

Local & General News

Next Friday is a public holiday when all places of business will be closed. Easter Monday is a bank and school holiday only.

Mrs. Gayman who is staying with Mr. Robert Stewart, has been spending several days at the home of her son B. Gayman in Unionville, during which time she has been quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Rowbotham, Helen and Mr. George DeWitt were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kent, in North Toronto, and were joined in the evening by Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Alchison and Miss Phyllis Rose.

Mr. Frank Lehman returned this week to his home at Pine Orchard after making a lengthy visit in town with his younger brother Albert, who the past few days is somewhat improved in health. Frank is the eldest member of the family, being over 80 years of age.

We hear that the barbering establishments of this town and district who naturally claim to be doing all the clipping, are strongly considering adding on a little in the form of advanced prices for their hair cutting. The standard price of a hair cut is now 25c, and a majority are reported to be favorable to advancing the price to 35c, but some are holding out to retain the old rate.

As an evidence of the good will shown toward the canvassers for the War Services Fund last week, the head of one household in the south-east section left his donation with his wife just in case he was away from home when the canvassers called. That's just what happened, and it showed the fine spirit behind the gift, and the manner in which the workers were received almost everywhere.

Mr. Harry Brillinger narrowly averted having several of his fingers damaged beyond repair when they became jammed by a backing truck. It now appears the injured members will be all right after a few weeks of careful nursing.

Everybody wants to conserve and save a little, especially so in their buying habits. You can make a good start right now by perusing the offerings made by our advertisers in this very issue, ranging from food-stuffs to house furniture. Only a couple of weeks ago, a subscriber told us that he thought he had saved more than the price of his paper in one or two months by watching the advertised goods.

Miss Jennie McCallum has returned from Toronto where she spent the winter season. "Now that the storms of winter are past, I am delighted to be home again," Miss McCallum said to The Tribune. Few homes in Stouffville have been longer established than the McCallum residence.

An imposing ceremony at the United Church service last Sunday morning was the reception of twenty-four new members, six by transfer from other churches, and eighteen on profession of faith, being 10 girls and 8 boys. The ordinance of baptism was administered to no less than six young people as follows: Barbara Brillinger, Betty Welsh, Marguerite Grubin, Harry Schell, Arnold Schell, Kenneth Klinck. Rev. L.E. Atkinson conducted the service which proved most impressive both as regards its demeanour, and the nature of the charges delivered to those who were taking so important a step. Mr. Atkinson intimated that still another intimated that still another who had expected to join the church at this time, had been suddenly removed in the death of the late Jesse Cook.

William Rennie's farm auction today (Thursday) is likely to be widely attended with anything like favorable weather.

Fires of "unknown origin" account for one-third of the losses on farms, and lightning accounts for \$100,000 annually.

On Good Friday morning there will be a public service of thanksgiving and praise held in the Stouffville Christian church. This will be a union of all village churches, and church goers of every denomination are invited. Those who never attend church at any time, will be especially welcome at this Easter devotional.

The Senior Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. G. T. Lee, Main St., on Wednesday, April 16, at 2.30. Motto: "Let us be content in work, to do the thing we can, and not presume to fret because its little." The roll call will be answered by hints on spring cleaning. There will be a visit from District President, Mrs. G. Maynard, and a demonstration on ways of serving eggs. Music and a social half hour.

The growing dissatisfaction of last summer over the inaction of the Board of Health in permitting pig sties to flourish right in the village, the aroma from which, in some cases was said to be worse than a German gas attack is to be remedied according to Dr. Freele, M.O.H. Not every porker within our borders will be deported, for some are far enough removed from human habitation, as to permit them to remain, but even the Board of Health cannot authorize them to remain if the pig sty is within 300 feet of any dwelling. There will shortly be an order issued by the authorities requiring the removal or dismantling of all such quarters as are objectionable. It seems like harking back 25 years to have to complain of such conditions. However it is just 36 years since Stouffville passed a bylaw forbidding cows to pasture on our village streets.

Mrs. Ross Teel and family of Woodville are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lou Lounsbrough.

According to their antics, some people are more interested in "working" democracy than in working for it.

Mrs. Fred Silverthorn who recently purchased the brick bungalow on Main street almost opposite Baker avenue, has added some improvements to the exterior making the place an attractive spot. Bud Spang was the carpenter in charge.

Sir Frederick Banting left an estate of \$73,000. Of this amount \$46,000 was in life insurance, all of which implies that the world famous young scientist from Alliston made no great effort to amass a fortune from discoveries he made for mankind at large.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Whittingstall intend to leave next week for their new home in Toronto, and are vacating their residence on Main street where they have resided for over eight years. We regret to see good citizens of their stand leaving our community, but we wish them good health and happiness as they locate nearer to the homes of their two sons.

Frost is out of the ground in many places, and fields are fast drying up. Men are busy getting the Main street pavement cleaned up after the winter's accumulation. All winter money is spent sanding the roadway, then in the spring more money is spent taking the sand off. Of course it has served its purpose, and we came through the winter without any car accidents due to skidding into each other.

Norman Alexander, merchant, Uxbridge, has been appointed to take the census in Muskoka-Ontario. Norman has done considerable good work for the Liberal party in the riding, and his appointment aside from his political affiliation, meets with approval because he is capable of carrying on this work in a proper manner.

Canvassers for the War Services fund in Stouffville were delighted to receive in the mail last week a cheque for \$25 from one of Stouffville's best friends, and The Tribune was the agency through which the gift was inspired. The cheque was mailed, direct to the canvassers in the south centre district, as a result of announcement and appeal through the columns of this paper last week, and this paper is given credit for its effort in this behalf. Once again the power of newspaper appeal is manifest.

