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Local and Personal Happenings

Looking over the young man's hair, the barber asked: "Do you want it cut, or do you just want the oil changed?"

Visitors here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pugh were Mr. and Mrs. Robinson of Colborne; Mr. and Mrs. Dixon and Donna of Bowmanville, also Price Pugh from Cambridge.

Visitors with Mrs. D. J. Williamson over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Lue Heise and Mrs. H. Locke and sister Sophia from Toronto; Mrs. Lyle and son Murray from Port Perry and a sister Mrs. J. E. Farhart from Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mackey, Mrs. J. Blount and daughter Barbara of Ottawa, visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Davey this week. Miss Lena Sanders of Los Angeles, also visited at the Davey home.

Paul and Martin Dvorchak, brothers, married Frances and Julia Nypaver, sisters, on the same day ten years ago. The families live at Uniontown, Pa., and on Aug. 7, 1937, each of the Mrs. Dvorchaks gave birth to a baby. A baby was born to each of them again on Aug. 19, 1946.

HIGH EGG PRODUCTION

We have received a copy of a pamphlet from Cleveland with an item in it that is designed to crack the record of Mr. A. D. Huckerby's pullet that was laying two eggs per day. The word from Cleveland is that two Rhode Island Red hens flew to an amazing altitude of 8,000 feet. Not content with the feat over which to cackle, each of the hens while flying at this dizzy height, laid an egg. Pretty high egg-laying record, that! Oh, incidentally, you might be interested in knowing that these hens were flying from New Orleans to the poultry show in Madison Square Gardens in New York, aboard a commercial liner. Well the Markham pullet didn't need any expensive plane trip to aid in making her record. She accomplished her record alone, not even having other hens about to cackle over, since she is the only bird on the fox ranch.

FEARED CAT STOLEN

Serving a passing motorist with gasoline at Sanders' east end service station one day last week, a stranger was seen to get out of the car and pick up a Persian kitten valued very highly by the service station man. The strange car drove off, and when it was realized that the kitten had gone with the car, an investigation was instituted. Fortunately the service man was observant enough to note the car license number, and police found from this information that the visitors were from Brant county. They will be notified to return the Persian kitten forthwith, and stop impending trouble. The old saying "the cat came back" would be a welcome truth to the rightful owner at this time.

LITERATURE PAPER HARDEST TO PASS

The Department of Education reports that more than 90,000 examination papers were written this year by 15,000 Ontario Upper School students. Of all the subjects written, English literature was the one that caused the students most trouble, officials report.

Mailed Earlier
The Department of Education stated that all Upper School results and some Middle School certificates were mailed on Aug. 16. This is an earlier date than last year by two days. Results might be issued even sooner, if the marks were not checked so carefully.

Committee members read over a great many papers marked by associate examiners in order to insure uniformity of treatment. Marks of each candidate are then reviewed by a special revising board.

Credit Standing
This board often grants credit standing to deserving students who have failed a subject by one or two marks, and have gained exceedingly high marks on all other subjects. It requires a staff of 175 persons, working overtime, to complete the results—marking, reviewing, typing and mailing certificates—states the department. Time could be shortened if it were possible to obtain larger rooms. Then more workers could be hired, it was stated.

STRAW STACK FIRE DAMAGES TRACTOR AND BALER

Fire broke out in a large stack of straw, on Tuesday afternoon, at the farm of J. W. Bowser, Yonge street north of Aurora, while the men were at work baling the straw.

The fire started on the opposite side of the stack to which the tractor and baler were operating. The flames swept over the top of the stack so rapidly that the workmen on top were almost trapped by them. It is thought the fire was started by a cigarette butt.

Damage to the tractor and stack is estimated at \$600. The stack was a complete loss.

Mr. Jack Harding and Mr. John Lageer are holidaying at Huntsville for a week.

Storey's drug store and the Ratcliff block have just been painted. Shabby fronts on Main street are few. Our merchants see to it that their premises have an inviting appearance at all times. It's all an aid to business.

