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## EXTREME COLD KEPT MANY AWAY

U.F.O. OYSTER SUPPER

On Wednesday evening of last week the annual Oyster Supper under auspices of the Stouffville U. F. O. was held in Ratcliff's hall. The attendance was not up to other years, due in part no doubt to the extreme cold weather. Many of the farmers and their families, however, from the neighborhood turned out, the ladies providing the finest supper one could wish for. Oysters cooked and oysters raw were to be had, and probably oysters on the half shell, if on cared for them that way. Other dainties were provided as extras, and anyone with a good appetite could not help but enjoy this splendid spread.

The program in other years was usually participated in by someone from headquarters in Toronto coming out to tell the farmers how to run their business in a more efficient manner; but this year, with the exception of the entertainers, local members contributed the program.

Ex-reeve Morgan Baker was chairman, handling the position in his capable style. Frank Sangster told the membership a few straight facts without mincing his remarks with apple sauce or sugar candy. He said that Stouffville had one of the largest memberships of any club, but poor interest weakened their powers to accomplish what they might for their own good. He also drew attention to the market school in Toronto being conducted under the joint auspices of the U. F. O. and the Ont. Department of Agriculture.

Another speaker called on was Mr. J. R. Campbell, who has at one time and another been in the public eye in Markham Township, and is in close touch with the co-operative cream shipping business.

## FAILED AS STUDENT WRITES TEXTBOOK

The Mail and Empire of last Friday carried the following respecting Dr. J. F. Burkholder, who is a brother to Mr. N. Burkholder and a brother-in-law to Mrs. H. W. Sanders of Stouffville, and a familiar figure at Jackson's Point every season where he has his summer home. The announcement is dated from London, Ont., and reads thus: "J. F. Burkholder, former London druggist who studied medicine at the University of Western Ontario here and who was once plucked on anatomy, has written a text book on the anatomy of the brain which is described by United States authorities as the leading work on the subject known to the profession. Dr. Burkholder is now professor of Ophthalmology at Loyola University School of Medicine."

## MARKHAM SALE GOT HIGH BIDS

Grade Cows go to \$155

The weather was quite keen on Friday last but it didn't prevent a large crowd from attending the auction sale of farm stock and implements on the farm of George Gower on the 6th concession of Markham, just south of the north townline. Mr. and Mrs. Gower are giving up the farm and have bought a home on the 8th con. Record prices were established for cows, of which only five or six were in the sale. The first animal up was knocked down by F. W. Silversides at \$145, and her calf sold for an additional \$22, or \$167 for mother and daughter. Those who predicted this would be the top of the sale had their guess swept away when the next milker stepped into the ring and found a new home at \$150 and her calf went along at \$18 more. But this wasn't the top, for cow No. 3 sold for \$155, and the lowest milk producer in the sale sold at \$103.

Three horses sold well at \$150 for a mare 11 years old, while the aged team brought \$70 and \$80 each. Someone shouted \$50 when a nice brood sow was offered, and the auctioneer said "sold", and this is the way the hogs were snapped off, mostly around or under this figure.

Top prices were realized for implements, a binder which Mr. Gower paid \$50 for 7 years ago sold again at \$65. It was well cared for. A sulky rake got \$52. A good wagon went as one of the bargains of the sale.

There must be a shortage of good oats in the country for they demanded such lively bidding in the granary, and found buyers at 99c. per bushel.

The total sale ran over \$3000, which is a big figure for an auction of only 7 cattle, 3 horses, 15 hogs, and the usual run of implements.

The High School entrance examination this year will commence on Monday, June 24th.

## BUSHMEN HAVE THEIR TROUBLES

Whilst Hugging Down The Fine Morris Bush

The third accident to happen in the Morris bush at Gravel Hill on the 10th concession of Whitechurch, since the gang of some 20 or 30 men were engaged in cutting down the trees, occurred last week when Arthur Basset, employed as a wood cutter, had the second toe on his right foot completely severed by an axe in the hands of one of the other workmen.

Arthur happened to put his foot up on a log as a well directed blow came down on the same spot as his foot, all happening so suddenly that no one was scarcely to blame for the unfortunate occurrence. The toe was taken off clean at the first joint and all that medical attention could do was to sew the skin over the end of the injury.

