



CHEESE

Try some of the Cheese that customers from as far away as Kentucky, Virginia and the New England States enjoy — Ratcliff's famous bulk — full-flavoured — coloured Cheese — Delicious — medium old Canadian.

COFFEE

A blend of lightly roasted Coffee that we have been getting for years — freshly ground to get the maximum of flavour with your particular kind of coffee maker.

WESTON'S CREAM SANDWICH BISCUITS

Special, pound 29c

WOODBURY'S SOAP ONE CENT SALE

Get four cakes for 30c

FANCY COHOE SALMON

Half pound tin 35c

BANQUET TOMATO JUICE

Fancy quality, 3 20-oz. tins 25c

RATCLIFF & CO.

BLOOMINGTON

Mrs. Lemon-Paisley is at Bramp-
ton with her daughter, Mrs. Allen
Johnson.

Mrs. J. Barnes of Toronto was a
recent visitor with Miss J. Bur-
nett.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis were to
Hamilton on Sunday visiting their
son Roy.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Shantz of Shrig-
ley were with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Raymer this week.

We welcome the family of

father, mother, young son and
daughter from Holland, who are
engaged by Mr. E. Lemon and
living on one of his farms here.

Industrial enterprise in Canada
(exclusive entirely of agricultural
enterprise) provides jobs for 3,700-
000 people, about 75 per cent of
Canadian workers.—Quick Canadian
Facts.

Watch the label on your paper. It
tells you when your subscription ex-
pires.

Dancing at the Elms

FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 25

to
"The Columbians"
at Brougham

Admission 50c

Time: 9 p.m. - 1 a.m.



Doors Open 6.30 p.m.
Two Complete Shows
Nightly 7 and 9 p.m.
Matinee Saturday 2 p.m.

Friday & Saturday - March 25 & 26
— BOTH ON THE SAME PROGRAMME —



TOGETHER FOR FUN! FUN! FUN!

Monday to Wednesday - March 28, 29, 30

FUNNIEST OF FORMER FUNNY FILMS!

GEORGE FORMBY

"MUCH TOO SHY"

KATHLEEN HARRISON - HILDA BAYLEY
EILEEN BENNETT - JOSS AMBLER
JIMMY CLITHEROE

Story by RONALD FRANKAU



**Newly Weds
Are Honored**

This Wednesday evening friends
and neighbours in the east
end visited the Clarkson home at
corner of Main and Montreal
streets to tender a shower to the
bride and groom of last Saturday,
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Clarkson. The
bride is the eldest daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. George Harmon, Montreal
street, and the groom, son of Mr.
and Mrs. Arthur Clarkson, is a
partner in the Stouffville Veteran
Construction Co.

CHERRYWOOD

Miss Doris Hollinger of Toronto
is spending a few days holidays
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Walter Hollinger.

Mac Armstrong and Harry
Holmes spent Friday with the
Junior Farmers at Hamilton.

The best wishes of the commu-
nity go with Mr. and Mrs. Bob
Torrance and family who are
moving to their farm east of
Claremont.

Congratulations to the hockey
boys and their coach, Mr. Palmer,
on winning the Jack Fraser cup at
Agincourt on Friday evening. The
cup is now on display in Morrish's
store window.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hollinger
and Bruce had dinner on Saturday
evening with Mrs. Derbyshire of
Toronto.

Glad to see Mr. Leonard Gates is
able to be out again after his recent
illness.

Mrs. A. Wood and son were
visitors with relatives at Hamilton
on Sunday.

Best wishes go with Mr. and
Mrs. Russell Davidson who are
moving to their new home in
Whitby.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mile had
the former's sister from Crow
Lake visiting them for the week-
end.



Patricia "Patsy" Magann,
blonde and blue-eyed daughter
of George L. Magann, counsel-
or at the Canadian embassy in
Washington, represented Can-
ada at the Mardi Gras celebra-
tions in Galveston, Texas.
Unlike Europeans, she had no
"national dress" as required,
but a hurried trip to Canada
produced a specially designed
outfit. She wore an ermine
muff and headpiece, a token of
the Canada northland, and a
white dress styled with sequin
trimmed neckline and full
skirt. She will wear the outfit
at the West Point ball this
month.

