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HEADFORD NEWS

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Socials
Mrs. H. Burton wishes to thank all of her friends who were so kind to her and her family while she was in the hospital.
The community is happy to see Mrs. Burton home again. The neighborhood seems a little out of joint when she is away.
Mrs. Freeman Barker has been ordered to bed for a period of rest and the best wishes of the community are extended

to her for a speedy recovery.
We are feeling winter's fingers reaching out to us but Murray Clarkson writes from Dawson Creek that the snow is a foot and a half deep and still snowing with a temperature of 15 below.
Murray thinks he will not linger too long in the north. He has been holidaying in Vancouver Island where he was lucky enough to get a deer.
Mr. and Mrs. George Barker and Mrs. W. Wellman were recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Wellman, Ravenshoe.

Bill Clark was one of three 4-H members to receive county honors at the banquet tendered by Klavans November 18 at the Royal York Hotel. The award was the red seal and was earned by maintaining a standard of 75% in club projects.
High school students are relaxing a bit after the mid-year exams. "Another milestone passed," I suggested. "Not till the results are out and then it may be a milestone."

Western Memories
I have been reading "Blood Red the Sun" by Blaisdell Cameron and am struck with the colorful and romantic history of the west.

My interest was freshened when I spent my holidays at "home" in Saskatchewan and heard again the soft Cree voices and watched their indolent grace of the Indian. They are a kind, generous, easy-going people and as an exasperated employer said, they resemble closely the ideal pictured in the Bible. "They toil not, neither do they spin, yet Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed as they." That is not a true picture. They just do not think as we do.

It was difficult to associate these quiet people with the Indians of my father's youth who put on their yellow war paint and massacred all the white population at Frog Lake, with the exception of two women and Mr. Cameron.

"Blood Red the Sun" is Mr. Cameron's account of his escape from death and his two month's imprisonment. His character sketches and description of the constant battle of wills between the blood-thirsty plains Indian and the gentle woods Indian is so understanding that one is carried back through the years to the pioneer struggles in 1886.

Charles Dickens' son Francis was the western RNWMP chief at that time.

I remember being taught the dates of Frog Lake massacre, Fort Pitt and Batoche but nothing of the cause and effect.
Mr. Cameron wrote his book in my home village, Meadow Lake, the area in which he was a Hudson Bay factor and Indian Agent. It is, or was, (it may be out print) published by Kenway Publishing Company, Calgary.

Married In Quebec

Observe 50th Wedding

On November 24, Mr. and Mrs. Wakeham Sherar of 142 Harding Boulevard celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home. Present for the happy occasion were their two sons, Leo and Barry and two daughters-in-law, relatives and friends.

Their only daughter Willa (Mrs. Gerard Grenier) of New Carlisle, Quebec, was unable to be present.

Open house was held in the afternoon when more than 100 guests called to extend congratulations to the celebrating couple. A family dinner at the Richmond Inn followed.

Born and raised in New Carlisle, Mr. Sherar entered the service of the Canadian National Railway in 1912 and retired on pension in 1954 when he and Mrs. Sherar moved to their present address in Richmond Hill.

On November 24, 1914, Mr. Sherar married Miss Lydia Grenier of St. Godfrey, Quebec. They attend St. Mary Immaculate Church and have eight grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherar wish their friends and relatives to know that their gifts, cards of congratulations and good wishes were received with deep pleasure and heartfelt appreciation.

Three Youngsters Hurt In Sunday Driving Lesson

Three area young people were taken to Branson Hospital Sunday night following a driving lesson at Bayview and Steeles Avenues.

Released following treatment for a minor cut was driver Susan Humphries, 16, of Willowdale.

Her twin sister, Sandra, 16, and Steven Dookman, 19, of RR 2, Richmond Hill were still in hospital Monday, the girl with a concussion and the youth with a punctured lung, Markham Police said.

Miss Humphries apparently lost control of the car and ran into a ditch, police said. Total damage was \$1,200.

Help For Herds Offered By Dept.

York County's agriculture representative has instituted a program to aid dairymen in combating mastitis, according to A. A. Wall, county representative in Newmarket.

"Briefly, a man can enrol his herd for a six-month period, and in this time, each cow's milk is sampled and sent to a laboratory for examination every six weeks. Reports on these samples plus suggestions from veterinarians will help herd owners to decide on the right type of medication or other control measures," he said.

Costs will be \$2.25 per cow for the test period and fieldmen will visit each herd regularly to assist with gathering samples.

GORMLEY NEWS

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Neighborhood Notes

Miss Patsy Brooke had a tonsillectomy at The Cottage Hospital, Uxbridge, on Monday.

Our best wishes are with Clifford Gordon who is again a patient in York County Hospital, Newmarket. Cliff had surgery on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Heise of Penn. spent the weekend with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Heise were guests at the wedding of Chris Buckley in Toronto on Saturday. Chris used to work for the Heise's and they acted as the groom's parents for the occasion.