This is the third accident to cause one of the many workmen considerable pain and loss of time whilst the bush is being completely cut down. Arthur Smith in some manner came into contact with a small twig which ran into his ear, and narrowly escaped bursting the drum. As it was he was caused a good deal of pain and quite a serious injury with a minor operation to remove the twig. Another victim was Orval Martin. He came high losing a toe, such as Arthur did, but he got off with the axe taking off the nail as completely as if the operation had been performed by a surgeon's knife.

Jess Cook suffered a minor accident last week when a big log rolled over and squeezed his foot, so that he was compelled to go about several days with the limp of one 90 years of age.

The Morris bush is being felled by Mr. Chapman, and judging by the progress being made, the land will be as treeless next spring as the Atlantic ocean.

## LOST OVER 80 HOGS

It was discovered on Tuesday this week that hog cholera had broken out in the district near Stouffville on the farm of Richard Carruthers, two miles south of Mongolla on the 10th concession of Markham Township. Mr. Carruthers is a large hog raiser and will lose over eighty swine, all of which were ordered to be shot.

The Government Inspector was here this week and visited the pens on the Carruthers farm, when he issued the order to destroy the swine. It is understood that the government make compensation under such cases, but we were unable to learn what the amount will be. Practically all these hogs would have been ready for market early in March.

Symptoms of the disease was noticed some time ago, and ten animals had died or were destroyed, but Mr. Carruthers never dreamed of hog cholera being the cause.

For five years the owner has been a big producer, and through an arrangement with a bakery in Toronto received all the left-over dough and stale goods which he used for feed. It is suggested by some that this feed might have produced the germ, yet hogs seems to thrive on much poorer and more unsanitary feed than stale dough. The disease is a bad one to spread through a district.

This spring Mr. Carruthers is leaving Mongolla district to locate over on the 6th concession of Uxbridge.

## PERSONAL NOTES

Miss Mae Mowder was visiting in Toronto last week.

Miss Mary Daley has gone to Port Hope to visit with her brother.

Mrs. Cloughton of Uxbridge was a recent guest of Mrs. Harry W. Sanders.

Miss Jane Burkitt was visiting her brother at Oakville over the week end.

Miss M. L. Dixon of Toronto spent the week end with Miss Luella Holden.

Miss Marion Rome of Toronto, spent the week end with Miss Marjorie Mertens.

Henry Noble of Toronto spent the week end at Mr. Noah Stouffer's and Mr. Wm. Gower's.

Mrs. E. Gregory and daughter, Bessie of Petrolia, called on friends in town on Sunday.

Mr. Alex. Scott was in Scarborough on Tuesday attending the funeral of his aunt, the late Mrs. Robt. Craig.

Misses Betty and Marion Emberson of Toronto, were week end guests with Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hastings.

Mrs. Orchard of Seagrave was in town last week visiting her daughter Miss Dorothy Orchard of the public school staff.

Mrs. A. B. Bartholomew has returned from a two weeks visit in Detroit, where she visited her sister who is ill.

Miss Gladys Miller of the Weston High school staff was the guest of her aunts Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Latchford over Sunday.

The Misses Nettie and Allie Rae spent last week in Toronto, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wismer who motored out on Saturday to the old town.

Miss Ida L. Foote of Bethesda who has been visiting relatives in New York City for the past four weeks has returned home and reports having had a splendid outing.

Mr. Wm. Findlay who owns a property in the east end of Stouffville, but who is living in Toronto was in town on Monday looking over his earthly possessions here.

Coming to Stouffville, March 8th under local auspices, "Between the Acts" a comic production given by Markham young people. You'll want to see it, secure tickets early.

Last Sunday Mrs. Malcolm Ramer, Gordon and Miss Eva Ramer and Miss Edna Stouffer motored to St. Thomas where their pastor Rev. S. S. Shantz was concluding a series of revival services on that day.

Mr. James Cooney who owns the 200 acre farm on the 6th of Whitechurch, occupied by the Gilbert Bros., was in town on Tuesday. Mr. Cooney is now living in Toronto, and this month reached his 90th birthday, hale and hearty. Mr. Cooney is an uncle of Joe Cooney of Markham Township.

On Monday evening Messrs. Eldon Fairles, Harry Brillinger, Hugh Clark and A. V. Nolan were in Agincourt attending the institution ceremonies of the new Masonic Lodge. The institution was held in the new Oddfellows' Hall, and was conducted by Rt. Wor. Bro. Reade Davis, D.D.G.M.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Lloyd gratefully acknowledge the kindly assistance and expressions of sympathy, and the beautiful flowers sent by the School Board during their bereavement.

