

# TOWN TOPICS

PHONE IN YOUR PERSONALS 15301

William Mertens is out on the old homestead with his brother Joseph west of town, and may spend the summer here.

Seeding is quite general this week among the farmers of this locality, and the land is working well.

You are invited to see the war pictures this Thursday evening on the screen in Ratcliff's Hall. Admission 25c. Auspices of Stouffville War Veterans.

During its antics the animal crashed its feet through a new wooden top being built for Percy Brillinger's truck, but no one was injured, although there was plenty of excitement.

A scrapbook diary of a grandmother of a Buffalo man revealed a summerless year, when in 1816, there was snow in March, April, June and October. There was frost in the other months. No one, however has come across a record of a year without a winter.

Mr. H. W. Sanders informs us that the new annex to Lakeview House, Jackson's Point, has made rapid advancement, and will be ready for occupancy early in May. The many guests will no doubt appreciate the new and more commodious accommodation to be found in the newly built structure, and bookings will likely fill up rapidly.

This paper has been appealed to by several motorists during the past week to warn children and grown-ups who delight to roller skate on the paved road, that greater caution should be taken. One of these days there may be a serious accident, for there has now been several narrow squeaks, and what a pity if some child should be maimed for life or perhaps killed. We know the younger fry get a great kick over roller skating but it is a dangerous practise on the road, and doubly so after dark. Children do not seem to realize that a motorist may be blinded by another's lights, & they make no attempt whatever to avoid being hit. They leave it all to the motorist.

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**J. M. STOREY**  
Druggist

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

Bruce Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis, west of town is expected home from the Toronto General Hospital this weekend, having undergone an operation there for appendicitis a week ago. Bruce is recovering nicely.

Tenders are being called for a new post office building in the town of Beaverton. Down in Bowmanville the local newspaper has protested their year appropriation of \$3600 for improvement to the Bowmanville wharf as unnecessary and wasteful on the part of the government. Surely Beaver-tonians will not be uncharitable as the Bowmanville town. After all while these small town ports are not used for navigation, a post office is useful and appreciated in most any town or village.

Stouffville and Markham farmers contributed upwards of \$100 into police court at Newmarket last week on various charges laid under the Motor Vehicles' Act. Fines alone totalled \$75 with costs in each case against the guilty ones. All were minor offences for not having license plates or drivers' permits. Offenders were picked up at Ringwood when the county police stationed themselves at this point, catching motorists from every direction.

The Main street traffic or something else distracted Lloyd Brown's horse when he drove to town from Gravel Hill one afternoon last week, and when the animal's nerves got the best of itself, there was no holding him by the reins, and the horse jumped the sidewalk in front of Leslie Rowbotham's shop running south between the shop and the next building. Here it came into contact with a narrower passage, but the horse raced through leaving the spring wagon behind. It circled back to main street and struck for home as if besieged by a hive of bees.

Local stores are now open Tuesday and Thursday evenings for the convenience of the busy farmer who will be able to stay on the land all day and shop at night if he wishes it that way. Shoppers should keep in mind that early buying on Saturday nights is greatly appreciated. Some folk have the habit of visiting all evening, and when eleven o'clock comes around, they rush in to buy. This is not fair to the merchant who has had a very long day. Do your Saturday shopping early and by so doing co-operate all you can.

Town Constable Quibell is wearing a natty new uniform when on duty these days.

With the spring re-opening of mercantile stores three evenings a week, the Stouffville Creamery announce that their business is also open on these nights for the accommodation of those delivering cream.

Railway engineers running between Montreal and Brockville receive for one calendar day wages of \$20.70, we learn from the report of John McDougall, who was engaged to submit a special report to the Senate Committee.

Saturday evening weekly "Lets Go To Church" program featured St. Andrews Markham and Zion Churches with Rev. D. H. Woodhouse conducting devotional service and Miss Olive Harrington, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whittaker providing music.

