

## Two Hospitalized In Accident at Victoria Square

A young Toronto couple luckily escaped death on Sunday when their car skidded out of control on the 4th concession of Markham, north of Victoria Square and rolled over several times. Steve Clayton, the driver, of 2260 Eglinton Ave. W., and Lillian McLeod, 132 Victor Ave., Toronto, a passenger in the vehicle, were thrown out of the overturned car. The auto was wrecked. Clayton was taken to hospital with a hand injury while his passenger suffered head lacerations. The couple were out for a Sunday afternoon jaunt into the country. Wet pavement was blamed for the accident. Constable Bill Shearn of the Markham Twp. Police investigated.

Friends will regret to learn that Miss Annie Duncan was removed to the Brierbush Hospital on Friday suffering from injuries which she sustained in a fall in her home.

## WEDDING

### BURNETT-GALBRAITH

The Stouffville United Church parlour was the scene of the marriage of Mavis Alberta Galbraith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis E. Galbraith, to Russell Burnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Burnett of Toronto, on Saturday at 3 p.m. May 8th, 1954. Rev. Geo. E. Robins, B.A., of Melville United Church, officiated in the absence of Rev. D. Davis.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a navy girdling suit with navy and yellow accessories and a corsage of yellow roses. The bridesmaid was Stella Otter of Toronto, who wore a grey girdling suit with navy and white accessories and a corsage of pink roses. The groomsmen were Gordon Galbraith, brother of the bride. A wedding supper was served to the immediate families at the home of the bride's parents.

Following a wedding trip to Key West, Florida, the couple will reside at 347 Biantyre Ave., Toronto.

## VICTORIA SQUARE

The community was deeply shocked on Tuesday morning of last week to learn of the fatal accident that befell Mr. John Snider. The heartfelt sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Snider, Sammy, Betty, Allan and Mary Lynn.

At the Mother's Day service on Sunday afternoon, the rite of Infant Baptism was held, when Lewis Arnold, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Morrison, was baptized.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Johnson of Headford had Sunday evening dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Bennett and Ray.

The regular monthly meeting of the W.A. will be held Wednesday evening, May 19, at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. R. Perkins. All the ladies are invited. Will the ladies please have their coppers turned in by May 16.

On Monday evening, May 10, a number of neighbours gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Bennett to tender a miscellaneous shower for Miss Betty Bovair and Mr. Clem Ellis who are being married in Victoria Square United Church on Saturday, May 15, at 3 p.m.

As they opened their many lovely gifts, Miss Audrey Bovair read the names on the cards. Betty and Clem thanked everyone for their kindnesses shown. A social half hour followed.

Mr. and Mrs. William Large and Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Westbrook and family all of Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. Westbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Willows spent Sunday with friends at Oshawa.

### 9TH CONCESSION MARKHAM

Congratulations to Lew Barclay and his bride who were married in Newmarket recently.

### BIRTHS

**MODOWELL**—Stephen Clarence McDowell, Stouffville R.R.1, announces the birth of a brother, John Martin, May 9, 1954, to keep him company when Judith, Marian and Jimmy are at school!

**ASSINCK**—Mr. and Mrs. John Assinck, Stouffville, are happy to announce the birth of their son, Monday May 10, 1954, at the Brierbush Hospital, Stouffville, a brother for Harry and Rosemary.

### AFTER-CARE OF SPRING BULBS

Tulips, daffodils and the host of other smaller spring-flowering bulbs such as scillas, snowdrops, Star of Bethlehem and crocus are among the best-loved of garden plants, and unless the garden contains some early flowering shrubs, spring bulbs provide the first show of colour after the snow goes. For two or three weeks their beauty and colour compensates for the long wait since the bulbs were planted several months before.

When their bloom is finished the bulbs should be given every chance to prepare themselves for another spring show the following year, says D. F. Cameron, Division of Horticulture, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa. This the bulbs do by storing up food which is manufactured by the foliage. If the foliage is removed immediately after the bloom is finished, this supply of food is reduced and the bulb may not bloom or may fail to grow the next year.

For this reason the foliage should be allowed to ripen naturally. This usually takes about a month or six weeks, when the foliage turns yellow and can then be removed without doing any harm to the bulbs.

If the bulbs are growing in a bed which is to be used for annual flowers, the small annual plants may be set out between the bulbs. If preferred, the bulbs may be removed as soon as they have finished flowering, and be "heeled in" in a shallow trench out of the way until their foliage turns yellow. With tulips and daffodils, the seed pods should be removed as the seed ripening delays the maturing of the foliage and also weakens the bulbs. With the smaller bulbous plants, like scillas and chionodoxas, the seed pods may be allowed to ripen, and the resulting seedlings will gradually increase the size of the clump.

