

Body of Irwin Hilliard Christmas Party Found Near Humber River

If Chuck Sullivan, of Mount Dennis, near Toronto, had followed the custom of many years past, the body of Irwin Hilliard K.C., might have been found two weeks ago, and the entertained to a turkey dinner at the anxious vigil of the lawyer's widow would have been two weeks shorter.

year the snow was late, the weasels were hard to track and he postponed his annual quest until Wednesday. He was studying the ground beside a little stream, when he noticed a peculiarly shaped mound of snow beside a stump. He brushed away some of the snow with the toe of his boot, and found beneath a human body. He was buick to notify Toronto and York Township police, who soon identified the body as that of the missing 85year-old lawyer, former master of Osgoode Hall and one-time member of the legislature. How long he had lain beside the rotting stump was not established, but it is thought likely that he got to that point on November 23rd, the day he disappeared. Death was apparently from natural causes, and there was no evidence of foul play. His watch, and a pair of spectacles were still in his pocket.

Dr. Marion Hilliard, daughter of indication that Sullivan, who was trapping weasels to make some mon-Christmas, would be given the \$500 reward offered for information about Mr. Hilliard's whereabouts.

had been for many years an elder of places. the Church, and a faithful worker during the many years he lived in Morrisburg; Mrs. R. E. O'Doherty Morrisburg. The service was in Westmount, Que., and Mose Pariseau charge of Rev. J. G. Stones the pas- Montreal. One brother and one sister tor, who spoke from the text "Moses predeceased her some years ago. My Servant is Dead". Book of Joshua Chapt. 1, Verse 2. Hymns used were "Abide With Me" and "Rock of Ages" Interment was in Fairview ceme-

Held for Beavers Employees

On Monday, December 20th, some fifty-four employees and wives of the two plants, Challies Dental Products (brush division) and Beavers Dental Products Limited (bur division) were Rosedale Inn by the management.

After partaking of a hearty meal Sullivan usually begins setting his Funke and Geo. E. Beavers and a sing weasel traps along the Humber river song led by John Perkins, with Joyce thrown into the water, clad in heavy tributaries late in November. This Racher at the piano. In the prize draw three turkeys were won by Miss Marprizes were won by Mrs. Betty Daw and was quickly hauled out. and Glen Whittaker. As a memento of the occasion, each lady present was given a handsome jewel case.

Miss Ida Pariseau Died at Ottawa

The funeral service of Miss Ida Margaret Pariseau, who died at an Ottawa hospital after a long illness, was held at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Monday morning. The Requiem High Mass was sung by Rev. J. F. Feeney, pastor.

Born in Morrisburg, she was a dau ghter of the late Mose Pariseau and the deceased man, told the Toronto his wife, Margaret Lahue. After she Globe and Mail that there was every had graduated from the local schools she carried on a successful millinery business here and later followed this occupation in Ottawa and Montreal. ey for his 2-year-old daughter's During her stay in Morrisburg, she was a valued member of St. Mary's Choir and gave freely of her talents at church and local entertainments. A large number of floral and spirit- er. Modest and unassuming, Johnny ual tributes bore testimony to the es-Morrisburg United Church on Thurs- teem in which she was held by a wide day afternoon at 3 p.m. Mr. Hilliard circle of friends here and in other the goal posts during the winter sea-

one brother-Mrs. A. B. McGannon,

Following the funeral Mass interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery, Morrisburg.

Bearers were J. F. Casselman, E. S. Coones, W. Coligan, L. Coligan, O. W. Duprau and M. A. Campbell.

Escapes Drowning On Grenville Voyage

Mrs. George Wert of Prescott, narrowly escaped drowning when he fell into the waters of the St. Lawrence near Coteau, while employed on the C.G.S. Grenville in the lifting of aids to navigation on Monday of last week

Wert, Boatswain, was being lowered in a motorboat as operations were rethere followed brief talks by Rudolph sumed after the noon hour. The craft winter clothes and wearing rubber boots. The mate, a non-swimmer guerite Clark, Mrs. Beatrice Welsh managed to grasp the painter of the in honor of one who had given his and Mrs. Myra Duvall. Consolation motor boat as the craft swung round

Wert was not so fortunate, and was carried away in the strong surrent.A lifebelt flung into the water was carried away, but a secnd one, thrown by Second Mate Johnny Rice of Morrisburg, into the wash of the Grenville caught up with Wert, who was being carried downstream. Grasping this in a last desperate effort, he held on until a boat could reach him and bring him back to the ship.