The number of local fishermen who turn out for the 1st of May is gradually growing less, but a few of the old stand-byes were on the job as usual last Saturday. "Shiner" Davis and "Massey" Mowder were in their accustomed place at Uxbridge mill pond, and each caught a few nice brook trout, despite the fact that some claim there were more fishermen than trout in the big pond. Nothing of a spectacular nature was brought back, but with diminishing stream, it is almost sensational to catch a trout at all in these parts.

A total of forty-nine young men of the district have joined the Scarboro, Markham and Stouffville Grain Club according to Agricultural Representative Cockburn. This Club which is backed by the Kivanians of Toronto distributes two bushels of grain to each of its participants, from which harvest these junior farmers will be judged in the fall. Twenty-three have received Vanguard Oats, a new variety resistant to stem rust, eleven have secured Erban, which is resistant to leaf rust, three Alaska, three Victory, four Banner and five Barley.

Father and son banquets and church meetings of one kind and another have been quite an undertaking over the past few years, and was introduced in Stouffville United Church two weeks ago when a mother and daughter night was held during the regular church hour. Last Sunday it was changed to a father and son service, both of which were described as quite successful and worthwhile. The speakers at the mothers' meeting were Mrs. Herbert Lee, Mrs. Ball, Kathleen Kellington and Betty Sanderson. At the male service J. R. Hodgins, Garfield Kellington, also Ken. Klinck and Ted Cadieux spoke.

Time out for recreation and sports during the summer months has again been declared by the merchants of Stouffville, and this week inaugurated the Wednesday half-holiday and Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday openings as in past years. The hours in which people may do business at the local Post Office on Wednesday are 8 a.m. to 12.10, and 5 p.m. to 6.45 p.m. This triple open night system is a convenience to the farmers in the district who make Stouffville their shopping centre and encourages more trade in our fair town.

Stouffville and Markham were hard hit in Newmarket Police court last week, when no less than seven persons from this area were charged with various infractions of the law. The line-up of delinquents was as follows: Oliver Larkin, Stouffville, no operator's license, \$10 and costs; Thos. Blizzard, Markham no operator's license, \$10 and costs; Ed. Timbers, Markham, no operator's license, remanded for sentence; Alex. Berg, Whitchurch, bad brakes, \$10 and costs, given one week to pay; Lloyd Turner, Stouffville, no operator's license, \$10 and costs; letting person under 16 drive his truck, \$5 and costs, owners name not on truck, remanded for sentence; Bob Johnston, Stouffville, no operator's license, \$10 and costs; R. A. Bruce, Markham; no operator's license, \$10 and costs.

The Uxbridge Bible Class orchestra will be in Stouffville next Sunday morning when their teacher Mr. T. G. Gold will deliver the sermon in the United Church.

Twenty-five dollars and costs was the fine imposed upon the Franklin House hotel of Markham Monday, when this establishment was charged in County Court with operating a slot machine.

It is reliably reported that Rev. D. H. Woodhouse, pastor of Markham United Church, and Cedar Grove Zion, has answered a call to Arnprior congregation. Rev. Woodhouse is just completing his fourth year at the Markham charge.

On Sunday, April 30, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Williamson, Markham, celebrated their twenty-seventh wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Williamson are well-known throughout Markham township, having farmed on the Peach's side-road some twenty years ago, on the property now occupied by Walter Brignall. On the occasion of their anniversary Mr. and Mrs. Williamson were guests in Toronto of Mr. Williamson's sister, Mrs. Charles Robinson, who along with her husband was celebrating a similar event.

## NINETY YOUNG PORKERS

What a lot of squealing ninety pigs six weeks old could provide! Well, that's exactly the number of young porkers raised this spring on the farm of Mr. C. H. Doner, Gormley. Most of them were sold off at six or seven weeks old and found new homes through advertisements in The Tribune. Mr. Doner has nine mother pigs responsible for this large kindergarten class whose owners will strive to cultivate them in the effort of being good feeders and ultimately good bacon for the breakfast table.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Ratcliff enjoyed a short holiday last week visiting in Hagersville and Fergus.

