

TOWN TOPICS

Joyce Ball, a pupil of A. Lehman, A.T.C.M. was successful in passing the Conservatory Elementary Piano Exam.

Miss Myrtle Watson, pupil of Miss Grace Clough, Conservatory of Music passed the A.T.C.M. piano with honors at the recent examinations.

The Misses Edna, Violet, and Eva Hoover, also Agnes Loyst and Anne Lehman are on a motor trip to Montreal and Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wells and family of St. Louis Mo. who have taken a cottage near Roche Point, spent the weekend with Mrs. Wells' brother Mr. Arthur Fuller and family, Mongolia.

This has been a wonderfully fine season for peonies, and some grand displays are to be seen about town. One of the grandest bouquets—one could put their eyes on was brought to the Tribune office last week by Mr. Alex. Mitchell, of Ringwood, which won the admiration of many flower lovers.

If any of our readers were in doubt where the great centres of wealth in Canada were, before the income tax returns were published, they have no doubt now. Of almost 51 millions collected in 19 centres no less than slightly over 31 millions were collected from citizens of Montreal and Toronto and their suburbs, with Toronto slightly in the lead over its more populous but less wealthy rival. Mitch Hepburn should be able to get at least half his required 20 millions for relief from a Provincial income tax from Toronto citizens and corporations.

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THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY
JULY 4, 5 and 6

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(Canada's Own War Memorial)
Short Subjects

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
JULY 9 and 10

"Enter Madam"

Short Subjects Comedy

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
JULY 12 and 13

"RUMBA"

George Raft

The July meeting of the municipal council will be held on Friday evening.

Bring your lawn mower to Ward's Garage for adjustment, and sharpening by the new Keeneutter Process.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robertson, of Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. Robertson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Collard.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Butler, of Newmarket, spent the holiday week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Del. Jennings.

Miss Gertrude Loyd and Mr. Arnold Hennessey, Oshawa, were weekend visitors at the former's home with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Campbell and son Ken were in town from Galt visiting with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Rae.

"Whittie" Hilcher, the Maple Leaf's star pitcher and his wife were visiting last week, at the Lemouville home of his co-worker on the mound, Earl Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Edwards (Edna Cockerill) were in town for the holiday from St. Catharines visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cockerill.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Blake Sanders motored to Wasaga Beach to visit with Mrs. Adair and Miss Kate Darragh, at the latter's summer cottage there. Miss Darragh who has been very ill, is making gradual recovery friends in town will be pleased to learn.

This looks like an "off year" for celebrations in Stouffville, and although we are well on with the season, there is not as much as a garden party showing on the horizon. Some organization has always done well with a celebration here on July 1st or Civic Holiday but no attempt to stage anything this year seems likely.

Ever since "Scottie" left the Gray Coach Lines there has been a steady stream of enquiries as to his whereabouts. While it is right to say that he has been set to cracking stone, let us explain. "Scottie" has purchased a marble and granite business at Oakville, and is now working in the quarries learning the new trade over which he is now the owner. While everybody knew our bus driver as just "Scottie", his real name is Angus McKellar, and of course if you are acquainted you are already aware that he is a Scotchman. Popular with the tiniest children, the middle aged, and the old folk, there was general regret expressed on every hand when he left the Stouffville-Toronto route to take over his newly acquired business in Oakville. Courtesy and care were his outstanding characteristics.

E. A. Grubin, R.O., Optometrist and Optician will be at his office in Stouffville on Monday and Tuesday, July 9th and 10th.

Len. Tait is in town recuperating from an operation for appendicitis, for which he was in the hospital just ten days.

Mrs. Blake Sanders has returned from a delightful holiday in Western Canada, visiting relatives in Alberta and spending some time among friends in the section where she once lived.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Button and family are at their summer cottage at Hall's Lake where Mr. Button is making good progress toward recovery following the recent auto accident in which he was severely shaken up.

Dominion Day was quietly observed in Stouffville, and there being no celebration here the streets were pretty well deserted all day. A fair crowd turned out for the baseball match in Memorial, while in the evening the theatre supplied entertainment to a good attendance.

A large chestnut tree, one of the landmarks on Main street, was laid low last week on the property of Ben. Rexlin, two doors west of the Presbyterian church. The top of the big tree died, and was unsafe, so workmen took it down. It is known that this tree stood at its full size at least fifty or more years ago. The late Mrs. James Hand recalled the fact that it was a large tree when the Hands lived there for a time during Mr. Hand's early teaching career in Stouffville. Others surmise that this tree was one spared from the virgin forest days.

