

Maple, Concord & Edgeley District News

"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; in Edgeley and Sherwood, Mrs. Raymond Stuart, AV. 5-1934; and in Concord, Mrs. Ruth Keffer, 285-4040.

Pioneer Village Living Memorial Nation's Past

(By Mrs. Raymond Stuart)

The Metropolitan Toronto and Region Conservation Authority is this year planning more than ever to present the pioneer village to the public as a living symbol of a by-gone era and not just a repository in which to store our Canadiana.

When the village opened for the season on May 19, the program arrangements called for demonstrations of spinning, weaving, horse-power threshing, churning, flattening, setting a tire for a wagon, an antique gun shoot, a parade to commemorate the 150th Anniversary of the war of 1812, showing of movies including the new film produced by the authority entitled "The Pioneer Village", wandering folk singers, old time square dancing and a photographic competition.

The village can indeed be called a living village because a number of persons employed by the conservation authority are carrying out daily duties within the buildings.

For example, there was Norman Rose of Nobleton, the blacksmith, and one of the last remaining of his trade in Canada. He works in a completely equipped smithy where he shoes horses, fashions wrought iron work such as hinges, hasps, leather and nails, and restores the collection of pioneer carriages.

Mrs. Florence Belsen of Scarboro makes many of the pioneer clothes, coverlets, quilts and other homespun articles in a workshop which boasts a loom more than 110 years old.

Mrs. Helen Nagel does heart-breaking and prepares such Pennsylvania-German pioneer delicacies as strudel.

During 1962 season, the MTRCA plans to extend the public use of the village and its grounds by undertaking such projects as a strawberry social, a series of square dance meets, old-time plays and Sunday hymn-singing.

Township School Area Of Vaughan SALE BY TENDER

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Friday, June 29, 1962 for the purchase of the following real estate:

- Part of the North-east part of Lot 15, Concession 2, Township of Vaughan, consisting of approximately 260' x 165' - formerly known as "The Carville Public School"
- Part of the West part of Lot 81, Concession 8, Township of Vaughan, consisting of approximately 151' x 198' - formerly known as "The Mount Lebanon School"

All tenders must be clearly marked and designated as "Tender for Purchase" and be submitted on a cash basis at time of closing. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Kindness Helps Cancer Fight

Elaine's 'Fairy Money' Aids Campaign

by Toby Shore

A little girl questioned the lady who came canvassing for the Cancer society. "What do you want the money for?"



ELAINE BOYD
(Photo by Toby Shore)

The canvasser tried to explain that the money was given to help sick people get better. The little girl wandered off but returned with her piggy bank. She emptied out the dollar she had been given for her birthday and the 11 cents she'd saved. Giving it ALL to the lady she explained that now more people would get better.

That was during the Cancer campaign last year and perhaps you remember reading about six year old Elaine Boyd's wonderful gift in Maple Notes.

This year Elaine's mother, Laura Boyd, was a canvasser. Very unannounced, Elaine again emptied her bank out to give

all the "Fairy Money" she had saved this year, to make sick people better through the Cancer campaign.

Elaine, now seven, attends George Bailey Public School where her teacher in grade 2 is Mrs. Russell Tilt. She lives at 6 Lancer Drive and her "Fairy Money" consisted of the quarters she had been left by the fairy after each of her four teeth had come out!

Surely we as adults can learn from the unselfishness and desire to help others as shown by Elaine and her "Fairy Money". Truly - "A little child shall lead them".

Langstaff & Thornlea News

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Langstaff Home & School Baseball

The girls' team continued their winning streak, defeating Thornhill 15-6. The boys playing host to Thornhill chalked up their first victory of the season on Monday, May 15, but were less lucky at Powell Road School on the following Wednesday when they lost with a score of 10 to 4.

A very exciting ball game fathers against boys was played on Tuesday, May 16th at the school. The fathers' team were heavy hitters and their fielding more accurate than the boys - but the boys had the speed.

Mr. J. H. Wilson and Mr. Michael Lipp put on a terrific display each catching balls thrown into field by their respective sons and the boys had difficulty with the drives belted into left, right and centre field by the fathers' team which was captained by R. C. Urquhart and included L. Moore, J. H. Wilson, A. Maston, J. Mitchell, L. Dawson, M. Lipp, Mr. Forster, R. Jolliffe, F. Dunbar.

On June 1st, pupils, teachers and room mothers of grades 6, 7 and 8 will be visiting Morrisburg to tour the Upper Canada Village. Their day will start at 7 a.m. at the Union Station for the train trip. The staff and pupils will spend the afternoon at the village, returning to the Union Station at 9 p.m. The school nurse, Mrs. Hogan, will be accompanying them on the trip.

