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Coming Events

New Year's Eve Midnight Show at The Winchester: "Look For The Silver Lining," in glorious Technicolor, and starring June Haver, Gordon MacRae and Ray Bolger. It's a delightful musical to please everyone. Doors open at 11.45—Show starts at 12.05.

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY MEETING

The monthly meeting of the Memorial Hospital Auxiliary will be held in the Town Hall, Winchester, on Thursday, January 3rd, at 8 p.m. It is hoped that the various units will be well represented at the meeting.

ANNUAL MEETING BROCKVILLE PRESBYTERIAL W. M. S.

The annual meeting of Brockville Presbyterial W. M. S. will be held in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Winchester, on Wednesday, January 9th. There will be two sessions, at 10.30 and 1.30 o'clock. Mrs. Eric Larson, Presbyterial President, will preside at both sessions. Mrs. W. E. Baker, Synodical President, will be present to bring Synodical greetings and conduct election and installation of officers. Dinner will be served at the church.

BARN MEETING

A Barn Meeting, sponsored by the Grenville-Dundas Ayrshire Club, will be held at the farm of Wm. McRoberts & Sons, one mile North of Winchester Village, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1952, at 1.30 p.m. Judging Contests. Good Prizes. Discussion. Everybody cordially invited.

32p Donald Rose, Secretary.

BEAUTY JINXES ELIZABETH TAYLOR

Famous Movie Actress Elizabeth Taylor proves once again, says Dorothy Kilgallen, that money, goodlooks and fame do not always bring happiness. A dazzling beauty, Elizabeth couldn't even hold her husband's attention on their honeymoon. Why? Read "Beauty Is Her Jinx," in this Sunday's (January 6) issue of The American Weekly, exclusively with Detroit Sunday Times.

NOTICE RE CHRISTMAS TREE PICKUP

Tuesday, January 8th, 1952, will be Christmas Tree Pickup Day in Winchester. Any person wishing to dispose of a Christmas tree should place it in front of his residence for collection. This will be the only day for collection of Christmas trees. The regular garbage day will be Monday, Jan. 7th, as usual.

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Greetings . . .



Best Wishes for the NEW YEAR

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WINCHESTER, ONT.

Season's Greetings



H. W. ALGATE, Optometrist.

Theatre News!

PICADILLY

Mon., Tues., Wed., DEC. 31-JAN. 1-2

"THE GREAT RUPERT"

There was nothing wrong with these out-of-work acrobats that money couldn't cure, and even though he was only a squirrel, the Great Rupert turned out to be a financial wizard. Starring Terry Moore, Sara Haden, Jimmy Durante and Tom Drake.

"SHADOWS OF THE WEST"

An action-packed, suspense-filled Western picture, with Whip Wilson.

Thurs., Fri., Sat., JANUARY 3-4-5

"LITTLE BIG HORN"

The mighty, intense, dramatic story of a woman's hatred behind history's epic moment. Starring Marie Windsor, Lloyd Bridges and John Ireland. Also Featurette, "THE BRATS," starring Laurel and Hardy.

Next Week's Features

Mon., Tues., Wed., JANUARY 7-8-9

"G. I. JOE"

Robert Mitchum plays his greatest role in the mightiest action drama ever filmed. Starring Robert Mitchum and Burgess Meredith

Thurs., Fri., Sat., JANUARY 10-11-12

"LOST CONTINENT"

Found . . . a new world of fantastic adventure. Starring Hillary Brooks and Caesar Romero. Also Featurette, "NEVADA TRAIL," starring Spade Cooley.

Prize Winners In Merchants' Contests

Local and district residents, who were lucky in the prize drawings, which took place on Christmas Eve in connection with Christmas Contests conducted by Winchester Merchants, were as follows:

At Alex Davidson's Jewellery Store, where five prizes were offered in connection with the Annual Anniversary Contest, Miss Rita Hall, of South Mountain, won the Chest of Silver, with Ticket No. 5862. Other prize winners were: Mrs. William Crummy, a Bulova Watch, Ticket No. 5821; Mason Durant, a Radio, Ticket No. 5859; Clifford Baldwin, an electric iron, Ticket No. 5199; Milton McKibbon, travel alarm clock, Ticket No. 5030. The tickets were drawn by Reeve Walter Moffat.

At Roy Fawcett's Jewellery Store, Mr. J. Marion was the holder of the lucky ticket, given with each purchase of a watch. He will get an all-expense trip to Montreal to attend an N. H. L. Hockey Game, and he may take a friend, whose expenses will also be paid.

At Harry Keyes' Sport Shop, Mr. Howard Harper held the lucky ticket No. 0043, entitling him to choose any article of clothing in the store free.

When Mr. Harper visited Harry's Sport Shop this week, he selected the following goods as his prize for holding the lucky ticket: 1 pair of overalls, pair of mitts, work shirt, cap, suit of underwear, 1 smock and 1 pair of work socks.

The drawings at this store and at Roy Fawcett's Jewellery Store were made by Editor W. F. Workman of the Press.

CHRISTMAS MAIL HEAVIER THAN IN 1950

Although it cost two cents per card to mail season's greetings this year compared with only one cent in 1950, the local post office handled more mail this season than in the previous year.

Postmaster F. Erle Helmer said that during the holiday period 3000 one-cent stamps, 53,400 two-cent stamps, 10,300 three-cent stamps and 13,200 four-cent stamps were sold. This is a substantial increase over last year's sale.

Parcels mailed during the same period were also more numerous and although the exact number is not known, the local postmaster did say that on one particular mail 39 bags of parcels alone were sent out—an indication of the great number.

The postmaster also said that Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 17 and 18, were the two heaviest days, and intimated that more people followed the "mail early campaign" than has been the practice in past years.

BIBLE CLASS HOLDS ANNUAL PARTY

The Ladies' Bible Class of the United Church held its annual party at the home of Mrs. Percy Durant on Thursday evening, Dec. 27th. It was a surprise party as well, as Mrs. Jay Nesbitt celebrated her birthday. The evening was spent in games and contests and during the lunch Mrs. Nesbitt was presented with a beautifully decorated birthday cake. An enjoyable evening closed with prayer by Mrs. Nesbitt.

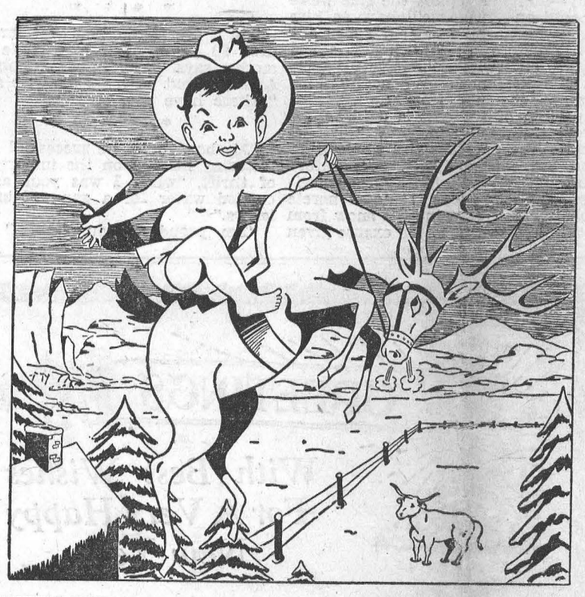
Medical Notice!

Winchester Doctors request that patients confine calls on Wednesday to urgent ones only.

Doctor on Call for Next Wednesday, Jan. 9th, is

DR. WM. M. BYERS

Happy New Year—Buckaroo Style



Winchester To Have Junior Hockey Team

Winchester will have a Junior hockey team of its own this year. The newly organized club has been entered in a northern league in Carleton County with teams from Metcalfe, Richmond, Manotick and Winchester making up the league.

Two weeks ago the prospects for Junior Hockey Club from Winchester for the coming season were worse than the stormy weather that has been plaguing this district. At that time it seemed improbable that a club would be formed, despite the many young players in Winchester and district who were itching for a chance to play hockey again this year.

A vain effort was made earlier in December to re-organize the Junior pucksters—but little fervancy could be stirred among the sports enthusiasts of the town—and worse than that—the local club could not find a suitable league to enter or one that would take them in. This gloomy state of affairs has taken a complete about face in the past few days, and it is now established that the young blood of the town in the Junior age limit will get their chance to chase the puck in a Carleton league.

The fact that Winchester will again have a Junior hockey club was brought on solely by the rightful demand [illegible] co-operation and efforts of a select few reliables who always seem to help the boys out of a tough situation.

However, the local case is not as rosy as it looks. The league has been looked after, there are enough players, there is some equipment, a competent executive has been appointed—but there isn't any financial backing. In short—the club is broke! The fact that the Junior organization is without a bank account is not unlike other years. It's a sorry state that generally arises—because the club receives no fan support throughout the season.

Although the club is amateur in every way, it still takes quite a few long green fins to make ends meet. For example, last year over $175.00 was spent on sticks, tape, etc. Referees' fees amounted to $77.00, repairs, etc., $50.00 On the other side of the ledger, only $98.10 was realized in total gate receipts for the year. Only for the bank balance at the beginning of last year and the donations from local business men did the Junior club come through without going completely bankrupt.

So that the Club will be given a decent start, (purchasing of equipment, etc.), a canvass for funds from the Winchester business men will be made again this year, in the hopes that enough money will be realized to start the ball rolling. After that, it will be up to the individual fan.

Back the Juniors with a donation!

