

Your Legion Reports

Branch 375, Royal Canadian Legion
By Eric Chapman - 884-0045

Last Friday evening at Legion Court a mixed audience of adults, children and intermingling color guard members watched a show put on by the Dennis Moore School of Dancing and the ladies auxiliary.

After a display of dancing by some of the community's talented youngsters, the audience was entertained by singer Violet Murray, who also went around sticking elaborate moustaches on some of the adult gentry while she sang. She halted before a distinguished looking gentleman bearing a remarkable resemblance to Premier Robarts and then turned away, without endowing the gentleman's ministerial countenance with a moustache, presumably because he already had one.

The audience, with the exception of one, joined in the singing of "Loch Lomond". Eight year old Andy Pineau said he was not singing because he didn't know the words, but he was humming as he spoke. Tommy Hamilton, a killed Scotsman, who sang like Harry Lauder and looked very much like another late Scots great, Will Fyffe, told some hilarious jokes. Chuck Ford, Canada's king of the banjo, sang and vigorously banjoed and had trouble in keeping his long black hair in place.

The energetic and bright MC was identified as a talented young man by the name of Dennis Moore. The show went over very well and was appreciated

by all present. Probably the one person who most enjoyed the proceedings was Mrs. Margaret Guttormson. Although permanently confined to a wheelchair she found many volunteers to assist her in surmounting the stairs to pay her first visit to the court. Comrade Steve Guttormson said he intends to bring his wife more often.

Entertainment Officer Bill McDonald reports that a Halloween upheaval will be held in the form of a dance this Saturday at Legion Court commencing at 8:30 pm. Halloween costumes are the dress of the day if prospective dancers wish to win a prize, but dress is optional to the extent that birthday suits will be excluded.

In the same dancing vein comes a report of a recent go-go boo-boo at the district "D" council's Legion hall on College Street. A report that the weekly dance at that hall was to feature two go-go girls dancing in topless dresses set eyebrows a go-go among Legion officials. As a result the whole band is a gone-gone, and its twelve week contract has been cancelled. The band's agent said the show was to have been a publicity stunt designed to attract a larger crowd to the dance, which would have been the fourth in the series. Apparently the publicity releases neglected to mention the go-go girls were only four years of age.

Before The Magistrate

Keswick Youth Admits His Brief Fling As Arsonist Was "Stupid"

A Keswick youth, who admitted that his brief fling as an arsonist, was "stupid", was remanded for a year by Magistrate John Ord when he appeared for sentencing in Magistrate's Court last week.

Mr. Ord told Charles Lyons, 16, that he was "reluctant to give a boy your age a jail sentence", and would wait a year before disposing of his case. "If you keep out of trouble during that time, I'll dismiss it", the magistrate said.

The youth set fire to a box in a shopping plaza in Newmarket last August.

John Gamble, 21 Garden Avenue, Richvale, who testified that he knew he was "guilty of something, but didn't know what", was fined \$75 and costs when he was convicted of being in possession of a stolen battery.

In a statement read into court by Police Constable Robert Deighton of Richmond Hill, Gamble admitted to knowing that the new battery put in his

car by friends had been stolen. However, he said later that he really didn't think it "mattered".

In finding Gamble guilty, Mr. Ord termed his evidence an "amoral tale". It mattered a great deal if he knew somebody was out to steal something, he said.

Raymond LaForge, 402 Markham Road, who pleaded guilty to taking the battery from a car on the lot at his apartment building, was also fined \$75 and costs.

Also fined last week: William Shortell, Weston, \$23.50, Ernest Wilcox, Woodbridge, \$47.50, Richard Kangas, Rexdale, \$25 and costs, Bernard Haley, 187 Yonge Street South, \$50 and costs, all for having liquor in a place other than a residence; Alden Newell, Toronto, \$100 and costs, ability impaired; Richard Burke 19, Humber Summit, \$50 and costs, drinking under age; Giuseppe Masarell, Toronto, \$27.50, failing to leave half the road free.

Septic Tank Waste

Fire Reveals Breaking Vaughan Twp. Zoning & Dumping By-Laws

What appeared to be an unauthorized private dump in Vaughan Township was revealed at last week's Vaughan Township Council meeting.

Frank Passer of Bathurst Street, Willowdale, appeared before council asking that he be allowed to continue to break a township by-law regarding the storing of buildings until next April when he said he would have enough money to relocate.

"No one would have known about it except for the fire", he said in an attempt at justification.

