

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

How about tuning in on the old law mower?

Stouffville stores are open Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights, but close every Wednesday at noon.

It will soon be time to announce the annual "clean-up day" when the local tin deposits will be conveyed to our "tin mine" over in Uxbridge Township.

Delbert Holden, the local Ford agent, has booked over 60 orders for new cars and trucks thus far this spring. This is big business, and fairly indicates the ability of the local agent as a live salesman.

In a note from H. S. O'Brien, financial editor of the Indianapolis News, he suggests that the name "O'Brien" Avenue ought to be changed to Shadelawn or perhaps Wheeler Avenue, as the street at one time formed part of the original Wheeler estate.

While on a spearing expedition at the Rouge River last Friday evening, Clayton Farr, spiked a fine sucker weighing three and a half pounds, and measuring 21 1/2 inches long. Catching suckers is a very popular sport in the early spring when the fish are hard and very nice to eat if you understand how to remove the bones. Suckers have been on the market the past week or two finding very ready sale.

GROCERIES

- Ginger Snaps, 2 lbs. 25c.
- Sunwheat Biscuits, per pkg. 24c.
- Soda Biscuits, per pkg. 13c.
- French Drip Coffee, reg. 35c. 32c.
- Canned Peaches, choice quality, per tin 23c.
- Economy Tea, 1 lb. pkg. 52c.
- Broom's, 5 string 35c.

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The Men's Store.

Men's Spring Suits \$25

Now is the time to dress up for Spring. We have a large range of SPRING SUITS to choose from, including blue, grey and brown worsteds in checks and stripes.

- Men's Spring Top Coats \$12.00 to \$18.00
- Men's Silk and Wool V-neck Sweater Coats \$2.75 each.
- Men's Work Shirts in various colors, \$1.00 and \$1.35 ea.
- Men's Work Sox, 3 pair for \$1.00
- Men's "Penman's" Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers .69c. ea.
- Men's Balbriggan Combinations \$1.00 and \$1.25.
- Men's Rayon Combinations \$1.25 and \$1.75

BOYS' DEPARTMENT

- Boys' Grey and Brown Tweed Suits with 2 bloomers, 1 bloomer and 1 long, or 2 longs.
- Boys' Blue and Grey Reefer Coats 3 to 7 yrs. \$3.00 and \$4
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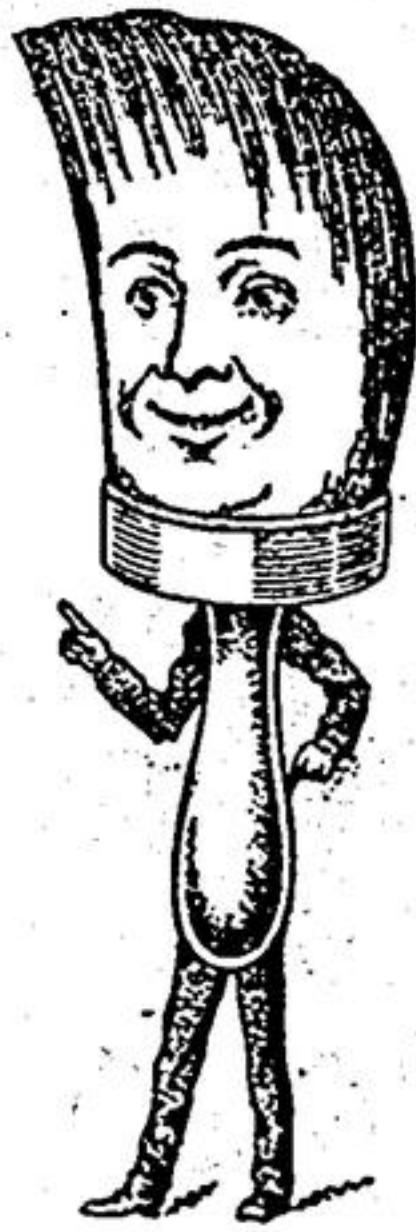
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The annual meeting of the Ontario Women's Liberal Association which was held in Toronto last week, was attended by the following delegates from the Stouffville Women's Liberal Association: Miss Alma Baker, Miss Nettie Bruce, Mrs. Jos. Borinsky, Miss G. Fisher, Mrs. A. Grubin, Miss Ann Lehman and the president Miss E. Saugster.

Constable Alf Pugh was informed on Saturday night that chicken thieves were suspected as loitering around Gormley, out on investigation it was discovered that the "suspects" were not guilty, but had merely broken down with their truck and having refused to give an explanation when enquiries were made, it led to them being suspected.

A meeting of the Stouffville Tennis Club will be held in the band room, above the council chambers this Thursday, May 1st, at 7:30 p.m. All interested are requested to attend in order that the club may be properly organized for the season.

The United Church was filled on Monday evening to hear Elsie McLuhan, the noted reader and impersonator. Her numbers were well received, and highly commented on. Miss Ivy Saunders rendered a solo, and Misses Eva Hoover and Ann Lehman participated at the piano. These numbers by local talent were well rendered and greatly appreciated.

