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STIVER BROS.

Mrs. H. Lager of Toronto, visited at Mrs. Martin Fockler's on Sunday last.

E. A. Grubin, R.O., Optometrist, will be at his office in Stouffville on Monday, June 18th.

Mr. J. L. Byer was in Guelph last week where he addressed the Mink Dealers Association.

Unionville has an entry this year in the Dentonia senior softball league and expects to sign Cy Lynch for the pitching duties and Sammy Sward, catcher when the league gets rolling.

Dr. John Butten has returned to his R.C.A.F. post at St. Thomas after enjoying a leave with his wife and daughter at his parents' summer home, Hall's Lake. Mrs. Butten will follow her husband next week and the family will make their home in St. Thomas for the present.

Navy League Tag Day next Saturday is deserving of the liberal support of every citizen. We owe the lads of the Navy everything we can do for them within reason and tag day provides a good opportunity for everybody to give a nice donation.

Stouffville War Branch gratefully acknowledges the following gifts: materials from Mrs. Brodie, Mrs. Farthing, Miss Tillie Stouffer, 9th Line Ladies, Mrs. G. Gunn. Packing will be done on Tuesday, June 19 when all knitting and clothing you wish to contribute should be turned in before that date. Mrs. M. Davey, secretary.

The town of Barrie has let a contract for \$29,000 to install artificial ice in the arena there, and it will be ready to go when the snow flies. Tilsonburg is building a new arena at a cost of \$25,000 of which amount, \$17,500 has been raised by public subscriptions, \$5,000 from the Lions Club.

Aurora town council has ordered an amendment to its water bylaw, doubling the rates imposed on users outside the town.

Rev. M. R. Jenkinson, minister of the United Church at Pickering has accepted a call to the United Church at King, and tendered his resignation a couple of weeks ago. Rev. Mr. Copeland will be the new minister at the Pickering charge.

You won't want to miss "National Velvet" coming to the Stanley Theatre three days next week. One of the greatest hits of 1945 coming direct from Loews, Toronto.

Two weeks tonight (Wednesday) is the Lions Club big carnival and dance so be sure you have your draw tickets. There are no less than twenty-seven chances.

No Clue to Breakin
Although more than a week has passed there is no trace of the culprits who committed the robbery at the Stouffville Planing Mill when the main office was entered and a type writer stolen. This is the second or third time the place has been entered in recent years, although nothing of great value has ever been taken for the reason that money or other valuables are not left there. The office door at the Goodall Seed plant was badly damaged when the thieves were unable to force an entrance there. While there is no clue to the identity of the robbers, strong suspicions are said to be held since the affair is not carried out by complete strangers to the locality.

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Local and Personal Happenings



Wing Com. S. A. Bird, R.A.F., of London, Eng., and his bride the former Grace Musselman, daughter of Mrs. Musselman, Toronto, and the late J. D. Musselman, whose marriage took place in Christ Church, Dayton, Ohio. The groom is the son of Mrs. Rose Bird, London, Eng.

RIDING 106 MILES LONG

The riding of Ontario-Muskoka extends from Novar on the north to Altona in Uxbridge Township on the south, a distance of 106 miles, and from Georgian Bay on the west to Cannington on the east, about 100 miles. In the 1943 provincial election about 15,000 votes were polled. Stephen J. Furniss, Liberal, was federal member eight years until his resignation last fall.

Two babies were presented for baptism in an interesting ceremony conducted by Rev. D. Davis in the United Church, Stouffville, on Sunday morning. They were Beverley Merle Bone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Bone, and David Wagne Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Hamilton.

Mr. Harry Bridges, driver of the Gray Coach Lines bus is home from the hospital and is recuperating nicely following his recent operation. It will be a month before Mr. Bridges will take over the bus again.

The appreciation of the local Air Cadet Committee goes to the following girls who handled the tagging for the squadron recently, Fay O'Neill, Helen Lehman, Doreen Odgen, Mary Valteau, Marion Murphy, Jeanne Miller, June Ward, Carol Weldon, Erlene Paisley, Joyce Barkey and Patsy Lehman.

HOW YORK NORTH VOTED IN JUNE 4

Old-timers cannot recall the Township of Whitchurch returning anything but Liberal majority, until June 4 when Lex McKenzie, Progressive Conservative rolled up 705 votes against the combined poll for Mitchell, CCF, and Scott (Lib.) of 595. Here we give the figures showing some interesting comparisons.