Subscriptions in the mail last week received at The Tribune included one from S. C. Fleury of Welwyn, Sask., and another from R. J. Daley, two well known former citizens. Mr. Fleury with his son conducts a general merchandising business, dry goods, clothing, flour and feed, etc., and in keeping with the march of time in the chain store movement is a member of the United Stores Limited. With the remittance from Mr. Daley our old friend says: "We enjoy having the news from 'Old Home Town' and may the list of your subscribers increase as the years go by."

The members of the United Church choir held a party in Memorial Park on Wednesday afternoon last week in honor of Miss Agnes Loyst, who is shortly leaving town, having resigned from the public school staff. A group picture of the choir was taken, and presented to Miss Loyst, and during the afternoon the members of the Evening-Auxiliary assembled at the park and presented her with a hymn book. It was accompanied by a few complimentary remarks made by Mrs. Laidlaw and Mrs. Storey. Miss Loyst has been a faithful member of these church organizations for several years, and her departure is generally regretted.

Miss Margaret Heen Lehman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lehman of Stouffville, and Mr. Norman Howard Knight, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Knight of Markham Township, were quietly married by the Rev. Wm. Brown, pastor of the Mennonite Church at Markham, on Saturday afternoon, at 2.30. The ceremony was performed at the manse in Markham, the bride looking very attractive in a brown ensemble with accessories to match. The bridesmaid was her sister, Miss Annie Lehman, while Mr. Herbert Wright of Woodbridge acted as best man. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for a trip among friends and relatives at Peterboro and Lindsay.

Probably the most successful holiday fisherman from Stouffville this season is Mr. L. E. O'Neill who after a few days in the Temiskaming District of Northern Ontario and Quebec came with the full quota of speckled trout of large size. Visiting his brother-in-law at Temiskaming, Quebec, the local furniture man had an opportunity to see the wildest and Rockiest of Ontario's and Quebec's greatest northern regions, and that he was three hundred miles due north from Stouffville. The little Quebec village was a hum of business, almost cut off from the outside world and too much governmental interference. The few motor cars there do not carry a license although the drivers must have permits. The fact no markers are purchased is probably due to the fact that there are few miles of road for them to travel on. The settlement is owned exclusively by one of the greatest lumber companies, engaged in getting out timber for cellophane and other specialties, and the company own every foot of ground, home and business block in the village.

On the fishing trip north of Temiskaming the men travelled by boat and Model T. cars available for bush travel. The big pink beauties were taken from water 200 feet deep, and so cold one could not keep their hand in it long. Mr. O'Neill was able to treat a few friends to a portion of his fine catch.

Miss Myrtle Crossen is home from the hospital following a serious illness from which she is making good recovery.

Mr. Ed. Morris, farmer on the townline east of town, is recovering from a severe attack of the flu, from which it was feared for a time he would not survive.

Anne Lehman was successful in passing the Junior Pipe Organ exam, held recently at the Conservatory. Healy Wilan was examiner.

Mrs. Chas. Ward with June and Douglas have been visiting in Georgetown, while plaster Roy has been having a big holiday at the home of his uncle, Mr. P. R. Stover, in Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Powell and son Barry are visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Cook. Mr. Powell will be on the examining staff for 15 days at the University Buildings in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hare of Temperanceville, Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Mowat, the Misses Elva and Betty Mowat, Billy Mowat and Mr. Adamson, of Campbellford, also Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson of Markham were holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. James Mowat.

Visitors at the home of Clerk J. S. Dougherty on Dominion Day included his two sisters Mrs. P. Macklem and Mrs. Morrison, of Toronto, also Rose Macklem, and Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie. Mr. Dougherty's oldest sister Mrs. Macklem is 82 years of age, and enjoyed the holiday just like the young folks do.

The following are taking a week's course at the Summer School at Elgin House, Muskoka: Mr. Harry Worling, Donald Rowbotham, Miss Evelyn Dougherty, Miss Viola Lehman, Miss Glenna Davis, Miss Edna Sinclair, Ringwood, Miss Reesor and Miss Lehman, Altona.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cober, of Stouffville, Ontario, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Edna Elizabeth, to Mr. Jack Walter Forster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Forster, of Markham, Ontario. The marriage to take place in the Mennonite Church the middle of July.