Although on some occasions in the past the local golfing season has opened about April 1st, and preparations have been made for summer pastimes, winter sports held sway here until just a week ago and our local postmaster, who is numbered among local skiing fans, reported that Goodwood's northern hillsides provided quite a bit of "slip," while Markham had skating just a week ago. Several members of the home town curling club recall one season some years past when winter and summer sports really closed in on one another here and there was curling on an Easter forenoon and bowling on the local green in the afternoon. Even so, last week was decidedly late for the indulgence in winter sports even in this neck of the woods and now the most pessimistic weather prognosticators admit that spring is long overdue.

PREACHING MISSION AT DICKSON'S HILL.
A two weeks preaching mission at this church began last Sunday evening, when the pastor, delivered a stirring evangelistic message on "An Old Testament Picture of the Christ." Basing his remarks on John 3:14, the speaker explained the type, and showed its relation to the race of men. The fact of sin, apparent everywhere in all its forms, made the death of Christ a necessity, and an earnest appeal was made to the listeners to embrace the offer of full salvation as provided in the great Atonement. A response to the appeal was made at both the services on Sunday and Monday nights and the meetings are proving helpful to those who have attended. Rev. P. G. Lehman, the pastor is bringing the message each night, and cordially invites the people of the community to attend any or all of the services. The stress of these days take their toll from the life, and the individual person must keep in touch with the Spiritual Forces by the means afforded in the inspiration offered by the church of Christ.

Garden Seeds

We have a full line of Garden Seeds for this Spring.

We have received notice from the Head Office that the quota of freight-free grain from Western Canada has been filled and that no more permits can be issued for car loads.

Farmers having placed orders for this grain with us after March 24th, please get in touch with us at once.

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Is very reasonable this year in price. Right now, it is only about half a cent over good feed grain. This will be a good year to change Seed.

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ANNUAL MEETING

The Lawn Bowling Club annual meeting is called for Thursday, April 17, in the Telephone Office. Important and interesting business. Every member please be on hand at 8 p.m.

Miss Bessie Cairns, missionary on furlough from Kong Moon, South China, was the guest speaker at the Easter thanksgiving meeting of the Stouffville United Church Women's Missionary Auxiliary Thursday. Miss Cairns gave a graphic picture of life in China to-day. Rice the staple food, is worth \$1 for 1 1/2 pounds, and meat cannot be bought because of both shortage and price. No work ever done by the missionaries, said Miss Cairns, has been more important than that of just staying with the people through this time of danger and trouble.

The devotional service was taken by Mrs. George Thomas, and Mrs. Alma Baker Oldham sang two numbers accompanied by Mrs. Floyd Ratcliff. An offering of more than \$100 was received. Mrs. S. W. Hastings presided during the afternoon and Mrs. George Gunn expressed the thanks of the auxiliary to Miss Cairns and Mrs. Oldham.

In this district entrance examinations will be held on June 26 and 27. Despite the fact that middle school departmental examinations have been abandoned, candidates for the middle school standing must submit an application at the end of April as in former years. A penalty of \$1 will be imposed on those who make late applications. Every candidate for upper school standing must try the departmental examinations this year. In former years some were recommended.

STOUFFVILLE WAR BRANCH

The annual meeting combined with the work meeting of the War Branch, will be held in the Municipal Hall, on Tuesday, April 15, at 2.30 o'clock.

Donations gratefully acknowledged: Pair new flannelette blankets; Afghan from Dickson's Hill War Workers; 2 Quilts and Children's Clothing, from 9th line, Markham; 3 Quilts from Bloomington Ladies; 2 Small quilts, Mrs. Talbot 6th of Whitechurch; Quilt from Mrs. Greenbury, Stouffville; 2 Quilts and Clothing from Mrs. Couperthwaite, 10th Markham; an Afghan from the ladies at Brierbush Hospital Stouffville. M. Davey, Secretary War Branch.

UPPER SCHOOL EXAMS

Upper School examinations will commence on Wednesday, June 18, according to a schedule received from the Dept. of Education. The Middle School departmental examinations are not being held this year. Compared with former years when the candidates tried lower, middle and upper school examinations, the timetable received here is a small program with only high school entrance and upper school examinations.

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Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon, sliced, pound 29c
Fresh Grade A. Large Eggs, dozen 21c
Sweet Mixed Pickles, 27 ounce Bottle 25c
Braeside Butter, First Grade Creamery, 1 lb. 38c

AYLMER ASSORTED (Except Chicken)
SOUPS 3 tins 25c

Prunes, large size, 40-50 2 lbs. 25c
Christie Ritz Biscuits Pkg. 14c
Domestic Shortening, 2 lbs. 27c
Excelsior Pastry Flour, 24 lb. Bag 69c

P & G OR PEARL WHITE NAPTHA
SOAP 10 bars 39c

Red Rose Tea, red label black, half lb. 36c
McCormick Fig Bars, fresh 1 lb. 19c
Kraft Cheese, 2 lb. loaf 59c
Lynn Valley Tomatoes, large tin 2 for 25c

CHRISTIES, FRESH
Hot Cross Buns doz. 25c

Golden Yellow Bananas, 3 lb. 25c
(Approximately 30c dozen)

Head Lettuce, Iceberg, fresh 2 for 19c
(Large, 24 size), CUBAN

PINEAPPLES each 23c

Ontario Leaf Lettuce, 2 bunches 5c

FLORIDA (Giant Size),
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