



LIFE IN THE HILL

Editor Margot Crack

Dr. A. J. L. Wright of Parry Sound, a Richmond Hill old-boy attended the Lauder Glass funeral Tuesday afternoon.

Richmond Hill Model Aircraft Flying Club will meet this Sunday, July 22nd, at 2 p.m. at Richmond Heights Centre. Newcomers welcome.

Miss Ann Esson from Kirriemuir, Scotland, has been visiting at the home of her niece, Mrs. John Hnatchuk, Sussex Avenue.

She will be returning for a few days again next week to complete her tour of the Hill and adjacent beauty spots.

Open air theatre makes its debut! On Thursday evening the Curtain Club will hold the initial reading for "Lady Precious Stream" in the theatre at 8 p.m.

This is to be presented in early September in the garden, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Crack, with all proceeds being donated to the new hospital.

Miss Corey Lavender of Elgin Mills will be celebrating her twelfth birthday on July 22nd. Many happy returns!

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Tinker and their son Don returned on Monday from a three day trip to Luray Caverns, Virginia.

Mr. J. Quintile and his son Elio are leaving aboard the Cristofolo Colombo on Friday next, for an extended holiday to Spain, France and Italy.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lehr, of Bradenton, Florida, were in Richmond Hill this week attending the funeral of the late Lauder Glass. Mrs. Lehr is a sister of Mrs. Glass.

Dr. H. H. MacKay returned on Monday having spent the last two months on an extended trip abroad.

During his travels he spent several days in Nice attending the Lions International Convention.

Mr. Stanley F. Tinker, Worshipful Master of Richmond Masonic Lodge, Roy Taylor Senior Warden and Cecil C. Mabley Past Master and present Grand Lodge officer attended Grand Lodge sessions in Toronto this week.

Miss Gylsaine Fleury from Ville Marie, Province of Quebec, left on Friday having spent the last three weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Redelmeier as a house guest of their daughter Virginia.

Miss Judith Hook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Hook, one of Audrey Parker's pupils, successfully auditioned for the National Ballet Summer School and will be studying there until the middle of August.

Another pupil, Miss 'Jackie' Webster, will be auditioning for the school on July 23rd.

New grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Charles, South Yonge Street, are receiving congratulations on the birth of their grandson, Gregory Malcolm Moore, born at Toronto General Hospital on July 8th. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gerald T. Moore, Etobicoke, (nee Mary Idell Charles).

Mrs. E. R. Simpson and her daughters Susan and Amanda, left on Sunday for a two month holiday in Great Britain.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Jaeger, South Fernleigh Circle, left by air from Malton on Tuesday for a months holiday in Dortmund, West Germany.

This is their first visit to Germany since their arrival in Canada ten years ago.

Miss Ruby Moore arrived on Sunday from Coatbridge, near Glasgow, for a two week holiday at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. Breuls, Levedale Rd.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bork were Mr. and Mrs. G. Grant and baby daughter Christy from Bancroft, and Mrs. Bork's sister, Mrs. N. Hoffman from Pembroke.

Among the audience at Stratford on Tuesday enjoying the performance of 'Macbeth' were Mr. and Mrs. C. Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. F. Southwell, Mrs. Don Stephenson, all of Richmond Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hare, Temperanceville, Mrs. A. Annand, Aurora, Mrs. William King of Brampton and her guest Mr. Robert Kirkham from England.

Fellow employees and their friends gave a surprise hay ride and dance at the Bayview Cedars Ranch on Wednesday last for Mr. Robert Willis of the S. S. Kresge Company, Richmond Heights Plaza, who is being transferred to another branch of the store within the next few weeks.

Staff and friends alike wish Mr. Willis every success in his new position.

Richmond Hill W.I. A group of members from the Richmond Hill Women's Institute attended the York County Rally at Vellore on July 12th.

The York County District of the Women's Institute is again going to "support" a child for the coming year. He is a nine year old boy from the Hong Kong district.

The highlight of the day came when the Richmond Hill Women's Institute won the prize for having the largest group of members from a branch attending the rally.

The Rotary Club of Richmond Hill sponsored two students from Richmond Hill High School, Miss Rosalie Watkins and Miss Connie Link, to attend the United Nations Seminar at the Rebirth of Latin America, at the YMCA Camp at Geneva Park from June 30 to July 7.

