

TOWN TOPICS

Next Monday is Labor Day and a public holiday.

Jim Dunkeld is a patient in the Brierbush Hospital where he has been confined for several weeks. A recent resident of Stouffville, he is an old citizen of Atha.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pugh during the month of August are Miss Effie and Hazel Pugh of Edmonton, Mrs. H. Howe of Detroit, and Mrs. H. Parks of Los Angeles.

Mr. William Pyle of Myrtle, father of our Mrs. Richard Ward, and a frequent visitor to Stouffville, celebrated his 94th birthday on the other day, at the home of his sister Mrs. Tweedie in Whitby. With him was another sister, Mrs. Maynard, Brooklyn, who is in her 89th year.

Mrs. John Young and two daughters, Helen and Emily, all Owen Sound residents called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leslie enroute to Kingston for a holiday. Mrs. Young is the widow of Mr. Leslie's former business partner in the Northern city.

Having been declared champions of the York-Ontario Baseball League (Intermediate B) Sunderland was called upon to meet Peterboro (Intermediate C) in the first of home and home games last Saturday. This they did and defeated the city outfit by the score of 10-3. The second game will be played at Sunderland this Wednesday. Sunderland have a snappy team and if they eliminate Peterboro may be counted on to go farther in the race for provincial honors.

Persons who are wondering how the separate school tax works out under the new arrangement, will be interested in the case of Hanover which we noticed the other day. In that town 12 companies came under the new separate school tax, and they have a total assessment of \$42,000. By reason of the change in the Act the Catholic Separate School will get \$50 additional tax which the public school ratepayers in Hanover will lose. This is the first practical case we have had any information of and would tend to indicate that there will be little difference made in the smaller municipalities, while in places like Stouffville where we have no corporations liable for the school tax, it has no direct bearing.

Gun licenses promptly issued by N. W. Byer, Stouffville.

Store for rent—Westend, suitable for any business. Apply to Mrs. Geo. Lawson, west of Mansion House.

Mrs. Sid. Schmidt and Stanley have been visiting in Cannington with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gibson.

Mrs. Elias Stover is in Milverton for a few weeks, while Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot Stover are also spending a few days in the Perth county village.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young, Toronto, were guests at the home of his brother on Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. Robt. Young, Church street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Stover, Gladys, Norma, Margaret and Bruce enjoyed a motor trip to North Bay and Ottawa and visited the Parliament Buildings.

Last Saturday, August 29th, Pearl Janet Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller, Uxbridge, became the wife of Robert Paradine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Paradine, Whitechurch Twp. The wedding ceremony was performed at the home of Rev. E. Morton. The young couple will make their home in Whitechurch Twp.

Mrs. Roy Crawford, son and two daughters were in town on Sunday from the Sudbury district, calling on old friends. Ten years or more ago Roy Crawford was manager of the Silver Star Hardware store now the Brathwaite Hardware. He was a progressive citizen, and a valued family was lost to the community when the Crawford's moved north.

On the day of the last issue of The Tribune, Aug. 20, this section of the country was suffering from the greatest drought ever experienced in Ontario. However, the following day, August 21 a most welcome rain fell, and since it got started we have been blessed with frequent showers. Too late for the grain harvest 'tis true, but none the less a great help for the root crop and pasture lands which were burned and dried up so that farmers were compelled to feed dairy cows in the stables. There is a shortage of feed on many farms as a result of the summer drought, but the province over the supply is considered ample, as some sections had plenty of rain. Locally the situation in this regard is spotty.

Lost—Car license No H.K. 736. Please leave at Tribune Office.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Saunders, Mt. Dennis, were visiting his sister Mrs. Henry Riddel.

Mrs. John W. Lehman spent a couple of days last week visiting her aunt and uncle at Belle Ewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reid, of Cookstown spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Lehman.

E. A. Grubin, R. O., Optometrist and Optician, will be at his office in Stouffville on Tuesday, Sept. 8th.

Mr. George E. Davey, proprietor of the Cedar Beach Pavilion at Lake Musselman, will shortly move to Stouffville, having taken a lease on the Nendick property, O'Brien Ave., and which is undergoing extensive repairs. Since locating at the lake Mr. and Mrs. Davies and family resided on their farm there.