Placed in bed, warmly wrapped in blankets and given stimulant, Wert oon recovered.

It is estimated that he had floated about three-quarters of a mile down the river during the 45 minutes he vas in the water.

Jim Wert praised the efforts of the whole crew of the Grenville in their successful efforts of rescue, made more difficult by the dangerous cur-

This is not the first success of Mate Johnny Rice at life saving operations. Several times during the past few years, he has been instrumental in pulling drowning folk from the watis as cool and fearless at such a time as when he is stopping pucks between son. His many friends here will be She is survived by two sisters and proud to hear that his latest effort was crowned with success.

> "Old at 40,50,60?" - Man, You're Crazy

The second secon

Banquet Tendered Williamsburg Reeve

On Wednesday evening the members of the Township Council, the employees and their wives entertained Reeve Oscar Becksted and Mrs. Becksted at a banquet in Betty's Grill, Williamsburg, in honour of Mr Becksted's long term of office on the Municipal Board. The banquet was With First Mate Al Savageau, Jim frequently interrupted by singing of favorite songs and jokes told by both ladies and gentlemen.

The clerk, Lyle O'Shaughnessy actremarks during which he said that this evening was not the efforts of one or two, but of all present. It was time and ability for the betterment of our township for which is believed a record time of eighteen years.

Frank L. Whitteker proposed toast on behalf of the employees to the members of the Council, and during his remarks said that throughout known at any time when there was better co-operation between the coun cil board and the employees. This was responded to by Bernice Gallinger, who stated that the employees they had been very well satisfied.

had done very good work and that Bernice Froats welcomed the ladies with a few well chosen words. This

was ably replied to by Mrs, George DR. H. L. FOSTER RECEIVES

Oscar Coughler addressed the re-

tiring reeve mentioning his associations with Mr. Becksted as unforgettable; a man who is capable of meeting any municipal matter that might arise, a man who has made a record in this Township, being a member for eighteen years, and never was de- of Anaesthesiology. feated at the polls.

In the year 1945 he was elected Warden for the United Counties, the highest honor to be conferred on a member of the Counties' Council. He was assured that he would undoubted ly be approached for advice in coming years. On behalf of those present George Hess presented Mr. Becksted with a genuine leather purse.

In replying, Mr. Becksted's words were "This is the happiest event in all my life, to think that I have sat at your board all those years and you still do an honour to me, which I do township for a member before". He mentioned many of the pleasant experiences he had during his long term of office. In ending, on behalf of his wife, he voiced his appreciation and thanks to all those present, for the honor they had conferred on him this

As the evening was brought to a close by joining hands and encircling the honoured guest, everyone sang "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow"

AWARD OF CERTIFICATION

Dr. H. L. Foster, member of the Department of Anaesthesia of Hamilton General Hospital, who also conducts a private practice of anaesthesia, has been awarded certification as a diplomate of the American Board

After being graduated from Queens University in 1940, Dr. Foster trained in his specialty at Regina, Sask., the Hartford Hospital, Hartford, Conn.; and Toronto General Hospital, before starting practice at Hamilton. He is a member of the Hamilton Academy of Medicine.

Dr. Foster is a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Foster of Iroquois and a brother of Mrs. Dwight Beckstead of Mor-

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December is a dangerous month, with more hours of darkness and changeable weather conditions. Preoccupied shoppers, young and old, are abroad in great numbers. In the excitement of Christmas time, people sometimes tend to forget their customary caution.

As the end of 1948 approaches, let us all join together in determining that for the whole Province we will make it a safe as well as a happy Christmas and New Year.

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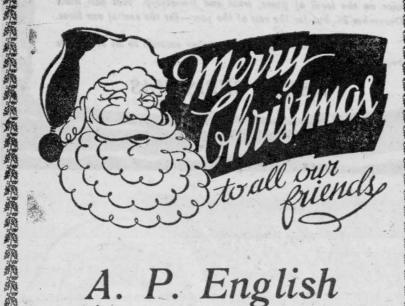


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The scene in a little fishing village in the Maritimes, which is featured on the pictorial calendar now being issude by the Bank of Montreal for 1949, is the third in a series of presentations of the works of Canadian artists, initiated in 1947. In that year the scene was laid in Central Canada In the year just ending, the locale shifted to the Prairies, and it is the intention of the B of M as the series progresses to include all parts of the country in a portrayal of the part the Bank plays in its association with the life of the nation.

