

### COMING EVENTS

EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT — 9:00 p.m. - 12:00. Dancing to Max Cameron's Orchestra, at Canadian Legion Hall, Carrville Road, Richvale. Sponsored by Richmond Hill Branch 37 Canadian Legion. \$1.00 per person. tfc36

DANCING, modern and old time, every Saturday night at Maple Community Hall. Music by Art Ceisic and his Singing Plainsmen, stars of TV and radio.

EVERY SATURDAY at 9 p.m. — Square and Modern Dancing Starting May 20 at Cedar Beach Park, Musselman's Lake, Norm Graham and his Original Harvesters with music as you like it. Admission \$1.00. tfc45

MAY 26 — Eddie Midmer of the Midmer Dance Studio presents his annual revue "Showtime" at the Richmond Hill High School, at 7:30 p.m., on Friday, May 26, 1961. Tickets at the door. Adults \$1.00, Children 50c. c2w46

MAY 26 — Friday, at the Aurora Highlands Golf Club, Dance 9 to 1. Admission \$2.50 per couple. Under the auspices of the Canadian Order of Foresters. nclw47

### 168 MILES TO THE GALLON

A pair of scientists recently took a 1924 coupe, expertly tuned it, super-inflated the tires, discarded all excess body weight and drove it an unbelievable 168 miles per gallon.

You could probably get something over a hundred m.p.g. on most cars if you were prepared to follow the scientists' methods. They pumped tire pressures up to a dangerous 110 pounds, blocked off the radiator to keep the engine hot at low speeds, used ultra-light lubricants and never exceeded 20 m.p.h.

When the car reached 20 m.p.h. they shut off the engine and coasted down to 5 m.p.h. when they started it again.

If you are having gas mileage trouble and you need a tune-up then that's the first place to start. Modern engine tuneup is a highly skilled art and our specialists take constant refresher courses on new engines and testing equipment. If your car needs a tuneup then take it to a specialist. It is definitely less expensive.

But if your car is in pretty good shape then its your driving faults most likely. There are many causes: Jack rabbit starts, racing the engine while idling, high speeds you use 40% more fuel at 60 m.p.h. than at 35 m.p.h.) But the most common of all is "riding" the gas pedal.

This is a fault of most drivers and especially nervous drivers and those in a hurry (and who isn't these days?). Instead of holding the pedal in a steady position, the driver "pumps" it more or less continuously. This practice uses tremendously more fuel than the power it generates.

Thornhill United Church is holding a Rummage Sale at 1 p.m. on Saturday, May 27, at the North York Community Hall.

THE DODGE ONTARIO CAR CO. LTD. 5959 Yonge St. at Cummer Willowdale

MAY 31 — Wednesday. Spring Bonnet Tea and Bake Sale. Thornhaven School, Centre St. E. and Sussex Ave., Richmond Hill, 2-5 p.m. Admission 50c, all welcome. Proceeds for the school. c2w46

JULY 1 — Saturday 1 p.m. King City Lions Club annual Field Day at Park. Sports events, evening dancing. c2w46

JUNE 3 — Saturday, 2:30 p.m. Garden Tea, bake table, treasures, plants, at Fraserdale Farms, 2nd Concession of King, just north of Temperanceville. Auspices of All Saints Church, King, Chancel Guild. clw47

STARTING JUNE 7 — Bingo every Wednesday evening at 7:45 p.m. at the Canadian Legion Branch 375, Carrville Rd. West, Richvale. tfc47

JUNE 24 — Saturday. Keep this date open for Richmond Hill Presbyterian Church Spring Fair Giant Sale. Bring the Family.

### Fluoridation In Vaughan Township

Vaughan Township Council has asked the waterworks department to estimate the cost of establishing fluoridation facilities. The request, made Monday, followed a recommendation by Dr. R. King, Medical Officer of Health, York County Health Unit, that fluoridation of the water supply be gone into for the purpose of preventing dental decay.

### CANADIAN CANCER SOCIETY Richmond Hill Unit

**FACT FOR THE WEEK:** About 160 top-flight Canadian scientists, working in dozens of hospitals, universities and laboratories, are currently receiving research support from the Canadian Cancer Society.

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### West Central Ratepayers Association Issues Statement On Hurlburt Apt.

The following statement was issued this week by the newly organized West Central Ratepayers Association. It deals with the proposed Hurlburt Apartment project.

Having learned of the Hurlburt Apartment project for the erection of high density apartment buildings at the southeast corner of Elizabeth and Centre Streets, neighbouring residents were extremely concerned about the possible implications. They took opportunity to attend meetings of council on Monday evenings, May 8 and 15, and as a precautionary measure presented a letter to council signed by 59 householders and residents requesting that action be deferred until they had an opportunity of learning more about the proposal.

