

Mrs. Ross Harper

80 years young

STOUFFVILLE — If keeping busy keeps one young, Mrs. Ross Harper, Baker Avenue, should live to be a hundred.

On Sunday, she was honored at an 'open house' in the Silver Jubilee Club, Stouffville. The occasion was her 80th birthday.

With the exception of one son, Kenneth, living in Spain, all members of her family were in attendance including Donald of Peterborough; Allan of Mount Albert; Mervin and Arnold of Stouffville and one daughter, Arlene (Mrs. Ray Holden), also of Stouffville. There are 15 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Harper moved to town from the family farm on the 6th Concession of Whitchurch-Stouffville, seventeen years ago. Oil-painting gives her great pleasure, a skill she attained back in her teen years. She has 25 completed pictures in her own home plus others around town. "I can paint and watch television at the same time," she says. She enjoys the afternoon soap operas. She reads a lot, does fancy work and maintains a beautiful flower garden. She is a member of the U.C.W., the Women's Institute, the Over 60 Club and the Silver Jubilee Club.

Mrs. Harper looked exceptionally lovely, Sunday, as she welcomed dozens of friends and neighbors to the gathering.



Mrs. Ross Harper, Baker Avenue, was honored at an 'open house', Sunday, on the occasion of her eightieth birthday.

David Tran

Attended Fair

STOUFFVILLE — David Tran is a resident at Parkview Home in Stouffville. There, hanging on the wall of his room is a framed plaque that reads: "For meritorious service to agriculture." The certificate is signed by H.M. Warriner and Fred Spring, the President and Secretary of the Markham and East York Agricultural Society.

That was back in 1961.

David Tran, now 94, headed the Markham Fair Board in 1959. Prior to that, his grandfather, James Tran held the position in 1867, followed by his father, George Tran in 1921 and later his son, Joe in 1968.

On Thursday, Mr. Tran and several others from Parkview, visited the Fair. "At first, I didn't want to go," he said, "but I'm glad I did." Although he remembers past fairs at the old site, he says he appreciates the new location with its larger acreage and greater building space.

Dave Tran was more than just an officer on the Board. He was also a prominent exhibitor, specializing in Clydesdale horses. He recalls winning an engraved cup back in 1902. He also showed standard-bred drivers.

The weather was good during his presidential year, he remembers, and the attendance was the largest up to that time.

Mr. Tran signed the Senior Citizens' Register, Thursday, along with Nora Macklem, 95 and Sarah Lunau, 92, also of Parkview.



Mr. David Tran of Parkview Home, attended Markham Fair, Thursday. Mr. Tran, now 94, was president of the Fair Board in 1959.

Around Town

Apple Day

Saturday, Oct. 18 is "Apple Day" for the Scouts and Cubs of South Lake Simcoe District. The boys will be out all morning, also in the afternoon, Friday evening, Oct. 17. Residents' support will be appreciated.

Adult badminton

Adult badminton begins on Monday evening, Oct. 20 at 8 p.m., in the High School. Players wishing additional information may call Noel Story at 649-2305.

Prize Painting

Congratulations to Courtney Clutterbuck of Parkview Apartments, Stouffville, winner of first prize for his oil painting at Markham Fair. Mr. Clutterbuck was also the recipient of the Senior Citizens' Special — a cheque for ten dollars. Melba Steckley of Parkview won first on her quilt in the Seniors' Class and fourth for a reversible quilt exhibited in a regular class. Lena Barkey of the Parkview staff won a fourth on her Afghan.

Markham O.E.S. Draw

The Markham Order of the Eastern Star conducted three lucky draws at Markham Fair. The winner of a hand-made quilt was Ruth Cosgrey of Willowdale; a plaque went to A. Docherty of Cherrywood and a wall-hanging to R.H. Shaw, Elm Street, Markham.

Tennis Club dance

The Ballantrae Tennis Club is holding a fall dance, Friday, Oct. 24 at the Community Centre. For tickets call 640-4758 or 473-2289.

Official Opening

The official opening of the flood control channel in Stouffville will take place, Friday, Oct. 17 at 1 p.m. Representatives from several levels of government will take part along with R. Grant Henderson, Chairman of The Metro Toronto and Region Conservation Authority. Guests will be hosted to a noon luncheon in Latham Hall.

Colorful trip

Mary and Adeline Reaman of Gormley and Mrs. Edith Stickle of Parkview Apartments, recently enjoyed a colorful motor trip through Michigan and Superior, Wisconsin as far as International Falls and Ft. Frances, Minnesota. They also took the train excursion through the AGAWA Canyon, then across Manitoulin Island to Tobermory by boat. They were away ten days.

"Open House"

Mrs. Eliza Clarkson of Newmarket and formerly of Stouffville, will be honored at an "Open House" this Sunday from 2 to 3:30 p.m., in the Silver Jubilee Club, Main and Market Streets. The occasion is in honor of Mrs. Clarkson's 90th birthday.

Chamber of Commerce — The Whitchurch-Stouffville Chamber of Commerce is holding a business and dinner meeting, Wed., Oct. 15 at 7:30 p.m., in the Regal Restaurant, Main Street. The cost is \$6.50 per person. For reservations call Susan Hall (640-3781) or Bruce Stapley (640-2603).