REEVE H. E. DURANT PRESENTED WITH CLUB BAG

At a special meeting of Winchester Township Council, held in the Clerk's Office, Chesterville, on Friday evening, Warden Harold E. Durant, retiring reeve of the township, was presented with a leather Club Bag by the township clerk, Mr. Jacob Steen, who congratulated Mr. Durant on being elected Warden of the United Counties and bringing honours to the Township of Winchester. The presentation was made on behalf of members of Winchester Township Council and civic officials.

Reeve Durant thanked the Council for the gift and wished the members every success in the future.

COMMUNITY

Theatre, Chesterville

Thurs., Fri., Sat., Jan. 3-4-5

"DAY THE EARTH STOOD STILL"

It's out of this world, the suspenseful story of a man from space who journeys to earth on a top-level mission, a man of incredible powers, a man who could not die. With Patricia Neal, Michael Rennie and Hugh Marlowe.

Mon., Tues., Wed., Jan. 7-8-9

"CLOSE TO MY HEART"

Tender and compelling drama, told with the touch of truth aimed at the heart of every father and every mother. It's warm and human, vibrant with vivid emotion. With Ray Milland, Gene Tierney and Fay Bainter.

Foto Night—Canada's biggest cash offer attraction at the Community Theatre every Wednesday.

THE MOST IMPORTANT NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION!

The most important New Year's Resolution to make goes something like this: "I resolve now to keep and strictly adhere to all the New Year's Resolutions I have made." If you can keep this one, you can keep all the others.

RECENT BIRTHS AT THE DISTRICT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

On Thursday, December 20, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Murray Barkley, of R. R. 4, Winchester, a son.

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On Friday, December 21st, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Basil Dawley, of Winchester, a son.

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On Saturday, December 22nd, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Konrad Vallmanson, of R. R. 2, Williamsburg, a daughter.

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On Saturday, December 22nd, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Archie Coulthart, of R. R. 3, Chesterville, a daughter.

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On Saturday, December 22nd, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Keith Fawcett, of Inkerman, a daughter.

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On Sunday, December 23rd, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Fld McDonald.

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On Tuesday, December 25th, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ducalon, of R. R. 3, Winchester, a son.

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On Tuesday, December 25th, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Finlayson, of Chesterville, a daughter.

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On Friday, December 28th, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cassidy, Billings Bridge, a daughter.

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On Friday, December 28th, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vallance, of Montreal, a daughter.

Curling News

There is one place in Winchester where there is no law prohibiting the throwing of stones—as a matter of fact you can throw as many as you like, you can't do any damage, and it's all for free—at least this week. It's an effort by the Winchester Curling Club to create potential curling enthusiasts to come out.

With cold weather prevailing, the ice at the local curling rink, east of the theatre, is in excellent condition, and has been made more attractive this year with the circles painted in various colours. The club rooms are comfortable, the fees are low, and there are several competent teachers to show the beginners how its done.

All in all, it makes for an interesting and inexpensive pastime. Everyone is invited this week to drop around to the Curling Club and inspect the premises. At the same time it would be a good idea to have a free game—on the club. League curling will get under way shortly.

THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS

Everywhere you turned the true spirit of Christmas was apparent—with good cheer, co-operation and friendliness.

In Winchester, as in most municipalities, everyone was trying to help everyone else. The Post Office employees were doing overtime; the local merchants went all out to make Winchester a better shopping centre; the clergy prepared attractive Sunday services, so that we would not forget the true meaning of Christmas; Christmas carols were sung by citizens of the town to the shut-ins; and numerous other worthwhile endeavours were undertaken, such as the 100 Club's needy basket campaign, and the Business Men's Association donation of candy to the youngsters and other organizations.

Individually, the local C. P. R. agent, Bob Ledgerwood, may share some of the limelight in exhibiting Christmas spirit. On Saturday, December 22nd, Bob was scheduled for his usual Saturday holiday. Had he taken it, there is no doubt it would have come in quite handy to finish up last-minute shopping, etc. Instead, the local station master remained at his post until 9 o'clock on Saturday night so that everyone could pick up his or her express parcels. Express was so heavy that it would have been impossible to distribute before Christmas had the station been closed on Saturday. By remaining open, several citizens in this community were not disappointed Christmas morning.

First Hockey Game Here Wednesday

Canada's National Sport returns to the Winchester Arena this Wednesday evening, January 2nd, and providing the deep snow doesn't get any deeper, hockey fans in Winchester, Inkerman and surrounding districts will get their first glimpse of the 1952 edition of the Inkerman Rockets. The LaPorte men will cross sticks with the Brockville Magedomas in a regular P.O.N.Y. hockey fixture, to officially open the puck season here.

Wednesday night's opener will come in the form of a double treat for local fans. Aside from seeing the Rockets in action, the crowd will also see such former Inkerman stars on the Magedomas' roster as Crowder, Baldwin, Trussell, Hurley and others.

Neither the Rockets nor Magedomas have been having a good season to date. With the Red Shirts firmly entrenched in the league cellar and with Magedomas edging toward the same spot, both teams will be evenly matched and it is expected some exciting hockey will be displayed for the benefit of everyone.

Rockets are a smart-looking aggregation this year, with lots of speed and full of the will to win. However, they still lack the finishing touches of last year's great club and are mightily handicapped by a sad lack of scoring power. This may develop before the end of the season, and if it does, the P.O.N.Y. League will have to sit up and take notice of the Red Shirts.

Lloyd LaPorte will be without the services of his star defenceman, Bert Duncan, on Wednesday night, who will be sidelined for another two weeks with a fractured collarbone. Aside from this injury, a full team is expected to be iced.

So that you will have little trouble in distinguishing the new Rocket roster, we are publishing the names of all players with the numbers they wear at each game:

1. Dick Dion, goalie.
2. Connie Mantle.
3. Bert Duncan.
4. John McDonald.
5. Bill Hunter.
8. Glen McKenney.
9. Ed. Bjorness.
10. Bob Ransom.
11. Keith MacDonald.
12. Eugene Turney.
13. Glen Fader.
14. Gerry Moore.
15. Bruce Ferguson.
16. Larry Romhild.
17. Clive Swords.
18. Walter Swords.

Gerry Fleury, spare goal tender.

Following is the remaining part of the schedule for January and February:

January

2—Cornwall at Gananoque.
4—Gananoque at Brockville.
Cornwall at Inkerman.
5—Inkerman at Clinton (x)
6—Inkerman at Clinton (x)
8—Gananoque at Cornwall.
9—Brockville at Gananoque.
11—Cornwall at Brockville.
12—Gananoque at Inkerman.
Brockville at Clinton (x)
13—Brockville at Clinton (x)
Inkerman at Cornwall
14—**Gananoque at Inkerman.**
16—Inkerman at Gananoque.
18—Gananoque at Brockville.
19—Cornwall at Clinton (x)
20—Cornwall at Clinton (x)
21—**Brockville at Inkerman.**
23—Cornwall at Gananoque.
25—Inkerman at Brockville.
26—Gananoque at Clinton (x)
27—Brockville at Cornwall,
Gananoque at Clinton (x)
28—Cornwall at Inkerman.
29—Gananoque at Cornwall
30—Brockville at Gananoque.

February

1—**Gananoque at Inkerman.**
3—Inkerman at Cornwall.
4—**Cornwall at Inkerman.**

Note—Black type indicates games played in Winchester. "x"—4-point games.

HELD OVER

Owing to lack of space and time, many news items, which arrived late, had to be held over until our next issue on January 10th. Many news budgets from district correspondents are among the items held over.

WINCHESTER THEATRE NEWS

Playing Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday is "King Solomon's Mines" in Technicolor, and starring Deborah Kerr and Stewart Granger. Actually filmed in the Dark Continent, this picture brings to our screen scenes never before filmed. See thousands of wild animals in frenzied stampede, one of the most startling scenes ever filmed.

Playing New Year's Eve Midnight Show is "Look For The Silver Lining" in Technicolor, featuring June Haver, Gordon MacRae and Ray Bolger. A fun-packed musical for everyone to enjoy.

Playing Thursday, Friday and Saturday, January 3rd, 4th and 5th, is "Cattle Drive," in Technicolor, and starring Joel McCrae and Dean Stockwell. The story of the great Santa Fe Stampede, when a man's daring and a boy's courage finished the drive they said could never be made.

On the same programme we present extra interesting short subjects and Chapter One of "The Flying Disc Man From Mars."

Playing Monday and Tuesday only, January 7th and 8th, is "People Will Talk," Adult Entertainment, starring Jeanne Crain and Cary Grant. The romantic story you can't afford to miss.

Playing Wednesday and Thursday only, January 9th and 10th, are two of the greatest pictures ever billed together on one programme. First, it's "Three Guys Named Mike," starring Jane Wyman, Van Johnson, Howard Keel and Barry Sullivan. The life, loves and laughs of those gorgeous airline hostesses. This is a picture you will really want to see.

Our second hit is "Bullfighter And The Lady," with Robert Stack and Joy Page. A tense, exciting drama about the men who risk their lives for the sport of others.

Sunday In The Churches

NEW YEAR'S SUNDAY, JANUARY 6th, 1952.

Ideals

"Now, believe me, God hides some ideal in every human soul. At some time in our life we feel a trembling, fearful longing to do some good thing. Life finds its noblest spring of excellence hidden in the impulse to do our best. There is a time when we are not content to be such . . . as we see on the dead level or below it. God stands at the door of the heart all day long, asking that He might fill our lives with all the fruits and fragrance of His Spirit."

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Rev. T. N. Mitchell, Minister.

Winchester: Public Worship at 10.30 a.m. Sunday School at 11.30 a.m. Public Worship at 7.30 p.m.