The monthly meeting of the Jr. Institute will take the form of a picnic to be held at Ratcliff's Park—Sixth Line, on Wednesday afternoon, July 10, at 2.30. We entertain the "Friendship Circle" from Bethesda, also Mrs. L. Reesor District President of Institute work will be present to give an address. Program of sports and followed by a picnic lunch. Members and friends are cordially invited from both organizations.

Miss Marjorie Miller whose home is at Peachs' in Markham, but who is teaching school at Ameer Bay near Burk's Falls, is leaving this week on an extended motor trip to Superior on the north shore of Lake Superior, and in the neighborhood of Duluth. Miss Miller will be joined at North Bay by her aunt Mrs. Allan, when the two will proceed to the American centre to visit another aunt, all sisters of Miss Miller's mother. Returning they will travel by way of Chicago.

The Hydro Electric Rural truck for the Markham Division was ditched near the Wideman church on the 8th concession of Markham one day last week, and some damage done to the vehicle. The occupants Thain Barker and Wm. Butterfield were more or less injured. Barker sustained a severe head abrasion, and concussion was feared, while Butterfield suffered a wrenched neck. The cause of the accident is not exactly clear as the road is wide and familiar to the two men, although fresh tar had recently been applied with a good coating of gravel.

Stouffville is again holding the handsome Eckardt trophy for prowess on the bowling green. On Monday evening the cup was competed for at Newmarket when a rink skipped by F. L. Button, K.C., carried off the coveted trophy and four valuable silver trays with cream and sugar sets, gold lined. The rink from Stouffville was: Reg. Button lead, E. M. Still second, Sam Armstrong 3rd, and Mr. Button skip. The large Eckardt trophy stands 20 inches high, and bears the shields and names of all the winners since it was first donated in 1912. During these years Stouffville rinks have held it on four occasions including the present one. It was first brought to Stouffville in 1916 by a rink composed of Isaac Lehman, James Hand, Harvey Lawson, W. R. Adams, and again in 1917 it was held here by Amos Lehman, Fred Marshall, Milt. Storey, D. H. Russell. The next year Stouffville could not retain it, and it was not until 1932 it came this way again, being held by the following rink: Gordon Lemon, Fred Carruthers, Sam. Armstrong, James H. Ratcliff. The cup must be defended annually in York County against all comers.

Mrs. W. H. Ford of Toronto is visiting in town with Mrs. Turner and the Misses Rae, Church street.

The O.E.S. Stouffville will picnic in Memorial Park, here on Wednesday, July 10. Markham chapter will join in the afternoon's enjoyment along with other friends.

Grace, Audrey and John Laseer, Church street, spent a couple of days at the home of their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Pipher, Markham.

Miss Vira Tindall, the newly appointed teacher on the Stouffville public school staff, is taking a summer course at Guelph Agricultural College during the summer months.

The following pupils of Bertha Stouffer passed the mid-summer examinations of the Toronto Conservatory of Music. Introductory piano—Bobbie Timbers (hon.) Elementary piano—Dorothy Timbers, Theory Grade III—History—Louie Hoover.

The baseball boys were amazed at the small gate receipts for the game here on July 1st, despite the fact that a fair crowd witnessed the game. There are so many "dead heads" who manage to get into the park for the ball games without going through the customary formality of donating 25 cents to the boys, that the club is about crippled. Anyone present at Monday's game would have taken on oath that at least 100 persons witnessed the game, but there was only receipts of \$10. Those who escape the admission fee, are always under observation even though they believe they are getting away with it unseen. On the other hand we would suggest to the Club that the man at the gate be supplied with a table or stand otherwise some persons who get into the park before the game starts, might not know they are expected to pay an admission to the game.

