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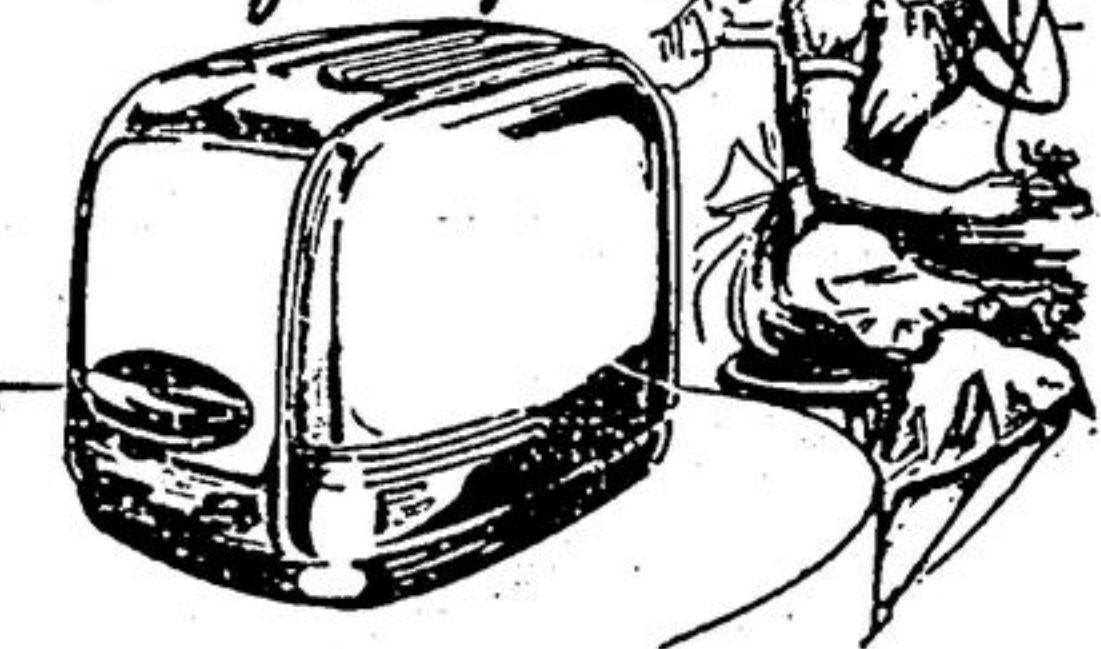
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In Days of Yore

From the Files of The Tribune
20 YEARS AGO

Deputy-Reeve R. L. Stiver of Markham has just threshed 600 bus. of fall wheat and the run is well over the standard weight of 60 lbs. to the bus.

F. W. Silversides was in Richmond Hill on Saturday assisting with the big auction sale of lumber.

A slight frost was reported on Monday morning, Aug. 15th.

Mr. John Turner has purchased the Kester residence next to the school and expects to move in this fall.

Mrs. Archie Bray and daughter Betty are leaving this week for their home in Helena, Montana, after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. Hutchinson and Oscar Hutchinson.

First prize at the recent bowling tournament at Unionville went to Geo. Saunders, Irwin Gray, Ben Doten, and A. C. Burkholder.

Several loads of new wheat are arriving and the price is \$1.27 to \$1.30. Barley is quoted at 80c.

For a second time, Luella Gayman and Edith Swift, two of our juvenile musicians, have been engaged to sing over the radio this summer. Station CKCX will carry the program.

A serious accident occurred on the 6th con. of Markham on Sunday evening when our local smithy, Wm. Griffith, sustained a broken nose and nasty cuts about the face. Mr. and Mrs. Griffith were riding with friends from Toronto, when they were in collision with another car.

28 YEARS AGO

Mr. W. H. Todd's auction sale drew a large crowd and very good prices were realized for most of the articles offered. Most of the outbuildings of the Queen's Hotel were sold.

J. B. Hanna is having his barber shop remodelled and redecorated.

Uxbridge is endeavouring to secure hydro power through a line to Kirkfield.

Eleven candidates were given the Scarlet degree at the Orange Lodge on Monday night.

Call on J. Yake for real estate. Ten houses are for sale in Stouffville from \$1,000 up.

20 pound pails of honey are selling for \$1.75.

Thos. Williamson has purchased a driver from Wm. Ash of Unionville. She is a beautiful animal and won three prizes at Richmond Hill Fair.

Mr. J. J. Rae has two geese that laid 55 eggs, including two double yolk ones.