The aims of the conference were twofold—

1. to give the delegates a fuller insight into problems of the Rebirth of Latin America.
2. to learn and put into practice methods of leadership.

Connie and Rosalie would like to thank the Rotary Club for giving them the opportunity of participating in the conference.

Enjoying an interesting visit to Upper Canada Village last Wednesday were Miss A. Stong and her brother Mr. A. Stong accompanied by Mrs. E. Keffer and Mr. and Mrs. David Howard.

Dr. Walter Mason and Mrs. Mason returned on Sunday from a four week holiday in Europe and Great Britain.

During their trip they attended the Lions' International Convention held in Nice.

Richmond Hill will be represented at the annual convention of Ontario Senior Citizens to be held in the Walbert Building of the University of Toronto on September 11th and 12th. Mrs. Grace Sayers will be the delegate from the local group.

All members may attend the first day's session if they wish. Registration starts at 9 a.m. with reports from delegates being held from 10.30 to noon.

Everyone enjoys reading "Life in the Hill" — why not contribute your news items. Guests from out of town, holiday news, weddings, showers, birthdays — all make interesting reading, and the editor, Margot Crack, would appreciate hearing from you. Call us at TU 4-1105, drop us a note by mail or call in anytime during the week, we'll be glad to hear from you.

Congratulations are extended to Mrs. A. Hall who celebrated her 96th birthday on July 6th.

A family luncheon was held at the home of her daughter in law, Mrs. William Hall, and the honored guest was the recipient of many cards, flowers and gifts.

Mrs. Hall, who lives with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gamble, enjoys excellent health, and still likes to assist with light household duties. She has eight children, 19 grandchildren and 43 great grandchildren.

The Liberal joins with the community in extending to Mrs. Hall sincere good wishes and continued good health in the years to come.

Delphinium Display

Mrs. George Barker & Mr. R. D. Little Court Of Honour At The July Show

The Richmond Hill Horticultural Society held its July flower show last week at the Lions' Hall. It featured Delphiniums and by some small miracle many of our gardeners had managed to save their choice specimens from damage by high winds, rain and hail. Sharing the honors were some very fine lilies and roses and other flowers now at their best. The specimen classes were judged by Mrs. Paul Angle on honorary director of the society.

Mrs. R. A. Lyle, accredited judge from the North Toronto Society judged the decorative arrangements.

The guest speaker was Mrs. H. C. Dollery of the York Centre branch who expertly demonstrated her way with roses. There are styles in flower arrangements as in everything else and the popular one at the moment is the Japanese line arrangement. Another is the mass or bouquet style, much used in Europe. Mrs. Dollery showed both these styles and variations with charming effect.

President Spence Urquhart gave a report on the months activities and civic improvement projects. New members will be welcomed to join in coming programmes.

It is planned that the next meeting on August 16, will include a visit to the beautiful gardens and greenhouses of the Shouldice Surgery at Thornhill, time and place of assembly to be announced later. See Coming Events.

Highest number of points in the specimen classes went to Mr. R. D. Little and arrangements to Mrs. George Barker. They also achieved the Court of Honour. In the novice class it was a three way tie and Mrs. Logan, Mrs. Duffield and Mrs. Patterson each received a prize.

Mrs. Barker was congratulated on her success at the recent show of the Toronto Garden Club, at Edward's Gardens, where she received four awards for two planters, a terrarium and a dish garden.

Held in Midland on Saturday, and blessed with fine clear weather, the annual Orange Parade, comprising 74 lodges and 50 bands playing, required one and one half hours to march past the viewing stand.

