

HEADFORD NEWS

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Neighbourhood Notes

Deane Wellman and family from Omeme, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wellman and family from Cobourg and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Wellman and family of Ottawa visited Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wellman and family June 1, which was memorial day at Victoria Square Cemetery.

Headford community is happy to report that Jean Clark has now secured a teaching position in Markham Township. Jean will begin teaching at No. 4 public school in September.

The Sunday school class and the Hi-C class joined under the leadership of Mrs. Cummer Lee and Mrs. Albert Leek to practice for the anniversary of the Sunday school which will be observed June 15. Everyone is welcome to attend.

The children will be singing "God Is Ever Good". They are grateful to Rosemary Leek who provided organ accompaniment for the practice.

The Headford congregation was happy to see Wesley Clark back in the community last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jones and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Stator Saturday afternoon.

For any of the Headford choir members reading this column, there will be no more practices for the summer. They will resume in the fall. However, Organist Mrs. Stewart Rumble urges all choir members to come to church regularly.

Connie and Richard Burton, Paula Murch and Jen Wilkes were members of a group that went up to sell a daily paper at Lake Simcoe May 31.

Uxbridge Historic Site

Tour Saturday June 7

A Byzantine temple, a farm, a log house and a couple of converted schools are on a tour of buildings in Uxbridge sponsored by the women of Trinity United Church on June 7.

The temple, a community mortuary chapel, was built by the late Thomas Foster, a former mayor of Toronto, and he and members of his family are buried there.

The farm, owned by Dr. and Mrs. Rod Freeman, has a brick house built in 1865 and decorated with antiques. The Freemans raise registered Herefords.

Toronto Lawyer Charles Dubin and his wife are renovating the Foster School, built in 1866, which they purchased last year. The Ashworth School, bought by Mrs. A. W. J. Buckland in 1967 and since renovated, was built in 1844.

The log house, called the Worsley Home, was built in 1835 by the Madill Family whose descendants still live in the Uxbridge area.

Also on the tour, which runs from 1 to 5 pm is Deerfoot, an art centre opened by artist Arnold Hodgkins and his wife in 1935.

School Gets Award

For Safety Record

Students at James Robinson Public School, Markham, have something to be proud of. No student at the school has been involved in a traffic accident either going to or coming from school in 13 years.

Donald Deacon, MLA York Centre, was present at the school for the recent ceremony, presenting the Elmer Safety Award Trophy provided by the Markham-Unionville Lions Club. In making the presentation, Mr. Deacon told the students that theirs is the best safety record in Canada.

Also present were Thomas Mahoney, senior safety officer with the Department of Highways, Trustee Mrs. Morna Colbourne of the York County Board of Education, Markham Town Councillor Gordon Marshall and chairman of the Markham and Unionville Lions Club Safety Committee, Moe Sheppard.

Buttonville Community Happenings

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Neighbourhood Notes

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Miller attended anniversary services at Melville United Church on Sunday and renewed old acquaintances there.

Soloist was Mrs. Patricia (Patterson) Moss and among the members of the choir were Wayne Patterson and Mrs. Betty (Patterson) Brown, familiar faces to Brown's Corners Church people.

Have you noticed the improved lighting on Don Mills Road from Esna Park Drive south to Steeles Avenue - the better to see you at night, my dears!

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Craig were in Montreal last weekend waving goodbye to daughter Janet who sailed for Scotland Saturday. Janet expects to spend several months abroad seeing the world.

Jim and Doris Grant's daughter, Vicky and her new husband Mark Niblett had a gorgeous day for their wedding at Brown's Corners Church last Saturday. We wish them much joy.

Church News

It was a unique occasion, rare in the history of any church, Sunday at Brown's Corners United Church when Elder John Donaldson presented his son, Rae for ordination into the eldership of the session - another historical landmark for this old communion in its 128th year.

Arthur Hewitt, presented by Session Chairman Norman Reid, was also received into the session, in a meaningful service performed by Rev. Chris Dugan.

Special music was sung by the senior choir, under the direction of Mrs. Donald Reesor and Mrs. Reesor also assisted Rev. Chris with the children's story - "Noise or Music!"

Flowers on the Communion Table were presented by the Spring family in memory of Gordon Spring.

During May the mother and daughter banquet for CGIT and Explorers, and the father and son banquet for TYRO and Sigma-C members marked the end of activities for the current season.

At the mother and daughter banquet, May 12 Mrs. John Buchanan was co-ordinator, assisted by girls' work leaders. Toastmistress was Sharon Buchanan; the toast to Canada was made by Connie Wood; the toast to the Church by Eileen Robson and replied to by Rev. Chris Dugan; toast to mothers, by Helen Fowler and replied to by Mrs. Clayton Jones.

There were secretaries' reports by Debbie Mitchell for Explorers and Sharon Buchanan for CGIT. Graduates were presented with certificates - Eileen Robson, CGIT and Explorers Regina Allen, Debbie Mitchell, Cheryl Tennyson and Ann Knip received certificates and E pins.

On May 28 the father and son banquet was well attended and arranged by co-ordinator Jack Bishop, assisted by boys' group leaders. Mr. Dugan was present on both occasions to speak to the young people.

Mrs. Rae Donaldson entertained members of Unit 1, Brown's Corners UCW May 27. Guest speaker was her aunt, Mrs. May Thompson, who explained the intricacies of spinning and weaving.