While the pictorial calendar was produced primarily, for rural districts where the need existed for some thing a little more colourful than the well-known standard calendar, the Bank has been gratified to observe that it has also been very well received in the urban centres.

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denotes absence for an exam. Grade 8: Georgie Larsen, 91; Audrey Richmire, 79.3; Patricia Hess, 79; Billie Tupper 74; Betty Tupper 65.

Grade 7: Hilda Mark, 74; Barbara Tupper and Connie Barclay 70.4; Douglas Mark, 64; Eileen Mark, 63; Shirley Worster, 60; Shirley Craig,

Grade 6: Gordon McMillan, 88; Betty Worster, 84; Aileen Barkley, 75; Gail Hess, 72; Norma Harper, 68; Edna Pearle Tupper, 67.9; Phyllis Harper, 63.

Grade 5: Betty Becksted, 86; Garnice Innes, 82; Ronald Whitteker, 81; Donald Garlough, 80; Donald Thompson, 75.3; Marjorie Harper, 75; Wade Hayes, 68; Marion Harper 67; William Mark, 61; Robert Cohen, 53; Robert Robert, 46.

Principal, Jack K. Casselman Grade 4: Anna Tupper, 91.6; Glen McMillan, 84.1; Joyce Mark, 81.8; Ethel Richmire, 80.6; Barbara Summers, 78.6; Patsy Hayes, 74.1; Bolbby Schell, 73.

Grade 3: Carole Wingard, 89; Ethel Aumell and Louise Richmire, 78.8; Norman McIntosh, 75.2; Myrna Becksted, 72.7; Kenneth Eibbitt, Douglas Casselman and Carol McIntosh, 69.3; Barkley, 66.7; Peggy McIntosh, 60.8.

Grade 2: Rex Weegar, 91.2; Ida Alguire, 78.2; Ruth Johnston: 69; Ann Hayes, 69; Michael Hayes, 45.2; Betty Summers, 40.2.

Grade 1: Donna Casselman, 98.6; Gordon Garlough and Jimmie Mark, 96.6; Roger Tupper, 95; Sharon Summers, 94; Rae Larsen, 93.3; Betty Alguire, 83.3; Bobby Aumell, 80; Harper, 25.

Mrs. Lloyd Whitteker, teacher. 27tfc.





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AGENTS FOR FRIGIDAIRE

Our Correspondents:

Williamsburg News

We wish the Editor and Staff of the Leader, also our readers and friends, a very happy Christmas season and bright New Year, not forgetting all those who have helped to make their neighbourhood news of interest to others.

After spending a couple of days at his home here with his parents, Mr. death of her mother, the late Mrs. and Mrs. Byrtle Hess and family, Dwane Hess left on Monday morning for Montreal, where he left by plane the past few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. for White Horse, Yukon, to spend a Fred I. Dafoe has returned to his year in the service of the RCAF. His home at Winnipeg, Man. many friends here wish Dwane the best of luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Esly Pitt were guests recently with the former's sister, Mrs. A. L. Holmes at Shanly.

We join with their many friends in extending congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. George Wingard on the occasion of their 32nd wedding anniversary, which they celebrated on Sunday, December 12th.

Mrs. Lyla Hess of Kemptville spent the week end at her home here with her son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Byrtle Hess and fam-

Their many friends join with us in extending congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaver on the occasion of the 42nd anniversary of their marriage which they celebrated on Saturday, December

Mr. Mark Innes, a student at the Waterloo College is spending Christmas holidays here at the Lutheran the average have three clods a year Parsonage, with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. George Innes.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wingard were recent guests with Mr. and Mrs. Hen ry Miller at Shanly.

Congratulations and best wishes are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Whitteker on the occasion of their 48th wedding anniversary which they celebrated on Sunday, December 12th

ma, we join with their many friends in extending congratulations and best diet and other hygenic rules. Chillwishes on the occasion of their 48th ing, wet feet, drafts, damp clothing, anniversary on Sunday, December

her home here after spending a few throat and mouth to invade the body days in Cornwall with her son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Algire.

Miss Glenna Whitteker of Toronto is spending the Christmas vacation here with her parents. Mr. and Mrs.

