

## It's The Berries!

This young gentleman, five-year-old Gordon Cameron, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Cameron of Maple may just have overdone his strawberry munching at the recent strawberry festival held by St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. More than 100 boxes of the delicious summer fruit were used last Wednesday at the annual event held in Maple Community Centre.

# 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 and 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, 285-6805.

the McConkey's et al. The 110th anniversary of S. S. No. 11 Purpleville was a big success last Saturday, June 15. Further complete coverage will be given in next week's issue.

## Woodbridge High Aid To Nigerian Pupil Rewarded

Woodbridge High School students put \$300 in the pocket of a 17-year-old Nigerian student attending University of Toronto and it was rewarded. He is Eugene Chianakwam who topped his class in chemical engineering this year; he has been in Canada for a year through his sponsor the African Student Federation and the Woodbridge students raised his pocket money. The student speaks in glowing terms of Canada which he calls a home away from home. He is a frequent visitor to Woodbridge and recently spent a weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tizzard.

He will work this summer as a research assistant at Connaught Laboratories and would like a Saturday job to supplement his income. Along with heading his class, he was second among first year graduates and won the Association of Professional Engineers' scholarship valued at \$300. He plans to return to Africa when he completes his course and hopes to work at an oil refinery at his home town, Port Harcourt in eastern Nigeria.

## This Week's Happenings In Maple

### School Out - For Some!

At George Bailey Public School, the teachers are marking final exams while the youngsters are marking time until school's out. For the high school group that travels by bus to R.H.H.S., it's all over and holidays well on the way; they have a few weeks "grace" until their results come through the mail - in such a manner so that mom and pop can't be put off any longer - it's plainly addressed to the Mr. and Mrs. at their home address!

It's not necessary to be a member of Maple Lions Club to get in on this big annual spree - June 17. Shur-Gain Farm is the place and the big pits will be working over time barbequing those succulent half chickens that are served along with cole slaw, buns and coffee. You're sure to see your neighbour there so file on out around supper time with the whole family - any Lion has a ticket - and there'll be entertainment as well.

Just recently the Shore family was delighted to meet a new member of the family, my nephew, Garth Brubacher drove up from Manhattan Beach, California - near Los Angeles, with his bride Gloria - to introduce her to the clan. They just took four days, driving in their Triumph TR 4, to reach his parents' Velma and John Brubacher's home in Stouffville.

With Garth as driver and Gloria as navigator - they have entered and won - several car rallies. That was before they were married - since then they have yet to get that plaque.

### United Church Women

The Maple United Church units of U.C.W. closed their activities for the summer months, until September. Pot lunch get-togethers were enjoyed by all, with brief business sessions and a social time. The Dorcas unit met at 1 p.m. June 11 in the Christian Educational building of the church. The Good-will unit met June 11 at 6:30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Palmer; Richmond St.

### WA Spring Venture

Again this year the local green thumb members took on extra chores while the dessert chef took a holiday. The annual plant and bake sale held in the beautiful St. Stephen's Rectory Gardens, WA members and friends had a great time. Perennials in their garden and boxed them for sale and then baked their favorite recipe to be sold at the bake table - all proceeds going into the support of their church projects.

### Maple Women's Institute

Mrs. N. Payne was hostess for the June 12 W.I. meeting. Mrs. P. Cook, of Edgeley Institute, took charge of the installation of officers, for the coming year. Mrs. N. Robson and Mrs. H. Jackson gave reports of the district annual meeting held at Vellore.

The roll call was responded to by the giving of parcels for York Manor, Newmarket. Helen Payne, the hostess' daughter, entertained with two recitations. Mrs. Wilbert Jennings gave a splendid talk, explaining the ways taken of helping the folk of York Manor to help themselves. There is a "tuck shop", beauty salon and barber shop for their convenience. Articles, made by the residents, were shown by Mrs. F. Cod, who so willingly helps at the Manor. These are sold at the bazaars. It was noted that the 4th Friday of each month is visiting day.