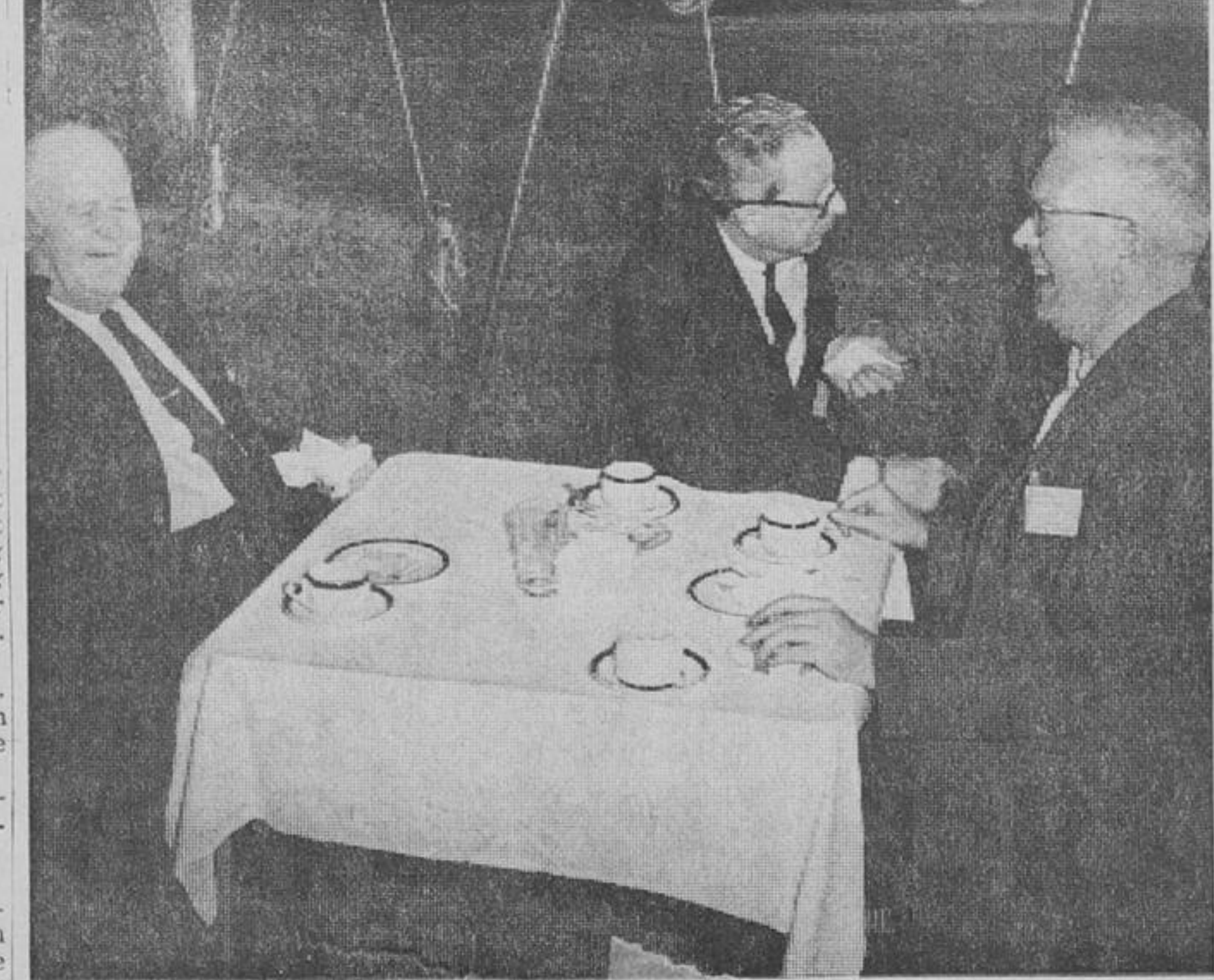
Though this 1962 parade was quite colorful, one feature was missing from "the old days", on which Mr. Ley commented, "in those days, the townspeople stood along the route with pails of cool water and cups, to quench the thirst of the marchers."

Jas. Ley Loyal Orange Marcher Past 50 Yrs.

"Marching along in the Parade" as he has done for the past 50 years, Mr. James Ley of Richmond Street, marched of course on Saturday, with other members of his lodge, the Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 414, Orillia.

Also marching "side by side" were four other Orangemen of 49 years membership in the Orillia Lodge, one of whom was Mr. William Thornton, brother of Mrs. James Ley.

During 1961 a total of 6,064,999 free cancer dressings were provided by units of the Canadian Cancer Society to cancer patients throughout the country.



Enjoying Irish Humor

Three delegates from the USSR are shown on the left with a Canadian official inspecting young trees during the tour of the Maple Forestry Station last Thursday. A. A. MacKenzie, M.L.A. for York North, is seen above laughing at a pun by H. A. Burke of Ireland, (extreme right) president of the world-wide organization, Lands and Forest Minister J. W. Spooner (centre) welcomed the visitors on behalf of the province.

(Photo by Huntley)

Local Residents March In Parade

A near-record crowd turned out Saturday at Midland for this year's parade and commemoration of the Battle of the Boyne. According to Ron Belfrage, Master of Richmond Hill Orange Lodge, just under 100 lodgers were in attendance. Richmond Hill was represented by about 30 members.

