

# FLIGHT LINE 778

By LAC Walter Schmidt

## Holding First NCO Course

Air Cadet Squadron 778 is very happy to announce promotion of Second Lieutenant George Ridgely and George Good to First Lieutenants early in September. Mr. Woods is the squadron's adjutant and Mr. Ridgely is the training officer.

Thursday 778 Squadron started its first NCO course. This is designed to train cadets to become leaders as non-commissioned officers. They learn this by taking and giving their fellow cadets drill.

In the first period the cadets wrote down some of the basics given by the Course Instructor Ken Madill. In the second period they practiced drill, while some tried to command

The junior and recruit flights practised drill also. In a few weeks these cadets will be able to march like seniors. In the second period the cadets learned armament from Tom McKeage. Mr. McKeage taught the cadets the position for holding a rifle and hunter safety.

The senior and advanced flights, now combined because of the NCO course, learned hunter safety. In the second period Corporal Jerry Totham gave the cadets some practise at drill.

Squadron 778 is still on the lookout for boys, aged 13 to 18, who wish to join. Are you interested? Be an Air Cadet.

# Elgin Mills - Jefferson News

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## Fall Wedding

ANDERSON - McPHEE

Beautiful late summer weather enhanced the scene at St. John's Anglican Church, Jefferson, September 12, when Ella Marie Anderson, youngest daughter of Mr. John Anderson, Jefferson, became the bride of Robert James McPhee, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil McPhee of Minesing, (formerly of R. R. 3 King City). Two baskets of white mums and pink gladioli adorned the front of the small, old country style, church. The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Earl Gerber, Mrs. Dorothy Wilton, a friend of the bride, sang two beautiful solos — "How Great Thou Art", just before the bride entered the church and "The Lord's Prayer" during the signing of the register.

The bride was gracefully attired in a full length dress and coat ensemble of beautiful white satin with white lace trim on sleeves and the coat's train.

She carried a bouquet of white carnations intermixed with red roses and flowing ribbons. Miss Karen Wilton of Jefferson was maid of honor and Miss Denise Chapman of Agincourt and Miss Elsie Anderson, sister of the bride, were bridesmaids. The attendants were all dressed alike in empire style gowns of soft green dotted swiss with matching veils, which were produced by their own talents.

The maid of honor carried a bouquet of white carnations with pink sweetheart roses, and the bridesmaids carried bouquets of carnations with yellow roses.

The groom was attended by his brother Angus McPhee of Sault Ste. Marie, and the ushers were, Arnold McPhee of Minesing and John Jackson of Maple. All wore black double breasted tuxedos.

The reception was held in the Masonic Hall in Richmond Hill, where the bride's sister, Miss Helen Anderson received, wearing a mauve and white crepe dress with a corsage of small pink roses.

The groom's mother assisted, wearing a rose pink dress with a matching corsage of light pink and white roses.

Guests from Bruce Mines,

Sault Ste. Marie, Weston, Woodbridge, King City and Richmond Hill, attended.

The bride chose for her wedding trip a light green dress with matching checked coat, and black patent accessories.

Since their return from a honeymoon in Northern Ontario, the newlyweds have resided at 43 Markham Road, Richmond Hill.

## Church News

This being Survival Week, the rector at St. John's Anglican Church spoke on "Ecology And This Plundered Planet," at the 10 am Eucharist Sunday and brought the dangers of pollution home to those present.

Next Sunday the services will be a celebration of Holy Communion at 8 am and Morning Prayer at 10 am, at which a team of three laymen from Toronto will be present and will speak at the sermon time. They are: Harry Kent, an Air Canada pilot; Mrs. Charlotte Welch, housewife and full-time secretary with Weston's; and Bill Leggett, personnel trainer for North West Life.

## Neighborhood Notes

The Temperanceville 4-H Club reconvened last Saturday for a 10-week course in dress-making. The meetings are held Saturday mornings at the home of Mrs. Wilfred James, Mrs. Charles Henshaw is the leader.

The service at St. John's Anglican Church next Sunday will be morning prayer at 10 am.

## Community Club

The first meeting of the season of the Jefferson Community and Recreational Association was held October 6 at the school. Election of a new executive for the year resulted as follows: President Mrs. Bonnie Thompson, Vice-President Mrs. Joan Scriver, Secretary Mrs. Flo O'Donnell, Treasurer Mrs. Carol Bolton. Mrs. Joan Eldridge will be social convener with three assistant, Mrs. Beryl Ritchie, Mrs. Freda Apfel and Mrs. Eileen Graeden.

