

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 Week's Happenings In Maple

On "Shore Leave"

As we go to press the Shore family is right in the middle of holidays. If you have some holiday news for Maple Notes and phone in to 257-1150 and don't get an answer - hold on to it and try again.

Written in the Stars!

About these afore mentioned holidays - after several days of debating whether to make use of the time, when all the family is away, to get some "put off" chores done, or to make use of the car to get some out of town visiting done, I happened to read my "Leo" horoscope. WELL!! Quote "Forego that spree and get caught up on chores", unquote.

Like so many issues these days, the stars too can't seem to make up their minds - or figure what's the use where Toby and "chores" are involved, so they compromised the first of this week and gave me a partial break. "Splendid week for visits, travel AND getting things done quickly"!!

Holidays Enjoyed

During the last week in June, Helen and Joe McBratney, of 5 Goodman Crescent, manager of local Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, enjoyed a visit at Williamsburg. The following two weeks were spent at their cottage at Rideau Ferry, near Smith Falls, where the W. A. McBratney's of Detroit and Miss Jean McBratney of Kingston joined them for a holiday visit.

Serene Holiday

The two weeks spent at a Gloucester Pool cottage in July, were completely relaxing and enjoyable for Tom and Olive Gillings and son Noel. The week-ends were interrupted for Noel as he is on life guard duty this summer at Boyd Park. Mr. Gillings is building inspector for Vaughan Township.

Same Holiday Spot

For several summers Ernie and Sylvia Hemphill, 21 Keele St. North, have trekked off to Miner's Bay for their vacation and as always, this year they again reported a lovely holiday.

Summer Visitor to Maple

Mrs. Charles Smith of Halifax has been visiting with her daughter Marion MacKay and family of 11 Lancer Drive. Actually it was somewhat disconcerting for Mrs. Smith upon her arrival at Malton Airport when she was finally convinced that her son-in-law really wasn't there - to drive her to Maple but Marion was to be chauffeur. Why disconcerting? Well, her daughter had just received her driver's license!! Since then many jaunts have been enjoyed with Marion at the wheel.

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Annual Visit to Relatives

Heather Couper of Aliston spends part of her holidays each year in Maple dividing her visit between her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Park, and Aunt Agnes Couper of 20 Richmond Street, aunt Jean and uncle John LaRiviere and cousins Lynda and Doug of Ontario St.

From England

Last summer Pat Salmon, 60 Lancer Drive, took his son Geoffrey to England with him to visit his parents. This summer, Mr. and Mrs. Salmon Sr. have been enjoying a visit to Canada. Upon arrival, they spent ten days in Montreal before coming to Maple to see their grandchildren, Geoff, John and young Peter Salmon and Pat and Jean. Their next stop over is Peterboro way and then back home to England.

Pat and Jean have enjoyed having their folks with them and also being able to show their part of the country that they've adopted since they themselves arrived from England.

Return to Old Haunts

Every now and then we get caught up on the doings of Axel Sjöberg, who many readers of the "Liberal" remember when he worked as a reporter and feature writer for this paper and had his weekly graphoanalysis column in same. During last week's visit he said the second edition of "The Canadian Analyst" is off the press! He and his wife Sheila, are co-editing this newest venture to assist in introducing this science to more men and women and to encourage wider participation. - Just case you didn't know, graphoanalysis is "character reading in handwriting".

The Sjöbergs are living in Ottawa and Axel sends an "hello" to his many friends in this area.

Out of Hospital

It's nice to report that little Mary Brock, 94 Keele Street South, is home from Sick Kids Hospital but still having to take things easy for a while.

Hopping Around

Water skiing is just fine - as long as you don't come "off" the water! Lynn Jackson, Oldfield Street, found this out in her off hours while working this summer at Honey Harbour. After a stint of water skiing, she stepped on a broken bottle on the beach and got a nasty cut. She was taken to Midland Hospital for treatment and arrived home on crutches.

Western Visitor

Rock, and Joanne DeVono of Gram Street welcomed Joanne's father, Mr. Ernie Dione from Alberni B.C., near Victoria, enabling them to introduce his new grandson.

Midget Baseball

Sports' reporter Bill Hamilton dropped in to catch us up on how their 'Maple Lions' Millionaires ball team is doing. Although they are sort of low in the standings, they're giving their first year a good try. July 16, at Nobleton they muffed their last inning and lost by a score of 17-16. Pete Rumble was base umpire and Bill Hamilton and Chris Moore were pitching. Their coach Bruce Murchison is being assisted by Bud McKee and Reg. Thacker. July 17, at Maple Lions Community Park (will Fred Young please note!) Maple won this time in their final inning 10-9 against Woodbridge with Don Quinton, Bill and Chris pitching. Plate umpire was Lester Downing. Again at Maple, July 24, with Bill pitching, it was top league standing King City, 10 and Maple 3. Dalt McArthur umpired this game - surely he could have done better for 'our boys'!