Harmony: Sunday School at 2.15 p.m. Public Worship at 3.00 p.m.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND
Canon Gordon Carryer, Incumbent.

Winchester: St. Matthias, Holy Communion at 11.00 a.m. South Mountain: St. Peter's, Evensong at 2.30 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. William Reid, Minister.

Winchester: Friday, January 4th, Preparatory Service at 7.30 p.m.

Sunday Services: Sunday School and Bible Class at 10.00 a.m. Holy Communion at 11.00 a.m. Evening Worship at 7.30 p.m.

Winchester Springs: Sunday School and Bible Class at 1.30 p.m. Service of Worship at 2.30 p.m.

BAPTIST CHURCH
Pastor Ben. Richardson, Minister.

Sunday School at 10.00 a.m. Public Worship at 11.00 a.m. Evening Service at 7.30 p.m.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Henry Kielty, Minister.

Winchester: Bible School at 9.45 a.m. Morning Worship at 10.45 a.m. Evening Evangelistic Service at 7.30 p.m.

Hallville—Sunday School at 2.15 p.m. Afternoon Worship at 3.00 p.m.

WEEK OF PRAYER

The churches of Winchester Village will unite for the Annual Week of Prayer Services, beginning on Monday, January 7th, and continuing until Friday, January 11th. The hour of service is 7.45 p.m., and the theme for the services is the "Invitation To Worship." The following is the day and place of worship: Monday, the United Church; Tuesday, [illegible] Baptist Church; Wednesday, Wesleyan Church; and Friday, the Presbyterian Church. The general public is heartily invited to all these services. An offering will be taken at the Friday evening service for the Canadian Council of Churches.

BARN MEETING

Sponsored by the Dundas Holstein Breeders Club, on Wednesday, January 9th, 1952, at 1.30 p.m., at the farm of W. J. Fawcett, Winchester. All are welcome. Valuable Prizes offered. 32c

FEED NEWS

New Year Greeting

Good Wishes are always in Season, but at this time of the year particularly, we like to send Greetings to you all, together with Sincere Wishes for a Joyous Holiday Season, and a New Year of Health, Happiness and Contentment.

A WORD OF APPRECIATION

As we leave 1951, we want to express a word of appreciation to all who have turned a share of their business our way during the year. We are grateful, not only for the business, but also for the friendship of all whom we have the privilege of serving.

We value highly the good-will and confidence of the folks we deal with day after day. To all of them we say a most sincere "Thank you."

CROP IMPROVEMENT CONFERENCE AT KEMPTVILLE, JAN. 3 & 4.

Opens Thursday, January 3rd, at 10.30 and continues with sessions on Thursday afternoon and evening and Friday morning and afternoon. This is one of the most practical and helpful farm meetings held any time during the year.

Addresses on Grain, Forage and Potato varieties. Forage Harvesting and Storage Problems; Seed, Weed and Soil Problems; General Crop and Farm Management.

Competent speakers with lots of experience in the subject they are to discuss.

We have a program at the office showing the time of the addresses on the various subjects. Give us a call—we will be glad to pass on any information we have about the conference.

A CAR OF EXTRA 3 CW OATS

Extra 3 CW Oats have been scarce but we picked up a car the other day and it is in now.

This is the kind you like for poultry feed—order a ton or two now when they are available.

We have also some good quality local Oats with a sprinkle of Barley —excellent to mix in dairy feed—rolled or ground.

Fennell Feed Company

WINCHESTER - - ONT.

The 7th Column

To the readers of this Column, we extend best wishes for the New Year, with the hope that it brings everyone a fair share of peace. happiness, prosperity and contentment.

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The same advice applies to car owners on New Year's Eve as on Christmas Eve: "If you drink, don't drive," and "if you drive, don't drink."

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THE DAY AFTER CHRISTMAS

'Tis the day after Christmas and all through the house
The debris is piled high—there's no room for the mouse!
The stockings that hung by the fire so red
Are still hanging to-day, each reduced to a shred.

The drum we gave John (we were careful to hide it)
Has taken the rap—Jimmy's head is inside it!
The rattles won't rattle—the trumpet won't toot—
The dolls won't say "Mama"—the scooter won't scoot;

The tree decorations we hung with such care—
The balls, the bright tinsel, the doll with real hair,
The toy candles, the holly, the wreath from the door—
All add to the wreckage that litters the floor.

Away from the chaos, confined to her bed,
Poor Mother lies beaten, ice packed on her head.
While her family voiced and received Christmas wishes,
Ma spent the whole day with a sink full of dishes.

And Father, poor Pa, is the man of the minute,
His head feels as though the eight reindeer were in it!
He bought dresses, fur coats, sleighs, shovels and bikes,
But what did poor Pa get? Not much that he likes—

He sits almost buried in loud socks and ties
And says, "Oh boy, that's great!" but we feel that he lies.
A package just came, very handsomely tied
And we rip off the ribbons to see what's inside:
"Merry Christmas"—God bless you!" From Aunt Martha (the dear!).
It's that horrible cushion we sent her last year!

Oh yes, Santa's been here with reindeer and sled
And the things left behind—well, it's better not said.
(Piled high on the mantle, but not on display
Are the bills that poor Father will soon have to pay).

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Talking of snow—it all depends in what section of the village you live in, or in what section your business is located, as far as having your [illegible] cleared of snowdrifts. Main

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LANG'S

Department Store



THE MANAGEMENT AND STAFF OF THIS STORE EXTEND TO ONE AND ALL BEST WISHES FOR THE

Holiday Season



Not only in appreciation of our pleasant business relationship throughout the past years, but in all sincerity we wish you and yours a

Happy and Prosperous New Year

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 3rd, 1952.

Abandoned Farms

Now and them about the countryside one comes upon an abandoned farmhouse, its roof open to the sky, windows blank of glass and doors ajar upon broken hinges.

It makes the casual observer wonder about the desertion of what was once a good home—or perhaps, after looking at the area around it, what impelled the owner to build there in the first place.

When such a house is in a good location, a touch of melancholy—and pride in human effort—can enter the speculation. For here, just as surely as in the case of the pyramids, is a testimony of man's toil and hopes.

It shows in the orchard, now straggly and wild, in the worn stones of what was once the front walk, now heaved and splintered by frost. Most of all, it is displayed in the remains of flower gardens, dimly visible amid overgrown weeds.

This dwelling, now weather-stained and desolate, was once a little world of its own—a miniature of the greater world and effort around it.

Neighbours may have joined in the raising of the house, in one of those heart-warming, co-operative rural efforts known as "housing bees." That wing, now lying defenceless to the sky, may have been added to the house after good crops gladdened the end of a season's toil.

Lifetimes may well be enclosed within those walls. Here people lived and dreamed. Here plans were made, the future was scanned and manful work done toward the realization of its promise. In this sense such a house might well be judged a monument far more meaningful than a granite tomb, comments the Lachute Watchman.

Any Page, A Good Page

Every week we get a request from some individual or organization to "please put this story on the front page where people will see it." This strikes us as being rather funny. You see, the average reader, particularly in a weekly paper, covers the whole paper. As a matter of fact, he usually glances casually at the front page, turns to the other sections of the paper, and then slowly makes his way back to the front page. You cannot "bury" an item in a weekly because the reader will look at every page in the paper. The front page is the front page. It is different in a large city where the world news is generally carried on page one. There the reader interest is focused on the front page. In a weekly newspaper like The Press every page carries an array of local and interesting items.

The front page, of course, is the "show window" of any newspaper. We put many of the newsiest items on the front page, but by no means all of them. It consistently amazes us how stories on the front page are often missed by some of the readers while some little item sandwiched in one of the inner pages will be read always.

It is better, therefore, to say, "give this story a good spot" rather than "put it on the front page."

The Paper Boy

Circulation managers of newspapers say it is getting harder and harder to find carrier boys and keep them on the job. This is a most disturbing bit of news, says The Printed Word. What will the banks and the big corporations do for presidents and board chairmen in the year 2000 if the crop of newspaper carrier boys withers away now? Where will the country turn for elder statesmen? How can there be big shots if they cannot refer to the time when they ran a paper route?

The answer could be that if young people and older people in Canada refuse to do the common tasks on their climb to greater things, there won't be so many greater things for them or the country.

About Milk Prices

Milk sold in the stores should be cheaper than that delivered at the doors, says Col. Tom Kennedy, Ontario's Minister of Agriculture. He is right. But the differential of one cent a quart, he suggests, is not enough, asserts The Financial Post.

It is not necessary to appoint a Royal Commission to find that it costs far more to deliver milk to the consumer than to have the consumer do the delivering himself. If the store trade were properly organized and pushed, the differential in its favor might run as high as five cents per quart. That could be an important saving to families where there are several small children. Of equal importance it would put some real competition into this business, a factor that is almost totally lacking in most Canadian cities now.

It's about time some of these provincial milk boards realized that they are supposed to represent the public, not just special interests, and that the answer to every problem that may come before them is not simply another hoist in the price of milk.

Editorial Notes

This being the last issue of the Press to be published in 1951, we wish to express our appreciation to our advertisers, correspondents, subscribers and friends, for their patronage, co-operation and assistance during the year. As a New Year dawns, may we extend to everyone, best wishes for peace, contentment and happiness.

About the only persons we know of who are enjoying the heavy blanket of snow which is evident in all directions in this district, are the kiddies. They do like to romp and play in the white, fluffy stuff. Dad, too, is not always too keen about every page in the paper, but even Dad is starting to complain about his back aching as he struggles to keep the paths shovelled out.

