

TOWN TOPICS

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E. A. Grubin, R.O., Optometrist and Optician, will be at his office in Stouffville on Monday, March 21st.

Maple syrup operations began in Caledonia, in Haldimand County on Monday. A heavy rainfall is believed to have made conditions favorable for a good run this year.

A fancy team of perchons was sold last week by Jack O'Boyle, to Douglas Thompson, of Brooklin, who has become well known for his breeding of high-class stock. It is reported that quite a fancy price was received for the pair.

Another town went "city style" last week, when Richmond Hill Council voted to adopt daylight saving time.

Stouffville Juniors journeyed to Sutton on Friday night where they defeated the Sutton team 6-5 in a return exhibition game.

One of our elderly citizens, Mr. Noah Baker, has been quite ill at the home of his daughter Mrs. Harry Brillinger. Mr. Baker had a severe attack of neuritis, but is improving again, and we all hope to see him leading an active life again when the warm spring days set in.

Young people will realize the change that has taken place in the male outlook and women's dress, when they read this verse that was current thirty years ago: The devil sends the wicked winds to blow our skirts knee-high. But God is just and sends the dust to blind the bad man's eye.

Wolf prowlers have not been heard of in the district since Charlie Hooper nabbed one a month or so ago, in Markham Township. Quite a number have been brought down around here over the past few years, and as far as we know, the gun toter in each case was a man. Quite a different story comes out of Bruce County where for the second time recently, application for the bounty has been received from a woman. In neither instance was a gun used. The first animal was killed in a sensational manner, with a pitch fork, while the second was brought down in a snare.

Every Saturday afternoon and evening a social hour may be spent at the "Brown Betty Tea Rooms" where Mrs. Hayball, expert tea-cup reader will tell you the fortunes of your cup, over a delightful tea table. Tea and reading 25c.

Miss Myrtle Crossen is in the General Hospital having suffered a serious break-down. Her condition, we are glad to report, is improving.

Miss Mildred Dougherty, second youngest daughter of the village clerk and treasurer, is now on the relieving staff of "hello girls" at the B. & S. telephone exchange.

Mr. Eli Stouffer, one of our old residents of the east end, suffered a partial stroke last Friday, but is reported to be improving nicely. His son Samuel Stouffer, of Flesherton was in town with his father over the weekend.

By re-routing the Mail and Globe around by Peterboro the papers arrive at Stouffville on the 9 o'clock train from the north for use at The Tribune Office. Patrons of the orange colored box in front of the office of this paper can now secure their morning paper an hour earlier than heretofore.

Commencement Exercises for the Ontario Bible School, Gormley, will be held in Heise Hill Church, Gormley on the evenings of March 24-25. The address on each evening will be given by Bishop C. F. Dorstine, of Kitchener. Sixteen students are qualifying for certificates for work completed. Musical numbers by members of the school, will be rendered on each occasion.

Earl Cook the most noted ball twirler ever produced in these parts, left on Saturday for the training camp at Ybor, Florida. The ball field where the Syracuse lads will locate is only two miles from Tampa. Mrs. Cook will go to the U.S.A. later when the team take up their quarters in the home city. Earl was certainly looking fit at the time of his departure and is looking forward to a successful ball season.

Before nearly 1400 rabid fans in Aurora Arena on Thursday night, the Jubilee Juniors ousted Parry Sound from the play-offs with a 4-4 tie, to take the round 13-9. Aurora staged a three-goal rally in the third period to gain the deadlock. Aurora won the first game 9-5. Faced with the four goal deficit the northerners made a desperate effort to tie up the round and at one stage had the Jubilees 3-0. However their hard efforts in the first two sessions told on them, and Aurora were able to tie it up in short order in the final frame.

Aurora will now meet Lindsay this Wednesday night, with a return game at Lindsay on Friday.

Apparently cattle aren't very partial to clock works as a diet, at least that's what Floyd Forsyth of the 10th concession came to believe last week. While working in the runway in front of the cattle in the stable, he unknowingly dropped quite a valuable time-piece into the chop box. At feeding time the next day, he found one of the bossies, with the watch reposing in her manger. She was licking it gingerly, and seemed a bit puzzled at the sight of this new kind of turnip coming through. The watch, believe it or not was still going.

