



LIFE IN THE HILL

Editor Margot Crack



Mr. C. H. Sanderson is at present a patient in Toronto General Hospital where he is undergoing a series of tests.

Mrs. E. Williams of Church St. is at present nursing a fractured wrist sustained during a recent fall.

A speedy recovery is wished for Nancy Appleby who is at present in Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto, where she underwent surgery on Monday last, following a tobogganing accident.

Anyone wishing to make a donation to the Canadian Cancer Society in memory of a friend or loved one may do so by getting in touch with Mrs. C. R. Williams, TU. 4-3798 or Mrs. H. C. Montgomery, TU. 4-3775.

St. Gabriel's Friendship Circle met on Thursday morning and followed their three fold programme of exercises, reading and craft. Coffee was served by Mrs. Jean Reid and Mrs. George Reid. The girls finished their copper tooling and it will be on display at the vestry meeting on January 29th.

Going to the sunny south? Entertaining? Celebrating? These and other items all make interesting reading - drop us a line or call the editor Margot Crack at TU. 4-1105, for inclusion in "Life in the Hill."

Charles (Teddy) Ward, 20, who was killed in a motor car accident on January 14th was a former student at Our Lady of Fatima Separate School. He was a resident of Downsview at the time of his death. Mr. Ward was northbound for Richmond Hill when the accident occurred at the intersection of Steeles and Dufferin.

Theological Sunday, January 28th, Mr. Ernest Barnes will be the special preacher at the 11:00 a.m. service at the church of St. Gabriel, Richmond Hill East. Mr. Barnes holds a special licence to preach in any Anglican Church in the Diocese, and is also the chief stewardship officer for the Diocese.

On Monday evening, January 29th, the annual vestry meeting will be held, when reports of the church organizations will be given, also wardens and other officers of the church will be elected.

Lucky winners of the Lion's jackpot of \$450 at the bingo held on Monday night were Miss L. Thomson, 261 Richmond St. and Mrs. Amelia Patton, 139 Mill St., both of Richmond Hill, who as partners shared the grand prize.

Support the March of Dimes Campaign on Monday night, January 29th, when mothers will be on the march from house to house, canvassing for funds to carry on the necessary work of rehabilitation of handicapped men and women in Ontario.

At a recent afternoon baptism in the Richmond Hill Presbyterian Church, three daughters of Mr. and Mrs. R. Phillips, 296 Boisdale Avenue received the Sacrament of Adult Baptism. These were, Lorraine Isabel, Carol Ann, and Eleanor Joyce.

The Richmond Hill Library Puppeteers are presenting another in their popular series of puppet shows. The show will be held January 27 at 10:30 a.m. in the auditorium of the library. A feature of the show will be a puppet dramatization of Charles Dickens' story "The Magic Fishbone". Admission is free and all children aged four and up are welcome.

A guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Celis over the weekend was Mr. Stonewall Jackson of Nashville, Tennessee, one of Columbia's top recording stars, who on Sunday made a personal appearance at the Crang Plaza. Miss Sandra Celis will also be appearing at the plaza this Sunday, and will be a guest on the C.B.L.T. T.V. programme "Country Hoedown" on Friday, January 26th at 8 p.m.

The inaugural meeting of the York Presbyterial of the United Church Women was held at Trinity United Church, Newmarket on Tuesday, Mrs. A. S. Elson served on both the provisional and finance committees, while Mrs. J. Pollard was a member of the nominating committee. Both ladies are members of Richmond Hill United Church.

The annual Vestry Meeting of St. Mary's Anglican Church will be held on January 29th at 8 p.m. in Wrixon Hall. This important meeting of the congregation will include the election of officers for the New Year, a review of the parish progress in the past year and the presentation of a budget and plans for 1962.

Every member of the parish eighteen years of age and over is entitled to attend and vote at the vestry meeting. Refreshments will be served.

January 22nd, the fourth Monday of the month, was the occasion of the first meeting in 1962 of the Ladies Auxiliary, Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 375. The meeting, held in the Legion Hall was presided over by Audrey Apperly the president, and many ideas and suggestions were put forward by executive members for means of raising funds for the coming year.

There were several new applications for membership in the auxiliary. Six members volunteered to distribute cigarettes to Sunnybrook Hospital. A draw was held and a cookie jar was won by Winnifred Heaton. A supper of ham, rolls, cake, tea and coffee finished off an enjoyable evening.

The Richmond Hill District Kinsmen Club, along with other such service clubs in the Hill, is presently preparing its 1962 agenda reports. President Harry Thomson. The club is presently engaged in sponsoring a boys' club at McConaghy Public School. It also operates the Elmer Safety League in all the local public and separate schools. The club has a Kinsmen representative on the executive of the Hilltoppers Boys' Band and is also hoping to sponsor baseball this year as in the past.