AUCTION SALE

HOLSTEIN HEIFERS, PIGS, HAY,
Threshing Machine & Implements
LOT 22, CON. 3, SCARBORO TWP.
1 mile west of Brown's Corners

Friday, March 25

The Property of

E. A. CREIGHTON

Bay Gelding, 8 years
Bay Mare, 8 years
Set of Harness
21 Head Holstein Heifers, bred
50 Pigs, chunks
Robert Bell, all steel thresher, 24-36
complete with clover concaves &
reel, cleaner, chaff blower, in excel-
lent condition.
75 Tons Baled Hay
A quantity of Baled Straw
M-H Slide-delivery Rake
M-H Oil-bath Mower
I.H.C. Two Row Corn Planter, with
fertilizer attachment
Rubber-tired Wagon
Manure Spreader, Case, horse-drawn,
good
Set Scales
2 Sets Harrows, 4 & 6 Sections
Oliver Tractor Plow, No. 8
Goodison Feed Mixer
Pump Jack
2 Oil Pumps
Sale at one. Terms, cash.
Sellers & Atkinson,
auctioneers.

**Skinny men, women
gain 5, 10, 15 lbs.**

Get New Pep, Vim, Vigor

Was a thin! Body limbs all set; early hollow
all up; feet no longer scrawny; body loose all-
starved, sickly "dead-pole" look. Thousands of
girls, women, men, who have good hair before,
are now proud of shaggy, healthy-looking bodies.
They thank the special right-feeding, skin-building
Lactogen. Over 100,000,000 people, including
iron, vitamins B₁, calcium, extract from fresh
strawberries and orange juice; put Lactogen on bare bones.
Don't fear getting too fat. Stop when you've gained
the 5, 10, or 15 lbs. you need for normal weight.
Costs little. New "get acquainted" size only 50c.
Try Lactogen today. Taste Lactogen for new vigor
and added pounds, the very day. At all drug stores.

SHE CAME CLOSE



Marlene Smith of Toronto
and Niagara Falls, Ont.
(above), placed second, behind
Yvonne Sherman of New York,
in the North American Skating
championships held this year
at Ardmore, Pa. It is the first
time since 1939 that a U.S.
competitor has won the ladies'
singles title, vacated by Can-
ada's sweetheart of the blades,
Barbara Ann Scott. World and
Olympic skating champion
Dick Button of Inglewood,
N.J., had no trouble in retain-
ing the men's crown. Marlene
teamed with her partner, Don
Gilchrist, Toronto, to finish
second in the pairs: These two
were top-ranking Canadians at
the competition.

**\$30,000,000 Borrowed
By Farmers During 1948
\$60,000,000 Since 1945**

Ottawa, March 21—The annual
report of the Canadian Farm
Improvement Loans act for 1948,
tabled in parliament today, shows
farmers borrowed nearly \$30,000,
000 under the act in the year end-
ing Dec. 31, 1948, an increase of 61
per cent. over the year 1947.

Since the act came into effect
March 1, 1945, almost 70,000
individual loans have been made
to a total of \$60,000,000. For the
fourth successive year there have
been no losses. Of the total of \$60,
000,000 lent, 57 per cent has been
repaid. The loans are made
through chartered banks with a
partial government guarantee.

Most widely-used loans are for
farm implements and trucks. Dur-
ing 1948 these items represented 88
per cent. of all loans; in the prairie
provinces about 46 per cent. of all
tractors sold were financed under
the act, 45 per cent. of all com-
bines and 63 per cent. of all

Deaths

The late Roy Melvin Cook who
died in Toronto on Saturday,
March 9, was laid to rest in Heise
Hill cemetery on Wednesday. He
is survived by two brothers, Edgar
and Lawrence, and by one sister
(Vera) Mrs. F. Graham.

Buried on Monday at Erskine
cemetery, Dunbarton, Hannah
Alexander, widow of the late
Robert Alexander, died suddenly
at her home 401 Jones avenue,
Toronto, on Friday, March 18. Sur-
viving are one daughter (Isabel)
Mrs. A. S. Brooks of Locust Hill,
and two sons Robert and William
of Toronto. The late Mrs. Alex-
ander whose husband died some
years ago, was in her 77th year.