Following nine weeks spent in Toronto at the home of her daughter Mrs. F. F. Saunders, and other relatives, Mrs. Joel Nendick returned Saturday to her home on O'Brien Avenue, in good health, and of course delighted to be home again. Mrs. Nendick is looking eagerly forward to garden time, for she enjoys work, and nothing brings her so much pleasure as a busy day about her home duties.

Rev. Oscar Burkholder accompanied his brother Clarence here from Breslau last week on a business trip, when they paid a brief visit to their parents Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Burkholder. Rev. Mr. Burkholder has lived in Breslau for nearly twenty years, and for a goodly portion of that time he has been the pastor of a Mennonite congregation there, having preached here occasionally when on a visit to the old home, down in the church on the 8th concession of Markham. His last public appearance was on the occasion of the opening of the present church building a couple of years ago.

Mrs. Wm. Watson received word on Tuesday morning that the fine large barns on the farm of her eldest son, Everett Watson at Greenbank, west of Uxbridge, had been destroyed by fire during the night. The blaze was noticed around two o'clock in the morning, but it was too late to save the structure. The cause of the fire is unknown. Mrs. Watson and her daughter recently moved to Stouffville from Goodwood and occupies the brick residence just east of Swift's garage.

As was feared when the loose stone was placed on the roadway in the east end of Stouffville, it is becoming a menace to pedestrians, due to being flipped off tires by passing motorists. On Sunday while driving along in front of Mr. Sandy Jones' place one of these cut stones was flipped off a car, whizzing right across over the sidewalk, just missing the faces of a couple of people who were walking. It is hoped that this loose material will not be allowed to remain in its present condition very long.

The auction sale of household goods belonging to the late Mrs. John L. Baker were disposed of by auction at the late home in the west end on Thursday afternoon last week. The crowd was unusually large, and the brick residence was also offered for sale by Auctioneer Silversides, subject to a reserve bid. The house was built 49 years ago by the late Mr. Baker, and was well constructed. However, there were no buyers on Thursday that bid anywhere near the reserve amount at which the property is held by Mr. Edw. Lloyd, the present owner, who inherited it from his mother.

Mrs. Lambert Stouffer was grieved to receive the news on Tuesday that her brother Perry Oscar Valentine had passed away in the Toronto General Hospital that day following only a few days illness from pneumonia, developed from a severe cold. The funeral will be held this Thursday afternoon to Stouffville cemetery following divine service in the Mennonite church here at 3 o'clock. Perry Valentine was born at Huntsville, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Elt Valentine. He spent most of his life in Stouffville where he enjoys many friends who will be shocked to learn of his untimely death at the age of only 32 years. Besides his sisters, Mrs. Stouffer and Mrs. W. J. Tause of Montreal, a sewing wife and two small children, Jack and Eleanor, survive. Rev. Mr. Homuth of the Toronto east end Mennonite church, of which the deceased was a member, will preach the funeral service.

The regular meeting of Stouffville municipal council for May takes place on Monday night next.

If there is any need for a "dog bylaw" in Stouffville, this is the particular season when it ought to be enforced.

The Annual meeting of the Jr. Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Allan Grudie on May 7th. All members are requested to attend as this will be the election of officers.

The first session of the Teacher Training Course which is being held in the United Church took place on Tuesday evening and proved to be one of interest and profit. Miss Muriel Winchester is leading group No. 1 and Rev. W. M. Mustard, Scarborough Bluffs has charge of group No. 2. On Thursday, 8 p.m. Rev. E. Morton will direct the devotional period.

Another arrest has been made in connection with the recent cloth robbery in Stouffville. This last gent was picked up in Toronto, and gave the name of Harrington, it is said that he will be identified by local people as having been around town for a few weeks prior to the robbery which if it proves to be a fact will go rather hard for him in his endeavour to disclaim any knowledge of the affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thorne are here from Millbrook living for the time being with her aged father Mr. Calvin Yake, who ranks as one of our oldest citizens. Mr. Thorne has disposed of his business in the northern town, and will not be returning to that place. Mr. Yake who is 87 years of age, is in a critical state of health, but his friends are hoping that with the coming of warm weather he will be restored to good health again.

Realizing that the first murder in this old world was committed with a stone and that the first Christian martyr was stoned to death, Henry Riddell thought last Saturday that he would suffer death under such circumstances when he was struck in the chest by a heavy missile while engaged in blasting operations. Mr. Riddell was working with the county road men at Dixon Hill, blasting heavy stone for use on the roads, when a solid chunk flew in his direction, landing heavily on his chest. Although being completely knocked out for a short time, Mr. Riddell sustained the accident without any serious results.

