



### Richmond Hill Rotary's 1968-69 Executive

Activities of Richmond Hill Rotary during the coming year will be guided by the executive members pictured above. Front row (left to right): Joe Rabinowitch, director of international service; Doug Allen, vice-president; Arnie Arai, president; Bill Bedford, past president; Gordon McIntyre, director of club services.

Back row (same order) Emerson Smith, director of community service; Bev Cook, secretary; Joe Malboeuf, director of vocational service; and Ron Bell, treasurer.

The service club plans to continue its program of community service, which in the past year included the following major projects: provision of a car for use of the VON, purchase of sight-saver books for Richmond Hill Public Library and the annual visit of Santa Claus to the children's ward of York Central Hospital. The club also sponsored the visit of a local high school student to Ottawa, obtained a piano for the senior citizens' day centre, donated \$500 to the local retarded children's association and undertook the sponsorship of a child through CARE.

### Mr. & Mrs. G. Harold Baldwin Groom Decorates Special Cake For 60th Wedding Anniversary

By JEAN LEAF

A three-tiered cake, decorated with loops and whorls of icing in intricate design, each accented by a small diamond, was a feature of the open house when Mr. and Mrs. G. Harold Baldwin, 84 Fairview Avenue, Stouffville, received friends on the occasion of their diamond wedding anniversary, August 5. The cake was the artistic handiwork of Mr. Baldwin.

This was not the first wedding cake to be made and iced by Mr. Baldwin. Among others he decorated his parents' 50th wedding anniversary cake and another for the celebration of the 50th anniversary of his own wedding.

The couple were raised in Scarborough and were married in Toronto by Rev. Dr. Middleton in 1908. For a four-day honeymoon, they travelled to Hamilton by steamer across Lake Ontario.

This year's celebration was a happy occasion with friends and relatives, enhanced by the presence of the bridesmaid at the wedding 60 years ago, the groom's sister, Mrs. Ethel Burslem of Toronto, Mrs. Baldwin's sisters, Mrs. P. Peters and Miss Janet Coulson, the Baldwin's daughter, Mrs. John Greens of Scarborough, their son Archie and his wife of Stouffville and their granddaughter, Mrs. Alister Mc-

Grady of Toronto, were also among the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin received congratulatory messages from Her Majesty the Queen, Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau, Premier John Robarts and Reeve Ken Laushway of Stouffville. There were flowers and gifts from friends, including a floral arrangement from Brown's Corners UCW of which Mr. Baldwin was a member.

Mr. Baldwin has been an elder at that church until recently. The Baldwins both were active for many years also at Dentonia Park United Church, Toronto.

For a number of years Mr. Baldwin was head gardener at Pine Hills Cemetery and was also in charge of the West Glen section of Mount Pleasant Cemetery and other Toronto cemeteries until his retirement five years ago, when he had passed his 80th birthday.

Now Mr. Baldwin gardens at home and keeps a tidy ship at 84 Fairview Avenue. Mrs. Baldwin serves as his right hand but stays close to a wheelchair since two eye operations and a couple of falls made it safer that way.

Mr. Baldwin says he is through making wedding cakes, but, as one guest suggested, he may start on christening cakes for his great grandchildren.

### Buttonville Community Happenings

CORRESPONDENT: MRS. F. H. LEAF — PHONE 297-1741

**Neighborhood Notes**

Half of August gone! Gardens are bright with annuals. Corn is high. Combines are busy in the fields. Traffic is light. Neighbors come and go.

The Copp family is back from two weeks at Paudash Lake in Haliburton country. And in the past week or so Janet Snider, Kathy and Donna have been taking holiday trips.

For Dan Willison, newly appointed principal of St. Joseph's Separate School at Markham, the summer has meant a sojourn at London where he has been studying at Western University to complete his third year arts course.

Next week, when he returns home the family hopes to take a camping holiday.

Howard and Mary Brumwell and their new son spent a camping vacation near Parry Sound and returned home last week.

The Hooper families have kept their cottage busy this season. On Sunday, Mrs. George Hooper was soloist at Brown's Corners Church for the morning service, with Mrs. Resor conducting.

Miss Adele Carruthers spent several days exploring Gananoque country last week.

Last Saturday the Aubrey Stephensons, the Milt Shermans and H. R. Patersons took a day off to visit the Flea Market at Aberfoyle — a real experience in antique hunting — and then picnicked at Guelph.

Ken and Connie Stephenson and their family were at Port Sidney for the weekend.

Al and Beverley Jones and their family spent the past two weeks camping at Parry Sound, and returned home slightly

Now that a large part of the Charles Hooper farm has been sold to Buttonville Airport interests, the only family farms left intact south of 16th Avenue from Yonge Street to Concession 5 are the Leeks' on the 3rd concession, and the Burrs' on Don Mills Road. Times change. Buttonville is no longer a farming community.

The clubhouse for the golf course is nearing completion, and the drive and parking lot are paved. Only the interior finishing touches are required.

Miss Dell Stephenson entertained friends Friday of last week, to celebrate her birthday.

### THE YORK-OSHAWA HEALTH UNIT is offering a clinic in Richmond Hill for the application of Topical Fluoride to the teeth of young children

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### VICTORIA SQUARE NEWS

CORRESPONDENT: MRS. W. SANDLE  
R.R. 2, Gormley — Telephone 887-5421

#### Bus Trip to the Ex

The annual excursion to the CNE sponsored by the WI will be on music day, August 22. The bus will leave the community centre park at 9 am and leave from the Shell Tower at 7 pm for the return trip.

Anyone in the community wishing to participate in this excursion may do so.