To raise money to support these projects the organization is planning a Stag Night for January 26 at the Spring Garden Legion Hall in Willowdale. Tickets will be available to all men in Richmond Hill for the price of \$3.00 each. Door prizes will be given as well as the grand prize of \$250. The club is also planning another carnival such as they put on in former years. Featured at this event will be children's rides, games of chance and other amusements such as one might expect at a fair or circus.

The executive of the club consists of Harry Thomson, president; Don Bellamy, vice-president; Colin Robinson, secretary and Ron Neill, treasurer. The membership of the organization is made up of men between the ages of 21 and 40, of which there are 26 at the present time. The club meets at the Richmond Theatre Restaurant every second Thursday at 7 p.m.

A party of students from the Richmond Hill High School last week attended the Crest production of "Caesar and Cleopatra".

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rabinowitch and Mr. H. J. Calverley returned last week from holidaying in Antigua, West Indies.

Miss Barbara Southwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Southwell, attended the "McMaster Formal" held at the Sheraton Connaught Hotel in Hamilton on Friday last. She was escorted by Mr. Peter Addison of Paris, Ontario.

With the exception of two grandchildren, all members of "The Langstaff Family" were present on Sunday last, when they gathered at "Country Acres" in a "double event" to celebrate the anniversary of Dr. Ralph Langstaff's 93rd birthday on January 24th, and also the January 21st birthday of his wife, Dr. Lillian Langstaff.

Those present at the party included their son, Dr. James Langstaff and Mrs. Langstaff, their sons Bruce and Miles, daughter Elizabeth; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Davis of King (son-in-law and daughter of Dr. Langstaff) and their sons Ashel, Ralph and Tim; Mrs. Helen Brown, Toronto, and Miss Edna Lizzard of Richmond Hill.

Six of the grandchildren were present, with two away - Miss Judith Langstaff, student at Alma College, St. Thomas - and Bill Davis, who is at present living in England.

Mrs. Barbara Wilder announces that 1st Richmond Hill Scout Auxiliary is sponsoring what they believe to be a "first" for Richmond Hill on January 31st and February 1st. It is a home decorating demonstration, conducted by Mrs. Lilla Tilson, an interior decorating consultant. Mrs. Tilson is very experienced at giving these shows, during which she welcomes questions from the audience, and is adept at helping solve those "do-it-yourselfers" decorating problems. Mrs. Sylvia Thiel, secretary of the auxiliary, and Mrs. Joy Madden are handling tickets, and Mrs. May Walker is convening the refreshments.

The auxiliary has taken the Curtain Club theatre, with its ideal stage, for the two evenings, and Gerry Crack of the Curtain Club, has consented to open the program with a short talk on the origins of the Curtain Club and of the theatre itself. The scout mothers are hoping their show will start a trend of expert decorators in the Hill.

Last week-end was certainly a busy one for the St. Matthew's United Church Hi-C. Saturday night was the evening of the farewell dance for the retiring executive, to which the King's City Hi-C Group was invited. The many games and activities including a twist contest and the excellent refreshments all contributed to make the dance the wonderful success it was.

Going steady was the topic of discussion for the regular Sunday night meeting. It was the group's honour to have Mr. Thompson, a member of the staff of Bayview High School as a guest. Under his able direction and the assistance of the group counsellor, Rev. W. W. Patterson, a stimulating discussion developed, which all the group agreed was extremely thought-provoking.

St. Matthew's invites all high school teenagers to join the group Sunday evenings at 7 p.m. at St. Matthew's Church, Crosby Avenue.

Deserving of recognition - a group of young men known as "The Marquis Rod and Custom Car Club" - a member of whom one night last week, stopped to assist a motorist stuck on a snowbank, and unable to do it unassisted, collected other members, enjoying a cup of coffee in a nearby restaurant, who, despite the extreme cold and abrupt call, came, within seconds, to the motorist's aid.

The club is an organized group of young men dedicated to safety and courtesy on the highways, bound together by a mutual interest in cars and speed sport on authorized drag strips. All members must stop for any motorist in difficulty and give assistance wherever possible. At present they are trying to rent a building big enough for four or five cars where the members may meet together and work on their cars, and build a competition car as a club project - the latter to be financed by club dues and fines imposed for any infractions of traffic or club laws. President of the club is Tony Carcone, assisted by Jim Harvey as secretary treasurer, and members Gerry Creswell, Mike Oxley and George Fraser. These community minded young men are very worthy of support - their aims and ideals to be highly commended.

Enjoying a pleasant change from everyday routine were Mrs. F. Bunce and Mrs. J. Hunt, who spent the weekend in New York shopping and attending several shows.

