

Thornhill and District News

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"The Liberal" is always pleased to publish items of interest contributed by its readers in the Thornhill area. Our representative in Thornhill is Mrs. Margaret McLean, who may be reached by phoning AV. 5-2331.

Thornhill Notes

Thornhill readers are reminded of the annual bazaar of Thornhaven School for Retarded Children. The bazaar this year will be held in the new school on Centre Street East, Richmond Hill and all those from the area who have contributed to the school funds or the past several years will be interested to come and see the lovely five-room school which their contributions have helped build.

As the bazaar will be held in the comparatively small compass of the school building, special children's bazaar has been arranged, to be held outdoors. Mrs. L. Redman is in charge of this. She is quite bubbling with enthusiasm as she told me about the miniature table which will feature tiny loaves of bread, candy-bar cookies and cream puffs for the youngsters. There will also be a gift table where youngsters can purchase Christmas gifts for mothers and sisters, and with prices scaled to small pocket-books. All this, together with soft drinks, popcorn and a pony ride, it is hoped, will keep the youngsters busy outside while mothers shop and visit inside.

It all sounds like something none of us will want to miss, doesn't it.

The Thornhaven school now has between 40 and 50 students ranging from 5 to 17 years of age. Plans are also being discussed for a possible sheltered workshop where the young people can be usefully employed when they have passed the school-leaving age.

Hospital Auxiliary

The Thornhill Branch of the York Central Hospital Auxiliary will hold an executive meeting on October 31 to make final arrangements for the next general meeting, on Wednesday morning, November 7. Speaker at the 10 a.m. meeting will be Miss Jean Marsden, retired superintendent of nurses at Toronto General Hospital who will discuss with the group the place of a women's auxiliary in the hospital.

Canadian Mental Health Association

A group of five Thornhill ladies, Mrs. R. L. Moore, Mrs. E. M. Bean, Mrs. J. Burridge, Mrs. John Mavor and Mrs. Maurice Lodge, all White Cross Volunteers of the Canadian Mental Health Association, paid a visit to the Ontario Hospital at Whitby on October 19. Mrs. Elizabeth Kelson who is handling the publicity for the local association also went with the group - picking up news for several interesting columns no doubt.

The ladies took a tour of the buildings, noting the various activities carried on, attended a social afternoon for the patients and were addressed by one of the staff doctors. The doctor noted how much of a help was the increasing awareness of mental health in the country.

Holy Trinity News

October 28 has been designated as Laymen's Sunday at Holy Trinity Church. Laymen of the parish will take part in the services and Mr. Phillip Townsend-Carter will give the sermon at the evening service.

At the youth program following the evening service, Captain R. Taylor of the Church Army will speak on the Bible, the best seller and least read book.

With the co-operation of Trinity Caterers an innovation in the form of a coffee hour will be held after the morning service. It is hoped that the members of the congregation will avail themselves of the opportunity to meet and welcome new members of the church at this time.

Cub and Scout News

A group of 30 mothers, members of the 3rd Thornhill Cub and Scout Mothers' Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. A. Tyler, 38 Dove Lane on October 16 and enjoyed a social get-together.

Future plans for the auxiliary were discussed. As it has been found in the past that the first meeting of the year is the only one which is well attended, it was decided that the only other social activity of the group would be a picnic held in the early summer. Other than that, the auxiliary will supervise apple day, Halloween parties and arrange the father and son banquet in the spring.

The group held a sewing bee on October 3 when seven ladies met at the home of Mrs. B. Tremaine on Thornridge Drive and worked on neckerchiefs for the boys. They now have 20 scarves on hand and when these are used up, the group will meet again to make more.

United Church News

Plans for the Opportunity Sale to be held under the auspices of the United Church Women at Thornhill United Church on November 3, got into high gear when the committee met in the church parlour. There were six committee members present and all enthusiastically volunteered to undertake the various tasks entailed in organizing such an ambitious project.

Mrs. D. Rivers is in charge of picking up merchandise for the sale, so if you have any

items of clothing, white elephants, toys, household articles, etc. give her a call at AV. 5-2174. Anyone wishing to deliver on their own, can leave articles in the Sunday school auditorium, downstairs, on Thursday, November 1, during the afternoon or evening.

Some people have started collecting already and I learn that among other things, there is a sterling silver vanity mirror, a toaster in good condition, and for someone who wears size seven and likes tripping the light fantastic, a pair of new pale blue satin shoes.

There will be clothing for the whole family - boys' winter jackets, ladies' new dresses, some nearly-new suits, shoes and hats. As well, there will be attractive Christmas candles to decorate your home in the festive season, jewellery for mothers, and almost everything you can think of - including a department strictly for rummage.

Coffee and donuts will be served throughout the day by the HI-C group of the church.

Sunday, October 21 was designated Bible Society Day at Thornhill United Church. Guest for the day was Rev. Dr. C. A. Gowans, formerly of College St. United Church.

Sunday, October 28 will be Missionary and Maintenance Day, with two special speakers. At the 11 a.m. service, Miss Ruth McLeod of Formosa will speak. At 8 p.m. Dr. E. M. Honey will tell of his experiences in India and Hong Kong, illustrating his talk with pictures.

I see Unit 1 of the U.C.W. met on Monday in the church kitchen. This sounds like a cooking bee or something. And I'll bet it was attended by some of the ladies from the Monday morning physical fitness class, too. Take it off in the morning, put it on at night. Tsk-Tsk!