What they heard at these meetings convinced them that the Hurlburt proposals were of such magnitude as to create a very serious situation. The proposal at the moment appears to consist of a five or six storey building comprising 80 suites making possible accommodation for at least 200 or 300 persons. The resulting congestion of people and cars in a residential area can better be imagined than described.

Of great concern to ratepayers and residents who attended council was the obvious disregard for their interests by Mayor James Haggart. In fact, it was the Mayor who made the proposal at the council meeting on May 8 that a special spot zoning of this area be made to allow for the Hurlburt Apartments. Residents noted with deepening concern that he has persisted in favouring the scheme in council meetings against the general feeling and expressed opinion of the majority of council members.

At council meeting, May 15, the Yonge Street Business and Professional Association presented a brief in support of the Hurlburt proposition. It was evident to the ratepayers' representatives attending council that the majority of councillors were far from impressed with either the association's brief or the Mayor's plea. In fact, councillors refuted some of the arguments contained in the brief, including the one that these apartments would attract new industry to Richmond Hill. Councillor Tom Broadhurst stated that this was precisely the same argument which was given for changing the area on which Beverley Acres now stands from industrial to residential land. The industry did not follow Beverley Acres and there is no reason to believe if the Hurlburt apartment plans are approved that more industry would come to Richmond Hill. This argument from past and rather bitter experience just does not hold water. Actually the reverse was true. People followed industry rather than industry following people.

The entire council with the exception of the mayor were obviously against the Hurlburt proposal as it stood. Councillor Margaret Southwell expressed the sentiment of the majority of council members and ratepayers when she gave the following opinion in council on May 15. People, she said, had moved up from the crowded City of Toronto to Richmond Hill because of the Hill's low residential density. This lack of crowding made Richmond Hill a pleasant place in which to live and she thought it highly desirable that it be so kept.

Disturbed by the above revelations, ratepayers attending council meetings called a meeting of ratepayers on Richmond, Bridgeford, Centre and Elizabeth Sts. Only a few of the ratepayers who attended this meeting on Wednesday, May 17, were aware of this threat to the character of their district. This was not surprising because the Hurlburt Apartment scheme, like other speculative

business deals, has been shrouded in conflicting information from the start. Ratepayers attending this meeting on May 17 were, however, certain of two things. Firstly, that the character of Richmond Hill in their area was being threatened in spite of the fact that all the councillors, with the exception of the mayor, were disturbed about this. Secondly, far from being concerned with the character of this part of our town, Mayor Haggart was actively pushing the Hurlburt Apartment scheme.

Councillor Howard Whillans explained to the meeting of ratepayers held on May 17 that the planning board on which he sat had consistently been rejecting the extreme proposals relating to the Hurlburt Apartment. Desiring to get an expert opinion on the matter, the planning board approached the Commissioner of Planning for the Metro Toronto Planning Board, who had invaluable experience with such projects in Toronto. This planning expert backed the Richmond Hill Planning Board in their refusal to approve the Hurlburt Apartments as proposed.

Instead of spot zoning for the benefit of one builder, who had stated his intention to sell the apartments once built, the planning board were concerned with the development of Richmond Hill as a whole, which the planning board insisted must be developed in conformity with the low density character of the town. Ratepayers attending council meetings were able to assure the meeting of the ratepayers that this was also the feeling and expressed opinions of the council, the mayor excepted. Because of this larger planning scheme in contemplation, and particularly because of the pressure being brought to bear to spot zone for the benefit of the Hurlburt Apartments, it was unanimously decided to form a ratepayers' association.

It was noted by ratepayers that council had already approved, in principle, plans for a 45 suite apartment to be built where Richmond and Elizabeth Streets join, which is less than 500 feet from the proposed new 80 suite Hurlburt Apartment area. Great concern was therefore expressed over the traffic problem which would affect the already overcrowded Richmond, Elizabeth and Centre Streets.

Ratepayers, while acknowledging that apartments may be erected in the area under discussion, were unable to understand why the speculator was not being held to the existing by-laws. They were also very conscious of the tragic consequences which had befallen other municipalities by the laxity of enforcement of the towns' by-laws and the granting of special privileges to speculative builders.

"What", asked a ratepayer, "is to prevent speculators buying property in any quiet residential area, allowing it to fall into dilapidation and using this as an excuse to have the area rezoned for his personal financial gain to the detriment of the residents?" Notwithstanding the assurance of Councillor Whillans that the majority of council is concerned with the protection of the amenities of residential areas, it was deemed advisable, because of the pressures which are being brought to bear in this proposition, to elect a committee representing the ratepayers' association. This committee would keep in touch with developments and make representations to council, and if necessary, to the Ontario Municipal Board.

The following ratepayers were elected to the above committee: Mrs. Rosalind Anderson, Messrs. Steven Appleby, Cyril Bell, Douglas Boyd, Bill Ferguson, Mac Langton, Bill Leishman, George Pollard.

