calls 2; 1 stolen car recovered; 1 arrested for other departments; 3 garbage complaints.**

## October Busy Month Markham Police

Markham Township Police answered 487 calls during the month of October, putting a total mileage of 11,385 on police cruisers at a cost of \$546.99. Sixteen persons were arrested during the month and 11 persons were convicted.

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## Pre-Assembly Know-How Service Another First

The other day a chap appeared at Ken Cheney's Custom Kraft Cabinets shop at Spruce Street and Yonge, Richvale carrying pine panels. He wanted a bookcase but couldn't afford to buy one from a store. Ken ripped the panels into boards, planed and bevelled the edges, cut the base according to a little sketch his customer showed him and mitred the corners. The visitor left with a bookcase ready for assembly at home. Ken's labour cost \$2.50.

The story of Ken Cheney, cabinet maker, is another 'first' for this district where so much ingenuity is to be found. He has recently expanded his services and now is the 'man behind the do-it-yourself' and thinks his shop is the only such around here making skilled, fully guaranteed, pre-assembly services available.

Here's how the idea works. If you want a room divider, let's say, Ken will assist with the design and accessories (he's had years of experience in this advisory work), then he will cut the material to pattern, do any necessary machine sanding and in short ready the material for home assembly. About all you need to finish the job is a hammer, a screwdriver and a paintbrush. The cost to you will have been drastically cut, anywhere from 50 per cent up of the usual cost involved. The same service applies to hi-fi sets or any other piece of furniture, be it for decorative or utilitarian use or both.

Ken said he had considered this idea for quite a while. "It struck me that often the cost for such furniture purchased in a store would be prohibitive for the average home owner struggling to keep abreast of the mortgage," he said. "I felt that many persons would be ready to avail themselves of my type of preliminary cabinet work if assured the cost to them would be modest. Everyone is sufficiently creative to do assembly work. Then too, I get a vicarious satisfaction helping others to own a decent bit of furniture."

Ken's idea isn't built on only a flash of inspiration. Although not quite 37, he has been in the cabinet making and boat building business for almost 20 years. A well known kit-builder, one of his boat kits, assembled by Lorne Graham of Aurora took top honours at a Honey Harbour regatta.

When he established himself in Richvale some seven years ago he could look back on 13 years of building boats from semi-hydro runabouts of his own design to

small, sturdy fishing craft to work on wooden aircraft at Weston prior to his joining the air force when he had a trade grouping in repairs to wooden aircraft and high speed crash-tender boats; to post-service years when he went into the cabinet making profession under contract to Bell Telephone for panel mahogany switchboard cabinets and other specialized office furniture. He is one of the few skilled men who were available to repair Arsons at Malton Airport. This originally was the twin-engine bomber later used to train pilots. One of his satisfied accounts is Falco-bridge Nickel Mines.

Toronto born Ken says there is no reason why any type of furniture or divider can't be created to meet the demand of any home owner at a price to fit the pocket that pays. In the breast of practically every citizen there beats the heart of the sturdy do-it-yourselfer, he maintains, and his service is designed to tap that urge to everyone's saving satisfaction. He also handles different furniture paint and is ready at all times to advise the hobbyist.

Ken is married to the former Mary Reed who comes from a military family in Aldershot, England. There are two children, Karen, four and Keith, two, both of whom have the same birthday, June 24.

The amiable fellow, who is acting Captain of the Richvale Volunteer Fire Brigade, said his chief occupational hazard is represented by little children, his own included, who seem to be uncontrollably attracted to the fine tin-covered lift door of the repair shop on which they bang vigorously with anything bangle.

So for actual or potential do-it-yourselfer and others whose desire for a piece of good furniture is stymied by the cost, a visit to Ken Cheney will resolve that problem. The saving involved is remarkable and the finished product will gladden the heart of the most discriminating home owner. Their patronage will also enable Ken to enjoy the vicarious satisfaction which, to the creator, is meat and drink.