At the Woodbridge Music Festival, Mrs. Crichton's grade 2 and 3 choir, conducted by Mr. Richardson, assistant musical supervisor for Vaughan were placed second in their competition.

Brownies & Guides

The Mothers' Auxiliary of the 1st Langstaff Guides and Brownies met at the home of Mrs. George Buehn, Boyle Dr., on Thursday last week.

Mrs. Harper gave an interesting talk on the work of the Brownies during the past year, and also on the week-end spent at Camp Samac.

The Brownies themselves sold 420 boxes of cookies during the recent cookies drive.

The Brownie and Guide banquet is scheduled for May 29th at the Thornhill Baptist Church at 6.30 p.m. Mrs. Kenneth Brown will be taking over her duties as new Guide Captain in the fall.

Greetings

Birthdays greetings to Mrs. J. Noel, Sussex Ave., who was 76 on May 15th, also to George Malters who was 15 on May 15. Many happy returns to you both.

Highland Park

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Neighbourhood Notes

This month saw the moving van at two homes - where the folks had been the original owners, that is the Booth family of Highland Park who have lived here over 12 years. They left to go to London, Ontario, where Dave's firm has transferred him. Then Kay and Wally Hodgins moved to a duplex in Weston. Wally has had a rather rough time for the past few years since his stroke, and Kay went back to her job as dental technician, this move was to relieve them of the responsibility of yard and garden. This week I received the bad news that Wally suffered another fall and broke the other hip and is in Humber Memorial Hospital for possibly a month then is coming to St. John's. It is hoped some of the neighbours will pay a visit. People are always reluctant to leave this fair subdivision and both these families express their regrets.

Mr. and Mrs. George Huha welcomed a new daughter, a 9 lb. sister for Barbara and David and a birthday present for Barbara's friend Karen Higgs, at the Branson Hospital on May 17.

I received the good news that Edith Jones expects to be allowed to go home this week-end, our good wishes for a continued return to good health to Edith.

Field Day is being anticipated at Henderson Ave. School and much time is being spent at practice. Sorry to hear Dorothy Lennie fell and hurt her arm. It was rather a severe dislocation and not a break as was thought at first but Dorothy was one of their best prospects and the shortstop on the baseball team so she will be missed.

The girls are upholding the honour of the school on the ball field the boys are unable to beat Woodland this year.

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Maple Notes

If We Don't Get A Holiday

Somehow the "24th" has lost most, if not all, of its glamour. The old chant, "the 24th of May, is the Queen's birthday, etc." is only recalled by old folks like me! The excitement of firecrackers is no longer in the air. Because of the carelessness of certain types, children, and adults, have been injured so that the sale is restricted. The price is now so exorbitant that because of the state of our pocket book, the buying is greatly restricted. Of course in our overly organized communities we can still go and watch displays put on by other people - but do you remember the fun we used to have on the 24th, regardless of the day in the week, we all had a holiday with a wonderful celebration at night where everyone joined in! Ah, gone are the days -

Onslaught of Measles

It was 'alotgether boys' in the House family when Jeff, Steve and Rickie came down with the measles recently. It was just a too much for Rickie who was already suffering from an infection. They are all O.K. now.

Days To Buffalo On Birthday

Nadine Watson had a shopping spree with her grandparents in Buffalo, on her 14th birthday, May 7. It's nice to hear Nadine is feeling so chpper these days.

St. Stephen's W.A.

The secretary of St. Stephen's W.A., Mrs. H. O'Neil was hostess to the W.A. at her home, on May 9. The meeting was in the form of a shower of canned goods and soap, to be taken to the Deanery meeting for distribution through the W.A. social service department, to needy families.

Dates To Remember

On June 6, the annual W.A. banquet will be held. All members are asked to plan to attend this big night for the ladies.

On June 13, the next regular meeting will be held in the rectory garden with the "Little Helpers" and their mothers invited to attend.

Birthday and Party

Ronnie Crook was nine on May 17th, and celebrated with a birthday party the following day.

Dorcas Unit U.C.W.

Mrs. S. Valentin presided over the Dorcas Unit of the Maple United Church Women when they met on Tuesday afternoon, May 15, in the church parlour.

A lengthy and interesting workshop and study period was given by Mrs. G. Darker, taken from the study book on "Our Church and Community." Mrs. Dyson was the pianist. Mrs. A. Avery read verses of scripture followed by each member quoting a prayer.

Goodwill Unit U.C.W.