## Trustees Warren Baile and Mrs. Deena Simpson, who will both represent the new Richmond Hill on York County Board of Education, were present.

## Scouts and Cubs

First Jefferson Cubs and Scouts were out Saturday picking apples for the annual apple day. The Cubs had 100% turnout and a number of Scouts and parents joined them to lend a hand despite the wet weather. The group committee thanks the boys for a job well done.

The annual Apple Day is this coming Saturday and your generous support is asked to help maintain Scouting in the community, when the boys call on you.

## Brownies

The first "Brownie Revel" for this year is being held October 17 at the home of Mrs. D. Heavener, Bayview Avenue, Lake Wilcox. Jefferson Brownies will leave the school promptly at 11 am and should return by 4:30 pm. Brownie uniforms will not

# Board To Review Goal Vocational Education

The purpose of vocational education was the subject of lengthy discussion at a meeting of York County Board of Education on September 28.

The board had before it a report of the welding sub-committee of its advisory vocational committee which recommended setting up six major welding shops in county schools.

While some trustees felt a welding course in the school should equip a student for employment, others argued that its purpose was to give the student general basic knowledge of welding skills.

The report had been submitted to Program Consultant William Bergey of the Department of Education for a covering letter outlining the basic roles of the intermediate and senior divisions of the school system.

Technical programs, said Mr. Bergey, should provide broad-based courses which would acquaint the student with a general understanding of various technologies which would help the student in career decisions.

It should also give all students some general technical knowledge and should provide some specialized training for those who intend to go to work immediately after graduating from secondary school.

"We should listen to the experts," declared Sutton Trustee Les Burrows, a member of the advisory vocational committee. "It should be a practical course. Welding is useful on the farm and in industry. In our present course welding is little more than a hobby craft."

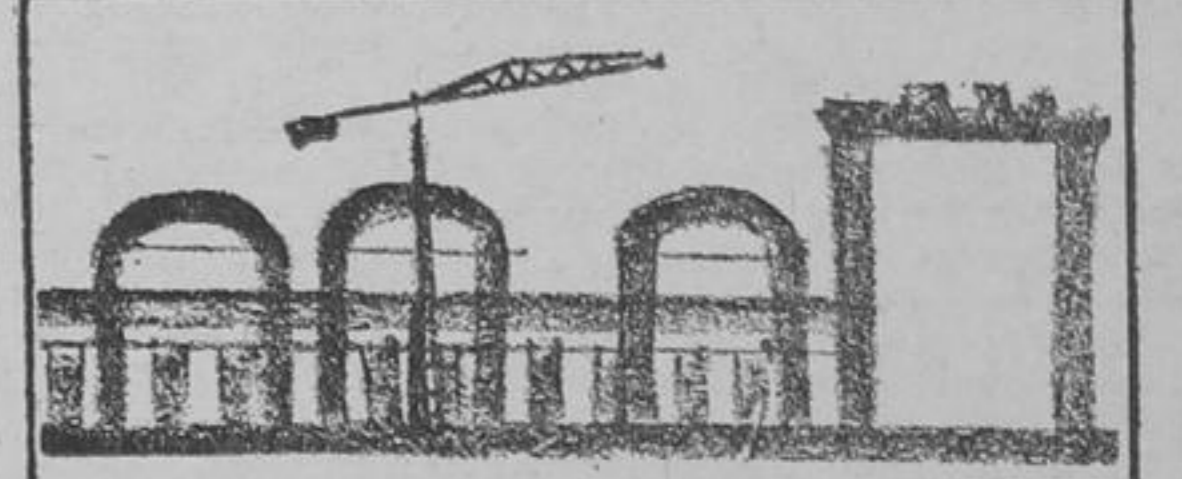
Committee Chairman William Neale told the board the committee agreed the welding course should not produce specialists, but should be part of a well rounded course that would be useful to those going into industry as well as those who are headed for community colleges or universities.

The report included extensive comments on equipment with

# NORTH MALL NEWS

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# Your Legion Reports

Branch 375, Royal Canadian Legion By Chris Ratchford — 884-5260

## Freddie Bird Group Are All-Ontario Country And Western Music Champs

The wires are humming with congratulations for Freddie Bird and his group that won the All-Ontario Country and Western Music Championship the other week. Was talking to Freddie and he was telling how tough the judges are. All prominent men so they would look for the little things to make their judgements on. From all reports it was an all out team effort that made them winners.

