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Gormley

Mrs. E. Copeland and Mrs. E. Leigh of Toronto, visited their brother E. Jones on Sunday. On Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hunt entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. Hoover and their three boys in their home for supper. On Thursday evening the students of Emmanuel Bible School will present the program at Grace Chapel, 562 Jones Ave., Toronto. However, prayer meeting will be held as usual in the M.B.C. church. Harold Sider of the R.C.A.F. has recently been stationed at St. Thomas Mrs. Jon. Scharbach of Thornhill is enjoying a few weeks' holidays at her home here. Sunday visitors in Gormley were: Mr. and Mrs. George Barrett and Joan of Oakridges; Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Baker and Lloyd of Newmarket, also Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson of Toronto, who visited in the Johnson home. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sider and Agnes visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Jones of Dickson's Hill. Pte. Fred Doust, of the Lorne Scott Regiment was home on leave from Niagara last weekend. One of the busiest men we know of just now is Auctioneer A. S. Farm-

er. He has every business day taken with a sale for the next two weeks, so the weather man must be good to him in order that he may carry out the schedule. We saw many from Stouffville and distant points at Heise Hill church on Sunday night, when Evangelist told the young folks some of the rules they should observe in the matrimonial field. Pleased to see Reeve George Leary around again after going down with a heavy cold. Looks better than ever, so the credit goes to good nursing. Friends around Gormley will be delighted to learn that Mr. A. C. Byer of Toronto, and one time resident of Gormley, is showing some improvement since he was viciously set upon by an alleged drunk one night in Toronto, resulting in Mr. Byer receiving a slight concussion. A. C. was driving his street car, and turning a loop collided with a motor car driven by a man said to be under the influence of John Barleycorn. He was handy with his fists, it appears, and struck Motorman Byer knocking him down. When Mr. and Mrs. Byer lived at Gormley they occupied the farm now the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brillinger.

LAKE RATEPAYERS ANNUAL GET-TOGETHER

One of the things which makes for success is success and it certainly was exemplified on Wednesday night, March 3rd, when the Lake Association members gathered for their annual blow-out. Even the weather which was around zero, could not freeze the enthusiasm nor keep the crowd away, and while the attendance did not reach the same as some other years the cold and transportation problem all hooked up to make it difficult for those who came. Some regular attenders from the Lake District were missed, also with so many of our boys in the colours they were missed but they were in our thoughts and in a great many cases their parents were present. Riverdale Masonic Hall was ours for the evening and the lower hall was filled with euchre players, many of whom have not seen each other since they left their summer cottages in the fall. Ed. Darlow and W. Kealy had things ready for the games to start promptly at 9 p.m. The president A. G. Carter opened the proceedings with a short welcome and from then on the card sharks enjoyed themselves to the limit, and the prizes which were well worth competing for were certainly well earned. Play stopped at eleven o'clock and those downstairs were served a tasty luncheon by Harold Bevens and his helpers, Miss Bevins, Mrs. Turtle, Mrs. Carter, Dot. Bevens and others. The president came upstairs, welcomed the dancers and the hall was well filled by the younger set (also some older ones). The music was furnished by Cliff Lloyd and his orchestra. Bert Lloyd had charge of the dance arrangements and those dancing had their refreshments as soon as the card players were served and away. These weary war years are hard on the nerves and it is such events as these which help build up nerve resistance. Among those from the Lake and Stouffville district, the following young people were noticed but there were others whom the writer did not catch owing to the big crowd. Bill Kellington, Fred Williams, Noel Storey, Jack Davis, Allan Elson, Joan Baxter, Jean Graham, Jeanne Westlake. Mrs. Cherry the always welcome guest from Kresge's gave a short talk and presented a number of useful gifts to those who were lucky. She is a great booster and we do appreciate her visits. The executive committee worked hard and everyone from Messrs. Harrison and Turtle who took the tickets at the door to the last man did a good job.

PASTOR RECOVERING FROM RECENT BREAK-DOWN

Owing to a break-down following the funeral of the late James Rennie, his pastor Rev. T. D. DeCourcy-Rayner has been confined to bed with the flu and was unable to take over his work on Sunday, hence Rev. Andrew McMullen, B.A., Knox College, preached in the Presbyterian church last Sunday. Mr. Rayner hopes to be able to take his work next Sunday, and was up for the first time after his illness on Wednesday. His subject is announced in the church column.