Mrs. George Storey is on a motor trip to Indiana in company with her sister and brother-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. Loney of Hamilton. Now absent for a week, they expect to return by the end of this week, from what will undoubtedly be a delightful holiday.

Visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lageer's home last week were Rev. and Mrs. L. R. Pipher, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pike and son Paul of Toronto, Rev. and Mrs. R. J. Pike of Sunningdale, Mrs. J. T. Pipher, Miss Bertha Pipher, Mr. Wilfred Pipher of Markham, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pipher, Mongolia, Mrs. Murray Nesbitt and children of Gravel Hill.

Mr. A. D. Bruce and Miss Bruce were pleased to entertain at their home west of town last Friday, visitors and friends in a family reunion. There were relatives from Ottawa, Carleton Place, and Toronto, also the immediate district. The Bruce residence and grounds are among the early pioneer settings in Markham township.

Mr. Randolph Birkett of Regina is in town visiting his brothers, Thomas and William, and nephew Gordon. Mr. Birkett moved West before the first war, and has been engaged as a railroad man all that time. He is a widower, and was born on the old homestead farm at Claremont.

In response to the appeal made by the local bakery for customers of the cake shop to bring along a container of some sort in which to carry away cakes, was well responded to last week, and it is hoped that others will follow the example. Cake boxes are in very short supply and bakeries running low are anxious to spread out the supply as long as possible. If you have a cake box on hand retain it for future use.

Not enjoying very good health for a long time, Mr. W. E. Morden has been forced to bed since his condition became worse of recent weeks. Proprietor of Morden's Transport Wilfred had to lay off the route a long time ago, since which he has depended on his hired help to make the daily journeys to and from Toronto, while he managed the business end here at home.

Mrs. C.H. Bell, wife of the implement agent in town, is on a visit to relatives in Western Canada, stopping at Winnipeg, Saskatoon, and Prince Albert. Mr. and Mrs. Bell came from Regina to locate in Stouffville prior to the war, hence it will be like a visit to folks back home for Mrs. Bell in making this journey.

Large Receipts without a Draw
Receipts for the Markham Lions Club carnival and dance last week exceeded \$1,000. This must have been a highly satisfactory return, especially when the success of the undertaking was in doubt by some individuals because there was no draw in connection with the affair that is always calculated to attract many people who either hope to win something or see their neighbors win.

Valued Family Leaving
Stouffville is shortly to lose a highly esteemed family when Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marshall move in September to Toronto where they have acquired a house, and will therefore relinquish their tenancy on the residence they have occupied so long on Main street and which has been purchased by Mr. A. E. Weldon. Since closing out of the Bank of Nova Scotia here, Mr. Marshall has been engaged, first in Markham as manager, and later in the city office. Mrs. Marshall will be greatly missed in her circle of friends, while Mr. Marshall took an active interest in bowling and curling, and other sports sponsored here.

Councillors Invited to Enter

North York civic and township officials will have their chance to show their prowess at horseshoes at the Canadian Legion field day in Aurora on Monday, Sept. 2. Invitations have been sent to Stouffville, Aurora, Richmond Hill, Newmarket, King, Whitchurch, Vaughan and East Gwillimbury townships to provide two-man teams for a special contest starting at 11 a.m. It is expected that all will accept the challenge. The reeve of Stouffville so far has been unable to interest any two of his councillors to enter the contest, although he has invited Hugh Boyd and Jack Smits to pick up the shoes and show the way to those other municipal heads from the places mentioned. Councillor Smits is well used to handling iron and steel and should be able to twist the shoes for a few wringers.

FROM GARAGEMAN TO GRIST MILLER

Garage proprietor in Stouffville for several years, and a good mechanic who was employed by the Ford-Motor Co. before coming to town, Mr. Bruce Valleur has purchased a chopping mill at Hepworth in the region of Owen Sound.

Owing to ill health Mr. Valleur sold his business in Stouffville last month, and on the assumption that a change is as good as a rest, he will take on an entirely new occupation when he enters the grist mill. His son Jack will assist him in the new business.