### Dates to Remember

June 20 is the date of the WI trip to Guelph; June 21 is the date of the Sharon Temple picnic; on September 5, the WI rally will be held in Woodbridge Legion Hall.

The travelling basket was passed and articles were sold while Mrs. W. Noble played a medley of old-time songs. Mrs. J. Lece gave the courtesies and the meeting closed with the Institute grace. A delicious lunch was served by the committee of Mrs. T. Jackson, Mrs. R. Clegg and Mrs. N. Payne.

Next meeting will be held following the holidays September 11 at the home of Mrs. W. Noble.

### Meet New Niece

alas - even as we write this we won't get the results in time of who was chosen "Rose Queen" - (to go in Maple Notes, that is) as Debbie's big night will have been last Tuesday. Hope you read elsewhere in the "Liberal" and will contribute to the York Central Hospital Auxiliary as the Candy-Stripers (our junior auxiliary members) will be selling roses - the permanent kind - all around Richmond Hill this week at 25c each.

Proceeds from the selling of the roses as well as from the tickets sold at last Tuesday's Rose Queen Ball, at Bayview Secondary School - will all be turned over to the Y. C. H. Auxiliary.

At this stage of writing - we're rooting for Debbie, but chosen Queen or not, as Rose Princess she has had a ball already and will be riding on the float in the big parade planned for this Saturday.

The price per ticket to attend the Rose Show is 50c so that all the family will be able to see this display of beauty with its hundreds of varieties and colors.

Helping to make this event being held for the first time outside of a large city, a success and credit to local and district rose growers and rose lovers, music will be supplied during the show by the Richmond Hill Symphony Orchestra.

Again Maple is represented as Lisa and Ray Thompson, of Walton Street, play the cello and violin, respectively, in this orchestra.

### Gold Medalists In Festival

When a speech has to be given at 1st Maple Boy Scout father and son banquet - either a welcome or a thank you type by one of the boys, the chairman knows in asking Scout David Martin, his worries are over.

David has been winning medals and awards for as long as I've been around Maple - (6 years) and maybe more. His teacher, Marguerite Boyle, is to be complimented because David Martin won a gold medal, a silver and a third in the elocution classes at the Spring Music festival in Woodbridge, another pupil, and David's brother, Robert Martin won a bronze medal.

Although the Payne family have moved from Maple to Thornhill, we still claim them because of their church work and WI - so we were pleased to learn that with the same teacher, Marguerite Boyle, Helen Payne won two gold medals in the elocution class of the festival.

Seems few folks knew about it and I figured I was dreaming when I mentioned it. NO W it's in all the centennial news and quite fittingly it's Scott Carpenter's "AURORA 7". Mr. Addison had made the contacts and arrangements.

On display at the Aurora armories, from June 30 the "Aurora 7" will be just one of the exciting projects the centennial president Don Glass and his committee have been working on for months to ensure their town's 100th anniversary will have interest, excitement and fun for their neighbours and guests, of all ages.

Plan to travel north on Highway 11 and help Aurora celebrate its centennial by taking in the many events scheduled for this summer.

### Canadian Rose Society

However I missed out on this news is even beyond me - Maple had a "Rose Princess" chosen from R.H.H.S. to compete in the Rose Queen competition in connection with "Rose Week" when Richmond Hill, the "Town of a Million Roses" is host through the R. H. Chamber of Commerce to the annual national show of the Canadian Rose Society - held June 22 in the R. H. High School.

In case you didn't know either - it was our pert and perky Debbie McConkey but

Congratulations to pupils and teacher alike. \* \* \* \* \*

### Maple Minor Hockey Assoc.

When the M.M.H.A. held its annual meeting recently, plans had been made with the hope that the enthusiasm of the first year, perhaps still held over from the early spring banquet and presentation of trophies. However, as will happen, a very small number attended. For once, I'm complaining! I was the only 'femme' present - except for an executive member - in the group of perhaps 40 men!

Everyone of course, knew the report of the first season of minor hockey was a successful one, above and beyond everyone's hopes or dreams. A bank account of more than \$250 was even realized for a second season's start.