Goodwood

Tuesday's downpour of rain threatened to start the big spring flood but the freeze-up Wednesday morning held up the situation. Funeral announcement and obituary appears in this issue for the late Mrs. Amanda Fine. She was a grand old lady, and one of the longest standing to have been born at Goodwood. Still a number of township roads are not opened, that will have to wait for Old Saul to reduce their snow covering. Mrs. S. Cook is now at Mount Albert nursing Mr. Job. Oldham.

Altona

Mrs. Grant Baker of Rosedale is spending a time with her parents, at present being with her sister, Mrs. Gerald Pointon, Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lewis, Douglas and Ernestine Cooper and Mr. A. Davis ad Esther, called on Mr. and Mrs. Joan Lewis and family, Kinsale on Sunday. We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Thos. Lewis is not feeling well, and is confined to her bed. Miss Ruby Tindall has returned to Mr. John Ball's Uxbridge, for the summer. Quite a number from this vicinity attended the funeral of the late Mary Forsyth of Claremont, Sunday. Our sympathy is extended to the relatives. The W.I. met at the home of Mrs. Arthur Wideman on Thursday afternoon instead of at Mrs. Harris', as was announced, she having been called to the home of her uncle who is ill. There was a good attendance in spite of bad roads. The W.I. also had two quittings recently, one at the home of Mrs. P. Smith, and the other at the home of Mrs. L. Hodgson. The W.I. are in receipt of acknowledgement from the following boys who received boxes at Christmas, Earl McNair, George Stewart, Leland Fairless, renville Draper, G. Smith, and Mike Brown who are overseas.

Victoria Square

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith, on the birth of a daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Avison of Toronto called on Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Avison and family on Sunday evening. Mrs. Stanley Boynton had dinner Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. Boynton and family in Toronto. The Home Nursing Class have commenced a new course, "Home Feeding in Emergency." The first lesson was taken last Tuesday in the Sunday School kitchen. The regular monthly meeting of the Mission Band will be held Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. F. Boynton at 2 p.m. All the boys and girls invited to attend. The W.M.S. held their World Day of Prayer Meeting on Friday evening last in the Sunday School Room. Pleased to see Misses Mabel Sanderson and Peggy MacKay out on Sunday after their attacks of the flu and cold. The chief topic for discussion among the ratepayers here is our Township Council since the reeve-ship is vacant. We welcome to our community, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Anderson of Toronto, who have taken up residence in the house of the late Mrs. Frank Nichols. The Y.P.U. was well attended Sunday evening, when the topic was taken by Mrs. Ralph Boynton. The scripture lesson was read by Lyle Pickering. A reading was given by Miss Viola Avison and a duet rendered by Misses Doreen Klinck and Bertie Forster. Next Sunday evening the service will be in charge of Miss Ruby Avison. Messrs. Douglas Gee and John Sherk are planning to make maple syrup on a share basis with Messrs. L. L. and Cecil Nichols. They have purchased a modern evaporation and equipment to tap three hundred trees. Mrs. L. Boston sold her farm to Mr. John Farquharson, a few days ago. Mr. Farquharson gets possession this spring. The farm consists of fifty acres of arable land in an excellent state of cultivation with frame house and bank barn. Price reported is \$6,000. The present tenant, Mr. Stan Boyton is having a sale on April 3. Dame Rumour says that Maurice is getting a nice bird to put in the home when Mrs. Boston moves out. Pte. Stan Pike spent the week-end with Miss Elsie Taun. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Huggins and family had tea Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Frisby. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brumwell and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Wil-mot Brumwell at Highland Creek. Overall, smocks, dressing gowns, aprons and dust caps were the order of the evening at the "Come as You Are" meeting of the W. A. on Monday March 15, at the home of Mrs. Gordon Mortson. The attendance totalled about forty. The programme prepared by Mrs. Reid Brumwell's group was most interesting and enjoyed by all. Mrs. Snider took the chair. The meeting opened with a prayer by Mrs. Brumwell. Several instrumental selections by Mrs. Simms were a special treat. Miss Bertie Forster sweetly rendered a vocal solo. Mrs. Charles Stansbury gave a reading, and Mrs. Brumwell capably delivered the topic, "Taking stock of Ourselves." Several hymns were sung. The new secretary, Mrs. Meek delivered the minutes of the last three meetings in a very efficient manner. Business conducted by the President, Miss Mabel Sanderson, and an invitation extended to all to the Irish supper, Tuesday evening. The meeting closed with the benediction.

