

Tenth Con. Markham Turned into Speedway, Says Correspondent

Mothers are a harried lot with Johnny playing circus on the top of the silo or executing a villainous sentence in the barn; whether it's Robinson Crusoe in the old swimming hole or fishing in the well—holidays are a worry to mothers. But these pranks are kid stuff and they usually come through them with flying colors and a lot of happy memories that turn into the "good old days" by the time they have grandchildren. If you notice a look in the eyes of mothers that seem more like fear than worry, it is not caused by the holiday pranks or imaginary "live summer games that every mother expects. It is the maniacal drivers who have turned the 10th concession into a stock car track. Some of the antics witnessed on this road by teenage drivers are enough to make your hair curl. A few years ago we made a lot of noise and finally got a 30-mile limit sign for Cedar Grove; we might just as well have haggled for a coke for all the heed that is paid to it.

At the same time we found out that a license number reported to the police is not an effort entirely wasted.

The culprit cannot be fined on such a report but heaven help him if a cop sees him and finds his number on the citizen record. So remember, if you can get the kids out of the weaving path, wipe the dust from your eyes and gather your tattered wits enough to get the number, phone the police at once and keep on and on because if something isn't done about these fast drivers there will be a tragic object lesson as sure as can be.

There may be a few who will claim that 1958 was the year The Garden Party was rained out—but only a few. Most of the large audience that spotted the Cedarena Hillside on Saturday night ignored the spattering at intermission and stayed to see the whole show. The show itself was good—not excellent—but good. It was better in some spots than in others. The omission from the programme of the popular Williams Brothers was a great disappointment but the Del Rio Family provided an exciting and skillful substitute. Ted Rust had the front row watchers nearly hysterical with his clever ventriloquism and Albert Marson, billed as outstanding, was outstanding indeed in more ways than one. Penny Nichols hit her stride in the second half of the programme and the visitors to "Elm Grove" who left early, missed her at her double-jointed best. The prettiest sight from high on the hill was the rhythmic moving about the stage as The Enchanted Strings spun out their delightful music. Jack Ayre serves much more ovation than he receives. Somehow, with no rehearsal, he manages to decipher the hieroglyphics handed to him by the performers on minute slips of crumpled paper (some look like Chinese laundry checks) and accompany each act so that the whole show runs as though they had been rehearsing for a week. It is a surprising feat.

Did you notice the pops and bangs on the Town Line on the fourth of July? Our American Canadians celebrating their National holiday with traditional fireworks and ice cream (gallons of it).

Bob Dare, son Gary and Don McClelland had a week-end fishing trip over the holiday—lots of fishing talk, when they came home, but no fish at our house.

Bible School will begin at the Mennonite Church on Monday, July 14th and will continue to July 25th.

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DICKSON'S HILL

After an absence of 33 years, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kathler of Arnaud, Manitoba were guests in the Moyer home and called on friends in the vicinity. They were remembered as the family with whom the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grove shared their home, when many families who had fled from Russia spent winter in Ontario on route to Western Canada to establish new homes. Many of their acquaintances have passed on in the intervening years and they were especially happy to meet Mr. Anthony Hoover and family. Mr. Kathler possesses a keen memory and sense of humor and they thoroughly enjoyed the few days at Dickson's Hill. They are farming a large acreage in the Peace River district and wish to be remembered to any friends they were unable to contact.

Mrs. Reid of Oshawa spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Warren Moyer and family. The services in the tent on Pike's Peak were enjoyed by those attending in this district. Elderly residents of Bethesda state that almost continuously for 70 years these annual services have been a feature of church life there.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Belbeck and little son who have taken an apartment on the Moyer farm. He is presently taking summer courses at the York University and will be at the Markham High School staff this fall.

Vaughan Twp. Offers Fire Fighting Services To Markham Twp.

In reply to a request from Markham Township recently, Vaughan Twp. has replied that they intend to establish a fire fighting unit on Yonge Street at Richvale, and would be glad to take care of fire protection in Markham Twp. for annual standby time of \$500 plus \$60 for each fire attended, regardless of time.

This offer was placed before Markham Twp. at their regular council meeting on Monday afternoon and Ives Clark suggested that the Fire Committee interview Richmond Hill and if possible arrange for continued service at present rates until fall.

Want Bylaw Enforced

Council is in receipt of a complaint regarding the operation of a nursing home by Anne Marek, at lot 31, con. 1, an area designated as residential. As this is the third such home in operation, council was requested to enforce the bylaw. When the matter came to the attention of council on Monday, it was stated that Thornhill Village Trustees favored the bylaw being enforced.