Bobby Forster, whose family were residents of the 9th concession of Markham, up until several years ago, has certainly hit the bright lights of hockey stardom, through his sensational goal-tending for the Oshawa Majors. Bob was the key man in the Major's elimination of the Toronto Marlboros last week in Galt. Toronto sport's writers with only one or two exceptions, have been nearly turning themselves inside out in making excuses for their pet Marlies, but the fact remains that Oshawa outthought the Toronto team, and by being right on their toes to take advantage of the many breaks, they were able to swing the score their way. To say, as many of the writers did that the better team lost is a pretty "small" way of excusing themselves. The name of Toronto is known far and wide as "hog town" delux, and this last exhibition hasn't shown them up in any better light.

"Hands off" might be a fitting title of a protest sent to The Tribune by an unknown author, in writing against the removal of the alarm bells at the C.N.R. crossing. "Having spent over \$2,000 for an alarm system, why should the Railway Board be asked to take them down," is the question plumped up to us in serving a rather bitter protest. It may be true that a former council recommended the signal system, and many people commended them for it, but now it is found the bells annoy at least one or two householders and ring unnecessarily at long intervals. The whole question has been referred to the Dominion Railway Board. But what do they know about the situation at Stouffville. To give an intelligent order to leave the bells up or take them down, would necessitate hearing evidence of people who are affected and who are familiar with the dangers of this railway crossing. The trouble aroused over this matter impresses on Reeve Weldon the truth of the saying, "Unhappy is the head that wears the crown."

Aurora's finance committee struck the new tax rate at 40 mills there last week.

To Rent—6 Room House, water electric, garden. No children under 14. M. Valentine, Victoria Street.

Norman O'Boyle has placed in service a smart looking G. M. truck for use in his butchering business. It certainly is pleasing to the eye.

Mrs. F. C. Rowbotham and Helen spent part of last week visiting at the home of J. D. Aitchison, in Toronto.

Stouffville Old Boys and Girls Association are staging a bridge, euchre and dance at the St. Regis Hotel, Sherbourne Street, Toronto, this Thursday night at 8.30. An allotment of tickets have been received locally and it is expected that a number may attend.

Howard Stuart, who was reported missing from his home 2nd Concession of Markham, was picked up by York Township police on Monday. He recently recovered from a serious illness, and searchers combed the bushes in the vicinity, fearing that he might have become lost in the underbrush. He was picked up after he had appeared at a township home, begging for a meal.

For forty minutes on Sunday afternoon in Dickson's Hill Church, Claude Vipon, 16-year-old "Boy Preacher," from Lorno Park College held his packed audience spellbound, as he expounded his text from Exodus, with all the energy and fervour of a speaker twice the age. Claude is a graduate of Ottawa Collegiate. Musical numbers were rendered by a group of talented singers from the College.

The Tribune was pleased to receive a visit from Mr. A. C. Brown of Guelph last week who was in town for the funeral of the late Mrs. Benj. Madill. A. C. Brown was a brother of the late Wilmot Brown and was born on the homestead at the east end of the village now tenanted by Lloyd Turner. As a young man he was associated with Mrs. Madill, who was Miss Lizzie Brown living on an adjoining farm. A. C. Brown left Stouffville back in 1881, but retains considerable interest in the place of his birth.

The combined hockey forces of Ballantrae, Toronto Marlboros, and Claremont (alias Goodwood), showed no mercy on White Rose Monday night when they drubbed them 5-0, to take the bush-league championship, winning the round 14-5. A large crowd was in attendance for this final contest, which was nearly an hour late in starting owing to heated bickering between the teams, over so many imported players. A familiar figure on the sidelines was that of Eddie Crouch, who took the opportunity to try and glean out a few prospects for next season's Juniors.

An interesting visitor in town since Christmas time who returned home last week to Western Canada, was Albert McKinnon, who although 73 years of age is still an active man. He has been visiting his brothers Robert and John and his sister Mrs. William Crossen. It is forty years since Albert McKinnon left these parts to make his way in Saskatchewan, and he has seen plenty of ups and downs since that time. He has eight children living in the West at different points, and has fought grass hoppers and drought until the government had to step in and aid his entire section. Albert's post office is Buchanan in the Yorkton district.

Markham Village council has balked on paying a premium of \$300 for public liability insurance, and well they may. Rates for this class of insurance are steadily increasing. Too many villages place insurance of this nature, then allow dangerous sidewalks and other traps to exist in the village, feeling secure, that should an accident happen the insurance company will take care of it. In the long run the municipality must pay rates that will cover all this trouble, plus a premium of profit. The rates are gauged on actuarial figures—the more accidents in the villages of Ontario the higher the cost. Markham village has been comparatively free from accident claims, still she must pay her proportionate cost. The question the villages fathers and Reeve Hisey has to consider is why Markham is called on to pay \$300 while another town gets a coverage for \$100.