The 7th Column

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Street, the snow was removed from in front of the premises following every heavy snowstorm. In our present location, the snow is removed from one side of the street only—and that is not the side we're located on—guess we'll have to hire a snow removal crew at our own expense before another heavy storm comes, otherwise we'll have no place to pile the snow. When the town removes the snow from the highway, a portion of the cost is paid by the province—when a private individual does it, he pays for the whole shot, and that's what hurts. It's unfortunate that the municipal authorities cannot adopt some concrete policy about removing the snow from local streets—the feeble excuse given for removing it from one side of St. Lawrence Street only is not founded on facts, as far as the safety of school children is concerned—and we should know, because in our location we see the kiddies going to and returning from school, morning, noon and night. We'll have more to say on this subject later, with some facts and figures to back up our views.

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Did it ever strike you that for the first 20 years of a man's life his mother says, "Where are you going?" And the next 40 years his wife asks, "Where have you been?"

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"My boy," said the successful man lecturing his son on the importance of thrift, "when I was your age I carried water for a gang of bricklayers."

"I'm proud of you, father," answered the boy. "If it hadn't been might have had to do something for your pluck and perseverance, I of that sort myself."

Gospel Gleanings....

Come, I pray you, and hear what is the word that cometh forth from the Lord. (Ezek. 33:30).

Hear, O Earth: behold, I will bring evil upon this people, even the fruits of their thoughts, because they have not harkened unto my words, nor to my law, but rejected it. (Jer. 6:19).

The wise men are ashamed, they are dismayed and taken: lo, they have rejected the word of the Lord: and what wisdom is in them? For they have healed the hurt of the daughter of my people slightly, saying, Peace, peace, when there is no peace. (Jer. 8:9-11).

They have seduced my people, saying, Peace: and there was no peace. (Ezek. 13:10).

Ye have eaten the fruit of lies because thou didst trust in thy way, in the multitude of thy mighty men.—(Hos. 10:13).

Cursed be the man that trusteth in man, and maketh the flesh his arm, and whose heart depart from the Lord. (Jer. 17:5).

Woe to them that go down to heathen lands for help: and depend on planes, and trust in bombs because they are many: and in armies because they are very strong: but they look not unto the Holy One of Israel, neither seek the Lord. (Isa. 31:1, 1952 version).

For my people have committed two evils: they have forsaken me, the fountain of living waters, and hued them out cisterns, broken cisterns, that can hold no water (Jer. 2:13).

The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit: a broken and a contrite heart, O God, thou wilt not despise. (Ps. 51:17).

If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land. (II Chron. 7:14).



STOCKED UP FOR THE NEW YEAR . . . Why a kitten stuffed inside an old sock should symbolize the New Year is anybody's guess. The baby, however, is a surer thing. He's ready to get up on his two chubby feet and say "Happy New Year, everybody."

HINTS FOR THE HOME

The Doughnut Cutter

Dipping the doughnut cutter into hot fat before cutting out the doughnuts will prevent any sticking.

Rubbers

A lilttle glycerin rubbed over the rubber overshoes occasionally will clean the rubber and prevent its drying out.

Poaching Eggs

Try putting one tablespoonful of vinegar into the water in which the eggs are to be poached, to make the white of the egg firm.

Burned Food

Badly burned food can be removed from enameled utensils by use of washing soda added to water in the proportion of one tablespoon to the quart. Boil the liquid in the utensil for ten or fifteen minutes, then scrape out with a clothespin.

Tea-Stained China

Tea stains in china teapots may be removed by soaking overnight in hot soda water, then rubbing with a cloth moistened in vinegar and dipped in salt.

Pie Crust

Too much water makes a pie crust tough and also makes it hard to roll out. Add about a teaspoonful of water at a time, and use as little flour as possible on the rolling pin and board.

Knives

If a kitchen knife or fork comes loose in the handle, fill the opening in the handle with powdered resin. Then heat the handle end of the implement and force it into the handle opening. Tie a string around it and allow it to remain until dry.

NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS

Harry Joule

WINCHESTER, ONTARIO.

GREETINGS

With Best Wishes For A Very Happy New Year

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HAPPIEST NEW YEAR

Holiday Greetings

Ralph S. Allison & Sons

WINCHESTER SPRINGS, ONT.

New Year Greetings

At this festive season of the year we like to express our appreciation to our customers and friends for their valued patronage throughout the year, and to wish one and all a Real Happy and Prosperous New Year.

D. L. BERRY & SONS

South Mountain, Ont.

GREETINGS

To you, with whom our associations during the present year have been of the happiest, we extend Season's Greetings, with our best wishes for a Very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

ROSS BECKSTEAD - Williamsburg

Holiday Greetings to All

As the holiday season comes to a close we are reminded that this successful year is due in no small measure to your generous patronage. Kindly accept our cordial good wishes for a HAPPY NEW YEAR.

Jo-Anne Shoppe

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Holiday GREETINGS

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WILLIAMSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. L. Tully, of Portage la Prairie, Man., arrived on Thursday to spend the Christmas season with Mrs. Tully's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Strader McIntosh, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick McIntosh.

The School Concert in Williamsburg Public School on Friday afternoon last was very successful, with a large crowd present.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Casselman entertained at their home for Sunday evening dinner: Rev. C. H. Whitteker, D.D., of Bridegwater, N. S.; Mr. and Mrs. Ward Whitteker, of Ottawa; Mr. R. C. Whitteker, Donald and Charles, Mr. Wm. R. Whitteker, Mrs. Effie Barkley, Mr. and Mrs. John Whitteker and family, all of Williamsburg. The occasion was in honour of their brother, Rev. Dr. Hugh Whitteker.

Mrs. David Patterson, of Winchester, and Mrs. Marjorie Hanson, of Kingston, were dinner guests on Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Strader. Mrs. Hanson is leaving shortly with her uncle, Mr. Patterson, of Calgary, where she plans to spend some time at his home.

Mrs. Vaughn Smith and her daughter and son-in-law, from Regina, spent the Christmas season here with relatives.

SOUTH MOUNTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. George, of Brockville, were visitors in town recently.

Mrs. Floyd Williams and little Sharon, of Niagara Falls, spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Thompson.

Mrs. Alex Kirker, of Inkerman, spent the past month with Mrs. Fred Weagant.

Mr. John Shaver spent the past week with friends at Ottawa.

C. W. L. Bazaar

On Tuesday, December 18th, the Catholic Women's League held their annual bazaar in the I.O.O.F. Hall with a large attendance. All articles were sold and at the close a drawing for a quilt went to Dr. C. Stirtan, and the mystery prize to Mrs. John Doyle.

P. S. Christmas Concert

On Thursday evening, December 20th, at 8 p.m., the South Mountain Public School held their annual Christmas Concert in the I.O.O.F. Hall with a large attendance. The following numbers made up the program:

Grades 1, 2, 3 and 4, directed by Mrs. G. Cleland.

Recitation, "Greetings," by Larry Berry.

Chorus, "Six Little Milk Maids," by Heather Boyd, Nancy Wilson, Eda Travaille, Dianna Kenney, Jean Bilow and Barbara Laushway.

Brownies' Dance, by Billie Shaver, David Cameron, Bobby Kenney, Ray Crowder, Teddy Boyd and Larry Berry.

Duet, "Sunbonnet Sally and Overall Jim" by Judy Marriner and Clair Robinson.

Chorus, "I've Got The Mumps," by Bobby Boyd, Johnny VanBridger, Paul Barkley, Clair Robinson, Teddy Farrell, Teddy Robinson, George Hitsman and Douglas Hitsman.

Backward Drill—Douglas Monteith, Elwood Jackson, Earl Weir, Gordon Richardson, Terry Halpenny and Harold Hitsman.

Lullaby by Grades 1 and 2 girls.

Duet, "Silent Night," sung in Dutch by Eda and Bottie Travaille.

(Grade 5, 6, 7 and 8, directed by Mr. G. Scott)

Two-part singing: "Nicerene And Fair' and "Hear The Bells."

Recitation: "God Night," by Donnie Oshier.

Play: "'Twas The Fight Before Christmas" by Carrie Bothwell, Joan Robinson, Billie Guy, Donnie Oshier, Douglas Boyd, Joyce Monteith and Lynn Boyd.

Play: "The Truth Telling Machine" by Dale Boyd, Carrie Bothwell, Wayne Boyd, Marlene Crowder, Lelah Francis, Charlene Hamill, Janet Ann Gilroy, Ronnie Stirtan, Emmett Doyle and Eugene Murdock.

National Anthem.

At the close Santa Claus appeared and each child got a present and a bag of candy. Special thanks is extended to Mr. G. Scott and Mrs. G. Cleland from all the children for their work, and also to Mrs. Craig, the accompanist.

PLEASANT VALLEY

We wish the editor and staff and readers a happy and prosperous New Year.

Mrs. Mary Gilmer returned home on Sunday after spending some time visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Conley and other friends at Prescott.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gilmer were callers in Iroquois recently.

The many friends of Mr. Robert J. Gilmer will be pleased to hear that he is on the gain, after his recent accident.

Mrs. Howard Conley, of Prescott, took tea on Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. Mary Gilmer and Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Gilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Gilmer and Mr. Jas. Gilmer were recent callers in Cornwall.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken. Hunter and Glen spent Thursday at Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Sears, Barbara and Carl, spent a day recently in Brockville.

This community extends sympathy to Mrs. Sam R. Hamilton in the passing of her brother, Mr. Geo. Irving, of Ventnor, on Sunday morning.

Miss Enid Hamilton, of Ottawa, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam R. Hamilton.

The school concert, under the leadership of the teachers, Mrs. Don. Francis and Mrs. Jane Graham, was a very enjoyable affair, and appreciated by all.