Mrs. Marci requested that the area be rezoned to permit operation of the home.

Councillor McNeil stated that since this was the third such home in the area, Thornhill trustees be asked to attend the next council meeting.

Reeve Clark said that he recognized the need for such homes, but stated it was hoped that over a period of the next two years, the County would arrange the erection of County homes which would make the use of many of these private homes unnecessary.

Salaries Approved

Markham Twp. Police Committee informed council that the new schedule of salaries as offered recently had been accepted.

Two Hundred Entries in Flower Show

There were two hundred exhibits in the flower classes at the local show on Monday evening. This was a joint show with Markham and Mt. Albert Horticultural members being asked by the Stouffville Society to participate and to provide the program.

The Judges were Mr. and Mrs. Murray Muirhead of Leaside. Readings were given by Mr. Walters of Mount Albert and Mr. Carman Lewis of Markham showed coloured pictures of his trip to the British Isles and Europe.

Announcement was made that the Stouffville Society's annual Summer Flower Show will be held on Wednesday, Aug. 13th. The sewing section has been discontinued for this year and more classes added to the flower section.


Prizes were awarded as follows:

- Delphinium, 1 spike — Rev. D. Sargeant, Mrs. M. Storey, Mrs. L. Forsyth.
- Delphinium, 3 spikes — Rev. Sargeant, M. Mertens, Mrs. R. Vague.
- Lily, 1 stem — M. Mertens, Mrs. C. James, Mrs. C. Burkholder.
- Rose, 1 bloom — Mrs. M. Storey, Mrs. O. Burton, Jean Pipher.
- Vase of A.O.V. — Mrs. C. Nolan, Mrs. Ross Vague, Mrs. M. Storey.
- Pansy Arrang. — M. Mertens, Mrs. Farthing, Mrs. Storey.
- Basket with Delphinium pred. — M. Mertens, Lorne Gillion, Mrs. Timbers.
- Canterbury Belle, arrang. — Mrs. Storey, Mrs. Farthing, Mrs. Eadie (M).
- Arrang. with roses — Mrs. Farthing, Mrs. Burton, Grace Dowdell (M).
- Arrang. in a pitcher — Mrs. Storey, Mrs. A. Ratcliff, Lorne Gillion.
- Arrang. using driftwood — Mrs. Nolan, Mrs. Farthing, M. Mertens.
- Dining Table center — Mrs. Storey, Mrs. Farthing, M. Mertens.
- Shadow Box Arrang. — Mrs. Farthing, M. Mertens.
- Arrang. with white flowers — Mrs. C. Burkholder, Mrs. Farthing, Jean Pipher.
- Modern Floral Arrang. — M. Mertens, Mrs. Storey, Mrs. Ratcliff.
- Arrang. in an unusual container — David James, Tom Bunker, Bob Harman.
- Vase for Living room — Mrs. A. Campbell, Mrs. Storey, Mrs. C. James.
- Corsage — Mrs. Farthing, Mrs. Storey, Mrs. M. Bunker.
- Cup & Saucer arrang. — Mrs. I. Chapman, Mrs. A. Thomas, Mrs. A. Ratcliff.
- Bird Houses for public school children — David James, Tom Bunker, Bob Harman.
- Poster Competition for the children — Robert McNair, Lorne Thompson, Merle Murphy, Carol Kennedy, Kenneth Seaman, Hon. Mention Robert Williams.

The composer of "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia" — James A. Eland, was born in Flushing, New York.

son of Matheson are visiting his mother, Mrs. A. Emmerson, for a few days.

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Mr. Chester Pattenden is relieving foreman at Vandort for several weeks as the regular foreman is on holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sproxtion and Howard are on a holiday through the northern part of Ontario for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith and their families attended the Smith-Ferguson reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Smith at Blackwater.

Mrs. J. Strasser and Mr. W. Stanford of England are visiting relatives in this district. They are Mr. and Mrs. Will Ash and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Holmes.

Miss Dorothy Baycroft, being on holidays, visited relatives at Fulton and Hanover during the weekend, returning home Monday night.

Mrs. N. Brown and Mrs. R. C. Baycroft attended the York County Institute Rally at Stouffville Park on Thursday of last week.

Miss Marjorie Sproxtion started a teacher's summer course in Toronto this Monday. It will last five weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Howlett had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Smith at Blackwater. Norma and Teddy Smith spent several days with the Scott family last week.

Mrs. Alvin Stephenson and Elta enjoyed a motor trip to Belleville last week and visited relatives.