Iden Whitteker. Her many friends will be glad to learn that Mrs. Audrey Barkley is er, broth, or citrus juices. making a splendid recovery at the General Hospital, Cornwall, where lemonade and a hot bath before going she underwent a serious operation to bed. Put extra covers on the bed. last week. All will wish her a speedy and complete recovery.

We are glad with the Carlyle fam- kerchief that can be burned. ily, the Misses Beth and Eva and John condition of their sister, Mrs. Harold Johnston of Cardinal is most gratifying. Mrs. oJhnston has been critically ill in the General Hospital, Kingston following a serious operation which she underwent in the General Hospital, Cornwall about three weeks ago

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Strader and little daughter Norma of Kingston, are spending a few days here with Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Strader.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Robinson of Winchester Springs were guests here with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Adams and

Mrs. Mac Strader and Gary were guests on Thursday at Berwick with her mother, Mrs. Eva McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hill and baby Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Hogaboam were guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Strader and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Durant of Cass Bridge were guests in town last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs Stanley McIntosh, Mrs. Hilda Johnston and Miss Shirley Johnston.

BORN-At the General Hospital Cornwall on Monday, December 20th to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Geggie (nee

FARE AND A HALF Good going: Intil noon Saturay, January 1st, Return Limit: Leave destination not later than midnight, Mon-

Lucy McIntosh) of Toyes Hill, a son. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ferguson and baby of Athens are spending the Christmas season here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Trickey.

AULTSVILLE

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Gorden Casselman in the loss she has sustained by the Charles Gogo.

A Happy New Year to everybody verywhere

Mrs. Toye of Toyes Hill is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Hanes and Mr. Hanes

Mrs. Austin Sampson who spent the past two months at Brockville and Ottawa, has returned home.

Carley May Cramer nurse in train ing at the Cornwall General Hospital spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cramer and Bob.

The many friends of Earl Thompson will be sorry to hear he is in the hospital at Cornwall and all hope he

will soon be home again. Mrs. Edith Hunter spent a day last week at Brinston, with Mr. and Mrs.

AVERAGE CANADIAN CATCHES COLD THREE TIMES YEARLY

James Payne.

Statistics reveal that Canadians on Very few escape this common menace to health. Unfortunately so far science has not been able to pin down the cold virus. It cannot be seen under a microscope and not much is known about it.

With literally millions of colds to study the best guide to preventing them seems to be in fairly simple common sense precautions. The prin-To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lane of El- cipal thing is to keep the body's resistance high by observing a sound exposure to bad weather, these lower resistance and permit the cold virus Mrs. Belle Algire has returned to which is always present in the nose, tissues. A cold results.

Recommended steps in getting rid of a cold are as follows:

1. Start treatment at first sign. 2. o to bed. If you have a fever body aches and weakness, call a doc-

3. Eat lightly, drink plenty of wat-

4. "Sweat out" the cold. Take hot 5. Keep away from other people. Cough or sneeze into a paper hand-

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Williamsburg W. I.

The December meeting of the Williamsburg Women's Institute was held on Tuesday evening, December 14th, 1948 at the IOOF Hall. The roll call for this meeting was answered very satisfactorily with a Christmas gift from each member.

The film "Let There Be Light" was then shown and thoroughly enjoyed Mr. Eddie Campbell who has spent by all present. The film gave the history of the W.I., from its origin in 1897 to 1947 and was in the form of a pageant. This same pageant was given at the Fiftieth Anniversary in Guelph last year. After the showing meeting to a happy close.

Marsden of Cornwall, who voluntarily operated the projector.

The report of the bazaar held the first of the month was given and everyone was pleased with its results. All members who had anything to

do with its success, were thanked by the president. It was decided that more money

be donated to the Community Recreation Committee to be used as they see fit. This money is to be taken from the bazaar receipts.

Christmas-carols were then sung by all members, led by Mrs. Maefred Merkley, with Mrs. Hugh Thompson presiding at the piano. This too, was enjoyed by all and put them in the mood for the distribution of gifts which followed. Many and varied were the gifts and all very useful.

A lunch was then served by the refreshment committee and brought the

DEEP DOWN IN OUR HEART

we know of no song, no poem, no truer word to express our sentiments than this sincere greeting "Merry Christmas — and God Bless You"



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DECEMBER is here and with it lurks the "common cold"! Ontario citizens are reminded now of a few simple helpful rules to safeguard their health, and that of others.