Great precautions have to be taken these days when citizens can succeed with a claim for damages on the most flimsy charge.

ST. PATRICK SOCIAL

The Stouffville Junior Farmers' Club are to be honoured at their club meeting on Thursday, March 17, (note change of date) by the presence of the Mount Albert Club members. The visitors will provide the program and the local ladies will attend the lunch. Gentlemen bring 25c, and come in good numbers.

Wanted—Girl for general housework on farm. Three in family. Mrs. H. Yake, Phone 6603.

Miss Jennie McCallum has returned home from the city where she has been spending the winter with relatives.

Stouffville have entered a team in the hockey tournament at Markham and are scheduled to play their first game this weekend.

Hector Batt is being welcomed back among his many friends on the 9th concession, after having spent several of the winter months down in Jamaica.

The board of the Stouffville Public Library will meet on Monday evening, March 21st, at 7.30. Will every member strive to be present at the above hour.

Mrs. Aaron Burkholder who lives with her daughter Mrs. Edw. Lintner reached her 78th birthday on March 14, and the affair was fittingly marked by a visit from as many of her family as could visit the aged mother on the Sunday preceding the birthday date.

The March meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held in the Bible Class room of the United Church, on Thursday afternoon, March 17th, at 3.30 o'clock. Rev. Robt. Young will give an address and a report of the recent Federation of Temperance Convention will be given by Miss Helen Rowbotham. A good attendance is expected.

Calvin Stafford of Goodwood was in town last week, and although he is about to celebrate his 55th birthday in another couple of weeks, Mr. Stafford is able to attend his duties and possesses a keen intellect. His brother Amos who is a bachelor has developed into quite a housekeeper and since the death of Calvin's wife, is looked on as the cook and he can do it well is the testimony of Brother Calvin. Amos is 75.

Ted Cadieux, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Cadieux, was removed to the Toronto General Hospital on Tuesday morning, suffering from a depressed fracture of the skull. The accident involving the lad occurred on Sunday, when he attempted to jump from a beam in Wm. Harper's barn. The sudden jolt in landing caused him to strike his forehead on his knee, with considerable force. An examination in Toronto will no doubt reveal the seriousness of the mishap.

Stouffville's C.G.I.T. girls appear to have inaugurated a new fad by sallying up and down the street adorned in hair-ribbons, of varying colour combinations. City styles have dwindled to merely a brim and no crown, and apparently the idea has spread. However men have been expecting women's head-dress to shrink to just such skimpy proportions, since for some time now it's looked like a case of "anything goes." Should this "nude head" system spread, it would certainly clarify the movie situation, where the female hats sometimes are little short of a menace. You know the kind—those that don't block your view entirely, but merely cut off the top and bottom of the screen and make you fairly furious in not being able to see the rest.

ST. PATRICK'S SUPPER—An Irish supper, followed by a short program, will be held in the basement of the Presbyterian Church, on Thursday, March 17, under the auspices of the Band of Willing Supper, from 6. to 8 o'clock.

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Miss Enna Hisey, daughter of Mrs. Jacob Hisey of Stouffville who has been on the staff of the Toronto Children's Aid Society has accepted a position with the York County Children's Aid. Miss Hisey was in town on Tuesday in connection with her visitations to the homes of wards of this society. Miss Hisey has had a fine record in connection with her work on the Toronto staff for which she was particularly well qualified through her University training, and she should prove a valuable acquisition to the York County staff where she will be more or less familiar with the field work to be carried on.

Mrs. J. O. Totton, Freeton, is home visiting her mother Mrs. S. M. Warriner for a few days.

Four members of the Barrie Lions Club enjoyed the bi-weekly supper served by the Stouffville Lions Club at the Blue Bird Inn on Monday evening. After dinner an interesting program was heard and plans were advanced for the coming charter night when about a hundred Lions from other Clubs will visit Stouffville on April 8.

Only a scant crowd turned out for the drama, "Mumple and the Mumps," by the Washington United Church, and sponsored by the Junior Women's Institute in Ratcliff's Hall last Friday night. The play was excellently enacted, and was certainly worthy of a much better following. It was rather disappointing since the project by the young ladies was in aid of the new town Rest Rooms. As a result of the small turnout, only a very meagre sum was raised for the cause.

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