A joint executive meeting of Women's and Men's Progressive Conservative party was held at the home of Mrs. M. Harrison, Women's president.

Plans were made for future activities, the final being the annual dinner, February 21. An enjoyable and informative evening was had by all. Refreshments were served by Mrs. F. Savage and Mrs. Harrison's daughters.

The many friends of Mabel Robertson will be delighted to hear that she is now at home - progressively learning to navigate in her walking cast until it is removed in late April. Mabel has been a patient in Toronto General Hospital and St. John's Convalescent Home since September of last year.

The Richmond Hill Lions kindly provided a hospital bed and she is entertaining visitors daily.

Next Sunday, January 28th, St. Mary's Anglican Church will observe Theological Education Sunday with Mr. E. Paul Morley giving the address at both morning services. Mr. Morley is well-known to the community as the son of the Reverend and Mrs. Edward Morley and has been for some years layreader in the parish and active in the work of young people both in the Church and the community. He is, himself, receiving theological training at the diocesan school for clergy in preparation for his ordination this Spring.

Of special interest is the January 25th meeting of Walter Scott Y.W.C.A. Neighbours. Overseas guests from Ghana, Sierra Leone and Trinidad will be on hand to demonstrate dances with representative music.

Continuing the self-improvement theme, Mrs. Helen Goodman's topics will be wardrobe and colour analysis.

Mrs. Peggy Critchley will be on hand to demonstrate those interested in working with driftwood as decorative home items, and classes will continue from February 8 for four sessions.

Openings are still available for the Parent Education Course in child study which starts February 8th. Advance registration and inquiries will be taken at TU. 4-2442.

The women of St. Paul's Lutheran Church held their January meeting at the home of Mrs. J. Miller, 300 S. Taylor Mills Dr. In charge of the program for the evening were Evelyn Miller and Barbara Barth, who gave a vivid description, in dialogue form, of conditions in South America and of mission work presently being carried on there.

Betty Harvey, president, conducted the business. It was decided that funds currently in the bank, received entirely through free-will offerings should be disbursed as follows: (1) daily devotional booklets are to be purchased for all the families in the congregation. (2) A Life Membership is to be secured for Pastor Tubbe who was the first Pastor of the Mission in Richmond Hill and is now serving in Chesley. (3) A donation should be given toward the purchase of the church property on Bayview Ave.

An expression of congratulations and best wishes was sent to the Pastor's wife, Mrs. Naomi Myers, who just gave birth to a baby daughter.

After formal organization of the congregation on January 21st the ladies group will become members of the United Lutheran Church Women and will work hand in hand with Lutheran women in other countries to further the work of God's Kingdom.

Before their departure Sir Robert and Lady Watson-Watt spent a few days in New York, staying at the Carlyle Hotel, where they held a reception celebrating the publication of his new book, Man's Means to His End.

Entertaining on Friday was Mrs. G. Langley, who held a tea at her home on Lucas St. in honour of Dr. Lillian Langstaff's birthday which she celebrated on Sunday. Among the guests were Mrs. B. L. Anderson, Mrs. R. Little, Mrs. I. Grant, Mrs. P. Addison, Miss Edna Lizzard and Mrs. G. Farwell.

Teen Town RICHMOND HILL

By Mike Donahue
A good crowd turned out for teen town last Saturday night and everyone seemed to have a lot of fun dancing to the popular records of Gary Anthony. The feature of the evening was a twist contest which was particularly enjoyed by all of the more energetic teenagers. After a hard fought contest the five judges picked Bill Meraska and his partner Barb Richards as the winners. When they demonstrated the twist as it should be done none could challenge their twisting ability. The next Teen Town will be held on February 3rd.

Judith Margaret Heard Bride Of Barry Cutler



Mr. and Mrs. Barry Cutler are seen cutting their wedding cake following their marriage at St. Basil's Roman Catholic Church, Toronto. Both bride and groom are members of the 1962 graduating class in medicine at the University of Toronto. They plan to intern at St. Michael's Hospital.

Standards of white gladiolus and chrysanthemums accented evergreens decked St. Basil's Roman Catholic Church in Toronto for the marriage of Miss Judith Margaret Heard, daughter of Professor and Mrs. John Frederick Heard, and Mr. Barry King Cutler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald MacKenzie Cutler. Rev. P. H. Johnson officiated at the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white peau de soie with a portrait neckline appliqued with guipure lace, long tapered sleeves and a belled skirt with champagne and red carolations and variegated holly.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Jackson and their son David drove to New York on Thursday last, where they saw Mrs. Annie Weller and Mrs. Alice Weller, who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hunt, Richmond Hill for the past few months, embark on the "Queen Elizabeth" for their return trip to Hastings, England. Sightseeing in New York, including Greenwich Village and Radio City, preceded a pleasant drive home on Sunday.

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