## ILLUSTRATED LECTURE

# "THE League of Nations"

WILL BE GIVEN IN THE UNITED CHURCH, STOUFFVILLE

## Monday, March 4th

AT 8 P. M.

SPEAKERS—MISS A. CHOWN, Toronto.

MRS. BUNDY, Toronto.

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The Covenant of the League of Nations is embodied in the Treaty of Versailles, and other treaties of peace which were signed at the end of the Great War. Since then 55 nations of the world have accepted the Covenant as their method of settling international disputes, and promoting international co-operation.

The League arranges conferences on many international questions such as the traffic in women and children, the opium evil, slavery, disarmament, repatriation of refugees, &c.

It has aided Austria, Hungary and Bulgaria to re-establish their national credit, on which depended their national existence.

It has been instrumental in preventing a number of wars. The continued struggle in China, the persistent propaganda of Russia, the race and colour problems of many lands, the apparent failure of disarmament, all show that there is much unrest and that the war spirit is still abroad. How necessary is it then that we should lend our moral and intellectual support to an organization which deals with the need of creating, maintaining and extending a public opinion which is pregnant with peace?

ADMISSION FREE

## ORATORICAL NIGHT A POPULAR EVENT

The auditorium of the school building in Stouffville was well filled on Friday evening by parents and pupils for the annual oratorical contest and elocution exercises of the school. Reg. Stouffer, president of the Literary Society, acted as chairman.

There were four contestants in the oratorical field, and they spoke in the following order: John Button, Luella Stouffer, Luella Paisley and Janet Button. The biblical quotation "the last shall be first, and the first last" proved to be near the fact in this instance, for Miss Janet Button was unanimously chosen winner with her younger brother John coming second, and Miss Luella Stouffer third. The first three speakers addressed their audience on "Canada Among the Nations," while Janet spoke on "The People of Canada."

In elocution the contest had seven entrants, who recited various selections in the order named: Blanch Topham, Murray Thorn, Margaret Brown, Mildred McKay, Edna Pugh, Alma Chapman, Erma Holden.

The winners were declared to be Mildred McKay, Erma Holden, Edna Pugh.

While the judges were doing their work, a musical program was rendered including a violin solo by Murray Sinclair, piano duet by Miss Gardhouse and Miss E. Grubin; also a chorus by girls.

The judges for the oratorical were Rev. Auld of Markham; N. Borinsky of Toronto, and Miss Chambers, high school teacher from Uxbridge. Rev. Mr. Auld announced the decision and highly complimented the contestants, as well as giving the audience some instruction on what constitutes a good public speaker. Mr. Auld is well qualified to speak on this subject.

For the judges in elocution Mr. Ward announced the winners and commended the participants for their interest, enthusiasm and ability shown in the contest. The other judges were Mrs. Ball and Mr. H. O. Klinck.

The prizes were awarded through a grant made by the school board, and by the donation of \$5 from our reeve, Mr. H. W. Sanders, and were handed out by Mr. Shaw. Owing to a regulation made two years ago no pupil could take a prize that had won one the previous year. Owing to this Miss Janet Button and Miss Luella Stouffer had to be content with the honor of winning, they being recipients of prizes on a previous occasion.

The teaching staff and pupils who in any way contributed to the evening's affair, are to be congratulated for the splendid success attained.

## MRS. CATHERINE JOHNSON

There passed away in Toronto on Friday morning, Feb. 22, 1929, Catherine Johnson of Stouffville and formerly of Goodwood, in her 72nd year. The deceased, owing to ill health had gone to Toronto to be an x-ray examination revealed serious internal trouble, and it was realized then that Mrs. Johnson could not survive long.

She was born at Goodwood on the farm on which the United Church is located, being the youngest of four girls born to the late George and Matilda Stafford, and was one of a family of nine children. More than 40 years ago she was married to the late Samuel Johnson, and to them two children were born, Edith and Elsie. About four years ago Mrs. Johnson moved from Goodwood to Stouffville where she lived until the time of her death, which came quite suddenly.

She is survived by her two daughters, and by two sisters and four brothers namely Mary Stafford, Mrs. James Wagg, and Calvin Stafford, Goodwood; Nathan Stafford, Toronto; Jonathan of Vancouver and Amos of Goodwood.

