

ATHA NEWS

Many happy birthdays to Eileen Draper who celebrated another birthday on Sunday, April 10th. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Deward Wilson who are proud to announce the arrival of a baby girl. Mr. and Mrs. David Tran and Laurie spent the weekend in Kingston visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Overland. Mrs. Bell and baby from Toronto are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Spang for a week. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Draper and family were supper guests on Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tran. Mrs. Norman Neal visited Mrs. Bud Spang one day last week. Mrs. Cowie of Markham visited her father, Mr. George Tran, over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Turnbull, Toronto, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. L. Hoover.

UXBRIDGE OLD BOY DEAD

A firm name widely known all over the Township of Uxbridge forty years ago and more was that of the Jones Hardware in Uxbridge. The late Henry Jones had two sons, Charlie, the eldest and Robert the youngest. "Young Bobbie" as he was known died last week in Sunnybrook hospital. Veteran of the first war, he had been living in Barrie recently where he has a wife still living. Two sisters surviving besides the brother Charlie are Mrs. Richer of Oshawa and Mrs. Ernie Thompson of Barrie. Bobbie Jones was in his

FARMERS CAN TEST THEIR SEED

To harvest good field crops, good seed must be sown. Often seed is obtained from the local dealer, but many farmers use their own home-grown seed. The quality of seed is important, and a seed test will show any undesirable conditions which may result in a crop failure, or introduce and spread troublesome weeds. There are two main seed tests; for purity and germination. In a purity test the seed is examined to determine the kinds and number of weed and other cultivated seeds. The germination test shows the proportion of crop seeds that may be expected to produce normal plants. In making a purity test the seed should be thoroughly mixed so that it is representative of the whole quantity and a pound should be used for the actual analysis. This should be spread on a clean surface in a good light, and be carefully picked over and all foreign seeds removed. These should be named and the number of each kind recorded. If identification of some is impossible they may be sent to the nearest Seed Laboratory of the Plant Products Division, Dominion Department of Agriculture.

In checking the sample the general quality of the seed and the uniformity and size of the kernels should be noted to decide whether the seed should be re-cleaned. If any noxious weed seeds are found it is advisable to use other seed. In a germination test, seed may be germinated in clean sand, soil, or on blotting-paper, absorbent paper, or cotton flannel. Generally two hundred seeds are germinated. They should be well spaced if in sand or soil, and rolled up if in cloth or paper. Ordinarily room temperature is suitable for most kinds of seed and they should be kept moistened throughout the test. Clovers are counted in five days, corn and peas in eight days, and cereals in twelve days, and only strong, healthy sprouts should be included. Many seeds, especially those which are injured or frosted, may grow a small sprout which would not produce a normal healthy plant. Seed should germinate over 80 per cent if it is to be used for planting.

COMBINE POSTAL NOTES AND POSTAL MONEY ORDERS
Effective April 1st the Post Office Department has decided to amalgamate the postal notes at both accounting and non-accounting offices and re-arranging the schedule of money order commissions on money orders payable in Canada and in those countries with which money order business is conducted on the domestic basis.

GREEN RIVER

Miss Barbara White was home over the weekend. Mrs. R. Dafoe spent a few days in Victoria Square while Mr. and Mrs. S. Dafoe attended the hockey games in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Duncan, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Tree-wartha of Markham visited on Sunday at the Gray home. The final meeting of the Friendly Neighbor Club will be this week at Mrs. R. Dafoe's. Mr. and Mrs. J. Nighswander visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Booth of Brooklin. A large number from here attended the funeral of the late Mr. Joddie Doten in Markham on Saturday last. Mr. Doten was well known in this community. At one time he owned the basket factory now owned by F. Penneck, but of later years he lived in the two corner houses of this town. Since his failing health he made his home in Whitevale with his daughter, Mrs. Walter Booth. Rev. J. McLachlan conducted the service. Pall bearers were J. Nighswander, R. Carter, I. Percy, N. K. Robinson, S. Pugh and Mr. Tapscott.

