

Women's

Tribune

STOUFFVILLE SCENE

What's Going On

Family reunions



Mr. and Mrs. Rodney J. Nelson, Ringwood, are pleased to announce the forthcoming marriage of their youngest daughter, **Gail Elizabeth** to **Frank J. Janson**, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Janson, Thornhill. The wedding will take place August 17, 1968 at four o'clock in St. Patrick's German Congregational Church, Toronto.

Indian Village Guide — Janice Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, Rose Avenue and a student at the University of Western Ontario, is serving as a guide, this summer at Midland's Indian Village. The site attracts an estimated 1,000 school children daily. A picture of Janice and three student visitors was published recently in an issue of the London Free Press.

Blood Donor Clinic — The Legion sponsored Blood Donor Clinic will be held in the Stouffville Veterans' Hall, July 25 from 2 to 4:30 and 6:30 to 9 p.m.

Bitten by Dog — Sheryl Laiter, four and a half-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Laiter, Montreal Street, required stitches at the Stouffville Medical Centre to close injuries to her face when bitten by a dog. The York County Humane Society has placed the animal in quarantine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hamm and family, Glad Park Avenue, have left on a four-week trip by car and cabin trailer to Western Canada.

Ronald Wallace, a former Tribune reporter, is now employed as news editor of the Cranbrook Courier in Cranbrook, British Columbia. Ron spent two years at the Ryerson Polytechnical Institute and was the editor-in-chief of the campus newspaper.

STOUFFVILLE — The 37th annual re-union of the Crosier Family was held at the Stouffville Memorial Park, June 29. Relatives were present from Belleville, Schomberg, Toronto, Oshawa, Ajax, Thornhill, Port Perry, Sunderland and Stouffville.

Many of the families spent a portion of the afternoon in the swimming pool and studying the Crosier Family Tree together with a scrapbook which included many interesting and old pictures of the first years of the Crosier Re-union.

The special prizes distributed went to Mrs. Marshall Crosier of Toronto for being the eldest woman present while Mr. Dave Crosier of Stouffville received the prize for the eldest gentleman in attendance. The prize for the youngest member present was given to Todd Bailey son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bailey of Oshawa.

The election of officers were: President, Mr. Ray Lister; Vice President, Mr. Bob Short; Secretary, Treasurer, Mrs. Betty Somerville; Sports Committee, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Crosier and Mr. Edward Klosszynski; Picnic Committee, Mr. David Crosier.

The 1969 Crosier Re-union will be held at the Stouffville Memorial Park on Saturday, June 21, 1969.

The Crichton family re-union was held in the Stouffville Park, Sunday with 120 persons present. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Armstrong of Picton travelled the farthest distance. The oldest in attendance was Mrs. Jessie Murray, 80. The executive for 1969 is: President, Walter Richards; Secretary, Gordon Forge; and Treasurer, Jim Stiver.

Wagg Reunion — On Sunday the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wagg met for a reunion in Stouffville Park, with 30 present. The officers for this year were: President, Mr. Gord Wagg; Vice-President, Mrs. Murray Wagg and Sec. Treas. Mrs. Earl Brilling. The oldest gentleman present was Mr. Vincent Wagg, the oldest lady, Mrs. Austin Wagg and the youngest child was Janie Wagg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Wagg.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sanderson are motoring to the East Coast for a holiday and will visit Expo '68 during the trip.



Judith Sabiston



John Prentice

Mr. and Mrs. James Sabiston, Unionville, are pleased to announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, **Judith Anne** to **Mr. John Clarke Prentice**, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Prentice, Markham. The wedding to take place on Saturday, August 17 in Central United Church, Unionville, at six o'clock in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Schneider, Beth and Kris of Bloomingdale were weekend visitors with her mother Mrs. Fred Pugh, Conc 10, Stouffville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Boardway and family are travelling to the West by car and while in Alberta will visit with Mrs. Boardway's brother and family, Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Murphy.

Mr. William Bryson of Willowdale has taken over the managerial duties at the Bank of Nova Scotia while Mr. George Williams is on vacation.

Bobby Richards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Richards, Loretta Crescent, is spending a week at Camp Big Canoe on Hart Lake near Bracebridge.

John Nolan, Duchess St. flew to London, England on Friday where he will visit with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Rau.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Bell of Willowdale, former residents of Stouffville, recently won a ten-day trip to Mexico.

Mrs. Mayme Carr, of Streetsville is visiting for a time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conner, Unionville, R.R. 1.

A section of Ninth Line North from Main Street to Elm Road has been resurfaced.

Flinds Axe Head — Mr. Charles Jones, Elm Road, Stouffville, located an old axe head and a musket ball while scuba-diving in the French River, 40 miles south of Sudbury. Another member of the Toronto club recovered a musket. The artifacts will be donated to the Royal Ontario Museum.

Mrs. Edith Sanders of Stouffville attended the 1968 Regional Institute of the Youth and Recreation Branch, Ontario Department of Education, held at York University.