Summary in York County			
	Pro-Con.	CCF	Lib.
Mackenzie Mitchell Scott			
Georgina	329	93	294
Sutton West	252	94	178
North Gwillimbury			
East Gwillimbury	309	110	377
Newmarket	662	354	625
Whitchurch	847	483	696
King	575	208	387
Aurora	931	374	1020
Vaughan	715	232	406
Richmond Hill	1097	553	1063
Woodbridge	384	142	286
Ward 2 N.Y.T.	364	91	120
Ward 3 N.Y.T.	2369	1691	850
Advance Poll	800	1809	524
	2		
Totals	9637	6244	6826
Total vote			22,707
Majority for MacKenzie over Scott			2,811
Majority for Mackenzie over Mitchell			3,393
Majority for Scott over Mitchell			582
Vote by Polls in Aurora, King and Whitchurch			
Aurora			
	Mackenzie	Mitchell	Scott
No. 1	147	50	74
No. 2	144	41	100
No. 3	204	78	83
No. 4	135	34	87
No. 5	85	29	62
Total	715	232	406
Whitchurch			
	Mackenzie	Mitchell	Scott
No. 1. Wilcox	145	41	77
No. 2. Bethesda	71	17	43
No. 3. Lemonville	85	16	65
No. 4. Bloomington	47	19	52
No. 5. Penrose	99	22	52
No. 6. Bogartown	132	36	67
No. 7. Pine Orchard	65	26	51
No. 8. Vivian	61	31	50
Total	705	208	387
King			
	Mackenzie	Mitchell	Scott
No. 1	45	45	66
No. 2	108	34	68
No. 3	75	30	65
No. 4	59	7	66
No. 5	85	48	94
No. 6	39	30	76
No. 7	76	30	59
No. 8	31	20	36
No. 9	55	16	24
No. 10A	42	7	53
No. 10B	65	16	85
No. 11	122	11	46
No. 12	47	10	52
No. 13	30	5	46
No. 14	29	3	56
No. 15	38	22	59
No. 16	7	32	59
Total	931	374	1020

OLD FRIENDS RETURN

Last Friday two former residents of Stouffville and district enjoyed the day among old friends in town, a visit which was brought about largely through an item in The Tribune. Mrs. Wm. Haystead, daughter of the late George Kemp who kept the butcher shop and built the corner where now stands Schell's meat market and the Tribune office, was one of the visitors and the other was Mrs. James Cook, a former town girl and daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Stover. It is about 40 years since these former residents lived in town. Mrs. Haystead tells us that she was in a friend's home in the city where she had an opportunity to read a copy of The Tribune and from that she learned of the illness of Mrs. Howard Malloy, an old friend and bridesmaid for her when she was married years ago. Mrs. Haystead's husband is a C.P.R. conductor on the run Toronto-Hamilton, and expects to retire within another four years. Certainly it was a busy day in town for the visitors, who, while they saw many strange faces, found many more whom they knew 40 years ago and more.

These are old friends who have failed to keep in touch with the home town through the local newspaper hence the couple were due for quite a shock when they were about to enter the corner store of Spofford & Co. when they saw the firm's name in the window, only to learn that the Spofford & Co. of their day had long since been struck from the roll of the business places and that the new firm of Spofford & Co. is quite a different personnel.

ONLY 65 PER CENT VOTE IN STOUFFVILLE

It is remarkable the large percentage of the electorate who neglect to vote. In the recent provincial election there was good interest worked up, yet a very large proportion of the voters failed to cast their ballots. In Stouffville, only 65 per cent of the possible vote of 966 went to the polls, while in Sutton 84 per cent of the vote was polled. Aurora, which was the centre of the fight in North York in the provincial contest 75 per cent of the possible vote was cast.

All sorts of penalties have been suggested to impose against those who do not vote and could do so. It has been said that a person who fails to vote should be fined \$2, but it would be quite a task to impose the fine. Fact is it is one of those problems that can only be solved by educating the people on the importance of using their franchise, and safe guarding the right of that franchise.

Following only two days the death of Mrs. A. E. Owen, wife of the former United Church minister at Unionville, Mr. Owen's housekeeper Mrs. Resor died with shocking suddenness at the parsonage in Cooksville where she had lived for some time. Mrs. Owen had been an invalid for years and passed away at the Home for Incurables. In addition to his pastorate now at Cooksville Rev. Albert Owen served at Unionville and Uxbridge.

Lions Invade Shadow Lake
One of the highlights of the year for the Stouffville Lions is their visit to Shadow Lake, and the affair this year held last Wednesday night was no exception as a pleasure event. Members and their lady friends enjoyed a splendidly prepared chicken supper in the large pavilion or recreation hall, and this was followed by a short toast list. One proposed to Mr. and Mrs. Williams and the Shadow Lake Camp was offered by Mr. Harold Spofford, with the response made by Miss Elva Miller. A toast to the ladies was proposed by Rev. D. Davis and responded to by Mrs. Ken Laushway. The Sing-Song was led by the camp director Miss Eleanor Keys whose pleasing personality and genial disposition added so much to the pleasure of the visit. Andy Williams, retiring president, presided over the dinner hour.

The Annual Picnic and Dance of the York County Junior Farmers was held Friday at Musselman's Lake with the six local clubs present in full force for the afternoon and a record crowd of over 800 attending the colorful dance at Cedar Beach Arena in the evening. In the ball games in the afternoon, Sharon defeated Vandonr by a score of 15-10 and Vellore led Virginia 12-5. In the second round Vellore eliminated Sharon by a score of 24-14 and Victoria Square won the closest contest of the day over Unionville with a 10-9.

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