

TOWN TOPICS

Civic Holiday, Monday, August 5th.

E. A. Grubin, R.O., Optometrist and Optician, will be at his office in Stouffville on Monday, July 29th.

The Alliston Herald knows how to enjoy a holiday, and so gives notice to its subscribers that the paper will skip the first two weeks in August.

If you wish to get a message over to the Campers at Lake Musselman let us have your advertisement for next issue of The Tribune. Every cottage and tent will receive a paper of the lake issue.

Many farmers report they are finished haying, while others have their barns stacked high. Still others are not through, and would like a few more days of haymaking weather. The chances are their wish will be gratified.

We notice among the champion swimmers at the Credit River competitions last weekend that Marvin James representing the Y.M.C.A. in Toronto stood third in an important swim class. Marvin is a nephew of Mrs. A. C. Burkholder.

Rev. Robert and Mrs. Young are leaving today on a holiday trip to Collingwood and other points in that locality. They expect to visit on an old appointment at Hornings Mills, and will be accompanied by his brother and his wife from Aurora.

During a motor drive on Sunday afternoon to Lake Simcoe Mr. F. L. Button and party encountered an unusually heavy rain storm in the lake district which was accompanied by hail. Reports of some damage to crops north of Uxbridge and in Georgina Township are reported. Stouffville people generally noted the humidity which prevailed over the weekend, and found it the most depressing so far this summer.

Candidates in the last Dominion Election are required to publish the amount of money received from supporters, etc., toward their expenses, and the amount of money spent. The legal notice was issued in the Richmond Hill Liberal last week in connection with the riding of North York. It showed that George M. Dix, Conservative, had received donations amounting to \$665, while his expenses were \$731. In the case of Col. W. P. Mulock, receipts were \$3,591, expenditures \$3,614. In view of the fact that the Colonel was an easy winner, he will have no regrets that his expense sheet far exceeded that of his opponent.

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SHELL TOURING SERVICE

Mrs. Herbert Freil and three children are staying at The Willows, Island Grove, Lake Simcoe, for a summer holiday.

The Christian Church S. S. picnic was announced for Wednesday of this week, to Glen Wood Park, just south of Markham village.

The monthly sale at the 5c to \$1 Store will carry some interesting offerings in this paper next week. You will be impressed by them, as summer saving values.

The Junior Band has been engaged for Civic Holiday, to play at the annual Sports Day events in Goodwood for the afternoon affair in the park there.

Bill Sperry, who up until this week has been teller in the Bank of Commerce here has received a move to Uchi Lake. To reach this northern Ontario outpost Bill had to travel by plane from Sioux-lookout.

\$800 was the cash receipts of a garden party near Zephyr last week. The affair is an annual event, providing an outstanding program which cost the promoters around \$150.

A lovely lily with eighteen blooms was being admired in the office window of this paper last week, the product of Mrs. N. E. Byer's flower beds, where rare lilies have been grown this season.

A return softball game between Stouffville and Pine Orchard was played on the northern diamond on Wednesday night with the local nine running away with the fixture by a score of 26-5.

Last week we reported that someone had left a tin of Cyanogas in one of the banks while transacting business, but so far the owner has not called to recover his goods. Presumably it belongs to a farmer, who is about the only person who would have any use for this amount or rodent killer.

There will be an important auction sale of household furniture this Thursday afternoon on Albert street, at the late home of Mrs. F. W. Silversides. The list of household goods is quite extensive, and will undoubtedly attract a large crowd of people. Sale will open at one o'clock.

Rev. L. E. and Mrs. Atkinson, Vernon and Thelma, left Monday for the annual holiday at their cottage in Ox-Bow Park, Stayner. They expect to be away for the greater part of August. Visiting ministers will supply the pulpit of the United Church during the pastor's absence.

Mrs. Charles Reid and Mrs. Charles Gansler, Toronto, were in town on Saturday to meet a former school girl acquaintance, Mrs. Perin. All three were Uxbridge girls, known to their chums of other days as Lena Nolan, Mabel Nolan, and Blanche Todd. The latter is down from Winnipeg on an extended visit.

Ideal weather conditions drew a large crowd for the annual tournament of the Stouffville Lawn Bowling Club last Wednesday. Twenty rinks from Toronto, Richmond Hill, Clarendon, Uxbridge, Newmarket, Jackson's Point and Markham competed for the Stouffville Old Boys' Trophy, presented by F. L. Button, K.C., and Dr. G. Richardson. It was won by W. Trench of Richmond Hill with a score of 57 plus 3.

Prizes of war savings stamps were given other winners, who were: second, A. J. Stringer, Balmy Beach, with a score of 48; high for two wins, H. Marshall's rink, Newmarket, with a score of 51; high for one win Dunsire's rink, Uxbridge score 47. The members of the Ladies' Bowling Club served a luncheon.

Furniture sale today.

Mrs. W. J. Mather and Betty of Toronto, have been spending a week with Miss Margery Mertens on the farm.

Mrs. Lemon Baker spent a few days at Lemonville visiting her sister-in-law Mrs. C. Macklem and daughter Nora.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Edwards and daughter Anne spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cockerill, Blake Street. The Edwards family live in Milton.

Misses Pearl, Florence and Beatrice Davey of Palmerston have been enjoying a holiday in town at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Davey who came back from Island Grove to entertain the young ladies.