AUCTION SALE

CARS, WOOD & HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
The undersigned has receive instructions to sell by public auction at **GOODWOOD Wed., Apr. 27** the following property belonging to the estate of the late **CHARLES WESLEY ALSOP**
1932 Ford V8 Coach, reconditioned motor, new rear end
1932 Chev., motor reconditioned
5 Cords of Dry Hardwood
Quantity of Softwood
3 tons of Hard Coal
Quebec Stove Corner Wardrobe
Breakfast Suite, table, buffet and 4 chairs
Bed Couch with mattress
Steel Bed, Springs and Mattress
Wooden Bed and Springs
Number Stove Pipes Dresser
Kitchen Table Baby Sleigh
Clothes Line and Pulleys
Child's Rocker Snow Shovel
Chamber Pail 2 Mirrors
Coal Sifter Buck Saw
Bamboo Fishing Rod Curtains
Extension Cord Coal Oil Lamp
Quantity of Old Iron Dishes
Numerous Other Articles
Sale at 2 p.m. Terms, Cash
Sellers & Atkinson, auctioneers

EASTER CANTATA "Eternal Life"

This very fine Choral Number will be presented by the **UNITED CHURCH CHOIR** in **Stouffville United Church** **GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 15** 1949 at 8:15 p.m.

- 1— Congregational Singing —The Choir
- 2—"The Lord Reigneth" —Alto Solo, Miss Erma Dowswell and Choir
- 3—"Man of Sorrows" —Men's Two Part Chorus
- 4—"Gethsemane" —Bass Solo, John Hammersley and Choir
- 5—"Calvary" —Soprano and Alto Duet, Mrs. G. Kellington and Mrs. R. Bone
- 6—"A Whisper of Hope" —Junior Choir
- 7—"Dawns the New Day" —Tenor Solo, Eldred King and Choir
- 8—"Hail to the King" —Soprano & Tenor Duet, Kay Williamson and Lorne Boadway
- 9— Rev. James Pégueghat —"Meditations on the Passion" —Choir
- 10—"Morning is Breaking" —Soprano Solo, Mrs. H. Lewis
- 11—"The King Comes Forth" —Choir
- 12—"The Redeemer Triumphant" —Soprano Solo, Mrs. H. Lewis
- 13—"The King of Glory" —Choir
- 14—"Ye Shall Live Also" —Tenor Solo, Mr. Carl Boadway and Choir
- 15—"The Resurrection and the Life" —Choir

ATTENTION FARMERS
We are Paying the Highest Prevailing Prices for Dead or Crippled Farm Animals
HORSES — CATTLE — HOGS
Telephone Collect for Immediate Service
GORDON YOUNG Limited
Toronto AD. 3636
Stouffville 255 Uxbridge 27

EUCHRE! EUCHRE!
Attend The LAST Big Euchre On **Thurs., April 14**
To be held in the **I.O.O.F. HALL, Stouffville**
UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE C. P. & T. FUND
There will be a door prize and other prizes
LUNCH Admission 35c 8:15 p.m.
COME ONE! COME ALL!

NOTICE TO PARENTS
who may have children starting to **STOUFFVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL** this fall.
Due to possible overcrowding parents must register new pupils by **APRIL 18**
Application forms may be obtained from Principal C. E. Watson or Chairman W. F. Riches

Township of Whitchurch Local Improvement Notice

TAKE NOTICE THAT:
1. The Council of the Corporation of the Township of Whitchurch intends to construct as a local improvement the establishing of a new street being the present right-of-way known as Elm Grove, a section of the old Toronto and York Radial Railway and a part of Fairview Avenue and being the continuation of one right-of-way leading from the road allowance between the First and Second Concessions of the Township of Whitchurch in Township lot 67 westerly through the said Township lot 67 according to Plan 169, 194 and 240 of the Township of Whitchurch to Yonge Street and for the grading, gravelling and improving of the said right-of-way and the installing of culverts and that the Council of the Township intends to define the lands comprising the registered plans numbers 169, 194, 240, 288 and 334 and the Easterly 28 acres of the South half of lot 67 in the First Concession of the Township of Whitchurch as a sectional area in the said Township and intends to specially assess the whole of the cost upon the lands described as aforesaid.
2. The estimated cost of the work is \$5,000.00 of which no part is to be paid by the Corporation. The estimated cost of the said work shall be borne by a special assessment against the said lands to be paid in 10 equal, annual instalments at an estimated mill rate of 4 1/2 mills according to the last revised assessment of the lands comprising the special area.
3. Application will be made by the Corporation to The Ontario Municipal Board for its approval of the undertaking of the said work and any owner may within twenty-one days after the first publication of this notice file with the Board his objection to the said work being undertaken.
4. The said Board may approve of the said work being undertaken but before doing so it may appoint a time and place and any objections to the said work will be considered.
DATED at the Township of Whitchurch this 30th day of March, 1949.
John W. Crawford, Clerk.

