

High In Juniors—Low In Senior Citizens

Richmond Hill Has Big Proportion Of Citizens In Largest Earning Plus Home-Making Category

Richmond Hill contained a little better than one-seventh of York County's population at the end of September, 1960, figures from the County of York records show. Total population of the county was 109,935, with Richmond Hill population being 16,097.

"The Hill" escaped by a whisker being the county's largest municipality. That position was captured by Vaughan Township, with 16,273 people. Richmond Hill was, however, far-and-away York County's largest town, its 16,097 nearly doubling Newmarket's 8,704. Aurora, climbing rapidly in recent years, threatens to pass the county town before very long, its population now being 7,151, only approximately 1,600 behind Newmarket.

Smallest of the fourteen municipalities which make up York County is Sutton. That pleasant lake-side town trails with 1,430 people.

Age Brackets Change
Especially informative are the figures which show age brackets in the various municipalities.

	1-3	4	5	6-7	8-9	10-13	14	15	16-19	20-59	60-64	65-69	70 & Over	Total
WHITCHURCH TWP.	750	212	196	405	383	689	147	128	381	3347	215	139	252	7244
SUTTON	93	29	32	54	67	103	37	20	76	626	53	55	185	1430
WOODBIDGE	197	36	56	119	102	196	37	27	129	1142	75	52	120	2288
VAUGHAN TWP.	1494	408	423	774	781	1341	353	255	857	8041	433	388	725	16273
RICHMOND HILL	1873	584	525	963	834	1338	235	228	653	8138	240	209	277	16097
NEWMARKET	623	181	180	374	349	679	152	125	465	4045	61	199	1071	8704
MARKHAM TWP.	1073	335	343	662	621	1160	230	223	733	6523	506	331	687	13427
GEORGINA TWP.	146	43	63	99	103	156	45	36	128	1031	113	98	211	2272
MARKHAM VILLAGE	427	109	122	228	200	346	71	71	240	2019	109	89	248	4279
STOUFFVILLE	369	73	84	131	123	222	42	34	127	1336	135	113	309	3098
EAST GWILLIMBURY	1372	350	292	546	464	846	154	121	441	4945	264	202	382	10379
NORTH GWILLIMBURY	452	147	156	323	291	477	86	91	206	2589	176	173	196	5363
KING TOWNSHIP	233	309	326	623	589	1001	214	193	583	5766	200	235	508	11930
AURORA	760	201	169	336	345	536	97	78	291	3541	204	185	408	7151
COUNTY TOTAL	9,862	3,017	2,967	5,637	5,252	9,090	1,900	1,630	5,310	53,089	3,134	2,468	5,579	109,935

To Encourage Industry

Price Control Of Industrial Land To Be Insisted On By Vaughan Twp.

Vaughan Township Council, at its regular meeting on Monday cleared the books of \$28,485.21 in outstanding bills, and of this April pay-off, the welfare accounting took a big bite of \$4,738.23. This obligation, continuing to run consistently high, reflects the continuing adverse employment situation in the township, and would seem to show that the normal

spring work-improvement picture is running later than usual.

General Accounts took \$9,538.05 while the Road Accounts came to \$6,732.53. Police and Fire Accounts totalled \$6,251.98, while the Waterworks Account stood at \$1,224.42.

Estelle Subdivision
Council reviewed a request from the developers of the Estelle Industrial Subdivision, north of Highway 7 and west of the C.N.R. Marshalling Yard, asking for de-control of ceiling prices on industrial land, as provided for in the proposed agreement, as of January 1, 1965, and said no Council accepted a recommendation from its Planning and Building Committee that controls remain in effect until January 1, 1967.

The price of land in the development starts at \$6,500 per acre and can be increased \$1,000 the second year and \$500 per acre per year for the next four years. If the proposal is signed this year, under these terms de-control will not be allowed until January 1, 1967.

Council members said that by controlling prices in the next six years, it is logical to assume that potential industry will more readily respond to this inducement. The developers feel that in view of their investment in the land that, come January 1, 1965 they should be allowed to strike as hard a bargain as appears reasonable.

The matter of a formal agreement between Estelle and the Township has been hanging fire since Vaughan's new council took over and indications are it will not be settled without considerably more negotiations by the industrial subdivision.

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GORMLEY NEWS

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Missionary conventions in local churches were the big highlights of the week-end.

The convention at Heise Hill Church commenced on Thursday night with Rev. and Mrs. Lorne Ruegg of Jordan as speakers. Other speakers were Miss Anna Wogelmuth, Miss Eva Melhorn, Miss Velma Brillinger, and Miss Ruth Hoek, all of the Southern Rhodesia Brethren in Christ Mission.