The evening of May 15 was the meeting time of the Goodwill Unit of Maple United Church Women with Mrs. D. Jarrett presiding and Mrs. H. Jarrett, pianist.

The worship was given by Mrs. E. Birch, using as the theme, "The Task of the Church." Mrs. B. Weisse read the scripture.

Mrs. H. Jackson reviewed a chapter from the study book, "Collapse and Recovery of Family Living," after which a discussion took place.

Coffee Break With John Addison

With the beautiful bouquet of white snapdragons and red carnations, sent to the hostess by Mr. Addison, gracing the living room of Helen McDermott, 21 Goodman Crescent, 21 neighbours gathered around to meet and hear John Addison, Liberal candidate in the federal election for York North.

Mr. Addison appeared quite at ease as the only male in the group and most adept in answering many questions fired at him from all directions concerning the needs and desires of the voters in York North.

Mrs. Donald Plaxton of Richmond Hill also joined in with the group.

Little Debbie Newman, assisted by her mother Flo Newman, Eleanor Lloyd and Helen Plunkett, played hostess to nearly 40 youngsters while their mothers visited Helen. These children enjoyed pop and cookies and balloons and gave a noisy welcome to Mr. Addison as he joined in with them and gave them each a pencil.

Helen would like to thank the girls who assisted her in many ways and also Lorna Clendenon who so beautifully arranged her flowers.

Late Miss Edna Gordon

The funeral of the late Miss Edna Gordon, of Toronto, took place on Wednesday, May 15, at Maple Cemetery.

She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Gordon and was born on the parent's farm on Dufferin St.

She is survived by one brother, John, who lives in Alberta.

More Birthdays

Glen Salter celebrated his birthday on May 14 and Albert Bishop did likewise on May 16. A Neighbourly gesture

Folk around certain sections of Normale were greatly appreciative of Phil Macfarlane's offer of top soil that they could have for their landscaping needs - a case of it's yours for the taking!



John Addison, Liberal Candidate for York North, is deeply concerned with the problems facing the farmer in these days of high costs and cut-rate prices. He is taking every opportunity to become fully conversant with the problems of all the many farmers in the riding. He is seen above discussing possible remedies with Stewart Rumble of Markham Township.

The Farmer, Too Needs a Break

As an independent business man, the farmer, everywhere in Canada, is caught in the squeeze between high costs and low prices. The York North farmer is no exception. But he has many other problems.

The York North farmer, for example, is also concerned by contract farming and its looming threat to the family farm. So far it has had little study or attention by governments anywhere.

One thing is certain, farm incomes and living standards must be raised - and the Liberal Party of Canada has farm policies to achieve this! Some of the means proposed by the Liberal Party to help the farm population are the following:

- Improved price-support measures
- Improved farm credit
- Area development programs, and with necessary capital, to improve farm land use and draw new sources of jobs to rural areas
- Expand Canada's export of farm products
- Serve farmers with information on the market outlook
- Establish a research council for marketing, processing and production to help sell farm products and raise farm income.

Marketing Help

There are also policies to provide long-term capital for co-operatives, to encourage co-operatives - and marketing boards, where farmers want them. Other plans include moving the butter surplus and undertaking a better nutrition program using dairy products.

Especially interesting is the development of plans for new sources of revenue for rural areas, including farm towns and villages. Industries associated with farming and better municipal services can do much to make Canada's farm communities strong.

John Addison, who lives on a farm in King Township and spent much of his life as a farm resident, while a successful business man, is concerned about farm problems. In Ottawa, he will give close attention to them if he has your support for Parliament.

Your Vote June 18 Will Help Elect

ADDISON, John X

PUT YORK NORTH ON THE LIBERAL MAP

(Inserted by the York North Liberal Association)

Watch John Addison each Thursday, at 6:15 p.m. on Channel 3 Barrie discussing election issues.

John Neufeld's Mother Celebrates Birthday

Representatives of George Bailey Home and School Association, Ilsa Thompson, Laura Boyd and Bert Stevenson, attended the annual York-Simcoe Home & School banquet at the Yangtze Pagoda, on May 17.

A panel discussion on "What Do You Get For Your 10c?" was conducted and a lot of valuable information was gained from this evening. The 10c applies to the dues paid into council per member of each local home and school.

Home & School Banquet

Mr. and Mrs. John Neufeld entertained at a buffet dinner on May 13 on the occasion of the 80th birthday of Mr. Neufeld's mother, Mrs. Helen Neufeld, Newmarket. Twenty-five relatives, including Mrs. Neufeld's daughter and three sons, grandchildren, nieces and nephews from such distant points as Vancouver, B.C. attended the dinner.

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