

TOWN TOPICS

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Annual convention of the Markham Religious Educational Council is being held at Unionville to-day (Thursday).

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sanders returned home last weekend after spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sanders, Weston.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Collins were in Uxbridge town on Saturday attending the funeral of his sister-in-law the late Mrs. John Collins.

Chances are some of the Christmas toys are no more badly broken this week than some of the New Year's resolutions will be by this time next week.

A pot luck supper served the Junior Institute last Thursday afternoon was the signal for the young ladies to do some quilting. Despite a good turnout and a great deal of work accomplished, a kind of adjourned meeting had to be held on Monday to wind things up (we mean the quilting, not the eats). The first meeting was held at Mrs. C. Badger's and the adjourned session at Miss M. Mertens.

Prior to taking the pastorate at Stouffville Christian Church Mr. R. K. Vickers booked an engagement to preach in London, Ontario, next Sunday, and he will fulfill that engagement. As a result he has secured the services of a Toronto group to take his work at Stouffville and Church Hill Christian churches for the day. Students from the Toronto Bible College will preach morning and evening, while the Sunshine Ladies Trio will render several special numbers. No doubt non-churchgoers and others will take advantage of these services.

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Over the weekend Dr. and Mrs. Bodendistel entertained a number of Toronto guests including Miss A. and Miss K. Gaudet, Miss M. Abrey, and Mr. A. Bodendistel, also Dr. Bannister of Guelph.

What might have proved a disastrous fire, was narrowly averted in Unionville last Thursday morning, when a blaze of unknown origin started up in Stiver's Mill. The Unionville brigade were on the scene in record time, and the Markham truck also answered the call. Damage was slight.

One of our townsmen, Frank E. Rae, tailor is possessor of one of Britain's rare octagonal three penny coins, recently sought after by young King Farouk of Egypt, on his visit to London. Farouk is a coin collector. The only available three penny bit was owned by Alistair Syer, 12-year-old son of a Scotland Yard Sergeant who guarded the King. Alistair gave it to his Majesty. Now he has received a casket from Farouk containing a complete set of Egypt's coinage.

The roll call at the Stouffville Junior Institute meeting held at the home of Mrs. Floyd Fairles was answered by each member giving the name of a famous woman of York county. It is quite evident that the members were not prepared to answer in an intelligent manner for some outstanding figures have passed this way that were never mentioned. People who came in for recognition by the members were Claire Wallace of "Tea Time Topics," Dr. Innis McDonald, Markham, who is doing a worthy work, Mrs. Nolan, grand officer in an organization in Ontario with a membership of 25,000, Miss Margery Mertens who is outstanding in the local district for her efforts on behalf of institutes and horticulture. Mrs. Ralph Willis, Vandorf, another Institute worker and a school trustee, Mrs. Dunlop of Donalds Farms, philanthropist, and Dr. Margaret Hyndman, K.C., the second woman ever to be recognized as a King's Counsellor. Interesting items on the program included a paper by Miss Laura Hill, "The Growing of Cranberries," while Miss Alta Fockler gave a demonstration of Italian quilted cushions. Audrey Smith entertained with music on the accordion.

Just six weeks until first of March. The winter is surely slipping away fast and pleasantly.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Coulson, daughter Barbara and Miss Mary Much, all of Toronto, were guests on Sunday with Miss M. Mertens and Mr. Jos. Mertens.

Mr. and Mrs. Abram Smith, well known farmers of the local district were in Waterloo last weekend for the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Martin to Mr. Levi Martin, one of the rare cases where the bride-to-be will not have to change her name.

Cabbage continue to be a sore spot with the local farmers with hundreds of tons still in storage and many being fed to live stock. Last week however there was a slight improvement in the market with sales being made for small heads. Fifteen cents a dozen is reported as top price. Vegetables are not keeping well it is reported owing to the unusual mild winter.

Stouffville took their first win in the East York Curling competition last Friday night, when two rinks, skipped by Bert Smith and Cliff Pipher played at Locust Hill. The one rink comprised of Bert Smith, Chris. Armstrong, L. C. Murphy and Mr. Haist defeated a rink skipped by Fred Reesor, 16-3; the other Stouffville team, comprised of Cliff Pipher, R. M. Johnston, E. A. Button and Bill Greenbury, defeated a Locust Hill rink skipped by Gardham Tran, 15-9.

Renewing her subscription Mrs. Wilmot Wideman of Fleet, Alta., reports that crop conditions around Fleet were very good last harvest. Like Ontario Albertans are enjoying a beautiful winter season. So far the winter has given but few cold days and very little snow. "No need for people to go to the sunny South when we have so much sunshine here in Alberta," observes Mrs. Wideman. The Tribune is a much looked for visitor in the Wideman home every week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith were tendered a second shower when last Friday evening a large number of east end residents gathered at the home of her father Mr. Otto McMullen to spend an interesting evening. The bride and groom were showered with a fine lot of useful and pretty things. Rev. E. Morton acted as chairman while a short program was enjoyed, and the newly weds both expressed their thanks to the friends for their presence and the nice gifts. On a previous evening Mr. and Mrs. Smith were showered by friends in the Mennonite Church.

The veteran milk vendor in Markham village, Mr. Sammy Ramer who has faithfully served the people of Markham for thirty-two years, has sold his business to the Lewis Dairy, and will no longer carry the milk for dad's breakfast or for the baby's bottle. Sammy Ramer wasn't the first milk vendor in Markham but he has been going so long that he can look at the lads on the street and know full well that he serviced their bottles all right. With his long flowing beard and happy countenance Mr. Ramer was a real friend of everybody. It is interesting to note that he was 77 years of age on Wednesday of this week.