BALSAM AND MOUNT ZION

Mr. Ray Wilkin and boys have returned to their home from Florida where they spent the winter months. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. John Sherrin on the birth of a daughter on Wednesday, April 6, 1949, at the Oshawa General Hospital. Mr. Elmer Wilson is sporting a new Chevrolet and Mr. Lewis Jones a new Pontiac. Mr. Larry Brown of Port Hope spent the weekend with his parents. We are sorry to hear that little Tommy Appleby, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Appleby is in the Oshawa Hospital. We hope for a speedy recovery. Birthday greetings to Jim and John Wilson who celebrated their 5th birthday on Saturday, April 9. Miss Eileen Carson spent the weekend at her home.

CHURCH HILL

There will be Sunday School at 10.15 a.m. and church service at 11 a.m. in the Church Hill Christian Church on Easter Sunday, April 17th.
Miss Doreen Hart of Toronto spent the weekend with Miss Luella Carson. Mrs. Lewis Jones visited over the weekend with her sister, Mrs. J. Briggs of Brooklin. There will be a joint Easter service of the S.S. and church next Sunday at 2 p.m. A communion and baptismal service will follow. The Active Service Class will meet on Tuesday night, April 19, at the home of Mrs. Rodd Appleby. Mrs. Cecil Jones and Mrs. Hayward are in charge of the program. Seeding operations have commenced here. At the time of writing Mr. Charlie Fiss has done some sowing.

PRESENTING... **The New CHOREMASTER** PRECISION-BUILT GARDEN TRACTOR
PLOWS! CULTIVATES! CUTS GRASS! CUTS WEEDS! PLOWS SNOW!
Yes, at last—an efficient, easily handled Garden Tractor is available at... **Amazing low cost!**
Now you can do plowing, cultivating, grass and weed cutting, snow plowing and other garden chores with this all-purpose, all-season Garden Tractor. Illustrated above is the CHOREMASTER equipped with "Duck Feet" for efficient "Between the row" cultivation. Other rear attachments include turning plow, furrower, hose, sweeps, 5-tooth spring cultivator, etc.
The CHOREMASTER is extremely easy to handle and will save you hours of back-breaking labour!
Another feature of the CHOREMASTER Garden Tractor—you can quickly and easily convert your own hand mower into an efficient power mower, as shown above.
Agnew's Hardware
Stouffville Ontario

Protect and Conserve . . . The Wildlife

Did You Know . . .

- * That there are 60,000 acres in the Township of Whitchurch profusely dotted with lakes and streams, both large and small, as well as artesian wells and springs as yet not numbered?
- * That the York county forest which embodies 2,600 acres has started to return at least a portion of its maintenance through the sale of trees removed through trimming operations?
- * That we owe a debt of gratitude to private individuals who have carried on their own reforestation projects, numbering hundreds of acres, and have caused streams which were once silent to ripple again?
- * That one-quarter of this nation's imports are paid by wood products exported?
- * That there is an organization in this township extremely interested in the conservation of our resources, the propagation and protection of wildlife in this municipality?
- * That you can be of service to this club by forwarding your recommendations to the member of the executive in your district.

AT ALL TIMES CONSERVE OUR FORESTS AND PROTECT OUR WILDLIFE

Whitchurch Wildlife Conservation Club

"Space contributed in the service of the community by John Labatt Limited."

