

Maple, Concord and Edgeley District News

"The Liberal" is always willing to publish items regarding people and events contributed by its readers in Maple, Concord and Edgeley districts. Our representative in Maple is Mrs. Len Shore ALpine 7-1037; in Edgeley and Sherwood, Mrs. Raymond Stuart, AV. 5-1934; and in Concord, Mrs. Ruth Keffer, 285-6805.

Concord Socials

Congratulations are in order this week for Mr. and Mrs. Garth Poole who welcomed their first son recently at Branson Hospital.

Friends of the Pooles will be happy to hear that Bev is doing nicely, at last, after recent surgery at Branson Hospital.

Mrs. Alfred Bagge played hostess to Norman and Mary Bagge and family last Sunday, in honour of Norman and Mary's 13th wedding anniversary. Mrs. Marjorie Bowes was a guest also. The Bagge's baby girl is coming along nicely at the Hospital for Sick Children where she underwent recent surgery.

Birthdays were celebrated at the home of Mrs. V. N. Drenfeld, Dentist, announced the opening of his dental office in Maple Plaza.

Well that was through May and June—and then in July Dr. V. N. Drenfeld, Dentist, announced the opening of his dental office in Maple Plaza.

Since that day he hasn't had time to look back as in no time his appointment book was filled; indeed he now fully believed the rumour "Maple needed a dentist."

We're all happy for his success and appreciate his considerate friendly manner in dealing with everyone.

Now—like the icing on the cake—he and his wife Anita have sent out another announcement.

At the Branson Hospital on September 8, Vic and Anita Drenfeld welcomed a baby daughter, Rockelle Susan.

On September 6, John and Jim Jackson entertained their parents to a surprise dinner party, served by Maple United Church Women. Sixty guests were present to help Jean and Harry celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary which was September 7. The bridesmaid, best man, and pianist who attended the wedding were present.

Once upon a time there was a lovely upright grand piano living in a spacious porch at Gilbert and Goldie Keffer's. Some person who writes the Concord News decided she would like to have the piano. Only problem now is, do we take out the basement stairs or take apart the piano? Right now we're having semi-fresh-air concerts in the garage, and we need a bass and soprano.

The Week's Happenings In Maple

Someone Say Grey Cup?

It's that time of year again! When MY team was chosen by the sportswriters to carry the ball to Vancouver come "Grey Cup Day", a goodly number of local fans found difficulty in refraining from a loud guffaw. Now with the Alouettes finding their stride—and range—it seems strongly silent round and about.

Oh, yes! Did someone say that the Argos won one last Sunday! ... finally?

Still Sports-Wise!

Actually that was a terrific series the Junior K.V.W. Girls from Maple were involved in—according to the ONE (and only) report we were given. Hmm—wonder how it came out!

Harking Back to August 4, '62

Several local folk had met the personable young motorcycle policeman, James Pennington, of Metro district traffic when he was on duty following "the blast" of August 4 last year.

While assisting in K.P. duty at the Maple Grill, we had talked to him while serving his meals and found him, at 22, to be full of fun and plans for the future.

After being on a 17-hour duty shift—along with other firemen, police and volunteer crew, Jim took off for home after waving good-bye to those of us standing by the Keele-Richmond Street barricade. We were still standing there a short time later when the call came through on the police radio that he had been critically injured when hit by a car falling to the right of way. With no protection while on the motorcycle, his legs were badly crushed as well as other injuries.

I was kept informed through the hospital regarding his condition as little, if any, hope was held that he would ever leave hospital, much less walk again. Gradually he responded to treatment and medical aid and progressed to a wheelchair and finally home and able to use crutches.

Now a year later, upon making enquiry at district

traffic, I recently received

a letter from Metro Police Chief James Mackey stating in part: "P.C. Pennington has now returned to full-time duty, but does have a slight disability, as a result of his injuries."

We wanted to share our good news with the many who wished him well. Because of his service to our town, we had accepted Jim Pennington as "one of ours".

Ladies' Bowling League

As of last Monday night, September 16th, Maple community bowling alleys were taken over by the Maple Ladies' Bowling League. The report from sub-captain Aileen Birch relates that there is a "goodly crew of subs" already listed for this season but if you'd like the odd night out with the girls phone Aileen at 257-1449.

A Hold Over

If space had been taken last week to relate all the news concerning one little guy—namely Kirk Goodman as told by proud and excited grandparents Olive and Dick Seed—we'd have used up our allotment. Now with the extra few days—well! They're just as proud and excited.

All this is about the son born to Philip and Barbara (nee Seed) Goodman at Branson Hospital on September 4. He's their "first" and has been named Kirk Ronald Gordon.