Prevention of the common cold is the responsibility of all, and if everyone plays his part much unnecessary illness, expense and discomfort may be avoided;

With the holiday season looming ahead, when so much happiness depends on everyone feeling fit, why run the risk of "catching cold "-or letting members of your family face that danger?

In the interest of parents and families, the Ontario Department of Health recommends every Ontario citizen to study the common-sense precautions suggested below and act upon them.

Five Simple Precautions

- unduly tired. Endeavour to follow a well-balanced diet.
- If a cold overtakes you, go to bed until it improves. If it does not clear up rapidly, do not hesitate to seek medical advice:
- Avoid becoming wet, chilled or overheated: If clothing becomes wet, it should be changed as quickly as possible.
- Be thoughtful of others. If suffering from a cold, do not spread germs by coughing or sneezing openly.

5 Avoid crowds as far as possible.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

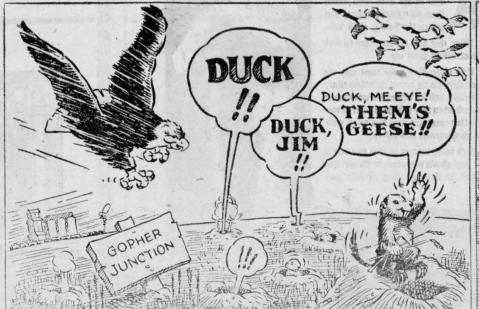
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NOW WHERE

REAPS FROM THE HAWKS FAR OUTWEIGHS THEIR DESTRUCTIVENESS

THE BENEFIT THAT MANKIND

This is one of Nature's "food-chains" which keep animals and plants in their right proportions, or balance. Before killing what may appear to be a pest, think of what it means to you. Remember-Nature in balance is Nature unspoiled

Nature Unspoiled - Yours to ENIOY - YOURS TO PROTECT

WATERLOO, ONTARIO

May the Holiday Season bring to you an abundance of Joy, Love and Fulfillment. Christmas lights gleam-shining with all our bright hopes for the happiness of peace to come.

· G. L. Keck

SEASON'S GREETINGS

Not as a customer, but as a valued friend, we extend to you and yours our best wishes for A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

Happy and Prosperous New Year

VIGHT BEFORE Christmas

Coffee Cup

A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND

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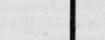
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Thos. E. Fraser

A Christmas Prayer This Day of Joy

As with gladness men of old Did the guiding star behold; As with joy they hailed the light, Leading onward, beaming bright; So, most gracious Lord, may we Evermore be led to Thee.



As with joyous steps they sped To that lowly manger bed, There to bend the knee before So may we with willing feet Ever seek thy mercy seat.

As they offered gifts most rare At that manger rude and bare, So may we with holy joy, Pure, and free from sin's alloy, All our costliest treasures bring, Christ, to Thee, our heavenly King.



ANNUAL MEETING, DUNDAS CROP IMPROVEMENT ASSN.

The Annual meeting of the Dundas Crop Improvement Association which was held at the Orange Hall at Winchester Springs, recently, was well at

The organization from the well pre pared annual report showed that a very successful season was just comerators taking part in 22 projects.

The reports received from the cooperators were nearly 100 percent and these tests were made on a wide range of soil conditions throughout the county with different crops produced some interesting information.

The highlight perhaps of the season's work was the First Eastern Ontario Corn Field Way which was spon

The main speaker of the day was Dr. P. O. Ripley, Dominion Field Hus bandman Central Experimental Farm Ottawa. He gave a very interesting and informative address on a trip he made to the northern part of Western Canada. His comments were most very well received by those in at-Mr. H. H. McNish of Lyn. Eastern show the progress they had made in ement Association: Mr. John Mac-Rae. Eastern Ontario Fieldman for the Ontario Crops. Weeds and Seeds Branch. and Mr. G. E. Summers. of All these gentlement were loud in their praises of the work undertaken

and so successfully completed. The election of officers followed with Mr. John MacRae accupying the chair for this item of business. They

were as follows for 1949: Honorary precident. Howard Kitretary, H. W. Graham, Morrisburg: -December 6th. treasurer, Mahlon Zeron, Iroquois; auditor, W. H. Fowler, Iroquois directors: Matilda Township: Landon McInnis, Iroquois; Clarence Wallace. In early American days the Pil-Iroquois; William Lennox, Brinston; grim Fathers passed a law forbidding Charles Harkness, Iroquois.

