

Pinafore Performance Fri. & Sat.



The principal performers in the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, H.M.S. Pinafore, (left to right) Tim Wees, Lynda Nolan and Eric Buton, took part in a dress rehearsal this week prior to their colourful presentation in the auditorium of the Stouffville Dist. High School Friday and Saturday nights. Pictured here, final touches of make-up are applied before their public appearance. A cast of sixty students are enrolled in the show, the first of its kind to be presented locally. —Staff Photo

Student Choir To Sing Here On April 27

The theological students' choir of Knox College, Toronto, and Presbyterian College, Montreal, will make a singing and recruitment tour of various Presbyterian churches in the Lake Huron-Georgian Bay areas of Ontario during April and May. The choir will sing at a service in Saint James Presbyterian Church in Stouffville, on Friday, April 27 at 8 p.m.

All of the young men are university graduates and are engaged either in theological studies or have already graduated and are appointed to various mission fields across Canada. The members of the choir are especially desirous of meeting young people of all denominations who may be interested in Christian service in the ministry, in the order of deaconesses or in overseas missionary work. The leader of the choir is Mr. Henry Rosevear, F.C.C.O., F.T.C.L., organist and choir master of Glenview Presbyterian Church, Toronto, and lecturer in Church Music and Hymnology at Knox College, University of Toronto.

The choir will be accompanied by two faculty representatives of the Colleges: Rev. C. Ritchie Bell, B.A., D.D., Lord Strathcona, Professor of Pastoral Theology and Homiletics at Presbyterian College, Montreal, and Rev. D. R. McKillop, B.A., B.D., M.Th., Dean of Students and lecturer in Church Administration at Knox College.

All the major denominations in Canada are faced with critical shortages of trained workers. The young men of the choir will not only conduct services in churches but they will also present programmes in high schools and public schools where possible in the various communities that they visit.

Markham U.M. Church

Wesley and Marilyn Tuttle, recording artists for the Sacred Productions, will be present in the Markham U.M. Church on Sunday evening, April 15th, at 7:30 p.m. After spending twenty-five years in professional show business, they have dedicated their lives to the singing of the Gospel. Wesley Tuttle worked with the Sons of the Pioneers and was employed by Walt Disney to do the sound track yodelling for Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs. He was the featured singer on many radio and television programs including the Red Foley Show on ABC and the Grand Old Opry from Nashville, Tennessee. Marilyn Tuttle, as a youngster, appeared in many movies with Shirley Temple and others. Until her marriage in 1946 she worked at the Earle Carol theatre.

The Missionary Safari, to take place April 22nd to 29th, in the Markham and Dickson's Hill Church, is well under way in preparation. On Saturday evening Mr. Thomas Dow and President Carl Timbers spent the evening with the Young Teens and Young People's Department of the Dickson's Hill Sunday School, making plans for the missionary display. The Markham young teens department, under the leadership of their teacher Mrs. C. McDowell and their Superintendent Jack Shepherd, had a wonderful Saturday morning of fellowship and planning for their displays.

The Church Choir will practice again on Sunday afternoon for the presentation of the Annual missionary Cantata. This will be given in the evening service on Sunday, April 22nd. Detailed program announcements will appear next week in the local papers.

The annual ladies thank-offering service for missions for the Women's Institute for April will be held on Wednesday, April 18th at 2:15 p.m. at the home of Mrs. A. W. King, 109 Lloyd Ave. Roll Call—Pay your fee. Election of Officers. Report on standing committees will be given. Mrs. P. Treadway will be the guest speaker, and will also conduct the Installation of Officers for '62-'63. Members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Woolven, Albert St., are vacationing in Florida.

W. I. Meeting April 18 — The regular meeting of the Women's Institute for April will be held on Wednesday, April 18th at 2:15 p.m. at the home of Mrs. A. W. King, 109 Lloyd Ave. Roll Call—Pay your fee. Election of Officers. Report on standing committees will be given. Mrs. P. Treadway will be the guest speaker, and will also conduct the Installation of Officers for '62-'63. Members and friends are cordially invited to attend.

Local and Personal Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Mary Wats returned home last week after spending the past month at Daytona Beach, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wagg and family were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson, Willowdale, on Saturday when the Wilsons celebrated their 20th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Shelby and family of Toronto were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Gord Wagg and girls.

Mr. Art Baker of Valentia was a visitor in town on Thursday. He had previously operated the Mann farm, Tenth Line, south.

Stouffville Home & School Association will hold a tea and bake sale on April 14th from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. at the Summitview School.

A REMINDER
When spring cleaning, please bundle your newspaper ready for the Scouts and Cubs to collect in two weeks time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burkholder attended the "at home" for his aunt, Mrs. Tom Dunkled of Atha on Saturday. The occasion was her 85th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Miller of Ottawa were here for a short visit recently. Mr. Harry Brillinger accompanied them to Ottawa to visit his sister, Mrs. Bert Miller. He returned by plane on Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lamb of Manchester, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hambly of Toronto were guests with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wagg on Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Young of Shawville, Quebec, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Don McPhail, Church St., and her son in Oshawa for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. A. Bevan, Stouffville, has returned home after several weeks overseas where she visited at her home in Denmark as well as in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hisey and family, of Vondorf, were visitors on Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hisey, Rupert Ave.