Mrs. Jennie Stiver, who has lived at Gormley for a number of years, passed away at the Cottage Hospital, Uxbridge. The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon at the Dixon Funeral Home in Markham.

Harry Hunt entertained his class recently by taking them by bus to the Royal Ontario Museum and the Royal Winter Fair.

Nomination was held on Friday night for Markham and Whitchurch townships. An added feature this year is the election of the five trustees for the new township school areas for 1965.

British Mortgage & Trust

Winners In Painting Contest Announced December 14, 4 P.M.

A gratifying number of well-executed pictures have been entered in the British Mortgage and Trust Company's painting competition for pupils of the public and separate schools of Richmond Hill, company officials announced this week.

The pictures are of buildings in the Richmond Hill area. The competition closed on November 30 and the pictures are to be judged on December 14. The judges will announce the winner at 4 o'clock on that date at which time A. W. Crate, the company's Toronto area manager, will award the prize.

Winner of the competition for grades 6 to 8 will receive a deluxe bicycle and besides will receive for the school he or she attends a large framed water-color painting by internationally-known Canadian artist Peter Goetz. Winner of the com-

petition for grades 1 to 5 will receive a wrist watch.

Judges are J. Martin, ARCA OSA, an artist who is famous for his architectural paintings and one of Canada's finest art educators; Mrs. Joseph Rabinowitch of Richmond Hill whose work is well known throughout the area and Mrs. Gilbert C. Jarrott, a Stratford artist.

Officials of the mortgage contest report that some very interesting pictures have been received and the contest seems to have captured the imaginations of the students.

Pupils who have submitted pictures and their parents are invited to be present December 14 at 4 p.m. at the local British Mortgage & Trust Company building to hear the judges' announcement of prize winners.

Ont. Highways Minister Defends County Gov't

Highways Minister Charles MacNaughton defended the county system of government at a warden's banquet held at Picton last week.

"I submit a person should get all the facts before forming an opinion on something that has stood and served the province well for more than 100 years," he said in reference to recent criticisms.

Mr. MacNaughton added that we should examine what we have and find ways to make it work better before scrapping a system simply because there is room for improvement.

He said a plea has been directed to county councils to review their systems and acquire "a new flexibility in outlook towards their ultimate responsibility."

At least three provincial cabinet members and six members of the Legislature had worked their way up through the county system.

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Those Who Want Fluoridation Say The Brantford Experiment Is A Success

Did you know that 20% of the children there have mottled enamel (dental fluorosis), an incurable condition due to imperfect calcification.
They say they will place 1 part per million of fluoride in the tap water.

Did you know that the Ontario Minister of Health said that, "It is not possible to prescribe a stated amount of fluoride by introducing it into the water supply"? Tap water delivers between 0.7 and 1.4 parts per million, and each of us drinks different quantities of water.
They say this doesn't matter.

Did you know that Dr. Trendley Dean of the U.S. Public Health Service stated that the MAXIMUM safe intake was 1 part per million—over this amount, fluoride will damage the teeth of some children?
They say that artificial fluoridation is needed because people are not responsible enough to eat the right foods or buy calcium fluoride tablets for their children.

Did you know that 99½% of the water which is fluoridated will not be drunk by children under 8 (for whom it is all done), but will be used for baths, laundry, watering lawns, and so on? Wouldn't it be more sensible for the town to give calcium fluoride tablets to all families with children under 8?
They say that artificial fluoridation is not "mass medication" (that is, giving a drug to a whole population, regardless of individual differences.)

Did you know that Sodium Fluoride is listed as a drug under the Food and Drug Act, and that the maximum daily dose for adults is 1/10 mg. (that is about half a glass of fluoridated water)?
Richmond Hill Council has stated that the cost of installation will be \$7,390 (1963), or \$6,800 (1964 figure).

Did you know that the Superintendent of the Wilmington (Mass.) water system reported, "Since installation of the fluoridator at the pumping station there have been a series of breakdowns of that equipment due to corrosion of the metal parts. . . I have already observed an increase in corrosion throughout the town." The first cost is only part of the cost.
They say that everyone should be made to drink fluoridated water.

Did you know that 1500 doctors and dentists in the U.S.A. have formed an association to oppose fluoridation because they believe that in some cases, it may be harmful.

Did you know that an American doctor has already proposed adding vanadium to the water supply to reduce blood cholesterol, whether you need it or not? Should drugs be administered by the Public Works Department or by your doctor?
DO YOU REALIZE that after fluoridation, even if your doctor is one of those who believes that fluorine may harm you, you could only get unfluoridated water by buying it from the country by the jar.
When so many doctors and dentists doubt the advisability of artificial fluoridation, IT IS WISE TO HOLD ON TO YOUR

FREEDOM OF CHOICE — "VOTE NO"

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