Couple Honored — Miss Margaret Sheridan and Mr. Bill Morley have been the recipients of many beautiful gifts from showers prior to their marriage, July 20. Hostesses for the showers have been — Miss Nancy Stover, Stouffville, a kitchen and linen shower; Mrs. K. Lang and Miss Nancy Wideman, Toronto; Mrs. Stewart Burnett, Mrs. Lorraine Hutchinson and Mrs. Dorothy Wright of the Wesley Church, Vaudorf; Mrs. Robert Bruce, Stouffville, R.R. 3; Mrs. Clarence Green, Mrs. Elmer Bentley and Mrs. Albert Brown for the Mongolia community; Mrs. David Williams, Newmarket; and Mrs. Lloyd for the Hillcrest neighbors. The St. James Presbyterian Church Sunday School teachers also had a presentation party for them at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Powell, Markham, R.R. 2.

Stouffville firemen answered two calls in quick succession, Sunday, both to the Ballantrae area of Whitechurch Township. One followed a two-car collision at the intersection of Hwy 48 and the Aurora Road but when volunteers arrived there was no visible sign of any blaze in either vehicle. The truck was on its way back to the station when it was called out again, this time to the Farfar Trailer Sales site where a grass fire was out of control.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lehman of Carlisle, Pennsylvania, were visitors Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conner, Unionville, R.R. 1.

Isabel Anderson McCowan Service was conducted from Zion Church, Cedar Grove on Wednesday afternoon at 2 p.m. for Mrs. Isabel Anderson McCowan, wife of Mr. Edward McCowan, R.R. 1, Markham. Mrs. McCowan passed away Sunday in Scarborough Centenary Hospital. She was in her 81st year. Surviving besides her husband are two sons, George at

Miss Margaret Sheridan and her mother, Mrs. John Sheridan, Miss Barbara Winn and her mother, Mrs. Walter Winn, were recent luncheon guests of Mrs. C. D. Forsyth, Claremont, R.R. 3, Mrs. R. Atherley, David and Janice of Georgetown and Mrs. Betty Ramer of London were also guests.

Pretty June wedding in Peoples' Church

WILLOWDALE — Janice Stephanie Farquharson of Thornhill and Charles Norman Congram of Wingham, exchanged marriage vows in a double-ring ceremony at the Peoples' Church, Willowdale, June 22. Dr. Paul B. Smith officiated, assisted by Rev. G. L. Fish.

The bride is the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Farquharson of Thornhill, and the groom is the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Congram of Wingham.

Standards of large white chrysanthemums and white candelabra decorated the sanctuary. The organist was Mr. Warren E. Adams of London. Mr. Garry Eason of Norland and Mr. Ronald Unruh of London, were soloists. Musical selections were: "The Greatest of These is Love," "Take My Life and Let It Be" and "O Perfect Love."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white Italian silk fashioned on an A-line with square neckline and elbow length bell sleeves. Her chapel length veil of tulle illusion fell from a matching cap. She carried a cascade bouquet of miniature carnations in white with yellow accents. Miss Rachael Farquharson of Thornhill was her sister's maid-of-honor. The bridesmaids were Miss April Douglas of Grimby and Miss Wendy Ericsson of Willowdale. They wore floor length gowns of blue and yellow chiffon over taffeta with matching head pieces and carried cascade bouquets of white and yellow carnations.

Groomsman was Rev. John Congram of Hamilton and ushers were Mr. D. A. Farquharson of Thornhill and Mr. Gary Carter of Windsor. Master Mark Congram of Hamilton was the ringbearer.

The reception was held in the Catalpa Room of the Guild Inn, in Scarborough. Receiving the guests, Mrs. Farquharson wore a gown of turquoise brocade with matching organza hat and accessories. Her corsage was a yellow orchid. The groom's mother chose a gown of pink lace over taffeta with white accessories and corsage of sweetheart roses.

Out of town guests from Wingham, London, Kitchener, Ottawa, Grimby, Gravenhurst, Hamilton,

home, James of Ferguson and one daughter, Marian, also at home.



Mr. and Mrs. Charles Norman Congram, married in the Peoples' Church, Willowdale. —Photo by Wilbur Caddell

Dungannon, Stouffville, Gormley, Michigan, Windsor and Oshawa included the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Farquharson of McKellar, Ontario.

The bride's travelling costume was a rose crepe dress with matching coat and tulle hat, and black accessories. Her corsage was white baby carnations. Mr. and Mrs. Congram will reside in Scarborough when they return from their wedding trip to northern Ontario.

Mrs. Mary Nesbitt, wife of the late Robert Nesbitt, passed away at Brierbush Hospital, Stouffville, June 10. She was 81. Surviving are two sons and two daughters, William and Edward; Pearl (Mrs. Reg Mowder); Lillian (Mrs. William Over) and Ernie deceased, a 150 fourteen grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. Service was conducted from the O'Neill Funeral Home, Stouffville, with interment Church Hill cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Burkholder and family, Westlawn Crescent, enjoyed all the comforts of home during their recent stay at the cottage residence of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ratcliff.

Coin Laundry — A new coin laundry is now in operation at the Stouffville Shopping Plaza.

Construction work has been started on the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hodgson and family, Loretta Crescent.

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Kiddi Karnival raises over \$2100

Baiting a hook is not usually a pastime for girls, but at the "Kiddi Karnival" on Glad Park Avenue, the fish pond shared plenty of activity. Two of the participants are Pauline Foulds and David Tremblay. The children raised \$21.34 and the proceeds will be donated to the Muscular Dystrophy Research Society. —Staff Photo