Houston's Coffee Shoppe will be open Good Friday. See next week's paper for special menu.

Easter Novelties, hens, roosters, rabbits, eggs, Easter baskets, Easter boxed chocolates, priced from 10c to \$10.00, at Houstons Rexall Drug Store.

The Stouffville fire brigade was called out three times in three hours on Thursday between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. The rash of grass fires were in Uxbridge, Markham and Whitchurch townships.

Child Health Clinic
Stouffville Child Health Clinic will be held Friday, April 13th, from 1:30 to 3 p.m. in the York County Health Building, Main Street, Free immunization.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Thomas and Donald, conc. 9, Markham, and Miss Doris Woodland, conc. 4, Uxbridge, were Saturday evening dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Thomas, Rupert Ave. On Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Fawcett and John of Whitby and Mrs. E. Pascoe of Greenwood were callers.

Stouffville Council are seriously considering the purchase of a tractor and loader, Chas. Cooper Ltd. Clarendon has agreed to demonstrate a unit now in stock that carries a price tag of \$2,300. A committee of Council were quite favourably impressed with the machine, according to a report presented at a regular meeting on Thursday night.

A new \$244.00 dictating machine has been purchased for the Clerk's Office in the Stouffville Municipal Building.

Lloyd Irwin, Rupert Ave., has commenced the construction of another new guitar, the third in his collection. His most recent project will be a double-necked instrument with the standard Spanish on top and the base on the bottom.

OBITUARIES

SLACK
On Wednesday, April 4, 1962, Mr. Edwin Louis Slack died at the Brierbush Hospital, in his 76th year. He had been a resident of Stouffville for the past 13 years, having retired from farming near Glasgow. His wife, the former Sophy Davis, predeceased him a few years ago. Mr. Slack was born in Uxbridge Tp., a son of the late James W. Slack and Emma Proctor, and was identified with the Baptist Church, having served as a Deacon for a number of years. He was superintendent of the local Park for the past several years.

Thirty-five relatives and friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russel Dowse on Friday evening, March 30. This was the occasion of their 40th Wedding Anniversary. Mrs. Dowse was the former Greta Jones. They were married in Uxbridge on March 29, 1922 and farmed for over 20 years south of Goodwood. In 1945 they retired to their present home in Goodwood. Guests came from Oshawa, Toronto, Clarendon, Stouffville, Markham, Quaker Hill, Goodwood. After a pleasant evening of games and a lovely buffet luncheon, the guests departed wishing this genial couple many more years of happiness.

W.M.S. Meeting
On Sunday evening, April 8th, the Stouffville United Missionary W.M.S. took charge of the regular Sunday evening church service, and held their annual "Missionary Thank Offering" meeting.

The guest speaker, Rev. Alfred Rees of Markham, gave a very challenging message, taking his Scripture reading from Exodus 21 and Romans 12.

Mr. Rees stated how thankful they are to know they will be able to return to India sometime in August.

The President, Mrs. Bert Stouffer announced that a bus would be chartered for the Missionary Convention in Vineland on May 15th to accommodate the ladies of the local United Missionary Churches.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Baxter, Rupert St. and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Cadieux and family were with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Murphy and family on Sunday, the occasion being Mr. Baxter's 70th birthday.

Plan to attend the Schneider Demonstration and Buffet Luncheon to be held on Monday, April 16 at 8:15 in the Legion Hall. It is being sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary to the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 459. Proceeds for charitable purposes, price 50c. Winners of the lucky draws must be present.

Neighbourhood help had to be summoned to the farm residence of Mr. Levi Drudge, 16th Ave., between conc. 9 and 10, Markham Twp., on Thursday afternoon of last week when a fire, apparently started on the roadside, spread into a field of straw on the Drudge property. For a time, the farm buildings were threatened but the arrival of the Markham Village fire brigade extinguished the blaze.

Surviving are a son Murray of Toronto, and daughters Gerlie (Mrs. Garfield Drewery), Ella (Mrs. Geo. Morden) and Fern (Mrs. Lorne McMullen)—all of Stouffville and Blanche (Mrs. Morris Hornsby) of Toronto, also 9 grandchildren.

Rev. J. Williams had charge of the service which was held in the chapel at the L. E. O'Neill Funeral Home, on Saturday, April 7. Honorary pallbearers were Earl Drewery, Floyd Fairles, Ted Cadieux, Glenn Ratcliff, Bert Batt and Bert Lickorish. Pallbearers were Wayne Hornsby, Bill McMullen, Larry and Lynn McMullen, Walter O'Boyle and Ronald Smith. Interment was in the Vault at the Stouffville Cemetery.