Mr. Passer advised that he had been renting a farm property on the north side of Steeles Avenue between Dufferin and Bathurst Streets for about 10 years dumping various industrial wastes on it, as well as septic tank residue, and storing lumber and portable toilets there.

"When the corn's up nobody can see it, and no one has complained", he said.

Last summer, however, some of the wastes caught fire and inspectors had found that Mr. Passer was violating a zoning by-law by storing buildings on agricultural land. They also found that he was dumping prohibited wastes such as oils and lime washings from his tank trucks. It was oils dumped several years ago which had caught fire.

Mr. Passer stated that he had since stopped dumping the prohibited materials, and that those already there had been covered with earth to prevent further fires.

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The Monday Nighters began the new season last week at the home of Mrs. J. Hall, Naughton Dr. Winners were: Mrs. K. Gamble, Mrs. M. Browne, Mrs. D. Cracknell and Mrs. V. Gamble.

Happy birthday greetings to Gary Hazelhurst for October 30, Ray Taylor for November 2 and to Geordie Watson for November 4.

We welcome to our community Mr. and Mrs. Lotoski and family, who have taken up residence on Brookside Dr. They are living in the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Worsfold.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Locke and Barry recently spent a weekend in London visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McKee.

On October 16 at St. Matthew's United Church, Richmond Hill, Gail Lea Hineman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Hineman, Richmond Hill, became the bride of Thomas Robert Richards, son of Mr. and

Mrs. Thomas Richards, Elgin Mills. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. James Burn. A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents, St. John's Church News.

The congregation welcomed back Rev. David Michell once more at the morning prayer service last Sunday.

Several people from St. John's enjoyed the performance of the "Korean Orphans' Choir" held in Toronto last week.

Council agreed to discuss the matter further at the next committee meeting.

Subdivider Told

Must Seek Answers From Minister

Walter Miller of Flintstone Construction Company of Downsview at last week's meeting of Richmond Hill Planning Board, loudly demanded the members' reasons for considering his plans for a proposed residential subdivision in the Crosby Avenue-Neal Drive area premature.

The Flintstone development calls for 49 single family homes. Part of the land is being purchased from St. Matthew's United Church and the developer has attempted to purchase a wedge-shaped piece of land owned by the town. Council in July, refused his offer to purchase this strip of land 32.94 feet at the north end and 635.99 feet in depth lying east of the southerly projection of Neal Drive to Crosby Avenue. Council members expressed concern at that time over drainage problems in the area.

Mr. Miller claimed he had made application to the Minister of Municipal Affairs and to the town on July 7 this year, but was informed that the only application of which the planning board had knowledge, was that to the province. That officials had forwarded it to the town planning board, and they had sent him the answer that they considered plans for the subdivision premature, setting forth their reasons. Secretary Harry Sayers checked the board's minutes and confirmed this statement.

Since he had made his application to the province, he should seek his answer from that source, Mr. Miller was told. He insisted the board should explain to him why they had not recommended to council that the subdivision be approved.

Mr. Miller was accompanied by Ernest May, a real estate agent, concerned in acquiring the land, who emphasized his statement that "Premature is a lot of malarkey" by banging the table with his fist.

Chairman Howard Whillans told Mr. Miller that the planning board had had no answer to its letter to the minister regarding the subdivision, reminding him that the minister has the final say and may over-

rule the decision of planning board and of town council. "This is a malfunction of the Planning Act", shouted Mr. Miller. Members of the board objected to the loudness of his voice, one claiming it would be quite easy to hear him in the parking lot. "Why should the town be entitled to go ahead with senior citizens' housing - to pick and choose the type of development they will allow?" he queried with slightly less vehemence.

Chairman Whillans pointed out that the planning board was only one of the agencies consulted by the minister. When he reported that the school boards are also vitally concerned, Mr. Miller asked the school boards, "what concern of theirs is it?" He went on to say, "I am entitled to know the reasons and clear them up if possible."

When Secretary Sayers was prompted to tell the speaker that "I am not here to be lectured like a school child", Mayor Thomas Broadhurst, a member of the board by virtue of his office moved the discussion be terminated as it was not on the agenda.

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Clerk's Notice

FIRST POSTING OF VOTERS' LIST

Voters' Lists 1965
The Municipality of the Township of Whitechurch
County of York

Notice is hereby given that I have complied with Section 9 of the Voters' Lists Act, and that I have posted up at my office at Vandorf, on the 27th day of October, 1965, the list of all persons entitled to vote in the Municipality at the Municipal Elections and that such list remains there for inspection.

And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law, the last day for appeal being the 10th day of November, 1965.

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