30th Anniversary

Enjoy a cup of coffee and piece of birthday cake, Saturday at 12:30 p.m. when the Stouffville Sales Barn celebrates its 30th anniversary. Auctioneer Walter Atkinson and Art Wood, both of Stouffville, will attend as guests.

Says goodbye

After sixty years in the same home, Mrs. Les Ogden is leaving Friday to take up residence with her daughter, Mrs. Shirley Rose in Mount Albert. "It's a heartache," she said, "I'll never be back again." The property has been sold and an auction sale is set for this Saturday beginning at 11 a.m. Mrs. Ogden came to the place as a bride in 1920. She had previously lived on Dawes Road. Mr. Ogden died a little over three years ago. A long-time Tribune subscriber, she's having it transferred to her new address. "The paper's going with me," she said.

Euchres start

The euchre season begins on Thurs., Oct. 16 at the Lemonville Community Centre. Games start at 8:15 p.m. Admission is only \$1 with lunch provided.

Hot-cold buffet

The U.C.W. is holding a hot and cold buffet lunch on Friday, Oct. 17 in the basement of Stouffville United Church from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tickets (\$4) are available from Dixie Sellers (640-1913) at the Church Office (640-1163) or at the door.

St. James' Bazaar

The Willing Helpers of St. James Presbyterian Church are holding a Country Fair Bazaar, Sat., Oct. 25 from 1:30 to 4 p.m.

Cribbage Tourney

The Silver Jubilee Club is holding a cribbage tournament, Wed., Oct. 15 at 1:30 p.m.

Pretty fall wedding

A pretty fall wedding was solemnized, Saturday, Oct. 4 at Baker Hill Baptist Church when Diane Wilson and Blaise Boucher exchanged marriage vows. The reception was held in the Lemonville Community Centre. Following a honeymoon in the Gaspe and New Brunswick, the happy couple will reside at R.R.4, Stouffville.

Aid Underprivileged

Members of York Region 4-H Clubs performed a much appreciated service, Saturday, at Markham Fair, when they escorted a group of underprivileged children around the livestock pavilion and arena. The boys and girls were visitors to the grounds, thanks to the Kiwanis Club of Downtown Toronto.

Trip to Germany

Dr. Jerome DeLaurier, Main Street West, recently returned from an enjoyable holiday to Germany and other European countries.

Best Babies

Two Stouffville children were judged class winners in the annual Baby Contest at Markham Fair, Saturday. Kevin Hackert, Stuart Street, won in the boys' division, ages nine to twelve months while Ryan Hardie, Maystone Court was No. 1 in the boys' class, 12 to 15 months.

Coffee Hours

The Ladies' Coffee Hours have been rescheduled for 1:30 p.m. and 7:45 p.m., in the Stouffville Missionary Church on Tues., Oct. 21. Guest speaker in the afternoon will be Dianne Hooper and in the evening, Jean Armstrong. A feature at both gatherings, will be a demonstration on cardiac pulmonary resuscitation by Dr. David Williams.

Turkey Dinner

The annual turkey dinner, hosted by Victoria Square United Church will be held on Wed., Nov. 5 with sittings from 5 to 8 p.m. The location is the Community Centre. Admission is by ticket only — \$6 adults; \$2 for children. The numbers to call are 887-5409 or 887-5536.

Carpet stolen

York Regional Police are investigating the return of a 1969 Dodge stock racing car, reported towed off the Fina Station lot at Hwy. 7 and Warden Avenue, Sunday night or early Monday morning. The engine and racing accessories alone are said to be worth \$3,000. Anyone knowing the whereabouts of this vehicle is asked to call 298-7074.

Wins draw

Mary Brumwell of Strathroy Crescent, Markham, was the winner of a lucky draw, sponsored by the Melody-Makers Barbershop Chorus at Markham Fair. Proceeds will be forwarded to the Autistic Children's Association.

Purse stolen

York Regional Police are investigating the reported theft of a purse from a restaurant in Markham, Saturday. It was the property of Isabel Smith, Goodwood.

Special Music

Jean Hammond and Mary Grant of Stouffville will provide the special music Oct. 26 at 11 a.m., when the congregation of Victoria Square United Church holds a centennial anniversary service. A musical talent night is planned for 7 p.m.

Meet with trustee

The congregation of St. James Presbyterian Church has arranged a special evening service, Sunday, Oct. 26 at 7 p.m. Discussion will centre around the present public school system in relation to the elementary and secondary levels in York Region. Harry Bowes, Whitchurch-Stouffville's trustee will attend.

Color Tour

Residents of Green Gables Manor, Bloomington; the Stouffville Nursing Home and Sceptre Manor Home, Uxbridge, enjoyed a Color Tour by bus, Oct. 2 and later stopped in at McDonald's at Lindsay for lunch.

Flea Market

St. Mark's Parish, Stouffville, is holding a flea market at St. Mark's School on Elm Road, Fri., Oct. 24 from 7 to 9 p.m., and Sat., Oct. 25 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The event will feature crafts, clothing, toys, sports equipment and "attic treasures."

Sock Hop

The popular Sock Hop dance will resume at Summitview School, Friday, Oct. 17 at 7 p.m. Admission is \$1.50.

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