

TOWN TOPICS

E. A. Grubin, R.O., Optometrist and Optician, will be at his office in Stouffville on Monday, December 9.

Miss Elizabeth Conley living with her relative Mrs. Milton Harris is at the time of writing, in a very serious condition, and no hope is entertained for her recovery.

Three babies were born at the Brierbush in two days' time last week, all boys. Two of the young chaps will find homes in Claremont and one in Stouffville. No doubt they will spend their first Christmas "under the parental roof."

Persons who care to make a donation to the Fred Victor Mission should not forget that they should leave their gift of fruit, vegetables or canned goods at the home of Mrs. Levi Hoover this Thursday. This canvas is under United church auspices.

The Tribune hears that Mrs. Herb. Porter has purchased a Five to a Dollar Store, on the Danforth, in the vicinity of Coxwell Avenue. After long years in business in this town, Mrs. Porter will not lack for experience in meeting the public in a business way, and everybody will wish for her the best of success in this new venture.

Mr. William Simpson was removed from his home next door to The Tribune Office to a Toronto Hospital last week for x-ray examination, and he is resting better again back home since the trip. It is understood that the examination did not reveal his condition more serious than was known, and every hope was given the sick man that he should recover from his present trying ordeal.

Mrs. Percy Tarr is spending a few days in Toronto.

This is subscription renewal month for many Tribune subscribers.

At least two property owners will have a little more taxes to pay on their next demand because of their neglect to shovel the snow that fell on the sidewalk in front of their premises last week. The town man did the job when the owners failed to do it, and according to the bylaw in that behalf (which is the same in most towns), the cost will be added to the taxes. In both instances last week, the properties involved were vacant lots on Main street.

A dentist calls his office a "dental parlor", but a fellow who has all his teeth extracted last week says, "why not call it a drawing room?" Along this line we recently read that someone thinks a dental parlor should be called a filling station. Of course folks will have their little jokes, but will the dentist who is always down in the mouth appreciate this kind of humor?"

The Senior Women's Institute will meet early this month at the home of Mrs. George Gunn, Church St., on Wednesday, Dec. 11th, at 2.30 p.m. our motto will be "Peace on earth goodwill toward men." The roll call, A swarm of Be's. The program includes a report from the convention by Mrs. Williams, reading, Mrs. F. Rowbotham, music, Christmas-Carols. There will be a social half hour. You are invited. Pres. Mrs. G. H. Saunders; Sec'y. Miss Sadie Stewart.

Watch the advertising columns for the best places to seek Christmas goods.

Edward Lloyd is measuring up the large vacant field (once the old fair grounds) south of the station property on the south side of Main street planning to offer it in building lots. The entrance is off Main street at Edward Pennock's corner, and would run east to O'Brien avenue at Jos Hoover's residence.

The Globe & Mail, Toronto Brought to the Canadian National Exhibition for Children's Day only, Forsyth's Marionettes proved so popular they have been retained all week and will now remain until the end of the Fair.

The best priced cow sold at the auction sale of Darius Clendening on the 9th concession of Markham last Friday afternoon brought \$91. The cattle which were in good condition sold at good prices. Mr. and Mrs. Clendening intended to reside on the farm until such time as they are able to sell or rent. The place is well located and should find a ready buyer.

Mrs. Henry Schrieber of Galt was in town for the weekend visiting her daughter Mrs. H. Shantz, at the M. B. C. parsonage. She came here with Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Shantz, the M. B. C. pastor taking the services in the local church for the day. While he stayed with his namesake at the parsonage Mrs. Shantz was the guest of Mrs. Jacob Boardway for the time of their visit.

More people kept pigs in Stouffville during 1940 than in any previous year for a long time, and the number of complaints grew steadily toward the end of the summer. Next spring the B. of H. will likely adopt the policy of serving official notice on the general public that the law respecting the keeping of swine in the village will be strictly enforced. Had this been done this year, probably the nuisance would have been stopped before it started. However, it seems to demonstrate that the annual official instructions handed out by the Board of Health through the press have a telling effect and are really taken notice of.

One hundred and three head of cattle passed through town early last week from the ranch of Mr. Frank Stiver in Pickering, bound for their home stables on the Stiver farm, 6th concession of Markham. They were a sleek looking bunch of cattle, and with the kind of care they will receive this winter, will be prize cattle very soon.

The post master advises everybody to get their Christmas parcels mailed early, while at the same time he tells us you may purchase Christmas stamps now at the office. It is suggested that parcels bound for Winnipeg or farther west should be mailed not later than Dec. 18.

Last Sunday morning the United church congregation was nearly faced with carrying on an old-time Quaker meeting or disbanding, as when the appointed hour of worship arrived, the choir in their place, and the opening formalities over, there was no minister in the pulpit and for the few moments things sort of functioned without a head. Realizing that a desperate situation was at hand, Rev. Herbert Lee, who came to worship and be ministered unto, stepped into the breach, and successfully carried on even to the point of delivering a sermon, when the regular pastor and a guest speaker who had been delayed by snow, arrived. Mr. Lee was so engrossed with collecting his thoughts and determining what he would speak on, that he did not realize for some moments that company and help stood beside him in the pulpit. It was the occasion of a visit from Rev. K. Beaton, secretary of Missionary Education, who with the pastor were stalled in the snow between Langstaff and Stouffville. However, Mr. Lee carried on so successfully that Mr. Beaton was able to launch right into his subject, after a few preliminary remarks by Mr. Atkinson who apologized for being late. Mr. Beaton spoke on our Missionary Contribution during war time. He warned that lest having won the victory, we lose our souls. More than ever should the church and missions be supported in these difficult days, declared the speaker, who had spent many years in China, and spoke on the Far East as one with great authority. In the evening it was intended to have Rev. Mr. Banfield for another Missionary service, but he was unable to reach Stouffville from his home in Toronto, due to road conditions. As a consequence he will be here next Sunday evening December 10th.