The original executive was unanimously re-elected with the addition of two more directors. President, Dalt McArthur; vice president, Bob McIntyre; secretary - treasurer, Lorraine (Larry) Stevenson; Directors Reg Thacker, Roy Roworth, Norm Ruttie and Hugh McConkey.

A sincere thank you was given by President Dalt McArthur for assistance and support of coaches, referees, executive, publicity, drivers and just plain routers - the parents and neighbours of the Atom (Squirt) and Pee Wee League players. The boys themselves really dug in and played hard and took coaching and instruction seriously so as to make it all worth while for those who gave the time and effort in organizing and making it possible for minor hockey to come to Maple - albeit via the Schomberg Rink.

In due course, it's to be hoped the hockey association will be able to expand to include the older would-be hockey stars as well.

Come late fall, let's get all that "in person" support back again for the 1963-64 season.

### Just Couldn't Lose

I'm rapidly becoming a non-bird lover - at least for a certain robin (who said it was the female who yaks all the time?). While sitting here scribbling out Maple Notes, I knew it was approximately 4:20 or 4:25 a.m. without even looking at the clock, as I could set my clock any morning of the week with the first chirping of this red-breasted monster who never stops for a breath but carries on in a most monotonous, no-doubt (for him) joyous exuber-

## Invitation Out To Form Service Club in Richvale

An invitation has been extended to anyone interested in forming a community service club to attend an organization meeting next week.

Purpose of the meeting to be held at the Canadian Legion Hall on Carrville Road in Richvale is to form a Lions Club branch of Lions International.

Among guests at the meeting will be Lions District Governor Hugh MacKay who will bring along prominent members from other Lions clubs to outline organization and procedures to those interested in the community.

Anyone sincerely interested in forming a club has been asked to contact the following before June 25, L. Boswell (AV. 5-1929), E. Bailey (AV. 5-3623), K. Hough (AV. 5-3930), N. Lenton (TU. 4-2479) and J. Bailey (AV. 5-3820).

## Concord Socials

### School News and Views

A good correspondent is supposed to keep her opinions to herself, but since I'm not alone in this case, here goes -

Last week's train ride from Toronto to Hamilton was just so much wasted time. Nothing was pointed out to the children to give them any indication of where they were, or where they had been. Since the route took us past Port York, Grenadier Pond, the Humber and Credit Rivers, the C.N.E. to mention a few places, we felt that these points of interest should have been brought to the children's attention. The Hamilton steel mills and Burlington Skyway at the end of the route could also have been mentioned. Granted, most of these things got lost in the shuffle of cement block companies and warehouses, but an effort could have been made to make the trip a little more informative.

Two picnics to remind you of this week. The first one is the congregational picnic at Zion Lutheran Church June 21 at 6:30 p.m. Church members are invited and don't forget folks, it's a barbecue this year. Concord Public School picnic is to be held June 26 at 12 noon. Pioneer Village is the place, and special admission prices apply. Adults will pay 25 cents and children are admitted free. This includes picnic facilities only. No guided tour through the buildings this year as we applied too late.

### Camping Out

The Warren Baillies, Concord, Ross Baillies, King and the Whaley and Schouwerwou families, both formerly from Concord camped out recently at Emily Provincial Park, Omeenee, Ontario. Only casualty of the weekend was Elizabeth Baillie who caught, of all things, German measles.

### Maple Librarian Attended 61st. Library Meet

The 61st annual conference of the Ontario Library Association held at Kitchener, May 28-31, was attended by Mrs. E. Smythe, librarian of Maple Public Library.

Before attending the reference workshop, the registrants were greeted by the mayors of Kitchener and Waterloo.

Dealing those meetings closer more with the "small library" Mrs. Smythe took in the library clerical assistants meeting and one of country and small libraries.

One thousand librarians and trustees attended the Conference Banquet held at Waterloo Lutheran University. The speaker was the Honourable Wm. G. Davis, Minister of Education for Ontario.

A reception, given by the Book Publishers' Association of Canada, was held later in Wolper House, Kitchener.