An excellent opportunity for some Toronto folks or others to spend six months in the country, presents itself on the farm of Mr. Robt. Ratcliff west of Stouffville. There are two fine residences on this beautiful farm, and one of them is vacant now. The other is Mr. Ratcliff's private dwelling. Mr. Ratcliff is offering the vacant house for rent at a very moderate figure, and just to ensure the old time privileges of the farm being enjoyed he will give the tenant all the fire wood they require to use, as well as the run of a fine orchard. The vacant brick house is beautifully situated on the good road, surrounded by fine hedges, and a pond and park grounds convenient. As this is not an advertisement we refrain from stating the rental figure Mr. Ratcliff is asking, but we will assure anyone that the amount will be no obstacle to one wishing a quaint home for the summer. Only a reliable party need investigate.

We understand that the Toronto Gold Fish Co., which purchased lands north of Ringwood last year on which a series of small ponds were established for the cultivation of gold fish, have given up the idea of procuring their water supply from artesian wells. It is stated that they intend to procure their future supply from the creek near the property. There has not been much activity about the fish ponds this spring, although the gulls are said to be very active, having come inland from the great lakes. They have been attracted to these small ponds and are said to have created a big loss in their activities in catching the gold fish and devouring them. This species of water fowl has been roaming the fields in this locality in huge flocks, one farmer declaring that he seldom saw them so far inland, and never in such great numbers as this spring in this section. What's the reason?

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MILK PRICES — Summer Prices commence today (May 1) for milk and cream. Milk 20 tickets for \$1. No change in cream prices which are 11c. per half pint, 8c. quarter pint. Clayt. Baker, H. D. Sawyer.

In order to accommodate the farmers in every way possible Stiver Bros. will keep their seed store open six days of the week, also Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings.

After being bothered with an abscess on the right eye ball for some time, Ross Kester is now enjoying normal sight again. This peculiar affliction did not cause him much pain, but great annoyance as it irritated the nerves of the eye.

Messrs. B. Widdfield of Huntsville and D. Miller of Toronto are holding a series of religious meetings in the Oliver Flewell residence on the 5th concession, south of Ballantrae. Week night gatherings at 7:30 with Sunday night at 8 o'clock.

The annual meeting of the South Ontario Football Association will be held in the council chamber, Brooklin, on Thursday evening, May 8th, at 8 p.m. standard time. Delegates from all clubs interested are invited to attend this meeting.

Fall wheat that had a good start last fall is looking well and local fields sown to this seed look like beautiful lawns from the roadway. However between here and Yonge street there are some fields so "sick" that it will be profitable to plow them up now.

The United Church was unusually well filled on Sunday morning to hear Elsie McLuhan render the sacred theme, "The Mansions" The rendition occupied twenty minutes and took the place of the regular morning service. It was given without a falter and with such expression as to deeply impress everyone in the large congregation.

On Monday Mr. Isaac Boardway commenced operations on a new dwelling house to be built just west of Mr. Robt. Miller's residence in the west end. Mr. Boardway has built several houses in town, and while a little under size for most buyers he has sold each property before he started a new one. It all helps to build our community, and we trust a buyer will be found for this present house long before it is completed.

The third annual meeting of the shareholders of the Federal Wholesale Grocers, Ltd., was held in the King Edward Hotel on Wednesday, April 23rd, 1930, and proved to be very satisfactory to the merchants gathered from all parts of Ontario and who own this concern. This is one of the most modern organizations of its kind, the members buying at first cost and eliminating the middle man and his charges, giving the members the smallest overhead expense of any wholesale organization in Canada. Ratcliff & Co. are charter members and J. H. Ratcliff vice-president of the company.

In these days of the benzine buggy as the common mode of travel automobile accidents are far more common than those caused by runaway horses. People on Main street were treated to a spectacle of the old fashioned horse-runaway last Thursday. A more or less faithful farm team belonging to Reuben Heise of Gormley was left unattended in front of F. L. Button's law office for just a moment but at that particular instant Al Pryne sounded the noon bell, and as if the chargers suddenly thought of their hay and oats as the people along Main street are reminded that it is time to lunch when Al sounds the bell, they made off for Gormley without waiting for their owner. Dashing down the street they came into contact with a police car from over on Yonge street which was parked opposite Monkhouse's tailoring shop, damaging the back of the car considerably the steeds raced onward in the direction of home, but their course had been so badly upset in coming into contact with the police car that they flew up the sidewalk, and came to a halt on the lawn of Dr. Freel. The animals were unharmed, but judging by the crowd attracted to the street, the old-time runaway or dog fight is as exciting as ever.

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- Cook's Friend Bk. Powder. 29c.
- Toddy, large 43c.
- 10 lbs. Golden Corn Syrup 60c.
- Tiger Catsup, large 19c.
- Bayside Tomatoes, large 2 for 27c.
- P. & G. Soap, 10 for 39c.
- Sheriff's Jellies, 4 for 23c.
- White Soup Beans, 3 lbs. 20c.
- Spanish Oranges, doz. 17c.
- Peanuts, roasted, lb. 17c.
- Peanuts, salted, lb. 29c.
- Peanuts Clusters, lb. 29c.
- Weston's Assorted Bis. lb. 25c.
- Weston's Sodas, 2 lbs. for 25c.
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