SAVILLE
Mrs. Elizabeth Mabel Saville, north of Ballantrae, died at the Stouffville Nursing Home on Tuesday, April 3, 1962, having been in poor health the past 4 years. She was born in Capetown, S. Africa, and is survived by her husband Vernon Saville whom she married in 1910, and two daughters, Kathleen N. Saville and Eva G. Stevens. They had resided in the Ballantrae district the past 8 years. Other places of residence were Toronto and England. Rev. Douglas Davis was in charge of the service held at the L. E. O'Neill Funeral Home on Friday, April 6. The pallbearers were Mel Baker, Tom Clark, LeRoy Baker and Carl Rose. Interment was in the Stouffville Cemetery Vault.

ANGELICAN CHURCH NEWS
The Advisory Board of Christ Church Anglican held their meeting April 2nd in the Church Hall, with the Rector, Rev. J. L. Ball presiding. Mr. Ball reported that Mr. Barnes would be in Stouffville April 29th to consult with the follow-up visitation committee of the 1960 campaign.

Reports were presented by the following organizations. Mr. Powell reported the purchase of four sets of tables and chairs for the Junior Sunday School. Mrs. Kinsella, president of the Evening Guild, spoke on the construction of the board walk for the Fashion Show and money was voted to pay the Guild for the material used in the construction. Mrs. Thornes from The Down Town Church Workers will speak at the Guild Meeting April 16th.

A Rummage Sale will be held in the Church Hall Saturday, April 28th from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The Guild purchased ten card tables. Mrs. Burgin, W.A. President, reported the Auxiliary would hold a Tea and Bake Sale at the Church Hall, May 5th.

Mrs. Williams, president of the Chancel Guild, said about half the money for the Chancel rug had been donated and further donations would be most gratefully received. The Chancel Guild are making riddle curtains for the Altar with money donated by the Women's Auxiliary.

Mr. R. Lewis, president of the Men's Club, announced that the members would hold a dinner meeting Thursday, May 17th.

A general discussion followed and it was decided to invite "The Great Chapter" to meet at our Church Hall in October and cater for their dinner after the service.

CLARKSON
William Henry Clarkson of Altona passed away at Whitby on Friday, April 6, following a stroke, which he suffered a few days previous. He was born in 1875 at Lincolnville, son of the late Robert Clarkson and Jane Swales. In 1896 he married Louisa B. J. Morris, who survives him. As well as being a farmer, he was well known as a shearer of sheep for many years. He was identified with the Christian Church, also the I.O.O.F. and L.O.L. lodges.

One son Arthur M. Clarkson, and two sisters, Lillian (Mrs. Herb Southby) and Violet (Mrs. Richard Stadlebar), both of Orangeville, also survive him, along with six grandchildren and nineteen great-grandchildren.

The service was held on Monday, April 9 at 2 p.m. at the L. E. O'Neill Funeral Chapel in charge of Rev. Dow Sargeant. The pallbearers were Stanley Lewis, Bert Lewis, Fred McNair, Norman Bunker, Charlie Barker and Kenneth Reesor. Interment was in the Stouffville Cemetery Vault.

Following a teaching stint in Woodstock, N.B., Miss Young took the deaconess course at the United Church Training School, then went to work in Brunswick St. Church, Halifax. Next came a similar position in Sherbourne Church, Toronto, and at present she is Secretary for Program in the Board of Women for the United Church. Miss Young will present an account of her experience last November at the World Council of Churches in New Delhi, as well as her work in Hong Kong and Nepal. It is hoped that all members of the newly formed units of the United Church will attend. A sincere invitation is extended to women of other denominations who are interested in broadening their knowledge of the work of the Christian Church in foreign fields. Miss Olive Hutchison will be in charge of the Devotional Service and Linda Nolan will be guest soloist. A social half hour will conclude the meeting.

United Church Women—The guest speaker at the Easter Thankoffering Meeting of the United Church Women on Monday evening, April 16, will be Miss Dorothy M. Young of Toronto. She is one of the few Canadian women who have attended two Assemblies of the World Council of Churches, Amsterdam, Holland, in 1948, and New Delhi, India, last November.

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One of the colourful highlights of the Stouffville Dist. High School term will be the presentation on Friday and Saturday night of the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, H.M.S. Pinafore. The musical will feature a cast of more than sixty students. Three of the participants are pictured here (left to right)—Herbert Otto, Donna Ratcliff and Michael Cadieux. —Staff Photo

Mrs. Ollie Madill, just east of Stouffville, is able to be up a short while each day after being confined to her bed since the 26th of March.

Mr. Everett Ross Sinclair died at the Stouffville Nursing Home on Tuesday, April 3, 1962, after a short illness. He was born at Franklin, in 1879 and spent 44 years in Ringwood and district, having kept store there for 22 years prior to which he had farmed. Mrs. Sinclair predeceased him in 1948. He was identified with the Christian Church, Ringwood.

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Cadet Squadron Enjoys Trip to Camp Borden



Sixty members of the Stouffville and Dist. Air Cadet Squadron travelled to Camp Borden on March 31st to spend the entire day at the RCAF Centre. The entire group is pictured here in front of the Stouffville Legion Hall prior to their departure by bus on Saturday morning. —Staff Photo