Just as soon as suitable living quarters can be obtained in the northern village the family will move to Hepworth, where we trust they will meet with every success.

Stouffville Public Library will reopen this Thursday, after being closed for interior repairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miles of Toronto, visited their aunt, Mrs. John Madill on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Overbaugh of Simcoe, visited with their mother and other relatives a few days last week.

A number of local people, nine in number, took in the Lindsay excursion to Niagara Falls on Wednesday last week. A good time was reported.

Mrs. Tompkins of Cambray was the weekend guest in town at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Riches and other friends.

Mrs. Eli Willson returned home today after a two-weeks holiday visiting Major and Mrs. Watt of the S.A. Hamilton. Mrs. Willson also enjoyed a trip to Sarnia visiting relatives.

Bruce Harper, Stouffville, was not the unsuccessful name called for the \$200 Foto Nite award at the Stanley Theatre, when Miss Feir received the second award of \$45.00. The name called was I. K. Harper. This Thursday names will be drawn for \$200 and \$15.00.

Tax Collections Ahead of Last Year

Tax Collector K.R. Davis informs The Tribune that local tax collections in town are far ahead of last year. Over \$4000 has been received up to date, while only \$2900 was taken in, in the same period of 1945. The collector will be at the municipal office for collection on Saturday, August 31st, and Tuesday, Sept. 3rd, up to 3 p.m.

The Women's Missionary Society of Stouffville United Church will meet on Thursday, Sept. 5th, at 4 p.m. in the S.S. room. Mrs. Stanley Hastings will introduce the study book, entitled, "India at The Threshold." This meeting will be followed by a pot luck supper at 7 o'clock to which all the congregation is invited. A short program will be enjoyed composed of readings by Miss Jean Hosié and vocal numbers by Miss Marguerite Grubin.

MYRTLE MAN 89

Robert Britton of Myrtle Station celebrated his 89th birthday last week. Still quite active a birthday party was held in his honor and was attended by his eldest son who came from Smith Falls.

ONTARIO HAS GOOD CROPS

F. M. Campbell, agricultural representative for Ontario County reports that pastures have improved in Ontario county, greatly of recent days. There are still fields to harvest, and grain yields are higher than any time in the last five years.

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Abram Stouffer Improving

Mr. Abram Stouffer who suffered a stroke on Sunday last week, is showing some signs of improvement, the scores of friends of the family will be glad to learn. Mr. Stouffer is still a bed patient and will have to be very careful as he is nursed back to health. The old farm where he lives is regarded as the pioneering setting for the opening of Stouffville district back in the days of the early settlers.

RETURNS TO BOYHOOD SCENES AFTER ABSENCE OF 42 YEARS

Dr. W.A. Holden and Mrs. Holden are visiting his brothers, stopping with Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Holden. The couple are residents of Seattle, Wash., and Dr. Holden is a native of Ringwood, spent his boyhood and young manhood days in and around Stouffville. Forty years ago he left as a young man, and never returned in all that time until he made the present visit.

The old town seems to have gone quite modern, Dr. Holden observed, noting that business fronts and new homes had given the place a more swanky appearance, than he had recollected conditions just after the turn of the century when he last saw the town. Son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Truman Holden, Dr. W. A. is what one may call a self-made man. He learned the barbering trade here with the late Wilmot Shankel, heard the call, "Go West, Young Man," and struck out for Winnipeg, later he continued on to St. Paul, then to Seattle, where he determined to enter college; which gave him his graduation in dentistry in 1914. Ever since he has practised in that city, maintaining offices down town in a large block given over entirely to the professions.

Fresh in the mind of Dr. Holden was the old town hall, destroyed by fire about 20 years ago. "I am meeting many old friends whom I recognize at once, when I hear the names," said Dr. Holden.

These Girls will Fly

Misses Ileen Weldon and Ruth Gooding, school mistresses, and former students of Stouffville High School, will take a flying trip from Malton to Buffalo this weekend. The girls are anxious to try travelling through the stratosphere to be sure they can remain in perfect control when up in the air.

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