A tour was arranged for the delegates through the Pioneer Village at Doon. Here Mrs. Smythe was interested in seeing an old Maxwell car and a conestoga wagon on display. The 1964 conference will be held in Toronto.

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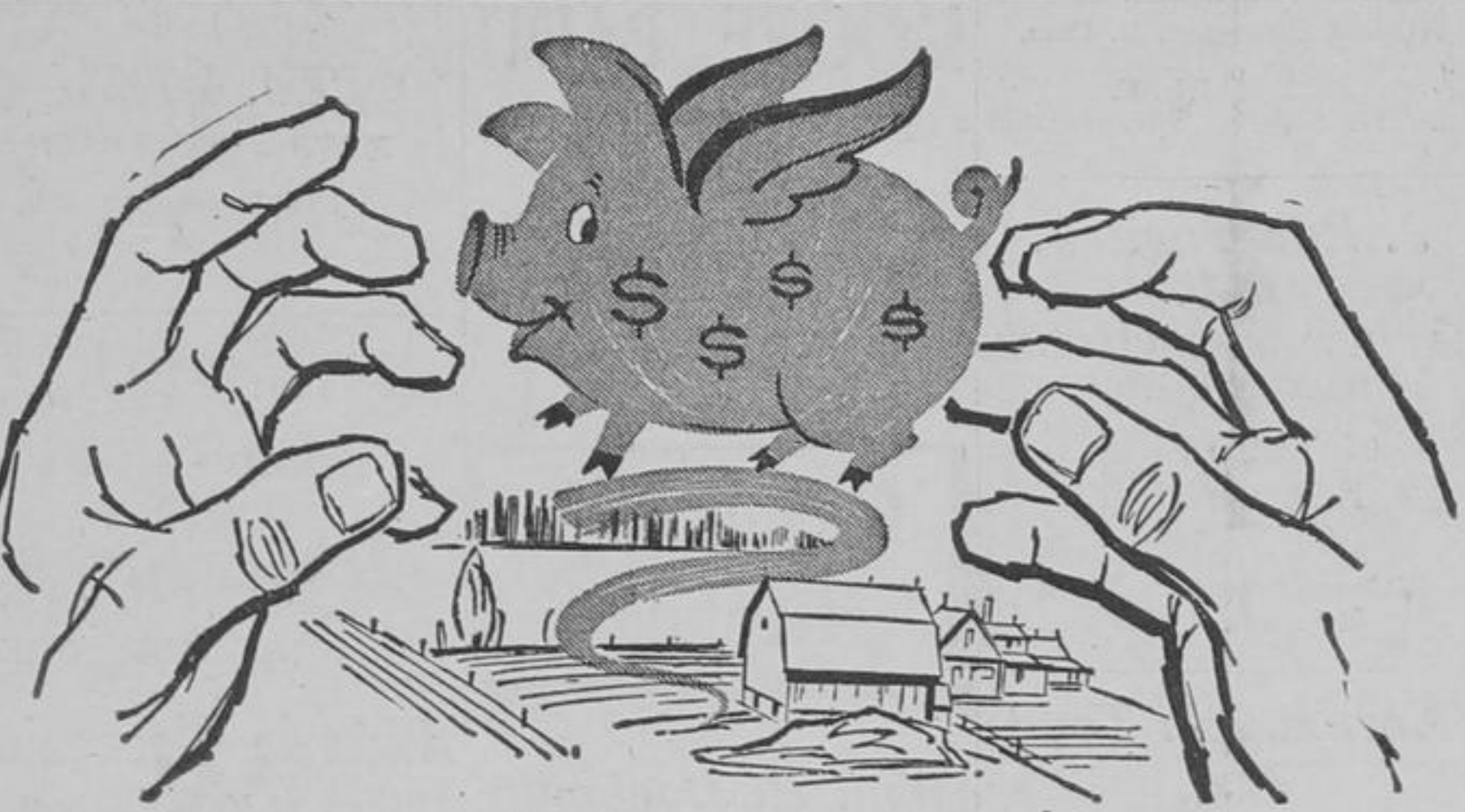
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