Mr. Gordon Gilmer called on his brother, Mr. David F. Gilmer, on Monday.

Mrs. Delmer Adams and Marilyn, of Dixons Corners, spent a day recently with her father, Mr. James Gilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Gilmer, Joyce, Ross and Basil, were tea guests on Sunday evening of her mother, Mrs. Jeffery, and Ross, of South Mountain.

WINCHESTER SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Allison entertained on Christmas Day, Mrs. A. Dillabough, Ottawa; Mrs. A. B. Allison, Winchester; Dr. and Mrs. D. Docksteader and Brian, Chesterville; Mr. and Mrs. Milt. Swerdfeger and girls, of Glen Stewart, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Allison.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Bertha Merkley in the death of her brother, Mr. Melvin Coons.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Keyes spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnston and family at Dixon's Corners.

Mr. Salem Coons, of Hamilton, attended the funeral of his brother, Mr. Melvin Coons, on December 22 at Massena, N. Y., and spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Bertha Merkley.

Miss Tottie Reveler, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald McIntosh and Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. John McIntosh and Mr. Ronald McIntosh, of Ottawa; Miss Orion McIntosh and Mr. Elmore McIntosh, of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. George McIntosh and children, of Elma, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McIntosh and Larry, of Morrisburg, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McIntosh.

Misses Orion McIntosh, Irene Steele, Mary and Marguerite Shane, and Messrs. Allen Davidson, Keith Allison and Ronald McIntosh spent the holidays at their respective homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald McPherson, of Kingston, spent Christmas week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Munro.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne McIntosh and Mr. Roy McIntosh spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Marlin, at Kemptville.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. Elburn McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Proudman, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bramwell and baby, and Mr. Gordon McIntosh spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Barkley at Dixons Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald McPherson had dinner Christmas night with Mr. and Mrs. Orren Dupreau, of Iroquois.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Rice and Geraldine spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Darling, at Grantley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne McIntosh spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Elburn McIntosh and family.

Miss Ann Ropars, of Grand Ligne, Que., is spending the Christmas holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Robinson and Mr. Denzil Robinson had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dillabough, of Morewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Robinson had Christmas dinner in the evening and entertained Mr. Whitteker, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Robinson and Mr. Denzil Robinson.

Miss Evelyn Walker, of Toronto, spent the Christmas holidays at her home here.

Rev. and Mrs. Basil Adams and daughter called on Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Robinson on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McIntosh and Miss Tottie Reveler were entertained to dinner on Wednesday evening at th home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cass at Chesterville.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Adams and family, of Kars; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Adams and family, of Williamsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Holmes and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holmes entertained the latter's mother, Mrs. Merkley, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Merkley and family and Miss Merkley, of Nation Valley, on Christmas.

Rev. and Mrs. Basil Adams and daughter spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Adams.

HULBERT

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Montgomery, Beverley and Dale, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Montgomery spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Humphries, of Cardinal.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Graham and family and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Flegg and Jean had Christmas supper with Mr. and Mrs. John Gilroy, South Mountain.

Mrs. Chris. Mellan is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Stewart Christie, and Mr. Christie.

Mrs. Donald Lawless spent a couple of days with her son, Carl, and mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Flegg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Adams spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Herb Feader, of Brinston.

Mr. and Mrs. Cledius Francis and family and Miss Eva Myers had Christmas dinner with Mrs. Joe Thorpe and Miss Luva Thorpe.

MARVELVILLE

Thursday evening. Dec. 20th, the United Church Sunday School held their annual Christmas Concert, but due to a bad storm the crowd was small, so the concert was put on again on Dec. 26th. A much better crowd attended.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robb and Jackie and Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Hill gathered to spend Christmas with Mrs. D. Hill and Earl, of Marvelville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Robinson entertained Mrs. H. McIntosh and family, of Mille Roche, on Christmas. Jackie MacIntosh remained for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stearns, of Russell, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. O. Stearns and Eleanor, of Marvelville.

Christmas visitors at Mr. J. B. McVey's were: Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fitch, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McVey, Miss Margaret McVey, Mr. and Mrs. G. Graham and Mr. and Mrs. James McVey.

Mrs. F. W. Fader and children spent Christmas at her mother's, Mrs. A. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McCormick entertained their niece, Miss Hazel Robinson, of Ottawa, on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Stanley and family had Christmas supper with Mr. and Mrs. N. J. McCormick.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Campbell, of Kingston, and Messrs. Lorne and James McCormick, formerly of Kenmore, spent Christmas evening with Mr. and Mrs. N. J. McCormick.

A Box Social and Dance was held in the Public School on Dec. 27th, with a good crowd in attendance. Ken. McCallum and LeFrance's Orchestra provided music for dancing.

Misses Beverley and Marilyn Carkner, of Kenmore, were visitors of Miss Shirley McCormick on Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

NORTH MOUNTAIN

Rev. and Mrs. Baugh had dinner on Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kerford and Susan, of Fort Francis, spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John Kerford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shaw and family and Mr. Gordon Robinson spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Lanson Hyndman.

Miss Donna Hyndman, of Cardinal, is spending the Christmas holidays at her parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hyndman and girls spent Christmas Day in Ottawa as guests of Mrs. Annie Clark and Miss Gertrude Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Butler and girls spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Basil Hunter, of Brockville.

Mr. Rae Andrews spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Christie and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boucher, of Ney York City, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boucher and children.

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BOWLING SCORES

Monday, Christmas Eve, found most bowlers too busy to bowl. The Fennell Group arrived and turned in some very good scores, Evelyn Fennell taking both ladies' honours, 506-213. Ken Wylie took both the men's honours with a nice single of 315, crossing 634.

The Community League missed out on Tuesday, Christmas Day.

Marjorie Black led the ladies in the South Mountain Mixed League on Wednesday, rolling a high single of 202 and other games of 168 and 195 to cross 565. Joan Kelso had a single of 218, crossing 543. Bun Lurny took double honours for the men with a nice cross of 717 made up of the night's high single, a 282, and other games of 189 and 246.

Mrs. Zola Levere walked off with both ladies' honours in the Morewood Mixed League on Thursday with games of 215, 152 and 164 to cross 534. Glenn McGregor took the men's high cross with strings of 206, 221 and 201 to cross 628. Dalton Baker had the high single, a 247, crossing 608.

Lillian Acres took double honours in the Glamour Girls League, rolling a high single of 257 and other strings of 249 and 145 to cross 651. Phyllis Henderson had 625-234. Nice singles included: Myrtle Dukelow 252, Mabel McIntosh 204, Lula Daawley 202, Audrey Bolton 201.

In the Country Gentlemen's League on Thursday and Friday, Bill Porteous rolled a high single of 292 and other strings of 190 and 209 to cross 691 and take double honours. Other scores included: Murray Holmes 668-280, Bob Bronson 624-237, Rae Berry 624-238.

Due to weather conditions, the Finch Group could not make it on Friday evening, so that opened the way for the Young People who were in town attending the Young People's Winter Convention at the United Church to get some bowling in, along with skating or enjoying the movies at the Winchester Theatre.

A Happy New Year To All!

THE LATE MRS. CATHERINE STANIFORTH

A resident of Winchester and district for over 30 years, Mrs. Catherine Staniforth passed away at her home here on Monday, following a lengthy illness.

The deceased was born in Arundel, Que., 78 years ago. Her husband, the late Frank Staniforth, predeceased her in 1929.

Surviving are: two daughters, Mrs. E. Moore, of Ottawa, and Mrs. W. Wilson, Kingston; one brother, residing in Quebec, and one sister, Mrs. Archie Boyer, Winchester. A son predeceased her in 1918. Several grandchildren and great grandchildren also survive.

The funeral was held at the Vice & Craig Funeral Home in Winchester on Wednesday morning. Rev. David Stewart, of Montreal, conducted the service. The remains were placed in the vault at Maple Ridge. The pall-bearers were four grandsons, Messrs. Earl Wilson, Lloyd Wilson, Garry Wilson and Leonard Moore.

The beautiful floral tributes, which testified to the high esteem in which the deceased was held, were as follows: Wreaths, Daughters; Mr. and Mrs. J. Dool, Kemptville; Sprays, Wilson Grandchildren; Wesleyan Methodist Church, Winchester; Cut Flowers, Moore Grandchildren; Winchester Neighbours.

TURKEY SUPPER FOR MOUNTAIN CALF CLUB

A Turkey Supper, in honour of Mountain Calf Club's Judging Team, which won nationwide honours this year, will be held in the I.O.O.F. Hall, South Mountain, on Tuesday, January 8th, commencing at 6.30 p.m. The guest speaker will be Mr. A. M. Barr, Principal of Kemptville Agricultural School. The event is being sponsored by Mountain Township Agricultural Society and catered to by the South Mountain Women's Institute. Tickets now on sale. Everybody welcome. 32p

NOTICE

Pursuant to adjournment, the January Session of the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry will be held in the Council Chambers, County Buildings, Cornwall, on Tuesday, the 15th day of January, A.D. 1952, at two o'clock p.m.

L. C. KENNEDY,
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Classified Advts.

NOTICE—Advertisements for our Classified Columns, such as For Sale, Wanted, Found, Lost, Cards of Thanks, In Memoriam, etc., are inserted on a **Cash** basis only. They will not be accepted over the telephone. They must be brought to the office or mailed with remittance enclosed. Rates will be given on request.

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WANTED—A Girl to work in Egg Grading Station. Apply to Hylo Eggs, Winchester. 32-33c

IN MEMORIAM

IN MEMORIAM—In loving memory of our beloved brother, John Richardson, who passed away on December 18th, 1950.