And speaking of physical fitness, if any of you men would like to really get back in shape, both physically and mentally, why don't you call Mr. Davidson at AV. 5-1654 or Mr. Neale at AV. 5-1360 and volunteer for a Scout leader. Leaders for the 1st Thornhill Scout Troop are urgently needed and working with these lively boys is guaranteed to get anyone on their toes. How about it!

Thornhill Lions Club

Have you heard about the latest project of the Thornhill Lions Club? Under the leadership of Mrs. Edie Bullin, they are sponsoring a junior tournament for all students of Grade 7 and 8 who want to learn to dance and meet new friends.

The grade seven's enrolled October 22 and the grade eight's will enroll October 29, at Thornhill Secondary School. Each group will meet two Mondays each month.

Annual membership in the junior teen-town is a modest 25c annually and a 25c admission fee will be charged each night. Dress will be casual.

being its share of the 1962 insurance premiums.

V.O.N.

A letter was also to be sent to Mr. McDougall, president of the Richmond Hill Branch of the VON, suggesting that they contact Vaughan and Markham Townships seeking the extension of their services to cover this area.

A letter was also directed to go to the Thornhill Golf Club stating that their garbage will be picked up as requested. A cheque for \$30.00 was sent to Vaughan Township to be credited to the village account. This was the amount received from the sale of a motor.

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Johnny Bencic, 113 Henderson Ave., celebrated his third birthday October 17.

Bill Menzies Jr. of Glen Cameron Ave., underwent surgery October 12, for the removal of tonsils and adenoids. He returned home the following day.

At the Woodland Public School graduation banquet held last Monday, the Doncaster Community Ladies Club prize was divided equally between honor students Lynda Brain and David Bagg, both of Thornhill.

The two cheques of \$5 were presented by Mrs. Heather Morrison, president of the Doncaster Community Ladies Club. Henderson Avenue School announced it will hold its graduation party November 4.

Mrs. T. Townsley, Clarke Ave. had the cast removed October 18 from her wrist broken in a fall in her home last month.

On Saturday of this week, the Thornhaven School for Retarded Children will hold its annual bazaar and bake sale at the school in Richmond Hill.

The Doncaster Community Ladies Club will be at the Thornhaven bazaar operating the tea shoppe. They are hoping to see many Doncaster residents taking part in the festivities for this worthy cause. Donations of white elephants and attic treasures to be sold along with the many other fine attractions are requested.

Doncaster Community Ladies Club met a week ago last Monday at the home of Mrs. Edgar Sprucewood Dr.

At the gathering the ladies laid plans to handle the Thornhaven bazaar and approved the purchasing of two Scout shirts for Gordon Snider and Kevin Maher, of the Villa Hospital, who have joined the 5th Newtonbrook Rover Crew.

Leader of the 5th Newtonbrook Rovers is Alf White, former Scouter of 2nd Thornhill Troop.

Henderson Ave. Home & School Association

A meeting of the Henderson Avenue Home and School Association was held Monday evening in the auditorium of the school. Guest speaker was B. A. Lane, supervisor of juvenile probation of the juvenile and family court of Metropolitan Toronto, who spoke on "The Insecurity of the Child".

Parents have been asked to aid the association in obtaining a large coffee maker. Canada Packers have agreed to furnish an 84 cup electric coffee urn in return for 6,000 of their labels.

Parents have been asked to save all their labels and a collection will be made in about three months.

Graduation party for the 1961-62 graduates of Henderson Avenue School is slated for November 2. Parents are invited to attend with the pupils.

Parents have been asked to be sure that their children's rubber bands are labeled to avoid being lost.

Pupils and parents have been invited to take part in a fun fair at Woodland School, November 10.

Thornhaven School is holding a bazaar at 317 Centre St. E., this Saturday between 1 and 7 p.m.

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Chose Fall Setting

An Honour Guard of Girl Guides greet Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Meeke as they leave St. Paschal Baylon Roman Catholic Church following their wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Meeke were married on September 8th at St. Paschal Baylon Roman Catholic Church in Willowdale.

The bride was the former Miss Frances Joanna Read, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Read of Thornhill. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Meeke of Belfast, Ireland. Reverend Vincent LoSavo officiated, with Rev. Maurice Whelan, C.S.B., and Rev. John Mullins, C.S.B., attending in the sanctuary.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was gowned in silk organza with a bodice of alencon lace which also was applied on the front and swept into a cathedral train. Organza petals formed a chrysanthemum headpiece which caught her bouffant illusion veil and she carried red sweetheart roses with white chrysantheums and feathered carnations.

Miss Barbera Briggs was the maid of honor and she wore a floor-length gown of straw-berried organza with a belled skirt and streamers at the back. Also in the bridesmaids, Miss Marian Tucker, Miss Margery Allman, Mrs. Thomas Newton, and the junior bridesmaid, Miss Janice Savage, a cousin of the bride.

Gerald Read, brother of the bride, was ring-bearer. Mr. Vincent Murphy was best man, and ushers were Mr. Richard Read and Mr. Barry Read, brothers of the bride, and Mr. Len Lund and Mr. Blair MacLeod.

The bride's mother received in an aqua embroidered silk organza sheath dress with a long opera coat. Her hat was a luscious pink French velvet made in folds of velvet intermingled with velvet petals.

For travelling, the bride chose a two-piece ruby red suit with black kid accessories. Her hat was peacock blue French silk.

Any person resident in the licensing district may object to the application, and the grounds of objection in writing shall be filed with Mr. H. J. Browne, the deputy registrar of the licensing district, whose address is 55 Lakeshore Blvd., East, Toronto 2, Ontario, at least ten days before the meeting at which the application is to be heard.

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