The September meeting of the Stouffville Junior Institute will be held at the home of Louie Lloyd at 2:30 p.m. September 9. An interesting program is being prepared followed by a social half hour. All members and friends are cordially invited for this first meeting of the fall.

Lawrence Dack, who received part of his high school education at Stouffville when living with his aunt Mrs. Robert Young of the former Presbyterian manse, has been appointed to the staff of the Kingston Collegiate as Art teacher. His school chums of a few years ago will be pleased to learn of his advancement and success in his chosen profession.

Some gardeners lost their cucumbers because of the drought, but Clarence Lager, Church street isn't one of them. Mr. Lager grew one large cucumber measuring 15 inches long, which would be a record growth for a more favorable year than 1935. The Lager cucumbers had to withstand the drought for they were never watered excepting by the very little rain which fell.

Rev. Wm. Heaps, wife and two sons were in town last week staying with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Russell. Mr. Heaps was employed by Mr. Russell when farming, but later he entered the ministry and is now pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Birkshire, N.Y. On Sunday morning Mr. Heaps preached in the local Mennonite church where he attended when a boy.

While a number of trucks have taken turnips to the Toronto market, the local shipper R. E. Brown has not commenced his annual shipments to the U.S.A. although he expects to get under way in a few days. In answer to a query, Mr. Brown could not essay a guess on the price. While the local crop is short, Prince Edward Island has abundance, and find a market in the U.S.A. along with the Ontario product, Mr. Brown explains.

Some people will be amazed to know that just at this season of the year there is a serious shortage of bottles among dairies, and enquiry shows it to be the case here in Stouffville. And why a shortage at this particular time of year, you ask. Well, it's pickling season, and believe it or not, it is fairly well conceded that some householders divert the dairy bottle to the job of holding pickles. This is not only an offense against the law for which there is a penalty, but a rather unthinking piece of business. It is hardly conceivable that there are so many people in a community of this class, that the dairies are actually running short of bottles, and may be put to big expense to buy in an additional supply. Here in Stouffville we are buying milk below prices obtained in the average place; and it is up to each and every patron to minimize the expense their dairyman is put to. One of the heavy ones is the purchase of new bottles.

When Auctioneer A. S. Farmer dispersed the household goods belonging to the estate of the late Joel Nendick, at the old home on O'Brien Avenue last Saturday afternoon, the curtain was virtually run down on a household which had existed there for 42 years. Back about 1894 the progressive and purposeful Joel Nendick and his wife had built for themselves by Eli Ramer, the present frame structure in which they lived until death separated the couple when Mr. Nendick passed on a few years ago. The aged widow, now living with her children in Toronto is incapacitated through bad eyesight and will never be able to live alone. Just as all things come to an end, this beloved old home having served its day and generation, is now dispersed for ever. It is not without regrets. We dislike to see old homes broken up even by old Father Time. The residence is being remodelled and all modern conveniences added. One of the aged mother's sons Frank Nendick and a son-in-law, F. F. Sanders are in charge of the work, and have been here several weeks for this purpose.

The Betty Beauty Salon will be closed Saturday, Sept. 5 until Tuesday, Sept. 8.

Mrs. Joan Lewis, Mrs. Loss Hill, and Mrs. Pipher took in a boat trip to Niagara Falls a few days ago.

Mr. Ken. May formerly of the local Nova Scotia Bank staff and lately of Beachburg is in town visiting his many friends during two week's vacation.

Miss Emma Good, matron of the Kitchener and Waterloo Orphanage was visiting at the home of her brother and Mrs. Good at the Brierbush here this week.

Mr. R. E. Sinclair, an old esteemed resident of Stouffville, was in town on Monday. Mr. Sinclair, although absent from here for some years, is still a property owner in the west end.

A three months course of bible lectures are shortly to commence at the Mennonite Church, and the class, it is expected, will be affiliated with the Lorno Park Seminary. Any one who desires, may have an opportunity to join this class, and profit by its studies and instructions.