There's a loved one in the Glory
Whose dear form we often miss,
When we close our earthly story
We shall join him in the bliss.

—Ever remembered by his brother and sister-in-law, Ben and Nan Richardson. 32p

IN MEMORIAM—In loving memory of our darling daughter, Shirley Jean Riddell, who died suddenly January 5th, 1945.

We have only your memory, dear Shirley,
To remember our whole life through,
But the sweetness will linger forever,
As we treasure the image of you.

—Ever remembered by Father, Mother, Sister and Brother. 32c

CARD OF THANKS

CARD OF APPRECIATION—I wish to express my appreciation to all those who called on me to sing Carols, which I enjoyed very much. Wishing you all a very Happy and Prosperous New Year.—Mrs. Bertha Leason. 32p

CARD OF THANKS—Mrs. Keith Laushway, of South Mountain, wishes to thank the many friends who remembered her while she was a patient in the District Memorial Hospital here. Special thanks is extended to the doctors and nursing staff for their kind and efficient attention. 31p

CARD OF APPRECIATION—We wish to express our appreciation to all those who patronized our business during the year 1951. Wishing you all the best of everything in the New Year.—The Leasons. 32p

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to convey our thanks and appreciation to you who so kindly remembered us this Christmas Season. It is our sincere wish that you may enjoy a Happy and Prosperous New Year.—Staff, Royal Bank of Canada, Winchester, Ont. 32p

CARD OF THANKS—The members of the local Bell Telephone Staff would like to extend thanks to all who remembered them with cards, treats, credit slips, etc., at Christmas time. We assure you these favours were all deeply appreciated.—Alice Rice, Chief Operator. 32p

CARD OF THANKS—Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Erratt wish to thank all those who remembered them on the occasion of their 53rd Wedding Anniversary on December 21st, and at Christmas time, with gifts, cards, letters, etc. Special thanks to the Postmaster and his staff, the L.O.B.A., and the neighbours, for special courtesies extended. 32p

CARD OF THANKS—We, the sister, daughters and grandchildren of Mrs. Catherine Staniforth desire to express our sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness and floral offerings received from neighbours and friends in our recent bereavement. Mr. and Mrs. McGuff wish to thank Mr. Wylie and the township for ploughing out their lane. These kindnesses will long be remembered. 32p

NOTICES

PERSONAL — Hygienic Supplies (Rubber Goods) mailed postpaid in plain, sealed envelope with price list. Six samples 25c, 24 samples, $1.00. Mail Order Dept. M-57, Nov-Rubber Co., Box 91, Hamilton, Ont. tfc.

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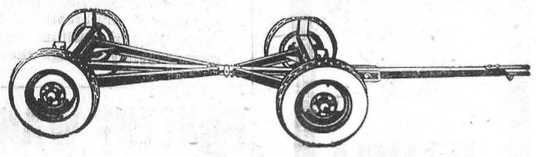
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Midst a world who bears so proudly
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In our hearts the flower of kindness,
In our hands the weapons strong,
Mindful of the love that binds us
To this land where we belong.

Bless the boys whom mothers cherish
Guard the men who march away,
May their strong endeavours flourish
Till the seeds of wrath decay.

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Man to man, as brothers be;
With the word of friendship spoken
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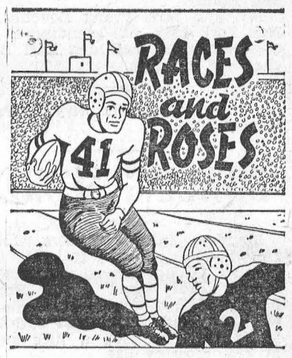

IF A THING of beauty is a joy forever, a good idea is a good idea for a reasonable length of time, at least. And hundreds of thousands of dollars are spent annually by hundreds of thousands of people who think collegiate football on New Year's Day is a good idea.

The fabulous Rose Bowl game started out as a supplement to the Tournament of Roses when the first east-west game was played on January 1, 1902. Of course, it might have been a better idea—from the California point of view — if the barnstorming University of Michigan had not barnstormed to a 49 to 0 victory over Stanford.

This might have had something to do with substituting chariot races for the football game in 1903.

Originally run with amateur drivers, the chariot races became professional affairs after the first few years, and the public lost interest. The year 1916 brought a return to collegiate football via a contest in which Washington state defeated Brown university.

Prior to dedication of the Rose Bowl in Arroyo Seco, the games were played in Tournament Park. In 1923, the bowl in Arroyo Seco was dedicated with an original seating capacity of 85,000. Recent enlargement made it possible for a paid attendence of 100,234 in 1949.

The tremendous success of the Rose Bowl classic has 'mushroomed' various 'Bowl' games from coast to coast. Among the many, there are the Orange Bowl, the Sun Bowl, the Sugar Bowl, the 'Gater Bowl, Hawaii's Pineapple Bowl, and even Alaska's Ice Bowl.

All these 'Bowl' games are rapidly becoming a great American New Year's tradition, but the daddy of them all, the Rose Bowl game, continues to be the outstanding collegiate sporting event of the season.

Day of Creation Is Basis of Calendar Giving Year as 5711

According to Jewish dogma and tradition, the Day of Creation antedated the birth of Christ approximately 3,761 years. Thus, the Jewish calendar, which the Jews adopted during the 15th century, reads 5711 in relation to 1950 A.D.

Use of the notation A.D. (in the year of our Lord) was inaugurated by Charles III of Germany, who affixed the symbolism to the years of his reign in 879. The system of retroactively dating the years prior to the Saviour's birth and dedicating the succeeding years to His greater Glory was invented, along with the Christian era, by a monk about 532 A.D. The Christian era begins on January 1 in the middle of the fourth year of the 194th Olympiad, the 753rd year of the building of Rome and in 4714 of the Julian period.

The Julian period, invented by Joseph Scaliger about 1583 A.D., was devised by multiplying the lunar cycle 19, solar cycle 28 and the Roman indiction 15.

Apparently the Egyptians were the first to figure out any 'exact' measurement of time (about 4,000 B.C.). Having devised a 'calendar,' the experts turned their attention to estimating the date of the 'beginning' and the Mundane era of Alexander fixed that estimate at 5502 B.C.

Modern research has developed a new time clock, which utilizes the principle of radioactivity. Wood samples now can be radioactively 'dated' as far back as 4,600 years, and atomic scientists hope soon to extend their measurements as far back as 20,000 years—long before the dawn of history.

And there is plenty of room to go back, back, back, since astronomers and geologists estimate the earth to be at least three or four billion years old.

First Day, First Moon Began Chinese New Year

New Year's was a 15-day affair in old China when festivities began on the First Day of the First Moon and climaxed on "Teng Chieh", the Feast of Lanterns.

After the family gatherings traditional to New Year's Day, exchanges of gifts and all sorts of entertainments were in order until "Teng Chieh."

Northern China commemorated "Teng Chieh" very simply. Paper lanterns, hung in doors and windows, symbolized the advent of the longer days. Southern China, however, climaxed the festivities with spectacular lantern-lit parades featuring huge fire-breathing dragons, supported from within by many men, wiggling through the streets.

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Accustomed as we are to celebrating New Year's day on the first of January, we are apt to agree with Charles Lamb that "No one ever regarded the First of January with indifference."

But on second thought—or perhaps because we would like to pick on Mr. Lamb a little because our English teachers warned us that we couldn't possibly amount to anything if we didn't like the Essays of Elia—we venture a few observations.

To begin with, prior to September 14, 1752, England and her American colonies regarded January 1 with indifference, at least as far as New Year was concerned, because New Year's day was observed on March 25.

For that matter, many peoples who continue to use the Gregorian calendar still solemnize traditional feasts, including New Year, in accordance with ancient calendars not at all congruent with the one presented to the world by Pope Gregory XIII in 1582. For example:

The Jews observe a 10-day New Year season at the time of the autumn equinox. The observances begin on Rosh Hashana and end on Yom Kippur: Rosh Hashana commemorates the Day of Creation and is also the annual day of Judgment, with that judgment being irrevocably sealed on Yom Kippur (the Day of Atonement); therefore, the spirit of penance dominates the solemnities.

Penance is also a feature of Hindu observances, solemnized in accordance with the ancient lunar calendar during the spring equinox.

The Moslem calendar (dating from 626, A. D.) is unique: the 12 months of the year begin with the approximate new moon without any intercalation to keep them geared to the seasonal equinoxes. Thus, the months—and New Years, too—retrograde through the entire year in about 33½ years.

Going back prior to England's adoption of the Gregorian calendar in 1752, Mr. Lamb's own grandfather could have told him—and probably did—about the flagons of ale which went 'round on New Year's eve, March 24-25.

Traditions Are Set Universally

One thing about New Year traditions, they are universal, irrespective of calendar variations or the race and creed of the observants.

Endeavoring to get the New Year off to a good start, the Chinese pay up their debts on New Year's Eve. And the English claim it's a good idea to start a savings account on January 1, since what you do on New Year's Day is indicative of what the ensuing year will be like. A round loaf of bread dipped in honey symbolizes Jewish hopes for a smooth (the roundness of the bread) and prosperous (the honey) New Year.

The same spirit of hospitality and sociability that makes the Wassail Bowl such a success in Scotland prompts Armenian housewives of Persia to get up extra early on New Year's Day and set about baking the traditional New Year cakes.

The baking must be done early, for the New Year is the day for visiting and entertaining.

New Year in France Day Par Excellence

January 1, la jour de la bonne annee, is the day par excellence in France.

