



Concord Public School Grade 8 Graduates

The 1962 Grade 8 graduating class of Concord Public School is seen with their principal, Mr. R. C. McWhirter, at their graduating banquet. The banquet was recently held at Maple United Church.

Front row (left to right): Susan Rumney, Marsha Openshaw, Penny Connolly, Karen Cross, Jerjo Manninen, Carolyn Wise and Kathleen Cockerill.
Back row (same order): Dennis Clarke, Mr. McWhirter, David Kenneth and Tom Brady.

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WILLOWDALE: William Lyon, councillor for Ward 8, North York Township has announced his retirement from municipal politics at the end of this year to seek the provincial Liberal nomination.

Maple, Concord and 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.

This Week's Happenings In Maple

Hospital Financial Drive
As our town grows - so do our requirements. Everything seems to necessitate expansion - our shopping centres, schools, community centres, to name but a few. Perhaps the greatest all-around need - "adequate hospital facilities within our own area" - has inspired and spurred us to greater effort than previous requirements in that this is one project that concerns everyone in our community. No one can afford to hang back and "let George do it" because this is a personal thing - each family will, no doubt at some period, have occasion to enter its doors. Let's all work together so that should such a time come to us - or our neighbours we can, with grateful hearts, know that we did our share in making treatment and creature comforts available.

If you haven't been called on to assist in this campaign contact your local chairman, Mr. Lorne Wells, AL 7-2483.

Lions Sponsor Turkey Dinner
In keeping with our opening thought, York Central Hospital Financial Campaign and the community's part in it - one of our active service clubs, the Maple Lions Club - has pledged their support to the amount of \$1,600.00 - the approximate cost for furnishing a 3 bed patient room.

As residents of this area, we have appreciated the Lions' worthwhile contributions to our community life - coaching boys summer baseball league, supplying transportation to and from Thornhill swimming instructions, sponsoring the 1st Maple Boy Scouts, the turkey shoots, chicken barbecues etc., and perhaps the most recent hoped to become annual affair - The Lions' Auction, white elephant and rummage sale.

To further this, their latest challenge - attend the turkey dinner - with all the trimmings on November 29 at the community hall. Any "Lion" will have tickets or be able to give information.

Something New at Bazaar
The UCW of Maple United Church are tying all loose ends in getting ready for their annual bazaar and bake sale, on November 17, at 2 p.m. in the church educational rooms.

Plans for the evening's entertainment was the responsibility of Bro. Charlie Rose and his charming wife, Muriel.

A presentation of a lovely basket of flowers was made to the Wor. Master's wife by Jr. Warden Bro. Charlie Rose to which Mrs. Diceman gave an appropriate reply.

"The Ladies, our Guests," was proposed by Br. W. Skidmore, Sr. warden which was very ably replied to by Mrs. Charlie Rose.

Wor. Bro. Clem Reeds was charged with presenting the various acts of entertainment, which was done in a most humorous manner, and included "The Joseph Family" of Gormley, three girls and a boy, accompanied by their mother, who sang several numbers that were highly appreciated; a magician, Mr. Ray Sherrard, who completely mystified the audience with his acts of magic! A local resident of Normaple and Vaughan Lodge member, Bro. Alex Shaw, sang the popular and beautiful "Trees" and the ever lovely "Because", accompanied by Mrs. Roy Clegg.

The appetizing turkey dinner was catered to by the ladies of the church, the UCW members, convened by Mrs. Kay Lightheart.

The Y.P.U. (Young Peoples' Union) of the church assisted in serving.

On behalf of the Lodge a sincere vote of thanks, by P.G.S. Bro. Frank Elliot, to the ladies of the church and their helpers, brought the evening to a satisfactory close.

St. John's Confers The Doctor Of Divinity Degree Dr. Armitage

Dr. and Mrs. Ramsay Armitage of St. Stephen's Church in Maple visited Winnipeg in the first week of November on invitation of St. John's College, which is the Anglican seat of learning in the University of Manitoba.

What was at first called "The northwest American Mission" was founded on the Red River in 1822, with the Rev. John West of Essex, England as the first Church of England Missionary in the Canadian west and chaplain to the Hudson Bay Company.

David Anderson, an Oxford graduate of high promise, was consecrated as the first Bishop of this distant pioneer district, "The Great Lone Land", as it was called, in 1849.

From the very beginning the importance of education and theological training was recognized and fostered; and St. John's College was founded to ensure the place of learning in the life of the new community.