Special train accommodation will be provided out of Stouffville for May 22nd on the occasion of the visit of the

King and Queen to Toronto. For those who do not wish to drive their children to Toronto by motor car, the railway would seem to be the most feasible manner of transportation. Train hours will be announced in due course, states Agent Robert Johnston, at the C.N.R.

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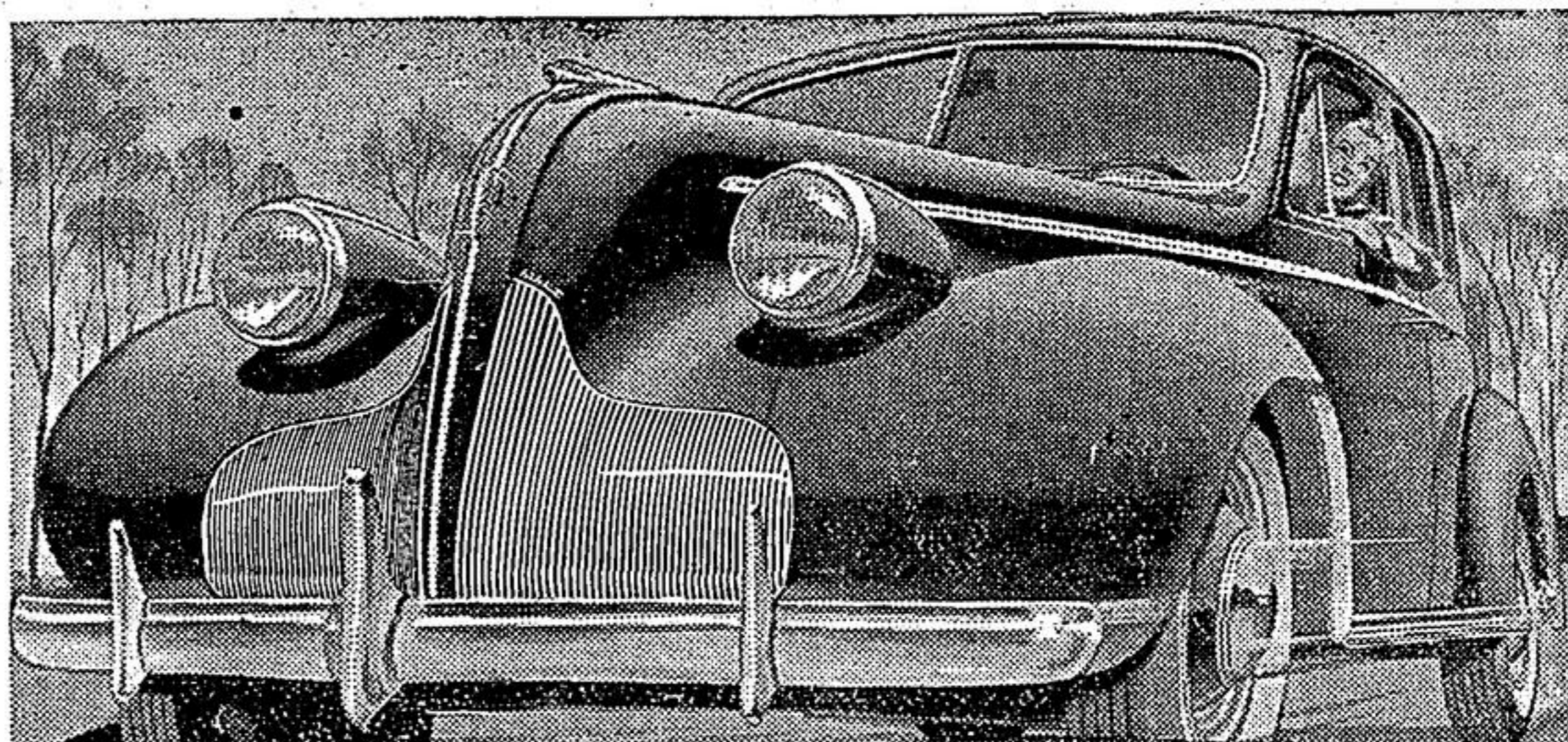
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