It is the day of gift-giving and of ringing doorbells. Besides friends who come to present gifts, tradespeople are accustomed to call to offer compliments of the day and receive, in turn, small sums of money.

The atmosphere is full of joy and gaiety and hospitality. Gifts are proudly displayed and callers come and go amid many compliments and the toasting of everyone's health.

Jour de l'an has its serious side, too. Many families visit the graves of departed members, since this day is considered an appropriate time to remember the dead as well as the living.

The churches generally are crowded on New Year's Eve, which is also the Vigil of St. Sylvester, and early pontiff and father of the Church. In various rural communities, the cattle are driven to the door of the village church where they are blessed by the priest who also says Mass for their protection during the New Year.

NEW YEAR GREETINGS

Good Wishes are always in season, but at this time of the year particularly, we like to send Greetings to you all, together with Sincere Wishes for a Joyous Holiday Season, and a New Year of Health, Happiness and Contentment.

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The following is the slate of officers for 1952: Hon. president, Mrs. Wm. Logan; past president, Mrs. Percy Cumming; president, Mrs. G. Baugh; 1st vice president, Mrs. Lloyd Logan; 2nd vice president, Mrs. Fenton Hyndman; recording secretary, Mrs. H. B. Campbell; treasurer, Mrs. Thos. Dougall; assistant, Mrs. Wm. Coleman; press, Mrs. Osborne Kerr; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Wm. Coleman; Missionary Monthly, Mrs. Thos. Coleman; literature, Mrs. Leslie Simser; supply, Mrs. R. B. Hyndman; associate members, Mrs. Percy Cumming; intercessory prayer. Mrs. J. A. Hyndman; temperance and Christian citizenship, Mrs. Wm. Allen; Christian stewardship, Mrs. L. Logan; pianists, Mrs. Andrew Logan and Mrs. H. B. Campbell; finance committee, Mrs. F. Milne, Mrs. Wm. Rennick, Mrs. Dave Hoy, Mrs. R. L. Kerr; nominating committee, Mrs. Thos. Coleman, Mrs. Carman Cumming, Mrs. Alex Kerr; Mission Band leader, Mrs. Robert McConnell; assistant, Miss Jean Cumming; auditors, Mrs. R. B. Hyndman and Mrs. Wm. Shaw.

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Before Revolution Russians Welcomed New Year Heartily

Pre - revolutionary Russia welcomed the New Year with booming cannon—a hundred shots fired at midnight.

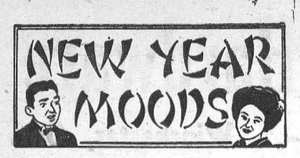
The observance of the New Year on January 1, according to the Gregorian calendar, was instituted by Peter the Great in 1700. The evening of December 31, known as St. Sylvester's Eve, was the time for great fun and enjoyment.

In Petrograd (later St. Petersburg, and now Leningrad) the streets were gayly decorated with flags and lanterns, and thronged with merry-makers. After the booming cannon ushered in the New Year, the Czar formally received the good wishes of his subjects.

On New Year's Day the Winter Palace was opened to society. Festivity reigned throughout the city, hospitality and charity were the watchwords from palace to cottage, at least, at New Year's time.

The mythical Ovsen was supposed to be around about this time. He was usually depicted astride a boar, symbolically associated with the pork served for New Year dinner and the symbolism of Aryan descent.

Ovsen's name (so like the French words for oats) suggests his influence over matters pertaining to the harvest. Since earliest times, Russian boys were accustomed to go from house to house, encouraging everyone 'across' the gulf between the Past and Future Year, while scattering oats and other grains in petition for a bountiful harvest.



NEW YEAR'S DAY always has been a red letter day in Japan.

Japanese bells ring out 108 times at midnight on New Year's Eve, ushering in the New Year and reminding the people of the 108 commandments of Buddha.

Among the ancient customs still observed, there is the practice of scattering parched beans about the



house, supposedly driving away evil influences and inviting good luck to enter.

Firemen always have been popular heroes because the flimsy construction of Japanese homes involve tremendous fire hazards. So another feature of New Year's Day is the annual dezomeshiki—parade of the fire brigades.

The people of Japan still observe many age-old customs, with regard to the New Year.

New Year Observed March 25 in England Before Calendar Change

Prior to England's adoption of the Gregorian calendar in 1752, New Year's Day was observed on March 25, and of course, New Year's eve was March 24.

The English always had a big time on New Year's Eve, and after the Puritan government abolished Christmas and absolutely forbade any solemnization or celebration thereof, the people vented all their holiday spirit on the New Year.

Even after the restoration of the Stuarts brought about a revival of Christmas customs and traditions, Christmas never reattained its former eminence; but New Year went right along, surviving Puritanism and later, in 1752, the switch in calendars and the date of its observance.

WANTED—EXTRA POUNDS

Those who are underweight should have a medical checkup to make sure that the lack of poundage is not due to any form of disease. If the health is normal, try to add weight by getting more rest, by relaxing whenever possible and by eating a balanced diet, with emphasis on the calorie content of the food. If over middle age, it is much safer to be underweight than over.

THE MIXING BOWL

By Anne Allan
HYDRO HOME ECONOMIST

Happy New Year everyone! During the holiday season when the home is garlanded with colored electric lights on wreaths, mantles and the Christmas tree, informal entertaining seems to fit any occasion. Buffet meals can be most successful when planned informally. Buffet parties are easy to plan and they are probaby the favourite of the men.

The buffet table should have continuity in arrangement so that the guests may wait on themselves as they move along the side of the table. If the room is small, push the table against one wall and place your flowers and candles against the wall rather than in the centre. Decorations will then provide an attractive background for your serving dishes. Stack plates in one or two piles at the end of the table and the silver in parallel or V-lines on either side of the plates. Next to these place the napkins folded in a relatively small shape. The dishes of food are arranged according to their shape and colour. However, bowls of sauce mixtures should be placed at the edge of the table for ease in serving. Many hostesses feel it lends a gracious touch to ask a friend to preside over the main dishes. In any event she will do well to designate a hostess to pour tea or coffee or serve punch from a side table.

All of this brings us to the most important point of the food itself.

New Year's Eve Buffet

Hot Consomme, Cheese Squares, Cold Sliced Turkey and Ham, Cranberry Sauce, or Jelly, Jewel Salad, Hot Buttered Rolls, Pickles, Olives, Celery, Sliced Fruit Cake, Holiday Cookies, Coffee, Punch.

Scandinavian Buffet

Sardines, Smoked Oysters, Stuffed Eggs, Shrimps, Corned Beef, Cured Meats, Potato Salad, Relishes, Rye Bread, Poppy Rolls, Cheese Tray, Danish Pastry, Coffee.

TAKE A TIP

1. Keep the instruction leaflets and guarantees packed with the electrical equipment given to you for Christmas. Read them carefully and then file where they will be available for reference.

2. If there are no directions accompanying new electric appliances, phone or write to the manufacturer.

3. Be sure to wipe off new equipment with a slightly damp cloth. Never immerse electrical units in water.

4. Season a new electrical waffle iron with salad oil; it is then not necessary to re-season.

5. Preheat the electric table broiler for 5 minutes before toasting food.

6. Do not use plastic or thinly covered extension cord for heating appliances; attach the recommended heating cord.

7. Be wary where an extension cord is placed. It should never be laid across a doorway or in the path of traffic.

8. Never use a frayed or defective extension cord. It is wiser to purchase a new one since winding electric tape around a cord for a heating appliance slows down the heating of the unit.

9. Never overload any one circuit.

10. Replace a blown fuse with one of the same number of amperes as marked on the end of the one to be discarded. It is usually 15 amperes unless it is a fuse for the electric oven.

11. Never stand on a wet floor when you are reaching into the main fuse box.

12. Keep a supply of lamps on hand so that there may be light from any socket.

REQUESTED RECIPES

Festive Punch

2 cups sugar, 2 cups water, 10 cloves, 1 tbsp. cinnamon, 1 tbsp. of ginger, 1-2 cup lemon juice, 2 cups orange juice, 1-4 tsp. peppermint, green coloring, green cherries.

Boil sugar and water for 5 minutes. Add cloves, cinnamon and ginger; cover and let stand until cold. Add fruit juices, strain, color green, add peppermint. Let stand for one hour in electric refrigerator; serve (1 part punch to 2 parts ginger ale) with ice. Garnish with green cherries. Serves 12.

Two Tone Salad

1 package lime jelly powder, 1 cup canned pineapple pieces, 1 package cherry jelly powder, 1-2 cup grapefruit sections, 1 cup pear, cubed.

Dissolve lime jelly according to directions. When partially set, fold in pineapple. Chill in electric refrigerator. Meanwhile dissolve cherry powder. Fold in pear. Chill until partially set; then pour over firm lime jelly. Leave in refrigerator about 3 hours. Serves 6 to 8.

Pecan Tarts

1-4 cup butter or substitute, 3-4 cup brown sugar, 3 eggs, 1-4 cup flour, 1-2 tsp. salt, 1 1-2 cups corn syrup, 2 cups broken pecans, 1-2 tsp. maple extract.

Cream butter and sugar, add beaten eggs, then flour, salt, syrup, nuts and extract. Line tart pans with pastry, put a spoonful of mix into each. Bake in electric oven of 450 degs. for 10 minutes, then reset heat control to 350 degs. and continue baking about 15 mins.

DINNER DEPUTY

Using alternates for high-priced meats is an economical move that doesn't sacrifice nourishment but does help the budget. Cheese, fish, variety meats, peanut butter or dried beans are all good sources of proteins, minerals and vitamins and can be served in many attractive ways.