The parade through the downtown area of Midland ended at the town's cenotaph with wreath-laying ceremonies and speeches by officials of the lodge.

Lodges from as far away as Cannington to the east, Parry Sound to the north, Owen Sound to the west and from Richmond Hill to the south, paraded.

Several members of the local lodge also took part in the parade at Orangeville, July 7.

The lodge's annual celebration commemorates the Battle of the Boyne, which took place in 1690.



GUIDE AND BROWNIE NOTES

13th Brownie Pack Picnic
As a fitting reward for their energetic efforts in helping to make the bazaar of the 13th Brownie Pack such a success, friends, guides, and the brownies of the 13th Pack were entertained with a picnic at Centre Island, July 9.

Under the leadership of Brown Owl Mrs. Josie Fleming, Tawny Owl Mrs. Vera Smart, and Packie Charlene Rayson, nine friends, guides and brownies, thirty two in all, boarded a chartered bus at Bayview Plaza, then, "singing in the rain" all the way to the ferry, where, on arrival, they were delighted to find that sunshine prevailed.

After lunch (which included a marshmallow roast) at the waterside on Centre Island, the group enjoyed their visit to see the animals in the zoo, after which the younger members had great fun in the wading pool and having rides.

Brownie games were played, relay races and various sports engaged in until "taps" sounded, when the happy group returned safely to Richmond Hill. On leaving the bus, several were heard to exclaim "When do we do it again?"

12th Brownie Pack
A "Wiener - marshmallow roast and picnic" provided a fitting closing for the season's activities of the 12th Brownie Pack, Richmond Hill East.

This picnic was held at the farm home of Mrs. Ethel Riley, No. 7 Highway, Langstaff, under the direction of Brown Owl Mrs. E. Poulin and Tawny Owl Mrs. Edna Hornett.

Games, outdoor sing-song and lunch provided a happy time for both brownies and leaders. Transportation provided by Mrs. Betty Corbett, Mrs. Eve Parker and Mrs. Ethel Riley was appreciated.

Guide And Brownie Camps
Though the brownie packs

and guide companies have suspended indoor meetings for the summer, the following four groups have planned campsouts.

The 7th Girl Guide Company will be camping at Camp Adelaide, located at Black Lake, Haliburton from Saturday, July 21 to July 28.

On August 18th the 4th Girl Guide Company will be leaving for Camp Adelaide under the leadership of Mrs. B. O'Rourke and Mrs. S. Fockler.

The 9th and 13th Brownie Packs will be combining their campout at Camp Sarnac, Oshawa from August 31 to September 2.

Registration Up Over Last Year At Church School

One hundred and thirty-five children have been registered in this year's Church Vacation School which ends this week at St. Matthew's United Church in Richmond Hill according to Rev. W. W. Patterson who is supervising the school.

Three churches in addition to St. Matthew's are taking part in the school for children in the east end of town. They are St. Gabriel's Anglican Church, St. Paul Lutheran Church and St. John Baptist Church.

This is a marked increase over last year, according to Mr. Patterson. Peak registration of two hundred was in 1958, the year before the summer playground was initiated. The first vacation school was held in 1956.

A staff of 15 ladies and teenage girls are managing this year's school, Mr. Patterson said.

It will close Friday morning with a special open house for parents from 10.30 to 11.30.



Delegates Tour Station During Canadian Visit

About 75 delegates from 38 countries representing the World Meteorological Organization and Technical Commission on Agricultural Meteorology, toured the Ontario Department of Lands and Forests research station at Maple last Thursday.

They are in Canada for the third annual conference of the organization being held under the auspices of the United Nations from July 9-27 in Toronto.

Purpose of the conference is to establish a world-wide standardization of meteorological observation methods and procedures for agriculture and forestry.

Welcomed on behalf of the province by Lands and Forest Minister W. J. Spooner, and for York North by A. A. MacKenzie, M.L.A., the delegates heard a series of talks on related subjects from Canadian forestry officials.

They visited the site section, tree breeding and reforestation building, forest pathology building, and saw displays of the effects of weather and climate on sugar maple trees.

Highlight of the tour was a talk by G. A. Hills, chief research scientist of the forestry branch, on "Climate Within a Multi-Factorial Classification of Land Productivity."

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