Mountain Township: Fred Hutt, In- of arrest and punishment.

kerman, Joseph Hyndman, Mountain; Harold Baldwin, South Mountain; Milton Harper, South Mountain.

Williamsburg Township: Charles Marcellus, Chesterville; Shaler Heagle, Aultsville; Glenn Cunningham Aultsville; George Brooks, Chester-

Winchester Township: Allison Gra ham, Chesterville; Eric Casselman, Chesterville; Edwin Forward, Winchester; Angus Smith, Chesterville

The "X" in "Xmas" is the Greek letter "chi"-written X-and "chi" is the initial letter of the Greek word for Christ

The first Christmas tree lighted by electricity was put in the New York residence of Edward H. Johnston in 1882. This tree had eighty red, white and blue lights on it and was revolved by an electric motor which made the lights blink on and off.

Christmas cards are descendants of the "school pieces" which were popinteresting and instructive and were ular in England in the 1800's. These tendance. Other speakers included boys as the holidays approached to added all sorts of curlicues, scrolls and flourishes-forerunners of our present-day Christmas cards. The 1st Christmas card was sent in 1842, but Winchester, County Weed Inspector, the earliest one of which we have a full record was sent by Henry Cole. an Englishman in 1846. His words of greeting were: "Wishing you All a Very Merry Christmas!'

tle, Chesterville; president, John Nicholas-the patron saint of child-Wells, Williamsburg; vice president, ren. Originally St. Nicholas distrib-Wm. Graham, South Mountain; Sec- uted toys to children on his own day

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COVL Schedule Is Announced

The Central Ottawa Valley Intermediate Hockey League schedule will open on December 27th with Finch at Maxville. The revised schedule, released this week by President Robert 31-Alexandria vs. Maxville, Smith and Morgan Doyle, league secretary, is as follows:

December

27-Finch vs. Maxville. 28 Chesterville vs. Morrisburg. 29 Maxville vs. Alexandria. 30-Morrisburg vs. Chesterville.

January 1-Alexandria vs. Finch. 3-Alexandria vs. Maxville.

-Finch vs. Morrisburg. Maxville vs. Chesterville. Iorrisburg vs. Finch. Chesterville vs. Maxville.

-Morrisburg vs. Alexandria.

10-Morrisburg vs. Maxville. 'exandria vs. Chesterville. "ville vs. Finch. Morrisburg.

20-Alexandria vs. Chesterville. 21-Chesterville vs. Maxville.

22-Marville vs. Alexandria. 24-Finch vs. Maxville. 25-Chesterville vs. Morrisburg.

26-Maxville vs. Finch. 27—Chesterville vs. Alexandria. 28 Morrisburg vs. Chesterville.

29 Alexandria vs. Finch. Eebruary

1-Finch vs. Morrisburg. 1-Maxville vs. Chesterville. 3-Morrisburg vs. Finch.

5-Morrisburg vs. Alexandria 8-Finch vs. Chesterville. 8-Alexandria vs. Morrisburg. 9-Morrisburg vs. Maxville.

10-Chesterville vs. Finch. 11-Maxville vs. Morrisburg. 12-Finch vs. Alexandria

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****************************** Local and General

DIED-On Sunday, December 19th 1948, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Reginald LeBreton, Ottawa, Eva Barton widow of Luther Deeks, in her 64th year. The funeral was held from her home, Williamsburg, on Wednesday at 2.30 p.m. Interment was in Brinston cemetery.

AMAZING NEW TREATMENT FOR EPILEPSY-More than onethird of all petit mal epileptic patures aften taking Paradione. Read all home here. about this revolutionary new drug in "Amazing New Treatment for Epilepsy" in The American Weekly, a great magazine with this Sunday's (December 26) issue of The Detroit to spend the winter months. Sunday Times.

bassy in Washington, D.C., is expect- parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. T. Shaned home this week end to spend nette. Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Barr.

Mr. Chas. Werely and Miss Milded Werely left on Wednesday for uffalo where they will spend Christmas with the former's daughter. Mrs.

His many friends will be pleased to earn that Mr. John Prunner, dean Morrisburg's staff of municipal rkmen, is recovering favorably afan operation at the Hotel Dieu spital, Cornwall.

t, reported to The Leader this the Christmas season, she found one of the crops from the ducks old filling or inlay from some unky person's tooth. Mrs. Oliver is loss to explain where the bird the gold, as they were fed in a ed yard during the past season.

he Bruce Lodge will be closed till uary 10th, while Mrs. Bruce and ily are on holidays.