We would like to extend a hearty welcome to all visitors to our community. Thanksgiving was the last long weekend until the Christmas season — hope everybody enjoyed themselves.

A warm welcome to George Summers and his lovely daughter from Cheltenham, England. They are the guests of Douglas and Rita Hopson. Mr. Summers is our Doug's brother-in-law. May I on behalf of us all say that I hope you have enjoyed yourselves; the trips to see the beautiful colored leaves and the trip to Niagara Falls.

Also the sharing of our harvest-time Thanksgiving.

To the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ab Roberts. Their guests were from the farming district of Delhi. Beautiful scenery up that way.

How about this? It was a surprise to all of us to hear that Bud and Gerry Chapman are celebrating their 29th wedding anniversary this weekend. Sincere best wishes to you both. You don't look old enough to be married that long. To Jill, may you have many more happy birthdays like the one you had on Friday night.

Our social evenings get nicer as they go along. Friday night was quiet in one sense, but there was so much fun going that laughter was the style of the evening. Found out about a turkey roll. It isn't something you eat (at least not immediately); nor do you hog-tie the two footed beast. But it was loads of fun.

Welcome back to Arthur and Lucy Rickard from their trip south. They looked like a couple of newly weds. Beautiful tans.

Gosh I had a load of laughs the other night. Was hearing what everyone thought of this column. Many thanks for the kind words fellas.

To all our ailing members and also to the community as a whole, if any of you are not feeling up to par — come along and get better. You are all needed.

Branch 375: Don't forget the big corn and wiener roast planned for this Saturday. It is to be held at the George Diceman's Farm. Admission a dollar; time 2:00 hours. See you all there for a wonderful evening of fun and dancing. Be sure to bring your appetites with you.

Spent the weekend on the reservation with the inmates of Bedlam Abbey. Now that is a real good bunch. For a time I thought I was back in the BALLANTRAE — This Whitchurch Township hamlet is likely to grow substantially in the near future. Although no agreement has been signed with council, the developer of a proposed 90-acre, 57-home subdivision reports he has already sold several lots and hopes to have ten homes completed this year which will sell from \$27,995 to \$37,200. A seven-acre park site is included. Roads are to be paved with all wiring underground and heating will be all-electric. Water will come from drilled wells and waste disposed of through septic tanks.

STOUFFVILLE — With the problems caused by a house-moving on the Main Street four years ago, council has recommended that an alternate route be used by a firm which applied for permission to move a 26x51x21 foot building on a float along the village's main thoroughfare. In 1966 an 80-ton brick house being moved by rollers became marooned in other traffic and had to be re-roted.

## RCAF: the warden of the Abbey sounded so much like our old PT sergeant. She had us working so hard that when I went home, just had enough strength to flop on the sack and flake out. But boy did she do a grand job on the eats department. That crew went to town at mess; didn't even leave enough for me to take home in a doggy bag. Found out that they have an ambitious bunch there. One wants to be a writer. Really had to laugh as her we effort. First time she had ever worked a typewriter (not too many errors come to think of it). Another we inmate didn't do such a bad job on his effort to make a bird house. He remarked that probably some darn robin would come along and condemn it. The wrens are the only birds that would fit into it. But I thought he earned an "A" for effort.

Have a good question for you folks. Have you made your plans for New Year's Eve as yet. From what I hear, it is going to be the usual riot at the Legion. But more about that later.

Hallowe'en is coming up. May we have the pleasure of your company on October 31? There will be prizes galore. Loads of fun. Dancing and refreshments. Excellent music.

I didn't know that soccer played such a big part in the life of our community. Have heard about it but thought it was only played in the schools nowadays. Found out the other night that there are quite a few former pro players living in our locality. Sounds like it should be fun.

Gordie Hunter was explaining the fine points of the game to me, can recall watching some games that were really exciting when in the service. By the way, did you all enjoy the way Gordie did his turn of entertaining. Here there is a rumour that he may be forming his own band. Between him and his brother George there is a lot of rhythm.

Hurrah this kid is getting a chance to go back to school for a while. Never can get tired of learning something. Sorry that I'm letting you folks down next week — but this person will be out of town. Trying to soak up something that will enable me to give you better reports. More interesting and noteworthy. Wish me luck.


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