When "heeling in" bulbs of tulips and daffodils, as much soil as will adhere to the bulbs should be lifted along with the bulbs to prevent injury to the root system. The bulbs should immediately be set close together in a trench about three or four inches wide and deep and be covered with an inch or two of loose soil to prevent them from drying out.

When the leaves have turned yellow they will come away easily from the bulbs which can then be lifted, dried in the shade, cleaned and stored in shallow boxes in a dry warm place until late September or early October, when they should be planted out in the garden.

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## Who'll Get - and be - the Goat Next ?



A dubious distinction—even for a goat—is the tradition at the RCAF fighter station at North Luffenham, England, of presenting this goat to the squadron with the worst accident record each month. Here the animal in question is shown around a Sabre jet by F.O. Harry Klen of Agassiz, B.C. The unlucky pilot must personally take charge of the goat for the period of his "punishment."

### STORY OF ONTARIO COUPLE FINEST FAMILY PICTURE OF 1954

As fertile and challenging as the land it depicts, "Heart of My Heart" the thrilling drama and human technicolour drama starting Monday at the Roxy Theatre, Markham, towers over even the most superior of all motion pictures with the stature of a giant. It has to offer happiness and warmth for all seekers—visual splendor for the eye; deep spiritual conflict for the mind; poignant emotion to touch the heart.

Co-starring in "Heart of My Heart" are Greer Garson and Walter Pidgeon and each of these illustrious players rise to new heights in their role. Movie-goers will take them to their heart more than ever before in this their latest co-starring vehicle.

Here is a tender, warmhearted drama in the glorious tradition of their unforgettable "Mrs. Miniver" and "Blossoms in The Dust", that unashamedly tugs at your heartstrings. It tells the story of a devoted but childless couple who adopt a little orphan girl and, as a result, find themselves the victims of social and political animosity in a small Canadian community.

Walter Pidgeon is cast as Pat McChesney, forthright, honest as the day is born, upstanding leader in the small town of Scourie, Ontario. He is a store owner, chief of the Fire Department and a respected member of the Protestant

Church. When Greer Garson, as his wife Vicki discovers a little orphan waif who has become homeless because of the accidental burning of a Catholic orphanage, she determines that she and her husband will raise the child as their own.

### PINE ORCHARD

We extend our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Ross Armitage in the death of Mr. Armitage's brother at Stouffville. Also to Mr. and Mrs. Ash in the death of his brother in Toronto.

Miss Bell Johnston spent the week-end with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Pratt of Stroud were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ray McClure.

Mrs. Harry Brandon visited relatives in Toronto last week. We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Hope and Dr. Walker into our community. They have bought the Birdsell farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Eveleigh and family, also the W. Johnston family, were Sunday visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chapman.

Mrs. Woods entertained relatives from Toronto over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Stickwood spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Syme.

Little Robert Johnson, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Johnson, was christened at the Union Church on Mother's day.



Ten-year-old Maureen Godson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Godson of Edmonton, Alta., is believed to be the youngest flying

student in Canada. Her instructor, Al Lang of the Edmonton Flying club, says Maureen is now ready to solo, but will not be permitted to do so until she is 16.

### RELEASED AS RED CROSS PARTS IRON CURTAIN



Their six years imprisonment in Yugoslavia now over. Alexandra Karafillis, 11, and her brother, Georgias, 13, smile in anticipation of the happy life they will lead in Toronto—reun-

ited at last with their father. The four Karafillis children were kidnapped from their home in northern Greece by Communist guerrillas in 1948 when their father was away in the army.

## VANDORF

A special Mother's Day Service was observed at Wesley United Church on Sunday. A mother's choir rendered two selections and Mr. Grant Morley was soloist. Mrs. Herbert Oliver was organist.

Several babies were christened and Rev. E. C. Moddle officiated. Linda Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Pogue; Murray Wilnot, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilnot; Larry Lloyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd; Deborah Elaine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lundy Wells, and Larry Ernest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dobb.

Dr. and Mrs. George Covey, Toronto, spent Sunday recently with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morley.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Burns and daughter, and Miss Jean Lundy spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Lundy.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morley and Billie had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert White.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kingdon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scott and daughters, Leaside.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Tapscott motored to Montreal last week to attend the wedding, in Wesley United Church, Montreal, of Mr. Thomas' grandnephew. They spent the week-end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. C. Johnston of Westmount, Montreal.

Mr. Harold Armitage passed away very suddenly at his home here early last Friday morning. Mr. Armitage has been a resident of our community for the past eighteen years and was held in the highest esteem by his many friends and neighbours. We extend our deepest sympathy to Mrs. Armitage.