Perhaps when "The Liberal" prints a picture of Maple's Midget team - they will be inspired to "Go! go! go!"

In R. H. Minor League

Maple ball players also play with teams in Richmond Hill. Bill Hamilton and Kirby Brock play with Reids Auto Body, as does Ralph Cooper of Teston. Don Quinton plays on "The Liberal" team and Bill Robson for Bayview B.A.

Run Out of Copy?

Usually we'd be delighted when we could get reams of copy as close to home base as our next door neighbours and recently there has been "reams of copy". However, with the luck Charlie and Muriel Rose, Lynda and even Grant and sister Barb Cook have had lately, it has all added up to an extended sick list. With the following item, we'll gladly forego any more such "neighbourly" news unless they can change their tune!

Warm And Grateful "Thanks" Perhaps even the family was

pleasantly surprised at the number of neighbours, friends and acquaintances they found interested and concerned over the serious and extended illness dogging the Rose family, 22 Richmond Street, - lately.

During the five week period when Lynda Rose was confined to bed, she was completely overwhelmed with cards, greetings, phone calls and visitors conveying their get well wishes in a pleasant variety of ways.

Both Lynda and her mother Muriel, wish to thank, through Maple Notes, all these thoughtful folks who through their kindnesses, brightened many a dark day.

Must Be 'Tornado' Time

It was two years ago last weekend that Maple was visited with a tornado that did most of its damage to Normaple homes. We can share sympathies with the folk in Bloomington and area, who were visited similarly over the weekend.

Remembering

It is not our intention to recreate the horror visited on our town during this period last summer, but perhaps a restated grateful thanks to the many who came to aid us at such a

time, would make us mindful of the goodness of neighbours and strangers alike who at all times are willing to assist others whenever and wherever needed. Indeed it is a good world, in the main, and filled with wonderful people!

You Can Have A Share

Our readers are no doubt all acquainted by now, with the Joslin Memorial Fund sponsored by the combined brigades of Vaughan Township Fire Department which includes area 1, Richvale, area 2, Maple and area 3 Woodbridge.

It is their wish to swell this fund so as to enable them to furnish at least one hospital room, in the York Central Hospital, valued at about \$1,600 and place a plaque stating it to be in memory of Herb Joslin.

The response to date has been most gratifying but if you wish to be part of this tribute, you may send a donation to the Joslin Memorial Fund, Box 331, Maple P.O. - or - lucky draw tickets are available from each volunteer fireman with 1st prize: a 21 cubic ft. freezer; 2nd prize, a 12 ft. aluminum top boat; 3rd prize, an AM.

Concord Socials

Sorry to disappoint those readers who thought, happily, that I had gone forever. Just a little vacation.

For the first part of July we seemed to be busier than the proverbial paper-hanger, and to recover from this over-organization I took off with children to the lake for the latter half of the month.

Just as a drug addict withdraws from drugs, so we withdrew from civilization. Well, almost so. We did see the occasional human, some of whom we actually knew.

Lutheran Church Women

On July 20, the day of the eclipse, the Lutheran Church Women from Zion Church held their annual picnic at our cottage. Despite unsettled weather between thirty and forty people were in attendance.

A very touching and sincere incident took place after dinner when Mrs. Gladys Keffer was presented with a monogrammed, leather-bound service book and hymnal.

Rev. E. Lange, who made the presentation, extended the appreciation of the congregation to Mrs. Keffer who for many years lived on the farm adjacent to the church property and "kept a eye on things." Now a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Richmond Hill, Mrs. Keffer assured us that she would certainly use her gift at every opportunity.

Other Cottagers

Even while not on the scene I can keep an eye on some people. Doris Sherman and her children along with her mother and her aunt, Mrs. Vi Clark, spent a few days at her cottage down the road from us. Also among her visitors was Mrs. Mona Bell and son Wayne who stayed for a couple of days with the Shermans. Doris' sister, Mrs. Audrey McClymont, who now lives in Barrie also visited Doris one evening.

On July 7, almost forty relatives and special friends gathered at Summit View Restaurant to celebrate the birthday of Mrs. Alf Bagg. Seated at the head table with Mrs. Bagg were her two sisters, Mrs. Jack Devins, Sr., and Mrs. Les Robb, her brother, Mr. Frank Locke, along with Mrs. Locke and Mr. Les Robb.

After a lovely dinner, "Gram" was presented with a beautifully decorated birthday cake which she cut after happy birthday was sung.

Mrs. Bagg received a lovely brooch from her brother and sisters, and a grandmother bracelet from her family. Nineteen gold discs jangled from the bracelet, each proclaiming the name and birth-date of 16 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

The guests returned to Mrs. Bagg's home for the afternoon where many pictures were taken and guests were able to just sit and relax.