Rev. Henry Hostetter of Mt. Joy, Pa., and Sec. Treas., of the Brethren in Christ Foreign Mission Board was also one of the speakers. Mr. Hostetter has toured the missions in Africa and also showed pictures of his trip. Sunday's offering for Home and Foreign Missions was slightly over \$1500.

Friends are pleased to learn that Mrs. S. N. Doner is home from Wellesley Hospital, Toronto, and is visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. James of Stouffville.

The annual missionary convention at Gormley United Missionary Church closed Sunday evening with a challenging message by Rev. Richard Reilly, of Elkhart, Indiana, our foreign mission board secretary. The Burkholder sisters from Markham provided special singing.

Three services were held during the week. On Wednesday evening the W.M.S. had charge and Dr. Jean Erb spoke on Nigeria. On Thursday night, the Sunday School had charge and Rev. Jake Hostetter spoke of the Dominican Republic. On Friday evening the Youth Executive was in charge and Rev. George Wepler showed pictures of pioneering with the Gospel in Kenya and the Congo.

Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Knights addressed the Sunday School telling of the extreme spiritual darkness in the Sudan. In the Sunday morning church service Rev. O. L. Traub, District Supt. of the Nigerian work in Africa, captured the interest of all present as he explained why communism has been unable to sink its roots into Nigeria, leaving this country a strategic open door for the Christian message.

Offerings for missions during the year from all church departments amounted to \$3,240.00. Cash offerings during convention services totalled \$2,520.00 making a grand total of \$5,760.00 for the whole year.

Mrs. T. Hepburn supplied in the Jr. room at S. S. 7, Whitechurch last week for Mrs. Harry Hunt, who had a throat infection.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Nigh home after spending the winter in Florida.

Belated birthday greetings to Mrs. Ida Cook who celebrated another birthday on Monday, May 1.

Mrs. Cook, and the Baker family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Baker and family of Brampton on Monday night in honour of Mrs. Cook's birthday. Captain and Mrs. A. Hopkinson of Hamilton spent Saturday with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. C. Milsted.

Master Chris Johnston entertained a number of friends at a party on Saturday afternoon in honour of his sixth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Empringham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Climenhage of Stevesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Davis of Clarence Centre, New York had dinner on Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brillinger.

Rev. and Mrs. Lorne Ruegg, on furlough from Jordan had supper on Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Heise.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George French were Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Charlton of Stevesville and Mrs. Earl Bossert of Buffalo.

Miss Carol Nigh of Niagara factory conclusion.

Christian College, Fort Erie, spent the weekend with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Roy Nigh.

Mr. Levi Elliott of Toronto spent a few days recently with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Elliott.

Mr. Frank Harvey spent Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. French.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rush and Bonnie of Ridgeway spent the week-end with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Roy Nigh.

Mr. John McDonald of Collingwood had supper on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elias Elliott.

Mrs. J. B. L. Stiver is feeling better following her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stiver, Jane and Annie, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stiver of Toronto visited their mother, Mrs. J. B. L. Stiver, on Sunday.

Rev. Paul Nigh of Hagersville and Rev. Wm. Vanderbent visited Mr. and Mrs. George Cober last week.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Heise and girls have moved to Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. David Coon and sons moved last week to their new home in Stouffville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barber and Tommy moved on Saturday from the Milsted apartment to a house near Cashel.

A personal shower for Miss Ada Smith, a bride-to-be in May, was held at the home of Mrs. Marshall near Milliken. The groom-to-be, Mr. Peter Bunnett, was also honoured at a party on the same evening at the home of Mr. Levi Smith of Almira.

Mrs. Marilyn Harman and Mr. Roy Scott had supper on Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ron Elliott.

Mrs. George Cober is considerably improved following her recent illness. She is able to be up each day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ferris and family of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bolender.

Metro Offenders Vaughan Problem Increase Duties

Chief Constable James Davidson says that the crime picture for the township looks much worse on the surface than it actually is. He points out that Vaughan, bordering Metropolitan Toronto, is in the unique and difficult position of having to deal with criminal and traffic conditions which originate in the larger, more densely populated area which it borders. "Statistics," he said, "indicate that the bulk of our offenders migrate into Vaughan Township from within the borders of Metropolitan Toronto." Approximately 80% of the criminal element arrested by the Vaughan Police Department are from the Metro area, he added.

Referring to traffic problems and offenses, he said they are greatly influenced by the influx of residents from the area south of Steeles Avenue.




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