ABNORMAL FRUIT

The splendid growth in the strawberry crop this year is evidenced in at least a sample brought to The Tribune Office, and grown on the farm of Floyd Fairles, just east of Stouffville. One berry measured six and three quarters inches around and it is estimated that about thirteen similar size would fill a box

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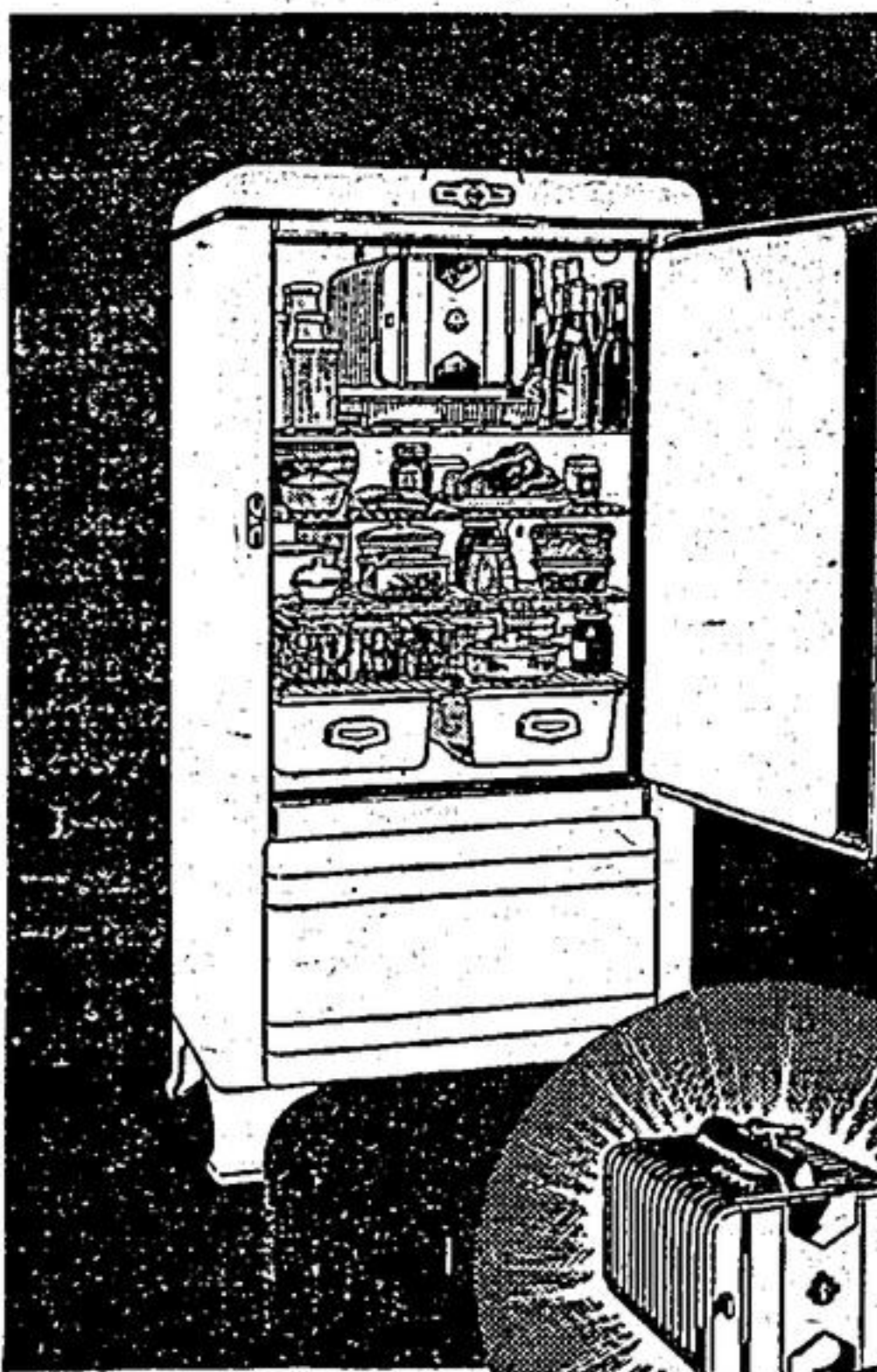
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Out of town visitors over the weekend who called at Mrs. C. Raymer's were Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Brown and Mr. Cecil Brown of Markham, Misses Florence and Ethel Pepper and Miss Edna Burkholder of Toronto, Miss Bertie Hoover and Mr. Levi Hoover of Edgley, also Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Wiancko and son Eldon of Toronto. Mrs. Raymer's condition remains about the same.

Miss Gladys Evans of Claremont is spending a few days with her aunt Miss Sadie Stewart, Main st.

The W.M.S. of the United Church will hold a picnic at the farm home of Mrs. Harvey Moyer, Dickson Hill, this Friday afternoon. Cars will leave Shaw's store at 2:30 and all ladies of the organization will be expected to attend this social function.

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