The deceased was an outstanding church worker, and a faithful christian. For some years she acted as superintendent of Goodwood Methodist Sunday School, and was an ardent mission worker. Only three weeks ago the mission band of Stouffville United Church was named in her honor.

The funeral on Sunday afternoon took place at Goodwood cemetery. The remains were brought from Toronto to Stouffville by motor hearse, thence to Goodwood by hearse sleigh. The funeral service was held in the United Church, Stouffville, conducted by Rev. C. E. McLeod, and assisted by the United Church choir. The speaker made fitting reference to the devoted christian life of the late Mrs. Johnson, her loyalty to church and missions.

A. R. Pike of Box Grove sold his 108 acre farm for a reported sale price of \$18,000.

## Announcement

We wish to announce that we have discontinued the sale of Chevrolet Motor Cars, but we assure all owners of Chevrolet cars purchased from us that they will still receive at all times the most courteous and efficient service in our power to render. In the near future we shall have in our showroom representative models of the HUDSON and ESSEX CARS, particulars of which will be published in this paper in near future.

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Baker Hill—Morning service  
Sixth Line—Evening service

**MENNONITE CHURCH**  
Stouffville  
S. S. Shantz, Pastor  
Sunday, March 3rd  
10 a.m.—Fellowship and Ordinance Service.  
11 a.m.—Preaching and Communion  
7 p.m.—Preaching  
All these services in charge of Presiding Elder M. Bricker.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. W. H. Fuller, pastor  
Sunday, March 3rd  
2 p.m.—Sunday School  
3 p.m.—Evening worship.  
Subject, "John Calvin: His Life."  
There will be no prayer meeting service until further notice.

**UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA**  
Rev. H. S. Warren, B.A., pastor  
Sunday, March 3rd  
11 a.m.—"Christianity in Action".  
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School  
7 p.m.—"Watch Your Step".  
The service will begin with the singing of some "Old Favorites".  
Come—Help—Enjoy.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. W. W. Fleischer, pastor  
Sunday, March 3rd  
10 a.m.—Bible School.  
11 a.m.—Subject, "Should the Christian be Different?"  
3 p.m.—9th Line Baptist Church.  
7 p.m.—Subject, "A Young Man; How he acted when the Boss was Away".  
Remember the prayer services—Wednesday, 8 p.m. and Sunday 6.15 p.m.  
Everybody welcome.

**"FAITH AND TRUTH TEMPLE"**  
First Door East of Fire Hall  
D. McDonald, worker in charge  
Tuesday Evening—Prayer service with preaching on Divine Healing.  
Lord's Day Service—Morning 11 p.m.  
Subject—"One Hindrance to Revival".  
Sunday School 3 p.m.  
Subject—"The Christian Church".  
Evening 7 p.m.—Subject, "You".  
All welcome.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
E. Morton, pastor  
Some day we may all feel like saying with the psalmist: "I have been young, and now am old". Next Sunday, the pastor will give a message for the young, at Stouffville, 11 a.m.—Ringwood 2.30 p.m.; Altona 7 p.m. Will the S.S. superintendents please announce. Let us all prove to feel young as we meet together for spiritual action.

**MELVILLE, BETHESDA, PEACH'S UNITED CHURCHES**  
Dr. E. H. Gray, Pastor  
Peach's (7th Line, Markham)  
Sunday School at 10 a.m.  
Public Worship at 11 a.m.  
Melville (6th Line, Markham)  
Sunday School at 1.30 p.m.  
Sunday, Feb. 24th  
Public Worship and Communion service at 2.30 p.m.  
Pre-Communion service on Friday, Feb. 22nd, at 8 o'clock.  
Meeting of Westminster Guild on Thursday, Feb. 21st, at 8 o'clock, followed by Valentine Social.  
An important meeting of the Session will be held in the church on Thursday, Feb. 21st, at 2.30 p.m.  
Bethesda (5th Line, Whitechurch)  
Union Sunday School at 2 p.m.  
Public Worship at 3 p.m.  
Young People's meeting every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

**WESTERN HORSES**  
Auctioneer Silversides received a wire on Saturday from Wm. Klinck of Jamer, Alta, that he would ship him a car load of horses to be sold by public auction in Stouffville. The shipment will arrive here about the 8th of March, and the sale date will