Socials

During the month of July Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bone, King High Drive, entertained visitors from Saskatchewan, when Warren's cousin whom he hadn't seen for many years came to visit with his wife and daughter. Like their Ontario cousins, the Saskatchewan Bones are farmers also.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith had out-of-town visitors recently when Roy's sister and her family spent a few days here. Rev. and Mrs. Jack Duncalf and their children, formerly of Red Lake, Alberta are now living in Port Arthur, making their visit to the Smith's just a little more convenient.

Still with the Smith's, Diane was a bridesmaid last Saturday for Miss Elsie Scott who was married to Mr. Bryan Gilbert in Mount Dennis United

and FM. portable transistor radio. These draws will be made, September 27 at the Lions' Hall, Centre Street in Richmond Hill when a dance will also be held.

St. Stephen's Church

The world-wide Anglican Congress to be held in Toronto this August is of interest and concern not only to Anglicans but to all.

The Congress begins with a great service in the Maple Leaf Gardens, August 13 at 8 p.m. 13 at 8 p.m.

A bus will leave St. Stephen's Church, Keele St., N., Maple at 6:15 returning after the service. Those particularly interested may telephone Mr. John Glen, AL. 7-1035.

On Sunday, August 18 at 11 a.m. the Congress visitor and special preacher in St. Stephen's Church will be the distinguished scholar Dr. Falkner Allison the Bishop of Winchester.

Florida Visitor

Miss Sally Baxter of St. Petersburg, Florida is spending the month of August with her cousins Jane, Sally, Mary Anne Nancy, and Suzanne Manning at Pheasant Hollow Farm.

Church. Prior to the wedding, Diane and her mother were among those who entertained Elsie with a shower.

Well, more remembrances of July and August next week folks. This writing business has to be taken in small doses. My hand is out of condition, since the most writing I've done lately is two post cards, plus an invitation to the Sherman cottage folks to come up for coffee, which they did. Doris poured, and she said to be sure to mention it.

PICKERING: Township council recently hired J. H. Faulkner of Willowdale as planning director and industrial commissioner. Mr. Faulkner has been directed to look for ways to make the township more interesting for industry. His salary will begin at \$7,000.

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Crestwood Road News

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Vacationing

Mr. and Mrs. A. Antonacci, Paul, Lynda and David went to Winnipeg for their vacation, the first train trip for the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Webster and family enjoyed their holidays at their cottage near Kin-cardine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Miller and family spent their holidays at Balsam Lake.

Ricky Willis and Barry St. John spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. Peters and family at Port Severn.

Barry, Janine and Marlee, children of Mr. and Mrs. Ray McEwen, have all been confined to bed with the mumps.

Birthday Congratulations

To Susanne Miller who celebrated her fourth birthday and to Peter Zepp, 16, and Mr. Fred St. John.

Mrs. Dave Wilson returned to Canada after spending three weeks with her three sisters in Edinburgh. She had not seen two of them for 34 years and had a wonderful reunion. This also was her first plane trip and she enjoyed every minute of it. She tells me it is the only way to travel to the old country.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Collins and family moved from Crestwood Road to their new home on Goulding Avenue, Willowdale.

Stephen Mari, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Mari, Steeles Avenue West, celebrated his first communion July 28 at St. Paschal's Baylon Church, Steeles Avenue West. Friends and relatives gathered at his home afterwards for a garden party. Stephen had his grandmother and grandfather Mari over from Germany to help him celebrate.

Vaughan Firemen Finish Up Fourth At Annual Meet

Vaughan Township firemen were represented at the 62nd annual Ontario Firemen's Association convention held last week-end at the tiny hamlet of Teeswater, south of Walkerton. The firemen's team finished fourth in two events, the hose race and the hose and ladder race in the schedule of activities during the four-day meeting. There were 11 teams competing.

Along with Vaughan Fire Chief James Davidson those attending were Barry Smith, Dick Greenfield, Ken Hough, Bert Douglas, Dave Ince, John Bailey, Ed Bailey, William Jordan, Ken Woods, John Plunkett and Murray Line.

More than 1,000 firemen attended the convention which will be the last under its present name. Next year, the group representing 181 volunteer fire departments will meet under the title of the Firefighters Association of Ontario.

Accommodation was a problem in the 890-population village and appeal was made for more beds. As a result, beds were at a premium in nearby Wingham, Walkerton and Formosa.

The firemen were fed by church groups and on Sunday Formosa threw a giant picnic with the women of the community catering.

Neither Richmond Hill nor Markham Township firemen were represented.



JOHN MONSTER

JILL NEUFELD

September Wedding

The engagement is announced of Miss Jill Neufeld, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Neufeld of Maple to Mr. John Monster, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Monster of Hamilton. The wedding is planned for September 7 and will be held in the Maple United Church.

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