Eighty Years Young

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Mathewson attended a family party on September 8th in honour of the 80th birthday of Mr. Norman Rumble of Oak Ridges, who is Mrs. Mathewson's brother.

The party was given by his family and held at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Lloyd, in Delhi, Ontario.

Hope United Church

The 93rd anniversary of Hope United Church will feature a special morning service Sunday, September 22nd, at 11:00 a.m. The guest minister will be the Rev. Norman Pick, B.A.

of Newmarket, and music by

the Foster Sisters of Nashville.

Maple W.I. meeting opened with a large attendance at the home of Mrs. Milton Palmer on September 11.

The members answered the roll call by giving their biggest mistake in cooking. These mistakes were many and quite drastic at the time they happened.

Mrs. Norman Robson gave the report on the rally she attended at Woodbridge.

Mrs. H. Jackson and Mrs. H. Stephenson were named as delegates to attend the W.I. Convention in November.

Mrs. M. Palmer, Mrs. G. Watson and Mrs. Andrews volunteered to attend the Pioneer Festival and help in the booth. Articles for the booth are to be left at Mrs. Mary Jones'.

The institute is planning to hold their first euchre for this year on October 29th with Mrs. M. Palmer's group in charge.

Mrs. G. Orr read an interesting paper and poem on the motto: "Take Time to be Happy. It is the Road to Happiness."

Mrs. D. Allen introduced Mrs. L. Palmer, who showed her slides taken on their conducted tour through England, Ireland, Switzerland and Italy, when they attended the Lions Convention. She also showed slides of the Superior Propane Plant before and after the blast.

Mrs. Mary Jones gave the courtesies and Mrs. Annie Wade was pianist in the absence of Mrs. Wm. Noble. Mrs. Norman Payne and Mrs. Roy Clegg led the visitors to the meeting were Mrs. Derek Rolfe, Mrs. Kelly Welham, Miss L. Gooderham and Mrs. F. Oliver from Maple, and Mrs. Clegg from Cookstown, and little Miss Nancy Johnston from Thornton. These visitors were welcomed to the institute and it is hoped they will all be back at the October meeting along with any other ladies from the village who feel they would like to attend the meetings.

The meeting closed with

singing the institute grace and a social half-hour was enjoyed by all.

Interesting New "Frost Barrier" Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McSorley and family, of Calgary, have been recent visitors at the home of Frank and Marion Robson, 2 Lancer Drive.

As president of the McSorley Frost Barrier Company, Mr. McSorley has been putting on demonstrations in this district. Frank has taken an active interest in this machine and educated me by explaining the way frost does the damage—which I'm sure no one taught me in school!

As Frank says—"It's not the frost on the leaf that does the destroying but when the sun comes up and it's rays touch the frost on the plant, it's then that it burns." This machine spreads a layer of fog over tobacco fields, celery plants and the like—just before sun up, thus preventing the rays to penetrate through to the leaf.

They tried it out at Holland Marsh and I bet there were some confused motorists who, when travelling along 400, suddenly drove into an area of fog—it seems the "Frost Barrier" had drifted across the highway! Over 500 such machines are being used in Brazil for the coffee plants also in California and Florida for fruit orchards and fruit valleys out west.

This is a most interesting and effective assistant to the large "plantation" type gardener but can be used on small home gardens as well.

Mr. McSorley predicts weather by the phases of the moon in a "Country News" paper and he says the next frost will be September 27 or 28—let's check later! The CBC's Country Calendar seen over Channel 6 on Sundays will be interviewing Mr. McSorley as he demonstrates his Frost Barrier machine for the T.V. camera, within the next week or two. Watch for it—and then let Frank Robson fill you in some more.

Congratulations All Round! When a certain young man chose Maple to set up his prac-



Peeeweas Win Lions Trophy

Winners of the Maple Lions Club Trophy in the peeewe league recently were the Leafs, pictured with their coaches Douglas and Phyllis McMillan. Top row from left are Mark Lemoine, the coaches, Wayne Roworth, Geoff Salmon. Middle row from left are Teddy Gray, Dale Bone, John Jansen, Grant Rose, Garry Sykes and bottom row from left Greg McMillan, Pat Mulligan, Rick Hartwick and Doug LaRiviere. On the team but missing from the photograph are Charles Shaw and Arthur Howden. In an exhibition game last Friday in Maple Community Park, the coaches and officials were soundly drubbed in a game with the peeewe all-stars.