Mr. Fred O. Robertson is spending the Christmas holidays with relaives in Boston, Mass.

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On Sunday, December 19th, the Sacrament of Baptism was administered by Rev. Father Feeney at St Mary's Church, to the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Laurin. The sponsors for the child were Miss Gertrude Campbell and Mr. M. A. Campbell, and he was named William Joseph Leo.

Mr. Harry Locke, who has spent the summer on the Great Lakes is ients treated in a Boston clinic have now spending the winter months been reported freed of epileptic seiz- with Mrs. Locke and family at his

> Mr. John Rice of the crew of the Canadian Government ship Grenville, has returned o his home here

Dick Shannette, of Ottawa, is spend Miss Mona Barr, of the British Em- ing the Christmas holidays with his

> Mr. Edward Weir of Toronto is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Weir.

Mr. T. I. Warner of Toronto is spen ding Christmas in town with Mrs. Warner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lynch and Margaret Mary of Smith's Falls are guests for Christmas with Mrs. Leo Laurin.

Mr. George D. Meikle, who is ser-Ars. Mabel Oliver of River Road lously ill, was removed on Tuesday to the Ottawa Civic Hospital, His ek, that when she killed five ducks many friends here wish for him speedy recovery.

> Guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Bouchard and Mrs. L. Mallan were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Gogo and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gogo and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gogo and family, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gogo, all of Montreal.

Williamsburg Council

The Williamsburg Township Council met on December 15th. All members were present. A by-law adopting the 1949 Assessment Roll was passed.

The following orders and accounts were passed:-Treas United Counties County

	Treas., Officed Countries, County	Y
	Rates	790,29
١	Sectreas. public schools19	363.99
i	Council fees	456.00
	1948 Hall rent, IOOF Hall	62.00
	Personal Services	260.00
	Postage, printing, advertising	184.15
	Direct relief	
	Percy Sauvie, funeral exp.	
	Indigent patients	122.72
	Election exp.	113.30
1	Roads and Bridges 2	882.97
	Bounty on fox-pelts	48.00
	Counties' machine rental for	
	private properties	157.58

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Church Services

Most local churches will have special Christmas services on Christmas Eve, Christmas day, or on Sunday, December 26th.

At St. Mary's R.C. Church, Morrisburg, there will be the usual Midnight Mass on Christmas Eve, with morning Mass at 9.00 a.m. on Christmas day.

St. James Anglican Church will oberve a celebration of Midnight Eucharist at 11.45 p.m. Christmas Eve, with other celebrations of the Holy Eucharist at 7 a.m. and 11 a.m in the morning. At Trinity Church, Riverside, there will be a celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 9 a.m.

At Knox Presbyterian Church, no special services will be held on Christ mas day, but on Sunday, December 26th, there will be special Christmas music at the morning worship at 11 a.m. and at the evening worship at 7.00 p.m.

On Christmas morning at 8 a.m., there will be a Christmas Service at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Morrisburg, but no Christmas service at St. John's, Riverside.

At the United Church, Morrisburg, on Sunday, December 26th, at 10.30 a.m. the Junior Choir will put on a musical service 'On the Earth, Peace' and at 7 p.m. the adult choir will render special Christmas music. Also there will be a sermon "After Christ-

At the Community Gospel Chapel Pentecostal) on Sunday. December 26th, there will be special Christmas music at the 11 a.m. morning service and at the 7.30 p.m. evening service.

At St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Williamsburg, on Christmas Day at 9 a.m., there will be a special Christmas Service. On Sunday, December 26th, there will be morning service thanks for the many acts of kindness at 11 a.m. and at 7.30 p.m. a Festival and messages of sympathy received of Christmas Music by the Junior and

For the Williamsburg United Church, the Sunday School will present a Christmas Concert in the Hall on Christmas Eve at 7.30 p.m. On Sunday, December 26th, there will be morning service at 11 a.m. and evening service at 7.30 p.m. There will be special music on both oceaswho passed away December 22nd, ions. At the Morning Service, the guest soloist will be Miss Betty Mc-Farewell, dear Father, thy work is Intosh, of the Bell Singers, Toronto.

At St. Cecilia's R.C. Church, Irobrated at 10.30 a.m.

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