Mary and Elwood Pattenden accompanied by Audrey and Alvin Thompson, visited Howard Pattenden at Blackwater and had supper with Leslie and Ruth Smith. Also having supper with them was Mr. and Mrs. Harold Botham and boys.

The pupils and parents at No. 6 school had a social evening at the school on Thursday evening, June 26th, and presented Mrs. Schaffenberg, the teacher for the past two years, with a lovely briefcase.

The pupils of S.S. No. 7 had a busy afternoon Thursday, June 26th. Mrs. Sutton who has been the junior teacher for the past two years is going back to college this fall. She was presented with a gift from the pupils.

Mr. Harry Hunt, the principal, who is being married in August, was presented with a gift in honor of his approaching marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hark of Toronto are spending a couple of weeks' holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Biddelcombe.

SOUTH ONTARIO SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Thursday, July 10—Pickering vs Brooklin
Friday, July 11—Port Perry vs Brougham
Monday, July 14—Brooklin vs Mt. Zion
Tuesday, July 15—Pickering vs Port Perry
Wednesday, July 16—Brougham vs Pickering
Thursday, July 17—Port Perry vs Brooklin
Friday, July 18—Mt. Zion vs Brougham
Monday, July 21—Pickering vs Mt. Zion
Tuesday, July 22—Mt. Zion vs Port Perry
Wednesday, July 23—Port Perry vs Pickering
Thursday, July 24—Brougham vs Brooklin
Friday, July 25—Brooklin vs Brougham

Preparing Specifications For Paving Program

Chairman Gar Lehman reported to Stouffville Municipal Council at their regular meeting on Thursday evening, that specifications were now being prepared for the Department of Highways for paving a few hundred feet on several of the town's busiest side streets.

Council plans to spend between four and five thousand dollars this year on such permanent streets.

To date, Clerk Ralph Corner reported, approximately \$12,000 has been spent on maintenance. This amount includes the large-scale oiling program and patching.

Members agreed that since less than \$1,000 remained in the 1958 budget for maintenance, no more extra help should be used by the road foreman.

The streets on which the road committee plan to place pavement for a short distance from Main St. are Church St. and Mill St. which will be curbed, as well as the Municipal St., O'Brien Ave. and possibly Lloyd Avenue and Market Street. Several other stretches of roadway will receive tar and rolled chips. Fifty percent of the cost of these expenditures are paid by the Dept. of Highways.

Street Chairman Lehman also reported that a price is to be obtained on a tarvia sidewalk on the south side of Main Street from College St. to Spring St. similar to that to be placed on the high school from Harold St. north on Edward.

Parking Bylaw

The town's new parking bylaw was presented by Bylaws Chairman, councillor Ken Wagg, and council gave three readings and passed. The bylaw in its recorded form, will now be returned to the Dept. of Highways for final signature.

Bituminous coal moves by barge over the Ohio River at the rate of 28 million tons per year.

Church service at 11.10 a.m. Sunday, July 13th. The Daily Vacation Bible School at 9 a.m. Monday to Friday inclusive.

A group of Stouffville Memorial Christian Church folks put on the missionary program at the C.E. Prayer Meeting Monday night, June 30th. The topic by the speaker, Mrs. Lottie Baker, and the male quartet presentations were specials as well as the rest of the program. "Thank you" again, Stouffville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steckley spent part of July 1st with Miss Shirley Steckley and Miss Ruth Fox, also visiting Mrs. R. Bruids and sister Mrs. Travis. Friday afternoon they called on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reesor, 213 Chisholm Ave., Toronto.

A group of folks met at the church on Thursday evening to get ready for Bible School and look over and become familiar with lessons to be taught.

Miss Belle Mitchell has returned to London after spending two weeks with her niece, Mrs. K. Campbell, Miss Mitchell's address is 747 Waterloo St.

Some of our ladies attended a shower given by Miss Neida Dunkeld and Mrs. Joyce McDowell at the home of Mrs. F. Wagg, Stouffville, in honor of Miss Helen Lemon, who will be a bride this month.

Miss Jennie Fockler, who is staying at Stouffville—Nursing Home, had several visitors Sunday afternoon: Mrs. K. Ellis and Miss Peggy, Miss Marjorie Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nigh, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fockler, Miss Nettie Fockler, Mr. and Mrs. F. Steckley. Three men of our town are also at the nursing home: Mr. Sinclair, Mr. S. Miller, Mr. W. Vague.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Reid spent Sunday with daughter Nancy at Timagami, a town north of North Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Emmer-

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