St. John's College, federated with the University of Manitoba in Winnipeg, has a distinguished record of achievement across Canada in the service of its graduates to church and state.

St. John's College conferred the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Divinity on Dr. Armitage in recognition of his service to the Anglican Church of Canada on the Liturgical Committee which prepared the new Revised Prayer Book which was adopted at the Anglican Church Synod held in Kingston in August last.

Concord Socials

North Bar and North Pole are synonymous.

Three Concord gentlemen, Mr. Davis, Jr., Mr. Bob Haines and Mr. John Guest are all at home recuperating after surgery or heart attacks. Mr. Guest was stricken with a very serious attack while working at Sault Ste. Marie and was in hospital there for several weeks. We wish all three gentlemen a quick recovery.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Virgo of the Langstaff road who welcomed their third son this week. Another of those one-sided families!

Another "Royal" Celebrity!

More farm news came our way this past week when we heard of Mr. Wilf Bowes' picture appearing in the Family Herald. Mr. Bowes was shown clipping sheep, a feat he also performed at the Royal Winter Fair this past week.

Mrs. Jean Jeffreys and her children Corey and Mary Lou, Saint John, N.B., visited with Mrs. Iris Orr last weekend.

The Orr household was also the scene of a mammoth football party, given by Geoff Orr. About sixty boys and girls from Thornhill High School descended on Geoff's house last Friday night for a very enjoyable and orderly-type party.

Really, people can be so critical of teen-agers these days that it's somewhat of a triumph when, in a large number, they can be commended on their behaviour. So here is a little bit of good publicity for a change, kids. How do I know so much about teen-age parties? I live next door and my windows didn't rattle all evening.

Vaughan Lodge Holds Annual Ladies' Night

The United Church Hall in Maple was filled to capacity recently when members of Vaughan Masonic Lodge entertained their ladies.

At the head table, guests of the Wor. Master Stewart Diceman and Mrs. Diceman were, P.D.D., G.M. Rt. Wor. Bro. Harold and Mrs. Russell; P.G.S.W. Rt. Wor. Bro. Morley and Mrs. Kinee; W. Bro. Coulson and Mrs. Malloy; Sr. Warden Bro. Wm. Skidmore; Jr. Warden Bro. Charlie and Mrs. Rose; Bro. Joe Booton, Master of Mizpah Lodge, Toronto and Mrs. Booton; the minister of the host church, the Rev. Ralph C. and Mrs. Williams.

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Minor Hockey Leagues

(By Toby Shore)

The executive of the George Bailey Home and School Association in following through with the expressed desire of 108 school boys, within the desired age group, have started the wheels turning to sponsor a Maple Minor Hockey League.

With the co-operation of the Maple Lions' Club, representatives of the boys' and girls' committee, who have met with the home and school executive, tentative plans have been suggested for the use of the proposed rink in the Lions' Park, community centre and a similar rink in the school grounds.

With 40 boys between the ages of 8-11 years, and 44 boys, ages 11-14 years, it is thought that players for 4 teams would be available. Games would be played on the two rinks Saturday mornings and afternoons.

How about that! Sure sounds like all the necessary ground work has been done? - far from it! The school's principal, Mr. Kennedy, will be giving out a registration form to all the boys to fill out. Then each boy is asked to return same to a special meeting and bring his father, brother or other adult with him. In this way the committee will find out first hand, just how many coaches, referees, or maintenance men (and/or women) will be available. Everyone will agree that there is a great need for organized hockey in this area but having a minor hockey league will mean assistance from the parents, sports minded neighbours, service groups et al, as well as your executive. Don't you be the one to disappoint a would-be NHL'er - mark this down big! - Friday evening November 16 from 7 - 8.45 p.m. in the George Bailey School. (1) a meeting planned to complete registration for complete registration for boys who wish to play hockey in proposed Maple Minor Hockey League - (2) an opportunity for parent, brother or friend of said boy, to sign up to assist such a league as coach, referee etc. Come prepared for action - no excuses will cut any ice with this public spirited group.

For that little leaguer between 6-8 years - the teaching staff at George Bailey propose to use the rink as a part of their regular school schedule and would thereby instruct and coach them while at the school. With Mr. McPhail, an experienced coach, this league would be fun and experience for all small fry types. You'll be hearing much more at a later date.

Hockey is Canada's national sport - let's give our boys the opportunity to enjoy it. Attend the meeting November 16.

MAPLE LIONS CLUB ANNUAL TURKEY SUPPER
November 29th
from 6.00 - 9.00 p.m.
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