Peaches

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. Ferguson, jr., were Mr. and Mrs. Grimby and Barbara also Miss May Grimby of Toronto. Miss Dorothy Hoover and Miss Annie Reesor of Cherrywood spent the weekend at the Hoover home. Miss Margaret Lewis spent last Thursday with her grand parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Painter. Miss Gloria Cleverdon spent last week visiting relatives in Toronto. Mrs. John Ferguson sr., and Donald attended the Ice Capade in Toronto last Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Morris and Billy motored to Queensville on Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. William Mould and family. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Warriner and family were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Mordon at Scarborough Bluffs. Albert Hosking is spending several weeks with relatives in Port Hope. Sunday visitors at the Hoover homes were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Gayman and family of Bloomington. Sunday callers at the Smith home were Mr. and Mrs. P. Pitt and David also Mr. J. Leadbetter of Markham. Congratulations go to Mr. and Mrs. Brignall on the birth of a daughter. Mrs. Brignall and baby returned home on Sunday. The Y.P.U. held a very successful meeting at the Hoover home on Friday night. There were 25 present, all report a good time. A social evening with crokinole is being planned by the Y.P.U. to be held at the Risebrough home next Wednesday night, March 25th. Come and bring a box. Also John Spang, Lorne Kester, Don Davis, Clifford Barkoy and Harry Spang. There was also one sent to Bruce Boyd who is reported missing overseas. This is our bit to show the boys we are thinking of them wherever they may be, and our earnest hope is that we may see them all home again soon.

Bethesda

The ladies of the W.M.S. accepted with much regret, at their meeting last week, the resignation of Mrs. Henry Burnett, who had been secretary of the society for several years. Mrs. Gibson presented to Mrs. Burnett a lovely bedspread, and Mrs. C. Burkholder read the following address: Dear Mrs. Burnett: The news that you are about to leave us filled us with deep regret. The Bethesda branch of the Women's Auxiliary will miss you greatly, as will also the church, the Sunday School, and the whole community. You have endeared yourself to us by your willingness to serve in our society. The memory of your sweet singing will remain with us. Your true Christian walk among us has been a shining example; it has indeed been good for us to have associated with you. We are losing good friends and neighbours from our midst as you and your family leave us, but others will gain. Please accept this token of our high regard for you and may it serve as a remembrance of fellowship together in the Bethesda W. M. S. Sincerely, Signed on behalf of the Bethesda Women's Missionary Auxiliary, Bertha Hunt, Gladys Scott, Selena Atkinson, Mrs. A. B. Shafter, Susan Burkholder. The Bethesda Institute will hold a croquinole party on Monday, March 22, at the home of Mrs. Fred Allin, 5th Con. Proceeds for war work. A quilting will be held this Thursday afternoon at the home of Mr. Wm. Brodie.

Dickson's Hill

Miss Lillian Moyer is spending a few days with Mrs. Harvey Moyer. Miss Lillian Shannon is enjoying a holiday with the Hicks family in Hamilton. Mrs. A. C. Barkey entertained at a quilting last week, her sister Mrs. Bolender from Bethesda, being among the number present. Spring is here, according to our miller Mr. W. A. Jones, who saw a robin in his locust tree here. We feel sorry for the poor bird this icy morning. Mrs. Roy Hiscox, and friend from Peterboro, Lillian Moyer, Elizabeth Wideman, Mrs. J. W. Wideman and Clifford Schell visited the Bible School at Gormley last ednesday.

Lemonville

Mr. Roy Irwin, of Toronto, was in charge of Church services here last Sunday. Mr. Daynard plans to be with us again next Sunday. Miss Florence Barkey was weekend visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Forsythe. We are glad to report that most of the school children have recovered from the flu, and are back to school again.

The Church Services

DICKSON HILL and MT. JOY MENNONITE CHURCHES

Rev. J. Harold Sherk, Pastor
Sunday, March 21, 1943
MOUNT JOY
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Public Worship
The pastor will preach.
7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic Service. The pastor will preach.

MELVILLE, BETHESDA AND PEACH'S CHURCHES

Minister Rev. A. J. Orr
Sunday, March 21, 1943
Peach's 10:00 a.m.
Melville 11:15 a.m.
Bethesda 3:00 p.m.
Wednesday, March 24 — Peach's Crokinole and Box Social at the home Mr. W. Risebrough for Overseas.