Mrs. Hiram Kester has rented Miss McCallum's house.

58 YEARS AGO

The flour mill at the west end has been shut down and workmen have been busy putting in machinery to transform the old-fashioned mill into a full-fledged roller mill.

W. J. Mertens, our photographer is away attending convention in Toronto.

Daley's Hall was crowded on Monday evening to hear the farewell address of Rev. H.W. Knowles.

Toronto Excelsiors will play ball here on Saturday afternoon in the Driving Park.

The following mill rates were fixed by bylaw at the regular meeting of council. Geo. Flint introduced the bylaw. County tax, 1 mill; village rate, 5 mills; school rate, four and three-quarter mills.

Mr. Bert Sangster, dentist, returned from a six-week's trip to Quebec on Monday.

Mr. Jas. Hand, wife and family, returned from camp on Tuesday.

BLAME PATRONS FOR UNSANITARY CAFE WASHROOMS

The current civic campaign to clean up Toronto restaurants was discussed by Mayor R. H. Saunders and Ontario Health Minister Russell Kelley last week after the local branch of the Canadian Restaurant Association stepped in with its views.

The restaurant association expressed approval of the objectives of the campaign, which has seen several restaurants closed after discovery of unsanitary conditions. But it submitted a brief to civic authorities to the problem and one of them is that restaurant proprietors should not be penalized for unclean habits of its customers when they visit washrooms.

"Insofar as washrooms are concerned we submit there is a sense in which the proprietor of a restaurant is to some extent the victim of his own patrons," said the brief. "People who use washroom facilities are drawn from all sorts of social backgrounds with various ideas of personal hygiene and social responsibility.

"It is not an uncommon thing for restaurant proprietors to find that facilities which they have provided and which are not obligatory by any statute are shamefully abused." We know how true this is in Stouffville where public wash rooms are abused by an ignorant set of people, who cannot be kept out or singled out.

Mayor Saunders said after the meeting with the Ontario minister that the Provincial Health Department now is studying over-all mini-

FIND BLUEBERRY PICKING YIELDS LOTS OF MONEY

Who says money doesn't grow on bushes. Picking blueberries has become big business in Northern Ontario and thousands of men, women and children right now are stripping bushes over a wide area for cash returns that are eminently satisfactory.

At the hamlet of Naughton, near Sudbury, Bill Copeland, spending his vacation with his wife and five children picking berries, said "me and the family get up crackin' early in the morning and come supper-time we've picked ourselves about \$15 right off these bushes."

A year ago some families of pickers earned \$50 a day but blueberries then sold for as high as \$7 a basket. This summer the price has dropped to as low as \$2 for a 11-quart basket. But it's still easy pickings, according to those who combine business with pleasure in the northern vacationlands.