Charles Ratcliff and Harry Pennock were on a holiday motor trip to Northern Ontario and across the Ottawa Highway to the Capital. Calling at Premier King's big mansion on Parliament Hill the boys met none other than our merchant—Mr. Ambrose Stover stepping away from the building.

Many of our residents will recall Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Miller who 25 years ago resided on 10th street south. Last week Mrs. Miller with her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller from Detroit were in town while staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hopkins, Mongolia. Mrs. Miller is now a resident in Toronto, while her son Frank is a compositor in a Detroit advertising agency.

There is a house famine in Richmond Hill and the village council recently held a special meeting to discuss plans to alleviate the situation. Contractors and other interested citizens were invited, and the revee will interview Premier Heppburn about the matter. We believe a similar situation obtains in Markham village and here in Stouffville when one is looking for small modern home with all conveniences for which there seems a "brisk demand. Building costs are too high for the rents obtainable in small towns to induce contractors to build homes for rental purposes.

An interesting garden party and reception was held at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. George Dowell, at Musselman's Lake last week, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. George, Mr. and Mrs. Fred George and family of Denver, Colorado, former well known residents of Stouffville. They are spending a vacation visiting relatives and old friends in Toronto and the local district. The afternoon was pleasantly spent, while a horseshoe pitching match was staged among the men. Refreshments were served, and general good time enjoyed. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ira Russell and family, Mrs. David Russell, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. George, Miss Lola-George, Dean Brandon, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carruthers, Ernie Carruthers, William Coates, Mr. and Mrs. John Soden, Mrs. Mary Soden, Mr. and Mrs. P. Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. B. Boake, Miss Irma Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Howard McClure, and family, Miss Aleta Widdifield, Miss Minnie Widdifield, Wesley Lundy, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reesor and family.

Doris Tidy, Toronto, spent a week with Margaret Byer.

For Sale—Parlor Cook Store at a bargain, also choice Gladioli Blooms—Mrs. Doten, phone 3102.

Alma Hill of Aurora is spending a few days with her father William Hill after a two weeks motor trip among the Kawartha Lakes.

Mrs. Sam. Johnston and daughter Miss Pearl, motored from Mt. Pleasant, Mich., visiting with Mr. Elijah Pennock and Mrs. Anderson. Maxine Anderson and little Helen Coffer, Toronto were also visiting at Mr. Pennock's.

Mrs. Oakland of Butte, Montana, is in town visiting at the home of her brother Mr. Thos. Jennings. Mrs. Oakland is a Stouffville old girl, and it is twelve years since she last visited here. The Butte district, she reports, was fortunately blessed with good rains this summer thus escaping the drought which visited Ontario and large sections of the U.S.A.

Hon. E. J. Davis, Newmarket millionaire who died recently leaving an estate of over three million dollars, left \$10,000 to the United Church of that town, and \$10,000 to the York County Hospital, Newmarket. A further sum of \$10,000 is left conditionally for a war memorial in Newmarket to cost \$40,000. Presumably the town or someone else will have to put up the rest of the shot.

That it is a good policy to look ahead with one's finances is an important and profitable for a municipality as it is for the individual. A case in point is shown this week, when the village of Stouffville is paying its entire county levy of \$5588.60 instead of delaying the payment until the end of the year. By advancing the amount now a discount is allowed of \$78, which is quite an item to save.

The apartment on St. Clair Ave., Toronto, occupied by Mr. S. S. Young was entered by thieves in broad daylight, when a valuable club-bag, a cabinet of silver, watch and diamond ring, the latter a gift to his daughter by her father, were all carried off and so far have never been recovered after an interval of a couple of weeks. Mrs. Young, (the former Erna Grubin) was down town in company with her mother, Mrs. Alex. Grubin of Stouffville, and made the discovery when she returned to her apartment. Someone was seen leaving the apartment building with club bag and it is believed the thieves had shadowed the owners, and struck while they were known to be away. Dumping the stolen goods into the club bag, they brazenly walked away. Entrance was gained by use of a skeleton key.

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