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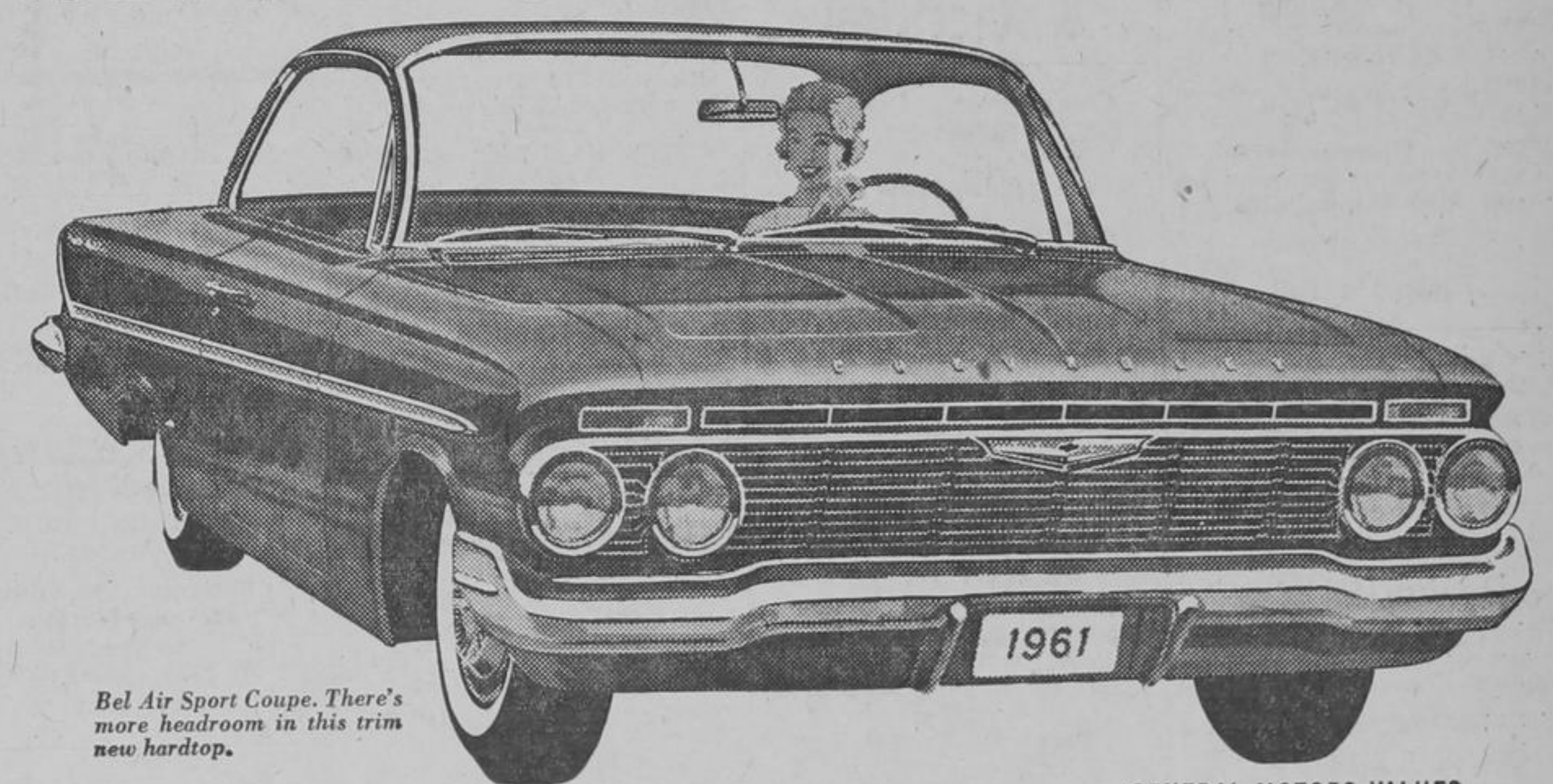
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