Reports from various parts of the district indicate that farmers are on the verge of a real water shortage. Those who are in close proximity to a running creek, of course, have something to fall back on even though it entails a great deal of extra work to draw water or drive the stock to a watering place. Around Ballantrae if there is no change soon farmers may have to travel a mile or two to draw water from the lake. Indeed this is being done now by a few and for use on the Ballantrae skating rink for which hundreds of gallons have been transported. Prospects are there will be no spring freshet as so far we have scarcely any snow. Of course there are still six weeks more before the first of March and anything can happen. In the meantime those short of water hope for a good rain.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Lee and Miss Winnifred McDonald spent Sunday in Claremont with Mrs. Lee's sisters Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. Jones.

Bill Yake's young hound, valued as a good hunting dog, was run down by a motorist a few days ago, and was instantly killed. According to the owner, the young hound remained right in the centre of the road but the motor car came right on without making any attempt to stop.

A birthday cake with sixty-nine candles adorned the centre of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stouffer's table on Sunday, it being the occasion of Mrs. Peter Lehman's birthday, Mrs. Stouffer's mother. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hargrave and family, Mr. Walter Hargrave, Toronto, Mrs. Robert Closson and Mr. and Mrs. P. Lehman.

Mrs. Dan. Cook met with a rather serious accident one day last week while walking along Main street near Shaw's store. Some child had left a low wagon on the sidewalk which Mrs. Cook did not see and it caused her to fall. In addition to tearing the ligaments of her right hand her glasses were smashed so that they were of no more use. Everybody who buys glasses knows how costly they are, hence all in all the incident was most unfortunate. It was several days before Mrs. Cook was able to be about after the severe shake-up. At this time it might be proper to point out that children should be cautioned about leaving their toys on the streets, where they are liable to be an obstruction to passers-by.

Aurora made no mistake in carrying out their threat to have revenge on Stouffville for sending them down to their lone season defeat, and handed the locals a 6-1 drubbing on Aurora ice, last Friday night. In a Junior O.H.A. fixture Play was very even during the first twenty minutes, but nearing the close, Stouffville tended to be a bit lax in covering up around their net, and opened the way for McComb of the purple and white, to open the scoring. This one goal ended the period. In the second period the Yonge Streeters made merry to the tune of four goals, two of which were rather unearned. Stouffville came back strong in the last round, when Grossmith and Sharland combined to score the lone Stouffville tally. Aurora also notched another in the final period on a break-away, to make the final score Aurora 6, Stouffville 1.

CURLING SCHEDULE

Below we give a list of the games to be played in the East York district curling competition. President of the district is Charles Thompson; 1st vice, W. Maxwell; Sec., Clark Young.

January 20 — Unionville at Stouffville; Scarboro at Locust Hill.

January 24 — Stouffville at Unionville; Locust Hill at Agincourt.

January 27 — Scarboro at Unionville; Locust Hill at Stouffville.

January 31 — Stouffville at Scarboro; Unionville at Agincourt.

February 3 — Agincourt at Scarboro; Unionville at Locust Hill.

February 7 — Locust Hill at Scarboro; Stouffville at Agincourt.

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Mrs. H. O. Klinck is enjoying a visit this week at her parental home, Box Grove.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Leslie, Church Street, on Thursday afternoon, January 19th, at 3 p.m. Members and friends will please accept this intimation.

One of our councilmen, Mr. Ira Rusnell, was on a business trip to Montreal last week where he visited the headquarters of the Rawleigh Co. by whom he is employed. Many of us have visited the Royal City yet each one's experiences in the place are different and interesting. Few will have been more observant than Councillor Rusnell for here is what he noted about his holiday. "I arrived by train in Montreal at 7 o'clock in the morning and spent the forenoon seeing through the factory of the Rawleigh Co. which takes in six floors, equipped with all the latest machinery. At noon hour when I realized the inner man must be satisfied I looked around for an eating place. While at my lunch I encountered a man, who is both a school teacher and a Sunday School superintendent with some 800 scholars, and he proved to be a real pal to me. He made it possible for me to see some of the wonderful sights in Montreal. That is why I feel like writing and telling of a few of them."

Montreal is surely a great city with a million and half population. It is an island and in the centre of the city is a natural mountain park which rises 763

feet above the city. On several places away up the mountain there are built places they call lookouts with arrows pointing in different directions and telling what each is and by going from one to the other you get a real panoramic view of the 26 miles of Montreal around the mountain. Some of the main things are the Lachine Rapids on the St. Lawrence River, the Laurentian Mountains, the Harbor Bridge for American trains to come over and the Victoria Jubilee Bridge. We left the lookout place by motor car for another high point and after traveling about two miles we had to leave the car and walk because cars are not allowed to go nearer than about a mile and a half from the highest point. You may get a horse drawn vehicle anytime of the year to go up, and in the summer street cars run near the top. Up here is built a mountain chalet, a magnificent building costing many thousands of dollars and a little farther on a cross is erected about 150 feet high from the ground. It is lighted up at night and can be seen at 35 miles distance.

Still at another point about two miles away is St. Joseph's Shrine where thousands of people from all over U.S.A. and Canada come crippled, but were healed and left their canes, crutches, wheel chairs and casts for the body, as souvenirs and can be seen anytime in a fine stone building which will seat 3,500 people.

After seeing these wonderful scenes the time came when I had to bid adieu to this newly found friend to catch my train back to Toronto.

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