At the advanced age of 86 years,
Mrs. William Courtice died at her
home in Pickering on March 14.
Predeceased by her husband Mrs.
Courtice is survived by two sons
Garnet of Pickering, and Harold of
Portland, Oregon. The funeral took
place from the residence of her
son in Pickering village to Oshawa
cemetery.

There passed away suddenly on
Monday, March 14, at her home in
Toronto, Minnie Murray, beloved
daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs.
Peter Murray. Surviving are two
sisters, Mrs. Frank Oliver and
Mrs. W. A. Dunn. Interment was
made in Quaker Hill cemetery,
Uxbridge.

Uxbridge lost a native born man
last week in the death of Nelson
Gerrow, son of the late George
Gerrow of that town, who served
the municipality as reeve for
several terms at Whitby. Nelson
Gerrow had been living in Oshawa
where he was engaged with Gen-
eral Motors. He was educated in
Uxbridge, and is survived by
several sisters including (Beatrice)
Mrs. Russell Gray of Uxbridge,
(Daisy Gerrow) Mrs. George Green
of Wellington, (Christina Cunning-
ham) the late Mrs. Charlie Harper
of Hamilton, Mrs. Walter Prudence
and David of Uxbridge.

George Secord Reaman died at
his home in Richmond Hill on
Monday this week, in his 70th
year. Survived by his wife the
former Ella Farr, there are also
three married daughters, (Ada)
Mrs. I. W. Kickell, (Mabel) Mrs.
J. F. Reid, and (Ruth) Mrs. J. A.
Tuck. Interment will take place at
the Richmond Hill cemetery this
Thursday afternoon.

CASE IMPLEMENTS
Wynn Bros. Ph. 141 Unionville
NEW and USED EQUIPMENT
Complete Overhauling
Specialists in Magneto Service
A NUMBER OF NEW IMPLEMENTS
for Immediate Delivery

threshers.
Loans for construction of new
farm dwellings show a small de-
cline from 1947, but loans for
repair and alterations to farm
buildings increased. More than
1,000 loans were made in an
amount over \$900,000 for the repair
or alteration of existing buildings
and construction of barns, sheds
and other types of farm buildings.
The report shows 1,203 farmers
in 1948 borrowed \$492,685 to clear
and break about 60,000 acres of
land for new crop production. Dis-
tribution of these loans shows a
concentration in the newer sec-
tions of western Canada.

The Church Services

**LEMONVILLE
UNITED CHURCH**
Sunday, March 27, 1949
"Jesus.....was delivered for our
offences."
2.00 p.m.—Sunday School
3.15 p.m.—Worship

**ST. JAMES PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH, STOUFFVILLE**
Donald McKillican, Minister
Sunday, March 27, 1949
9.45 a.m.—Service
All are Welcome

CHRIST CHURCH, ANGLICAN
Rev. F. Herman, Rector
Sunday, March 27, 1949
2.00 p.m.—Sunday School
2.30 p.m.—Even Song
4.00 p.m., Wednesday, Junior W.A.

**MELVILLE, BETHESDA and
PEACH'S CHURCHES**
Rev. R. T. Chapin, Minister
Sunday, March 27, 1949
10.00 a.m.—Peaches
11.30 a.m.—Melville
3.00 p.m.—Bethesda

The Gideons will be represented.
Melville W.A. are sponsoring Miss
Hazel Solomon in a soprano
recital Friday evening, March
25th, at 8 o'clock, in the church.
Bethesda Y.P. meet Sunday even-
ing, March 27, at the home of
Russell Hunt.

**SECOND MARKHAM BAPTIST
CHURCH**
Rev. Norman Rowan, Pastor
Sunday, March 27, 1949
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship
Missionary Sunday, Dr. Clappison,
Toronto, speaker.
7.30 p.m.—Young People Meeting
Tuesday, March 29th, 8 p.m.—
Prayer, Praise and Fellowship at
the home of Mr. E. Clubine.