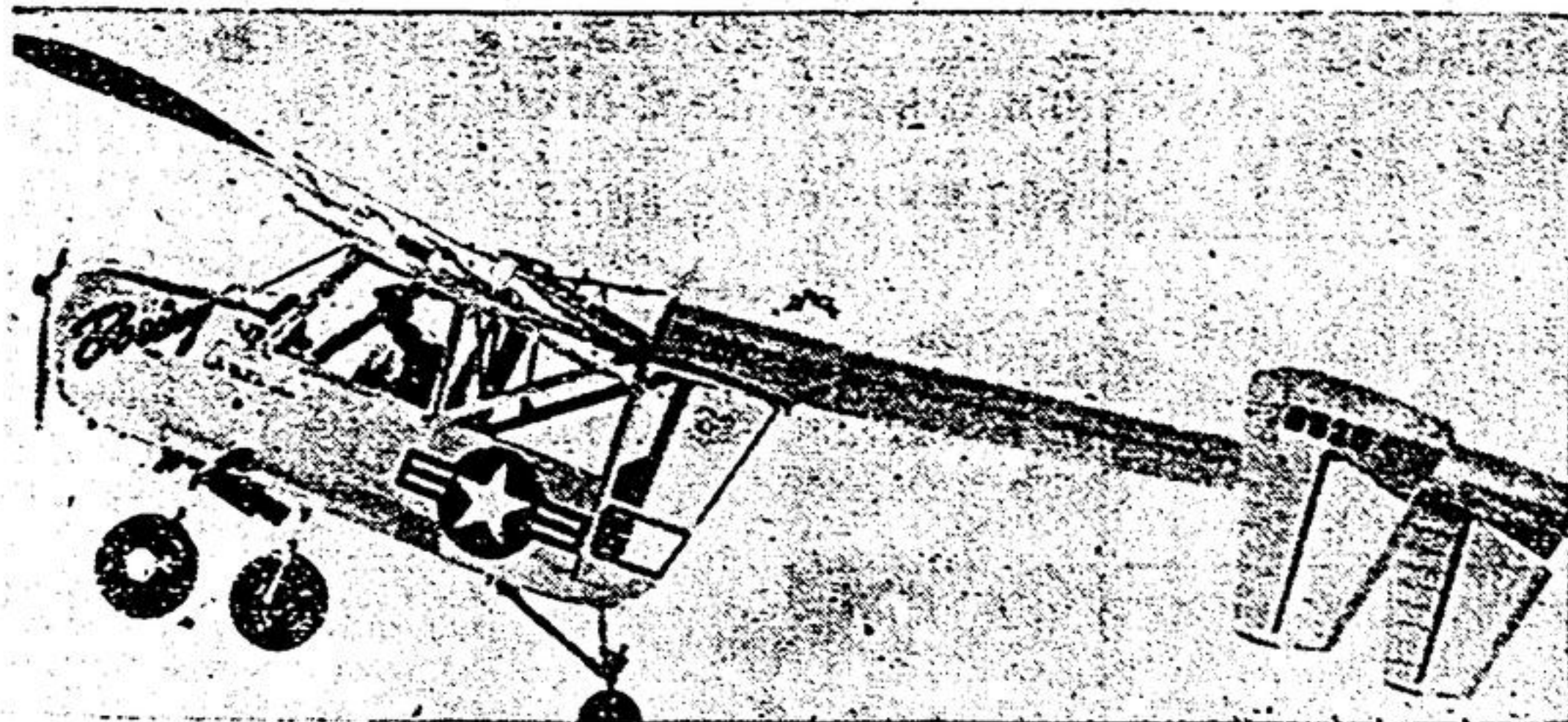
Naughton is a regular centre for berry pickers and tented village of berry-pickers occupied by Indians has arisen while the visiting pale-faces go into the bushes daily from their holiday or permanent residences.

WILL ERECT MONUMENT TO CASEY JONES

The famous engineer of song and story—Casey Jones—will no longer rest in an unmarked grave. For at last, they've hoisted the high ball and given the memory of Casey's fame a clear track on the heavenly express to glory. Casey was killed in the wreck of the "Cannonball Limited" as he rounded a turn on the main line of the Illinois Central near Vaughan, Mississippi on the night of April 29th, 1900. Since then his grave at nearby Jackson, Tennessee has been almost forgotten—even though his name has lived in American legend. Now a couple of New York railroad romantics—Columnis Lucius Beebe and railroad photographer Charles Clegg—have decided to remedy the oversight to Casey. They have placed a bronze and granite monument over his lasting resting place. The monument will be dedicated in ceremonies presided over by Beebe and Clegg.

The monument will bear the famous lines of the well-known ballad about Casey: "For I'm going to run her till she leaves the rail, 'Or make it on time with the South-bound mail."

mum regulations covering operation of restaurant in all parts of the province and would produce a code within a few weeks.



This flimsy craft looks like a throwback to the days of the early airplanes. Actually it is an important addition to the U.S. army air forces. It is

designed for quick take-off and landing. It has gained 50 feet altitude before it ran the width of its own hangar, and keeps ascending at the same steep

angle. The unconventional all-metal plane will be used by army ground forces for aerial observations, communication and photographic missions.

DUTCH DYKE EXPERT ON WAY TO ONTARIO

Prof. P. Ph. Jansen of Holland, one of the world's outstanding authorities on dykes and land drainage, left Holland by aeroplane on Tuesday of this week for Ontario, and is due to arrive in Toronto on Thursday. He is coming to this Province on the invitation of the Hon. Thomas L. Kennedy, Ontario Minister of Agriculture, to make a study of drainage conditions in certain sections of the Province, and to give the Department of Agriculture the benefit of his knowledge and advice. Prof. Jansen performed one of the greatest drainage engineering feats the world has ever known in restoring the dykes of Holland destroyed by the war.

HIT BY GEESSE LARGE AIRLINER FORCED DOWN

A National Airliner Skymaster with 25 passengers and crew members aboard made an emergency landing at Southwest Airport in Philadelphia last week, after running into a flock of geese on takeoff. The pilot reported at least five geese struck the big plane, one making a hole "large enough to stick your head in" in the leading edge of the wing and another striking the giant rudder.

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