



The Pause That Refreshes

While most Mount Zion residents, past and present, were discussing old times at a reunion gathering, Saturday, Janice Watson, 8, (left) and sister, Loraine, 7, of Claremont, took time out for refreshments. —Staff Photo.

'History In Action' Day

BROUGHAM—History in Action will happen two days this year, Sept. 16 and 17, at the Pickering Township Museum grounds in Brougham.

Events will commence on Saturday, the 16th, with a parade, bigger and better this Centennial year, which will leave Brougham Park at 1.30 p.m. and march... or chug... or trot... or whistle... or dance its way along Highway 7 to the museum grounds in Brougham.

More entries are invited for the parade—early cars, early tractors and implements, horses, floats, and people. There will be prizes for entries, and prizes for those who march in the best Centennial costumes. All the boys and girls of the township... or anywhere—are invited to join the parade in floats or by foot, wearing their old-fashioned clothes. There will be prizes for what judges consider best. For further information about the parade, contact James L. Hayes, Parade Marshal, 868 Modlin Road, Bay Ridge.

OVER 2,000 History in Action is an annual event at the museum. It has been found that almost as many interested visitors come to the museum on the Sunday following History in Action Day, as come to the festivities on Saturday. This is why the museum board has arranged for two days—a new experiment. Last year over 2,000 people attended. The purpose of History in Action, besides providing funds to carry on the work of the museum, is to demonstrate the arts and crafts of long ago. Grain will be threshed and flailed—the old way. Steam engines will hiss and whistle, doing the work they did before the advent of the gas motor. Countless gas engines, all of them different, will be demonstrated. Ladies will spin, weave, quilt, make butter, serve food and practise the other early crafts of pioneer women. The blacksmith will be there, and all the others who demonstrate the skill and art that helped to make our country the flourishing and happy place it is today.

INDIAN DANCERS Descendants of our first known inhabitants, The Canadian Indian Dancers, in their splendid regalia, will be part of the parade, and dance to the beat of the tom-tom, interpreting their dances as they go along.

Now is the time to make COULD DO BETTER! A college freshman was talking about girls with his friend. "Which would you advise me to do? Marry a sensible girl or a beautiful girl?" he asked his friend. "I don't think you will be able to marry either," his friend said. "A beautiful girl could do better and a sensible girl would know better."

Brougham Girl Ontario Scholar

By ISABEL ANNIS
BROUGHAM—The Brougham community is proud of the academic accomplishments of Grade 13 graduate, Laurel Bird who has been awarded an Ontario Scholarship at Pickering District High School. Laurel had an average on seven credits of 80 percent.

Entries are being accepted in the Centennial Queen Contest planned for Sept. 15. Girls interested in entering are asked to contact Mrs. Bill Elliott. The winner will reign over 'History In Action Day,' Sept. 16.

Sympathy of the community goes to the family of the late Walter Bayles who passed away last week.

A welcome is extended to the R. Elmer family who have purchased the Rankin property on the Brock Road South.

The Women's Institute bus trip to Niagara Falls and Vineland Experimental station will be August 29. Tickets from Mrs. Harden, Mrs. Annis or Mrs. George Day.

Mort Etherington of Newmarket spent last week with his cousin, Bruce Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Howell, Cathy, Randy, Bonnie and Sonya are holidaying in Newfoundland.

Sunday School, at St. John's United Church will resume on Sunday, Sept. 10 at 11 a.m.

Birthday Gathering

By ADA STECKLEY
RINGWOOD—Sixty-five relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steckley, Saturday on the occasion of Mrs. Jacob M. Grove's 85th birthday. Guests were present from a wide area including Montreal, Ottawa, Warton and Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Thomson and family motored to Elkhart, Indiana on the weekend to visit her sister Mrs. P. Deans.

Mrs. Rosser of Ottawa is spending a few days with relatives. Mrs. Victor

Brown of North Gower spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steckley.

Mr. Gaston Singh will be the speaker Sunday evening at the final Drive-In service this season at the A. & P. Plaza.

Miss Shirley Steckley will be guest speaker at the Excelsior Class meeting on Thursday at 8 p.m. to be held at the home of Mrs. Malcolm Keith.