DICKSON'S HILL

Sunday, March 21, 1943
10:00 a.m.—Public Worship
Rev. S. Goudie will preach.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School
"COME AND WORSHIP."

CHRIST CHURCH, ANGLICAN

Rev. F. Herman, Rector
Miss Elizabeth Foote, Organist
March 21, 1943
Second Sunday in Lent
2:00 p.m.—Sunday School
2:30 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon
Rev'd Mr. Hill, of Agincourt, will be the guest speaker
Thursday, March 25th
Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
THE PUBLIC ARE WELCOME

STOUFFVILLE BAPTIST

Rev. D. Macgregor, Pastor
Glenn Ratcliff, Organist
Sunday, March 21, 1943
10:00 a.m.—Bible School
Classes for all ages
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Gospel Service
Wed. 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting
Come and Receive a Blessing

SECOND MARKHAM BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Norman Rowan, Pastor
Sunday, March 21, 1943
9:55 a.m.—Bible School
11:00 a.m.—Worship
The pastor will preach
We will rejoice in Thy Salvation and in the name of our Lord. —Psalm 20:5
Tuesday 8 p.m.—Prayer Service.
"Some trust in chariots and some in horses, but we will remember the name of our God." —Psalm 20:7
You are always welcome here.

STOUFFVILLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Charles Montgomery, Pastor
Miss Nora Stapleton, Organist
Sunday, March 21st, 1943
10:00 a.m.—Bible School
11:00 a.m.—Worship
7:00 p.m.—Gospel Service
Friday 7 p.m.—Children's Meeting
Friday 8 p.m.—Christian Endeavor Meeting.
Church Hill
Sunday, March 21st, 1943
2:00 p.m.—Bible School
3:00 p.m.—Divine Worship
Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him.
Come and Worship With Us

MENNONITE BROTHERN IN CHRIST CHURCH GORMLEY and BETHESDA

Rev. Ward M. Shantz, Pastor
Sunday, March 21, 1943
GORMLEY
2:00 p.m.—Missionary Sunday in the Sunday School
3:00 p.m.—Worship
"The Supreme Sacrifice"
7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic Service
"Gold or God, Which?"
Thursday, 7:45—Prayer Meeting
Saturday 2:30 p.m.—Junior Meeting.
BETHESDA
Sunday, March 21, 1943
10:30 a.m.—Worship
The Students of EMMANUEL BIBLE SCHOOL Will Be in Charge of this Service.
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting
A BLESSING AWAITS YOU HERE COME!

STOUFFVILLE UNITED CHURCH

Rev. Douglas G. Davis, Minister
Sunday, March 21st, 1943
11:00 a.m.—Divine Worship
12:15 p.m.—Sunday School
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship
Wednesday 8 p.m.—Prayer Service
Thursday 8:30—Choir Practice
Friday, — Women's, Missionary Society Quilting and Pot Luck Supper
"Prayer is the Christian's vital breath, The Christian's native air, His watchword at the gates of death He enters heaven with prayer."

STOUFFVILLE MENNONITE CHURCH

Rev. H. Shantz, Pastor
Sunday, March 21, 1943
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Divine Worship
2:30 p.m.—Mongolia S. S.
7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic
7:30 p.m.—Altona—Special Offering for Relief Work.
Thursday 8:30 p.m.—Prayer Meeting at Mr. and Mrs. Paul Boardway's home.
Next Week:
Monday 8:30 p.m.—Young People's Meeting at Stouffville.
Wednesday 8:30 p.m.—Altona Prayer Meeting at I. Lehman's home
"Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that he may exalt you in due time."
Come and Worship with us.

ST. JAMES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, STOUFFVILLE

Minister: Rev. T. DeCourcy Rayner.
Sunday, March 21, 1943
1.30 p.m.—Sabbath School and Bible Class.
2:30 p.m.—"DIVINE WORSHIP"
"A WONDERFUL PROMISE"
One of the Truly Great Promises which guarantees just the right kind of help we need in every circumstance of life.
Can you discover the promise?
Why not come to God's House on Sunday?

BLOOMINGTON, RINGWOOD CHRISTIAN CHURCHES

Rev. G. W. Brown, Pastor
Sunday, March 21, 1943
11:00 a.m.—Bloomington
7:00 p.m.—Ringwood
Sunday School in both churches at 10:00 a.m.
PLAN TO COME
"If thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart, that God hath raised Him from the dead, thou shalt be saved."
—Romans 8:9.

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