On June 12, Brown's Corners UCW members will wind up the season with a noon picnic lunch (pot luck) at Bruce's Mill Conservation Area. For information contact Mrs. Audrey Stephenson or Mrs. Fred Leaf.

Four Generations

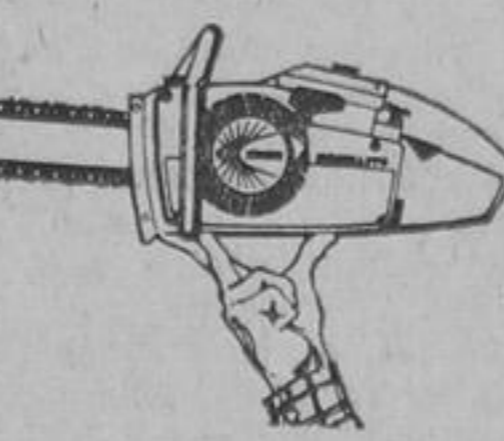
There were four generations of the Jones family present at Brown's Corners Church Sunday - Mrs. Dick Jones, her mother Mrs. Bunker of Altona, daughter Mrs. Gordon Vaughan

and granddaughter Gail Vaughan of Unionville.

Last week when Parkview School presented their operetta, Gail was one of the leads in the cast.

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CARRVILLE NEWS

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Neighbourhood Notes

Mrs. Carrie Read visited her daughter, Mrs. Grant Drury and family of Stouffville, June 1.

Miss Nancy Middleton, formerly of Carrville, has now moved to Richmond Hill where she is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Purves attended the wedding of Linda Parker, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Parker, formerly of Richmond Hill, to Ken Harris at Oriole-York Mills United Church on Saturday. The reception was held at Fantasy Farms.

Get well wishes to Wilf Boves who injured his hand recently in an accident at his farm.

44 Summitview Pupils

Raise Money For Trip

Grade 6 students at Summitview Public School in Stouffville are not asking for handouts. A group of 44 11 and 12-year-old youngsters are well on the way to raising the \$900 they need for a trip to Upper Canada Village at Morrisburg and Old Fort Henry at Kingston.

They will make the trip June 20 and 21, spending a night at Kingston, and they already have \$750 in the kitty—proceeds from car washes, bake sales and other projects. A week ago they earned \$175 selling gas at a local service station which turned over the profits for the day to the youngsters.

Similar projects raised enough money last year to send the grade 6 class on a two-day trip to Ottawa.

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Lot Fees Are Lowered

For Two Tp. Developers

Markham Township Council agreed, May 20, to lower the lot fee requirements in two subdivisions.

Council adopted a report recommending that the \$125 per lot be waived in the 414 lot Shields-Snow Subdivision near Holy Cross Cemetery, Langstaff and \$300 per lot be waived at the Stone Farm Subdivision at Steeles and Bayview Avenues.

The rebates were suggested in view of the extra expense the installation of oversized sewers is costing the developers. The sewers will serve more than just the subdivision areas.

Council's lot fee policy has been criticized recently by the developers and Councillor Allan Sumner.

The fee which is charged for administration and water treatment purposes was raised earlier this year from \$500 to \$800.

The developers, already in the township, argued that their plans had been made on the \$500 basis and that they should be exempt from the increase.

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NOTICE OF ELECTRIC RATE ADJUSTMENT

Increases in the cost of bulk power, in interest rates, and in the cost of materials and wages before and after Vaughan Hydro was established, made it necessary to review, this year, the existing rates. A comprehensive study has been completed, in conjunction with Ontario Hydro, and has determined a need for an adjustment in rates, and some revisions to the rate structure. Comments on these are offered below.

The new rates act out in the schedule below take effect on bills rendered on and after Aug. 1, 1969.

RESIDENTIAL

The average use of electricity by residential customers in 1968 was 755 K.W.H. per month. Under the new rates the charge for this quantity will be increased by \$1.62 per month. Variations from the average will produce, naturally, different effects. All-Electric customers will now be billed at the preferred residential rates. The effect of this will be a comparable increase in cost for the domestic use of electricity and no change in the cost of heating.

GENERAL SERVICE.

Because of the wide variations in use patterns of customers in this class, the calculation of an average increase is of no real value. The adoption of a Large User Rate for customers with demands higher than 500 K.W. further complicates this sort of comparison, but it has been necessary in order to establish more equitable billing.

RATE SCHEDULE.

All rates are net. Gross rates are 5% higher.

RESIDENTIAL SERVICE.

First 50 KWH per month	per KWH	5.0 cents
Next 200 KWH per month	per KWH	2.2 cents
Balance of consumption	per KWH	1.0 cents.

PREFERRED RATE.

A special block of 500 KWH per month is available to customers with an approved metered electric water heater.

	per KWH	0.8 cents
Minimum monthly bill		\$2.50
Flat Rate Water Heaters, base cost. per 100 watts per month		42 cents.

GENERAL SERVICE

Up to 500 KW.

Demand

First 50 KW per month	per KWH	0.00
Balance	per KWH	\$2.00

Energy

First 50 KWH per month	per KWH	5.0 cents.
Next 200 KWH per month	per KWH	2.5 cents
Next 9750 KWH per month	per KWH	1.55 cents
Balance	per KWH	0.55 cents

Over 500 K.W.

Demand

All KW per month	per KWH	\$2.30
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Energy

All energy	per KWH	0.45 cents
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Minimum bills

Under 50 KW	per month	\$2.50
Over 50 KW per KW of previous maximum		25 cents

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