Centennial Barbeque At Cedar Grove

By PAT McLENNAN
CEDAR GROVE—On Saturday, September 9, a big Bar-B-Que supper is planned in Cedar Grove. Delicious, juicy roasts of beef cooked on the spot will accompany generous servings of baked potato, salad, baked beans and everyone will be able to eat as much as they like. There will be home made apple pies for dessert.

This was a real treat last year and the welcome mat is out again for all who would like to enjoy a delicious Bar-B-Que dinner in the beautiful surroundings of Cedar Grove Community Park.

Following the dinner there will be dancing to the popular music of Frank Barkey, who manages to satisfy everyone with dancing from square to Bugaloo. Supper will be served at 7 p.m. and tickets are \$3.00 for adults with half price tickets for children. Jack Walton (at 2-1943) or Bob Lapp (294-0518) have tickets or they may be purchased from Ernie Appleton in Markham (294-3520) or at Leadbetters.

Bowling time again, Ev-

ryone who would like to bowl this winter, starting mid-September, is asked to contact Lloyd Clendenen (294-0405) as soon as possible.

Missing a freezer pack? Try Joyce Lapp who has two left over from Centennial day, one large and one small. Books, maps, plates and spoons still available but supply is limited.

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Dates to Remember—Aug. 28, Monday Community Club meeting at Marg and Jack Waltons. Sept. 9, Saturday, Bar-B-Que and dance at Cedar Grove Community Park.

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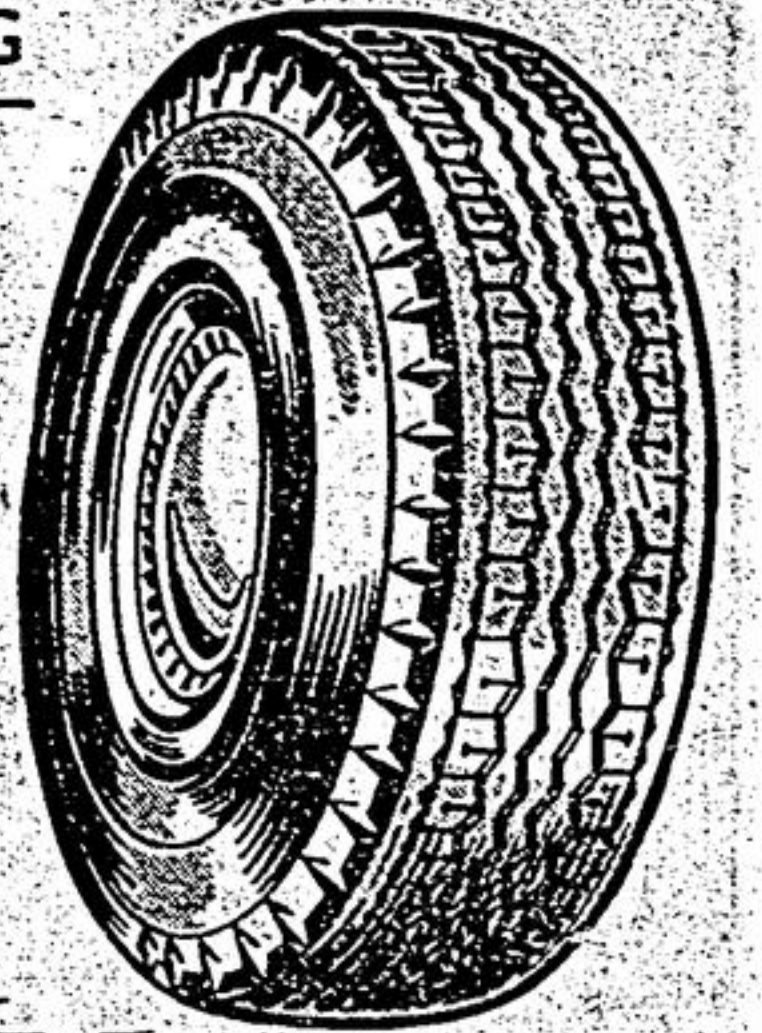
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