With quite a stretch of dry weather last week, many farmers completed haying, while others lost no time in loading their barns. The crop is heavy, above normal. Ross Winterstein, we hear, has drawn in 100 loads at his farm in Whitchurch, and had 40 acres to cut at the beginning of this week. On the Geo. Rodanz farms at Ringwood between two and three hundred loads were taken in up to Saturday. Two hundred more loads will be required to harvest the remaining crop.

A section of the school roof will have new asphalt shingles laid this week, the old ones coming off having served for 23 years, are lifeless and of little use. The school trustees are endeavouring to reroof the building by doing a certain section each year until the whole roof of the original school built in 1917 is renewed. By this plan it is hoped to do the job without providing extra money for which a higher school would have to be levied if the whole thing was undertaken in one year.

A number of Masonic Past Masters were in Toronto on Wednesday of last week to participate in the proceedings of Grand Lodge being held at the Central Technical School. Dr. Stewart Crouch, highly esteemed and well-known in local fraternal circles, was elected district deputy for the district, to succeed Mr. Murphy of Unionville. Among the local brethren who attended in Toronto were Messrs. John Ratcliff, K. R. Davis, Jos. Borinsky, Wm. Griffiths, A. V. Nolan, also O. M. Madill, Henry Slack, Morley Symes, D. McDonald, all members at Stouffville.

A number of leaks in the domestic water system are being rapidly repaired at present. Since the check up, all leaks have been recorded and where they are on private property or in residences, steps are being taken to have repairs made. Householders with faulty plumbing are being given reasonable time to make repairs, before any compulsion is used. It is the duty of everybody to guard our water system and see that there is no undue waste. Leaky taps or toilets constitute a serious drain on the system and cannot be permitted. Often a few cents for a new washer will remedy the trouble.

HEADS 2nd BRIGADE



Lieut-Col. A. E. Potts has been named brigadier of the Second Infantry Brigade of the 1st Canadian Overseas Division. He succeeds Major-General G. E. Pearkes, V.C., named to command the division.

HEADS FIRST DIVISION



Appointment of Major-General G. R. Pearkes, V.C., known as "Fighting George"—to command the first overseas division was announced by Hon. J. L. Ralston, minister of defence. General Pearkes' appointment to succeed Lieut-General A.G.L. McNaughton received hearty approval of military men throughout the Dominion and overseas. His is the first promotion of a holder of the Victoria Cross to general's rank in the Canadian Active Service Force.

A Whitchurch farm hand reports that he lost his driving permit and \$25 in cash at Musselman's Lake on a recent Saturday night. That represents heavy loss to the average man.

A water test made last week reveals the fact that the local domestic system is producing a brand that is described by the Ontario Department of Health in Toronto, as being class A1 the highest rating of pure water that is obtainable. This is without chlorination or any other dope being added to nullify germs, such as they have to do in Toronto or other large places where lake water is the source of supply.

People who just turn from one radio broadcaster to another seem to us to be both lacking in their choice of entertainment and are unconsciously debilitating the effect of hearing the same discouraging news half a dozen times or more a day. One learns what there is to learn about the war, by listening to one broadcast, and waits for the next day's news next day or may buy an evening paper. But between papers he dismisses the thing from his mind. He is therefore likely to be in a more cheerful mood than the radio addict who permits a variation of the same evil tidings to be poured into his ears from morning till he goes to bed at night.

Owing to the death of his brother Ab, we had occasion to call on Mr. Ed. Stover the other day, and found him keeping house on Victoria street in the place where the late Mrs. Hamilton lived to be nearly 100 years old. Ed. declared it was not to get inspiration for such a great age, that he lives there, however. He did admit that he liked the neighborhood and found the people very kind to him. He is almost blind, an affliction which overtook him after the terrible fire which destroyed his home in Iroquois Falls about 13 years ago and which catastrophe cost the life of his wife. Mr. Stover gets about with the aid of his cane and a wee bit of sight in one eye. He enjoys a visit from old friends. A native of Uxbridge township he was of a family of 12 children and early in life became used to fending for himself. During the Great War he served in the army as an officer in charge of food purchases for a considerable company, and after that he did similar work for a big paper mill and construction companies who engaged large gangs of men for work in the north. When he left Iroquois Falls he was presented with a plaque inscribed with the names of a dozen organizations testifying to his fine citizenship and love held for him and Mrs. Stover. These organizations ranged from the Ladies' Aid society, to the town band and lodge affiliations. If old friends of Ed. Stover want to spend an interesting social hour just call around and see this man whose sight is seriously handicapped, but whose mind is keen and alert beyond the average.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gower, Toronto spent a few days with relatives and friends here last week.

Donations to War Branch are hereby acknowledged as follows: \$1.00 each: F. H. Sangster, Mrs. D. Smith, Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. C. Stouffer, Mrs. Robb and Annie, E. & V. Hoover, Mrs. R. Brown. Smaller amounts, Mrs. Amos Lehman, Mrs. Sanderson, Mrs. Keith, Randolph Spofford.

We hear that our former heavy weight smiling Chinaman Alex. Fong, is employed in a city fruit store. Well, Alex can display the pleasant countenance that is indispensable to a successful salesman.

Mrs. Thos. Birkett is taking a course in war nutrition, child care and training, at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. Many hundreds of women have enrolled for these summer courses, which has been given an added impetus in war time.

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