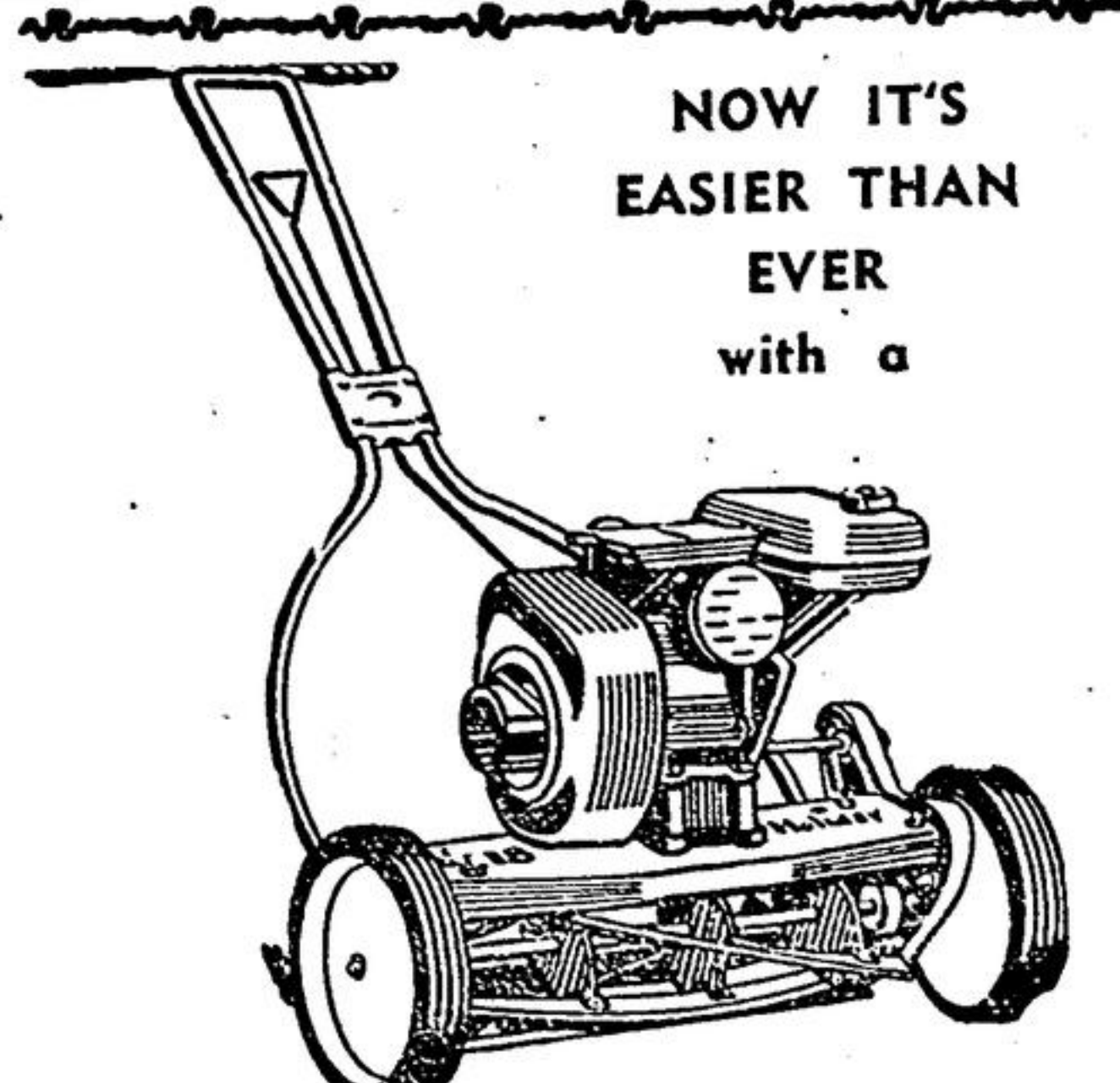
Three carloads of fourteen boys from the community attended the St. Catharines-Edmonton Jr. hockey final at Maple Leaf Gardens on Tuesday night.

## Unionville Here for Softball Opener

The 1954 edition of the Stouffville Shamrocks will take to the field on Thursday evening, May 20th, to open the softball season here. They will play host to the Unionville Indians. On Tuesday night, May 18th, the Shamrocks will play their first game of the schedule

when they journey to Thornhill. The first week of the schedule is as follows:

May 18th  
Stouffville at Thornhill  
Markham at Unionville  
Butonville at Agincourt  
May 20th  
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Unionville at Stouffville  
Thornhill at Butonville  
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