Tickets may be obtained from Mrs. John McCague, 887-5409 and must be picked up and paid for before boarding the bus.

#### UCW

A bakeless bake sale will be held by the UCW again this year. Members will be receiving further notice in the mail. Proceeds will be used to repair the Sunday school floor.

#### Neighborhood Notes

Mrs. Pat Ottaway and children have returned home after spending the past month at a cottage at Parry Sound.

Mrs. Murray Bennett and family, Mrs. Jim Barker and family spent last week at the United Missionary Camp at Stainer.

Guests of Mrs. Georgina Nigh at Wednesday evening supper last week were Mrs. Alice Perkins, Mrs. Fred Walker and Stan Boynton.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Boynton and girls spent the weekend at a cottage at Bancroft.

#### Duncan Read, a former Victoria Square boy, has passed away.

The house where Mr. and Mrs. Terry Berley and family reside was formerly the Read home. Sympathy is extended to his son John, brother Charles and sisters, Mrs. Isobel Perkins and Mrs. Alice Agar. Mrs. Read predeceased Duncan a number of years ago.

Birthdays greetings to Fraser Boynton, 12, August 14. Pratsy, August 15, Jean Rummy, 14, August 16, Elizabeth Berta, August 16, Mrs. Traynor Banning, August 18, Ralph Boynton, August 20 and John Tyn-dall, three, August 21.

Mrs. Clifford Beemer and daughters of Orillia visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boynton last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Steckley spent the holiday weekend with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Killbeck at Snow Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boynton spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Forson and family at Cannington.

Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Nicholls were Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Cramp-ton of Caledon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl St. Pierre and Miles of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Steckley on Saturday evening.

### Third Addition To Maple School

Vyal Construction Ltd. of Concord was awarded the contract for constructing a sewage disposal system at Jefferson Public School by Vaughan Township Public School Board Thursday evening of last week. Their price was \$17,940, the lowest of three tenders received. The highest bid was almost double the one from Vyal.

The three trustees present, Chairman Warren Balth, Marjorie Black and Dorothy Robertson, also approved the working drawings for the third addition to the Joseph A. Gibson Public School in Maple. They also approved submission of the application for this addition to the Department of Education.

The new addition will contain a kindergarten, library resource centre and three classrooms. The Gibson school is a junior kindergarten to grade 6 school. Architects for the addition are Hanks, Irwin and Pearson.

Probably the shortest meeting on record in the seven years this board has been in existence was adjourned at 8:20 pm.

### Elgin Mills And Jefferson News

CORRESPONDENT: LEONARD LOMAS — Phone 884-3000

**Church News**

The Sunday morning service at 10 am at St. John's will be morning prayer at which Leonard Lomas will preach.

Rev. Earl Greber and his family will be away for two weeks but can be contacted through the warden.

### HEADFORD NEWS

CORRESPONDENT: BECKY STATON — Phone 884-7890

**Neighborhood Notes**

Birthdays greetings to Lisa Staton who was 13 August 2.

Connie Burton is spending the remainder of her summer holiday with relatives in Toronto.

Christine Mikucki is vacationing with friends in Newmarket.

Residents of Headford are pleased to have a new family in their midst. The Ball family of Thornhill moved into their new home August 1. The Balls raise Afghan hounds. These dogs, an old breed from the east, are swift hunters, stand about 26 inches high, have fine, thick silky hair and a topknot. The family also has a dachshund.

Mr. and Mrs. Ball plan to add a garage and kennels to their new home. Headford residents wish them good luck.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Lee and children, Gordon and Gloria, visited their friends the Milnes family at Lake Simcoe last Thursday.

While heading under a lilac tree, I heard such a chirping and fluttering that I curiously peeked through the leaves. When I pulled down a branch I saw a small nest, at the bottom of which were three baby birds covered with down. The male bird was hopping about excitedly. He was a gold color with black wings, tail and crown. As I put the branch back in its place and turned to go, I saw the female goldfinch come out of her hiding place and happily greet her mate.

An advisory board meeting was held August 13, when preparations were made for the service of dedication for the new organ and other gifts to be held September 15 at 7:30 pm.

It is anticipated that the Right Rev. F. H. Wilkinson, retired Bishop of Toronto will officiate at this service.

The young people's group attended the stock-car races at Pinercrest Speedway Saturday evening.

#### Neighborhood Notes

The second portable classroom at Jefferson School is in the course of construction and a third is scheduled to be completed by the time the fall term begins.

Birthdays greetings are extended to Joanne Lotoski on August 16.

#### Leonard Harnden

The death occurred at York County Hospital Friday, August 2, of Leonard F. Harnden, a resident of Lake Wilcox for the past 21 years.

Born at Spanish, Ontario in 1911, he moved to Toronto where he was married to Miss Joy Johnson.

The late Mr. Harnden had for the past 15 years been employed by the North York Board of Education as senior custodian at Reading Public School. For many years prior to the construction of the Yonge Street subway, he had been employed by the TTC on the Yonge cars.

For four years he served as chairman of Lake Wilcox Public School.

Besides his wife, he is survived by two sons, Paul and Rae, a brother, Wilmot of Owen Sound and three sisters, Meryl (Mrs. R. Lonsbury), Port Hope, Doris (Mrs. R. Groves), Vernonville, and Ethel (Mrs. Sam Templeton), Peterboro.

Approximately 80 members of the family and numerous members of the congregation attended the funeral service at St. John's Anglican Church August 5, conducted by the rector, Rev. Earl Gerber. Wilfred Powell, a friend of the family was at the organ.

Pallbearers were Cliff Porter, Richard James, John Katzenberg, Ernie Eggett, O. Fife and Mike Foyle.

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