TWELVE BELOW



Twelve below zero on Tuesday morning completed mid-winter weather conditions almost over night. On top the big, big piles of snow and blocked road conditions the zero atmosphere made many people despair of a green Christmas which suits the older people, but not the younger set.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barber last week celebrated their 14th wedding day at their home on the 4th concession. Mr. Barber is a member of Markham Township Council.

The Stouffville Junior Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. T. Baxter on Thursday, Dec. 12th, at 2.30 p.m. The roll call is to be answered with "A Christmas Thought." Each member is requested to bring a box of candy suitable for sending on as a gift.

We congratulate Bruce Clark, R.R. 2, Peterborough, on his success in winning the provincial public speaking contest sponsored by the United Farm Young People of Ontario. Bruce's address, dealing with the factors that must enter into the shaping of a new world after the war, was broadcast in abbreviated form over CFRB on Friday and was much enjoyed by many local radio fans, including his grandmother Mrs. T. W. Klinck, O'Brien Avenue.

Stouffville was well represented at the Eastern Star Dance held in the Royal York Hotel last Thursday evening. The following were on hand for the event, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brillinger, Mrs. Harry Brillinger, Miss Leta Bunker, Mrs. A. V. Nolan, Miss Eulah Brillinger, Miss Barbara Barkey, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Borinsky, Messrs. Sam. Borinsky, Fred Crossin, Charles Nolan, Charles Barkey, Harry Pennock and Donald Roberts.

BANQUET TONIGHT
This Thursday evening the complimentary banquet will be tendered Mr. Fred Timbers of Stouffville, champion plowman of America. The affair takes place at the King Edward hotel in Toronto, and will be attended by many men and women from this district. Tickets for those who are still without them may be obtained at The Tribune office at one dollar each.

SHEEP CLAIMS \$400 IN ONE NIGHT
Sheep claims paid in the surrounding townships this past year, dwindled into insignificance, when compared with claims settled over in Melancton township near Shelbourne when dogs did damage to the extent of \$400 in one night last week. Added to the list of 28 killed on the farm of Mrs. Fred Stewart, and six on another farm at Jack Stewart's, were six more on the farm of Howard Atkins, all in the Corbetton area.

BUTTER OVERSEAS
Packages of butter must not be accepted for overseas mailing unless they are properly packed. Butter must be packed in tins sealed by means of solder and not by gummed or adhesive tape. The tins must then be enclosed in strong cardboard boxes with sufficient absorbent material between the tin and the outer cover to take care of any leakage.

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Stiver Bros.

The War Branch of Stouffville will hold their Bazaar on Saturday, Dec. 14th, commencing at 3 p.m. Articles for sale will be anything suitable for Christmas, also homemade baking. Afternoon tea served. Everything will be reasonably priced. —Anything contributed toward this sale will be greatly appreciated. All the proceeds go toward refugee work for purchasing wool.

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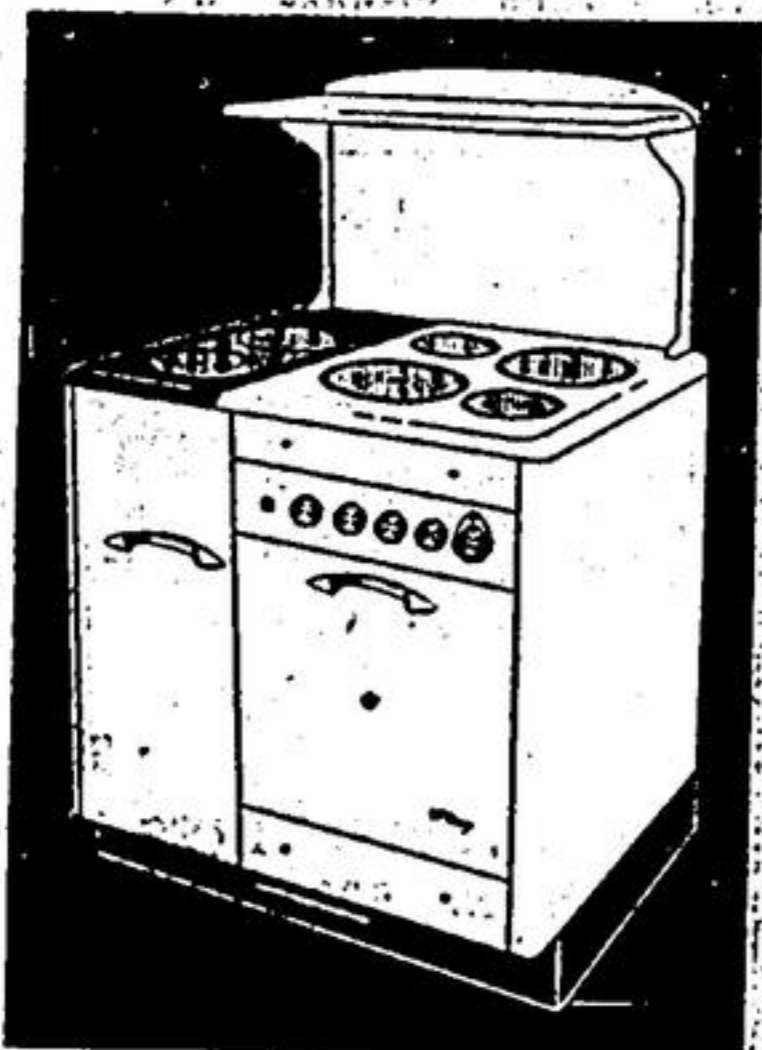
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