**UNITED MISSIONARY
CHURCH**
Rev. Cyril Berry, Minister
DICKSON HILL
Sunday, March 27, 1949
10.00 a.m.—Morning Service
A sixteen voice chorus from
Emmanuel Bible College will
sing at this service.
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School
7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic

This is the closing service of
an evangelistic campaign. Mrs.
Percy Palmateer, guest soloist,
will sing "The Holy City." Join
us in this great closing service.
MOUNT JOY
Sunday, March 27, 1949
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship
Chorus from Emmanuel Bible
College will sing. Evening ser-
vice lifted in favour of service
at Dickson's Hill.
Come and Worship

**STOUFFVILLE
UNITED CHURCH**
Rev. Douglas Davis, Minister.
Sunday, March 27, 1949
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7.00 p.m.—Evening Worship
Sunday evening we are having a
special service. After short
devotional message we are pre-
sented a colored motion picture
entitled "New Life Calling". This
is a good presentation of our
missionary work in China and
you are very cordially invited.
Soloist, Mrs. Claude Brillinger.
Tuesday, March 29, the Woman's
Association will meet at the
church. A very timely subject
"Responsible Parenthood" will
be introduced by Mrs. Reg.
Button. Musical selection by
Mrs. Harold Lewis.
Be SQUARE all week and be
"ROUND on Sunday. A place to
find God, gladness and good
friends. Come in.

**STOUFFVILLE BAPTIST
CHURCH**
Rev. J. K. Pequegnat, Pastor
Sunday, March 27, 1949
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7.30 p.m.—Evening Service
Prayer Meeting Thursday, 8 p.m.

BAHA'I WORLD FAITH
Tune in CHML, 900 on your dial,
Sunday, 3.30 p.m.

**STOUFFVILLE
CHRISTIAN CHURCH**
Minister, F. H. Muir
"Let this mind be in you, which
was also in Christ Jesus.....who
took upon him the form of a
servant."—Paul
Sunday, March 27, 1949
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Worship "Approaching
Gethsemane" W. H. Pape
7.30 p.m.—The evening service
will be conducted by the young
people, speaker Miss Frances
Clarkson.

8.45 p.m.—The last "Stay and
Sing" for this year, made special
by words of greeting and
impromptu musical numbers
from Stouffville and district min-
isters. There will be family sing-
ing and a cup of tea before we
go home.

Friday, March 25, 6.45 p.m.—Junior
boys at parsonage.
Friday, March 25, 8 p.m.—Regular
gathering held this week at the
church. The special speaker will
be Mr. Edwards from the New
York Conference.

Monday, March 28, 2.30 p.m.—The
Pilgrim Workers will meet at
Mrs. Russell Lotton's. Mrs. W. H.
Pape will be the speaker.

**BLOOMINGTON, RINGWOOD
CHRISTIAN CHURCHES**
Rev. G. W. Brown, Pastor
Sunday, March 27, 1949
11.00 a.m.—Bloomington
7.30 p.m.—Ringwood
Sunday School at 10.00 a.m.
Classes for all ages.
Friday, 8 p.m.—Ringwood Mission
Circle, at the home of Mr. Joe
Fockler.

Friday, 8 p.m.—Bloomington C.E.
Monday, 8 p.m.—Ringwood C.E.
Prayer Meeting
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Altona Prayer
Meeting
All are cordially invited to attend
these services.
PLAN TO COME

**STOUFFVILLE UNITED
MISSIONARY CHURCH**
Rev. H. S. Hallman, Pastor
Wed., 8 p.m.—Altona Prayer Meet-
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Thurs., 4.15 p.m.—Bible Band for
Juniors
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**UNITED MISSIONARY
CHURCH**
Pastor, P. R. Barley
BETHESDA
Sunday, March 27, 1949
10.30 a.m.—Service of Worship
GORMLEY
Sunday, March 27, 1949
1.45 p.m.—Sunday School
2.45 p.m.—Worship
Chorus Group from Emmanuel
Bible College to sing and speak.
7.30 p.m.—Young People
"The reason for our hope."
All Welcome

**SACRED HEART R.C.
Church, Uxbridge, Ontario**
Rev. Fr. V. McGivney, Priest
Sunday, March 27, 1949
The Catholic Church loves light
The Catholic Church loves edu-
cation. Her greatest conquests
have been in countries with a high
degree of education, such as the
United States, and "her greatest
gains in countries in which there
is compulsory education." Where
there is no compulsory education,
she has made gains only in propor-
tion to the ability of the people to
become enlightened. Ignorance
has always handicapped the pro-
gress of the Catholic Church.
The world's greatest architect,
Bernini, was a Catholic.