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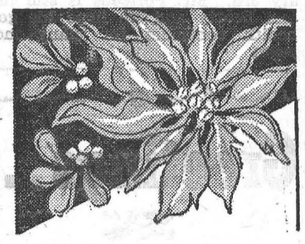

.GREETINGS.

As we approach a New Year, we are mindful of the patronage extended to us in the past, for which we express our sincere thanks. May 1952 be kind to you, bringing you a full measure of Health, Wealth and Prosperity.

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WAYNE AND SHUSTER



Seeing double? That's what radio songstress Terry Dale thought when two bewhiskered gents in North Pole outfits suddenly appeared with a box of chocolates for her when she was putting up her Christmas tree. Then one of the Santas pulled his beard down a little and revealed the mischievous grin of radio comedian Johnny Wayne. Of course, the other jolly old customer could be none other than Frank Shuster. They explained to Terry that they were just getting into the mood for their pre-Christmas broadcast of The Wayne and Shuster Show. (Heard Thursday nights at 9.30 on the CBC Trans-Canada network). Terry is their featured vocalist.

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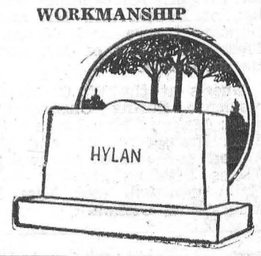

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Not because of custom long established of extending greetings at the holiday season, but because of sincerity of our appreciation, of your kindly friendships and loyal patronage, we are prompted by the spirit of the season to wish you a

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As the year 1951 draws to a close, we pause to express our appreciation to our friends and customers for their Valued patronage during the past year.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Florence Milne, of Montreal, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Suffel.

Mr. and Mrs. George Raistrick and family spent Christmas with relatives in Chesterville.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Jones and family, of Kingston, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dixon.

Mrs. Ewart McInnis, of Ottawa, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Timmins.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bailey, of Inkerman, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Deeks on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibson and Mrs. Gallaher, Sr., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Douglas on Christmas Day.

Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Deeks were Mr. John Corry and Mr. and Mrs. George Corry, of Inkerman.

Mrs. Harold Miller, Kenneth and Beverley, of Sarnia, are spending Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. Gordon Coons, Mr. Coons and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cass, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald W. Cass and David, and Miss Patti Cass were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Cass at Chesterville.

Mr. Delbert Robinson, of Niagara Falls, and Miss Evelyn Fisher, of Toronto, spent the holiday week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Robinson.

Guests over the Christmas week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Laushway, Winchester, were, Mrs Hess, and Misses Barbara, Isabel, Pat and Gail Hess, all of Ottawa.

Miss Elaine Coons, of Toronto, and Miss Lois Coons, of New Liskeard, spent the holiday season with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Coons, and other relatives in Winchester.

Mrs. William Ward, of Ottawa, spent the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Dan MacAndrew and family and also enjoyed Christmas Day with them at the "Hughes Homestead," Golden Valley.

Mr. Brooks Warner, of Ogdensburg, N. Y.; Mrs. Mary Smith, of Billings Bridge; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Watson and Donald, of Ottawa, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Coons and family.

Guests over the Christmas week-end at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. Erle Helmer were: Mr. and Mrs. Lynden Hough and family, of Newington, and Mr. Gordon Helmer, of Ottawa and Endicott, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Turner and family, of Cardinal, and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Turner and family were Christmas guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Timmins and daughter, Mary, of Kingston, and son, Donald, of the Bank of Montreal, Morrisburg, spent Christmas Day and Boxing Day with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Timmins, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Hitsman.

Mr. Allan Kellogg, of Cornwall, spent Christmas afternoon with Mr. Ron. Workman. Allan, who is playing hockey with St. Catherines Tee Pees, of the O. H. A., spent the Christmas week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kellogg, of Cornwall.

University students enjoying the Christmas vacation at their parental homes in Winchester are: Miss Christine Stewart, Queens; Miss June Rowat, Varsity; Miss Dorothy Servage, O. A. C., and Miss Barbara Fennell, McMaster.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ran. Wylie were Mr. and Mrs. Mac Summers and Mr. Hubert Summers, of Smiths Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Kingsley Forgie, Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Summers, and Mr. Clare Chamberlain. Peterborough.

F.O. and Mrs. A. W. Felhaber, of St. Hubert, Que.; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gibbons and Richard, of Pembroke; Mr. and Mrs. Clare Miller and Marion, of Baden, and Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Levere and Karen, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Levere.

Guests at the W .C. MacDonald residence during Christmas week were: Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Cunningham, Brampton; Mr. and Mrs. R. Allison and family, Cornwall; Mrs. James Stewart, Ottawa; Miss K. Hall, Montreal, and Miss Phyllis MacDonald, Ottawa.

SEASON'S GREETINGS

In appreciation of our pleasant business relations, we value this opportunity of extending to you Best Wishes for the New Year.

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PHONE 326 - WINCHESTER

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. D. Kidney, who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Payne, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Rielly were dinner guests on Christmas Day at the former's home in Avonmore.

Master Jimmie Reynolds spent the holiday week with his grandmother, Mrs. Jas. Stewart, Ottawa.

Miss Patricia Cass, of Toronto, spent the Christmas holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cass.

Mr. Harold Dukelow, of Blenheim, Ont., spent Friday with his brother, Mr. A. E. Dukelow, Mrs. Dukelow and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Quart and family, of Maxville, were guests on Christmas at the former's home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald W. Cass and David were Christmas guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cass.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Empey spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. K. Derick, Mr. Derick and daughters in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Williamson, of Exeter, Ont., were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Quart on Thursday.

Miss Maria Wain, of New Westminster, B. C., spent the Christmas vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Lang Belway, Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Preston and Paul, of Brockville, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph MacPherson and Mary.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Morgan and Marilyn spent the Christmas week-end at the former's parental home near Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Preston and Don, of Renfrew, spent Christmas week with Mrs. H. L. Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Ron. Freeland.

Mr. Glen Campbell, of Toronto, spent the Christmas vacation at his parental home in Ormond prior to leaving for Florida this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Bronson and daughters spent Christmas at his parental home in Quyon, Que. Patsy remained with her grandparents for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gibson and family, of Cobden, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Porteous and with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gibson and Mrs. J. Gibson, of the Melvin Settlement.

Dinner guests on Christmas Day of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Keyes and family were, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Christie, Mr. T. O. Keyes and Dr. Stanley Merkley.

Miss Marjorie Ault, nurse-in-training at the Ottawa Civic Hospital, is spending the New Year's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kenneth Ault, and Carol.

Mr. John Baldwin, Mrs. Thos. Wright and daughters, of South Mountain; Mr. Keith Baldwin, of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mellan, of Hulbert, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker and John, on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Johnston and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Steele and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnston and family and Miss Bolton, of Heckston, spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. R. Johnston.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Erle Helmer on Christmas Day were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Dubervill and Miss Frances Timmins, of Ottawa; Mr. Gordon F. Helmer, of Endicott, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Lynden S. Hough, Gordon and Gary, of Avonmore.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Flo. Boyd, of Ottawa, spent the Christmas holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fetterly and Reg.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Bell, of Brinston, spent Christmas Day, the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Payne.

Miss Evelyn B. Walker, Deaconess, of Toronto, is spending the Christmas season with her mother and brother, Mrs. P. R. Walker and Mr. D. D. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Lang Belway, Mr. Hugh Belway, of the R.C.A.F., and Miss Maria Wain were guests of Dr. W. C. Sullivan, of Cornwall, on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon A. Gross, of Sudbury, were guests during the Christmas holidays of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stewart, Winchester.

Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Barkley and boys, of Iroquois, were, Mrs. G. E. Earle, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Droppo and Earle, of Chesterville, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Barkley, of Iroquois.

Mrs. Gordon Barkley, who has been on the Public School staff of Chesterville for the past year and a half, has been engaged to teach now in Iroquois where Gordon has a position in the Caldwell Linen Mill.

Guests at the Christmas Day dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hutt were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steele and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hutt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hutt, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnston and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Hutt, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hutt and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Davidson.

Observed 53rd Anniversary.

The Press joins in extending congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Erratt who, on Friday, December 21, quietly observed their 53rd Wedding Anniversary at their home on Gladstone Street.

Will Observe 80th Birthday.

The Press joins with his many friends in extending congratulations and best wishes to Mr. W. G. Porteous, of town, who will observe his 80th birthday on Thursday, January 3rd. Mr. Porteous is still hale and hearty and we hope his good health continues for many more years.

Greetings...

Once again we find ourselves approaching the end of a year. We hope the past year has been good to you in every way. To our customers we would like to say our sincere thanks for your patronage during the past year and our hope for its continuance during the coming year.

As 1952 approaches we, of MacIntosh's Groceteria and the Royal Lunch, would like to take this opportunity to wish each and every one a very happy New Year, and may your wishes to others come true to you as well.

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I wish to sincerely thank my many friends and neighbours for the flowers, treats, visits, cards and letters which I received while in the Winchester Memorial Hospital. Special thanks to Miss Wilson and the nursing staff, also to Dr. Justus for his wonderful care.—Mrs. Lloyd Merkley, Nation Valley. 32p

CARD OF THANKS

For the letters, cards and treats sent to me, and for the personal visits of my many friends while I was a patient in the District Memorial Hospital, I would like to extend my sincere appreciation. Thanks for everything.—Beverley McDiarmid. 32p

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At the Western General Hospital, London, Ont., on Saturday, December 29th, 1951, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burns (nee Doris Kirkwood), a son.

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