The committee met at 4 Elizabeth Street North on Wednesday, May 24 at 9 p.m. and will present a petition to council on Monday, May 29 on behalf of the ratepayers' association.

### Mrs. R. J. Clarke Of Richmond Hill Passes On May 17

Mrs. R. J. Clarke, of 369 Tyneview, Richmond Hill, passed away on May 17 at Branson Hospital. She was in her 49th year, the former Patricia Margaret Cole, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cole. She was born at Craigmount, Ontario. She was married to R. J. Clarke of Toronto in 1930 and with her husband moved to Richmond Hill three and one half years ago. Her death, following by little more than one week after a medical checkup, came as a shock to her family and friends.

The funeral took place on May 20 from St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church. A requiem mass was sung at 10 a.m. Officiating at the services was the Rev. Father J. B. Breen. Interment followed in Holy Cross Cemetery. Pallbearers were Mr. Jack Clarke, Mr. J. Hachie, Mr. V. Mathewson, Mr. Raymond Blouin and Mr. G. Lynch.

Mrs. Clarke is survived by her husband, one daughter, Margaret (Mrs. R. Blouin of Aurora), a son, Robert of Toronto, three grandchildren, and one brother, Mr. Joseph Cole of Matheson, Ont.

### Employment Officials Making Survey

(Continued from page 1) with the local welfare officer when they had vacancies. This resulted in a number of men being found jobs.

Publicizing of conditions by "The Liberal" gradually drove home the fact that town and district unemployed were placed in a very poor position compared to people in the northern part of York County, where an employment office at Newmarket serves a lesser number of people than are living in the southern half of the county. They were also in an equally poor position compared to people living in Toronto, in close proximity to employment offices.

This week Mr. A. P. Leahy, Co-ordinator of Employment for Toronto for the National Employment Service, and Mr. Frank A. Mann, Employer and Public Relations officer, visited Richmond Hill and interviewed employers, civic officials, business

association officers and "The Liberal" with regard to the situation. While, quite naturally, declining to commit themselves until they had reported to those with the power to order the opening of a local office, they did declare themselves impressed with the situation as a result of their studies. It was pointed out to them that local quarters in the old Post Office building were available.

**Part Time Office**  
Three possibilities now exist — the opening of a full-time office, the opening of an office two or three days a week, or again another turnaround. It is likely that a decision will be made in the near future.

An impressive number of skills is available in Richmond Hill, the two employment officers said when they discussed the local situation with "The Liberal". There were at least forty different classifications, they said, rang-

ing from labourer to jeweller, from cabinet maker to hoisting engineer and covering many occupations in between. The local unemployment figures were accurate to within fourteen days, the officials said. Cards were taken out of "live" files at that time if no contact had been made with the employment office by a person seeking a job, they declared.

**Special Figures Secured**  
Questioned by "The Liberal" as to why figures revealing the local unemployment pattern had not been available when requested before, Messrs. Leahy and Mann explained that all Richmond Hill registrants went into the same filing system as Toronto unemployed. From that arose the situation that a local employment office and a local unemployed person might be within a few yards

of each other and yet might not be brought into contact except by luck. They admitted that there was a strong possibility that local employers had been asking N.E.S. in Toronto to provide men and that Toronto people had been directed to get into touch with a Richmond Hill employer, even while local people were available. Such an occurrence would not be likely with a local office, they admitted.

For the purpose of the present survey, cards of all Richmond Hill registrants had been extracted from Toronto files — a considerable job.

While no definite announcement, as already stated, has been made, it is likely that if a local office is opened it would serve the entire southern portion of York County.

### HAVE YOU HEARD THIS ONE?

Hearing a terrific yelling from the nursery the mother rushed in to find her baby pulling her young son's hair. "Never mind," she comforted him. "Mary's only a baby and doesn't understand that she's hurting you."  
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Good Turn Day is a council-wide project of the Council of the Boy Scouts of Canada - a character-building, humanitarian project through which the Scouts render a major service to the handicapped.

The Scouts Good Turn works like this:

In advance of Good Turn Day, Scouts distribute Good Turn Bags door-to-door throughout the community. Household members are asked to fill the bags with repairable clothing, shoes and household linens that they no longer need. On

Saturday, June 3, 1961, beginning at 9:00 a.m., the Scouts will make their rounds again - this time to pick up the filled bags. The bags are then taken to a central collection point for shipment to the Society's work-shops in Toronto.

At the Society for Crippled Civilians, over 260 handicapped men and women earn a living and learn a trade by reconditioning discarded articles for re-sale through their non-profit stores. The income from the sale of the reconditioned articles pays the wages of the handicapped workers. Through employment at Crippled Civilians these handicapped persons, who might otherwise be tax burdens or objects of charity, become useful, self-supporting citizens.

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