Winter Bouquets From Weeds, Pods

Now is the time of year that Dock and milkweed should be picked when not quite mature, indoors to help live up to the name of the plant. Hydrangea heads, lilac seed heads, beauty bush, Dane's rocket, honesty plant, cattails, angel or bullrushes, berries, angel wing, strawflowers and even weeds. Scourges that they are in summer fields and gardens, in winter they can become beautiful creations in the living room. A bouquet of dried wild flowers, weeds and grasses can be very decorative and an interesting conversation piece.

When picking your chosen specimens for drying, choose stalks that have interesting line and form rather than vivid color. Some weeds, such as goldenrod, teasles, etc., if serving treatments; dip berried picked at different times of maturity, give different color and interest to the bouquet.

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Sketch Plans Approved For New Maple School

Sketch plans for the new Kleinburg School. Trustee Warren Bailie commented, "The sooner we get into an all graded system, the better."

Opportunity Classes Superintendent Gibson reported that a large number of pupils had been tested in June by teachers of these classes and ten pupils who could best benefit from special instruction were selected and assigned to these classes.

Oppose Restaurant The board had expressed opposition to the proposed erection of a curb service restaurant opposite the Langstaff School, because it would create a traffic hazard and thereby endanger the safety of the pupils. It was reported that other protests were also made to the planning board and the request to have the site rezoned from residential to commercial was not granted.

Injured Teachers Superintendent Joseph Gibson reported that Mr. Merrill McPhail of the staff of the George Bailey School, who was injured in a car accident August 25, has improved to the extent that he is ambulatory, although still confined to hospital. Mrs. McPhail, who had been assigned to the staff of Roselawn School, while of the critical list, has not improved as rapidly as her husband. The teaching services of Mr. and Mrs. McPhail will not be available for some considerable time.

Enrolment An increase of 73 in enrolment in all schools in the township was noted by the superintendent, bringing the total number of pupils to 3188. Kindergarten enrolment was down from 317 to 303.

With the consent of parents concerned eight pupils in grade 6 were transferred from Lower Ninth to Elder Mills. Lower Ninth School will now have 27 pupils in grades 1 to 5, and Elder Mills will have 54 pupils in two rooms, grades 1 to 5 in the junior room and grades 6 to 8 in the senior.

Enrolment at Twin Elms School has increased to 35 with 12 children in grade 1. On the other hand, enrolments in the Coleraine School is only 19. On Friday members of the administration staff met with parents concerned to discuss the proposed solution of this problem. This plan would involve transporting six pupils from Coleraine to Twin Elms and 14 pupils from Twin Elms to Coleraine each day. This would mean that each teacher will be instructing only three grades, 1 to 3 at Twin Elms and 4 to 6 at Coleraine. Grade 7 and 8 pupils from these schools receive instruction at

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The polling places for the said electoral district will be located at

- AURORA DISTRICT—POLLS 1-18: St. Andrew's Presbyterian Hall, Victoria Street, Aurora.
- GEORGINA AND SUTTON DISTRICT—POLLS 19-25, 173-176: Office of Alf's Bakery, Sutton, Ontario.
- EAST GWILLIMBURY DISTRICT—POLLS 26-47: Sharon Community Hall, Sharon, Ontario.
- NORTH GWILLIMBURY DISTRICT—POLLS 48-60: Community Hall, Belhaven, Ontario.
- KING DISTRICT—POLLS 61-88: 106 King Street, King City, Ontario.
- MARKHAM DISTRICT—POLLS 89-101, 102-109, 239-254, 255-256: 26 Parkway, Markham, Ontario.
- NEWMARKET DISTRICT—POLLS 110-130: Newmarket Town Hall, Newmarket, Ontario.
- RICHMOND HILL DISTRICT—POLLS 131-164: 8 Yonge Street N., Richmond Hill, Ontario.
- WHITCHURCH DISTRICT—POLLS 165-172, 211-216: Community Hall, Vandonf, Ontario.
- VAUGHAN CENTRE AND NORTH DISTRICT—POLLS 177, 179-181, 184-189, 191-2, 194-206, 210: 4 Richmond Street Maple Ontario.
- VAUGHAN SOUTH AND WOODBRIDGE DISTRICT—POLLS 178 182-3, 190, 193, 207-209, 227-238: Concord Garage, No. 7 Highway and Keele Street.

for the purpose of receiving the votes of voters who expect on the day fixed for polling, to be absent from and unable to vote in the polling subdivisions for which their names appear on the lists.

The ballot boxes will be opened and the votes counted at 7:00 p.m. E.S.T. on the 25th day of September, 1963, at the said places.

Dated at King City this 11th day of September, 1963.

DONALD M. FINDLAY, Returning Officer.

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