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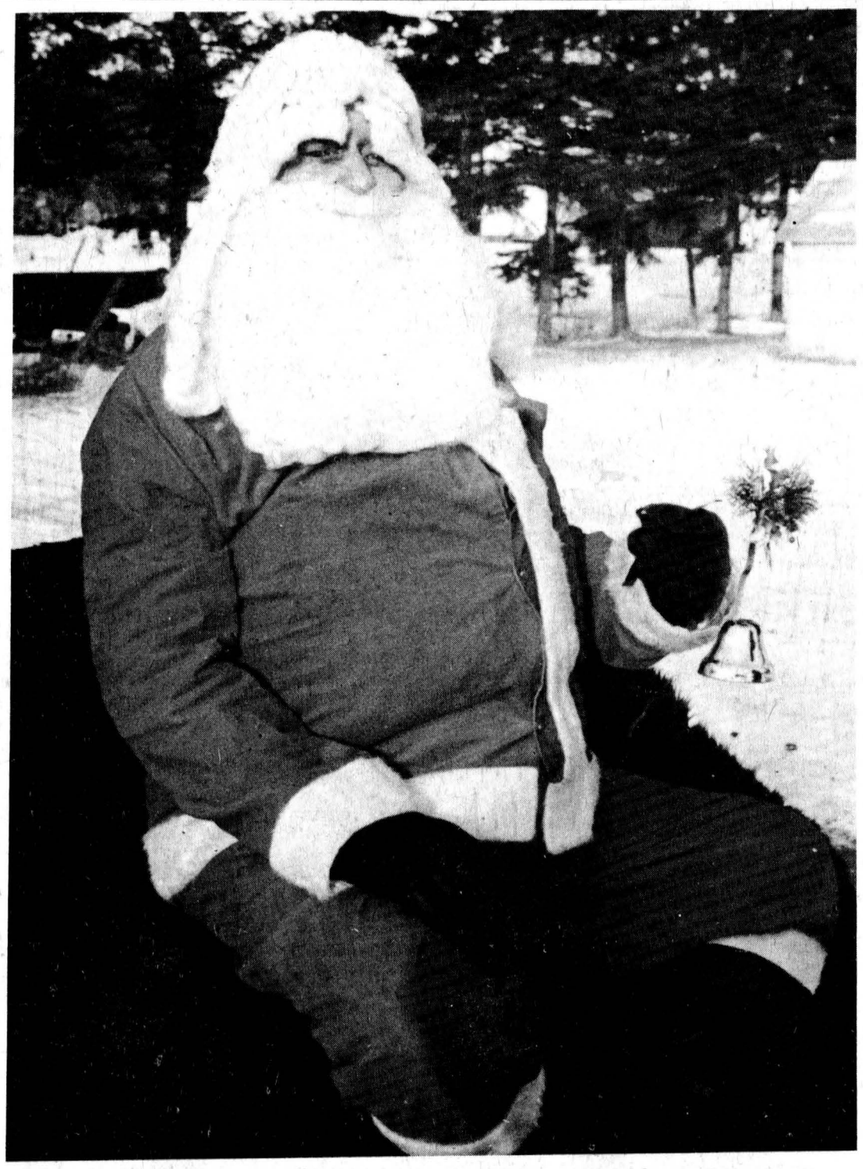

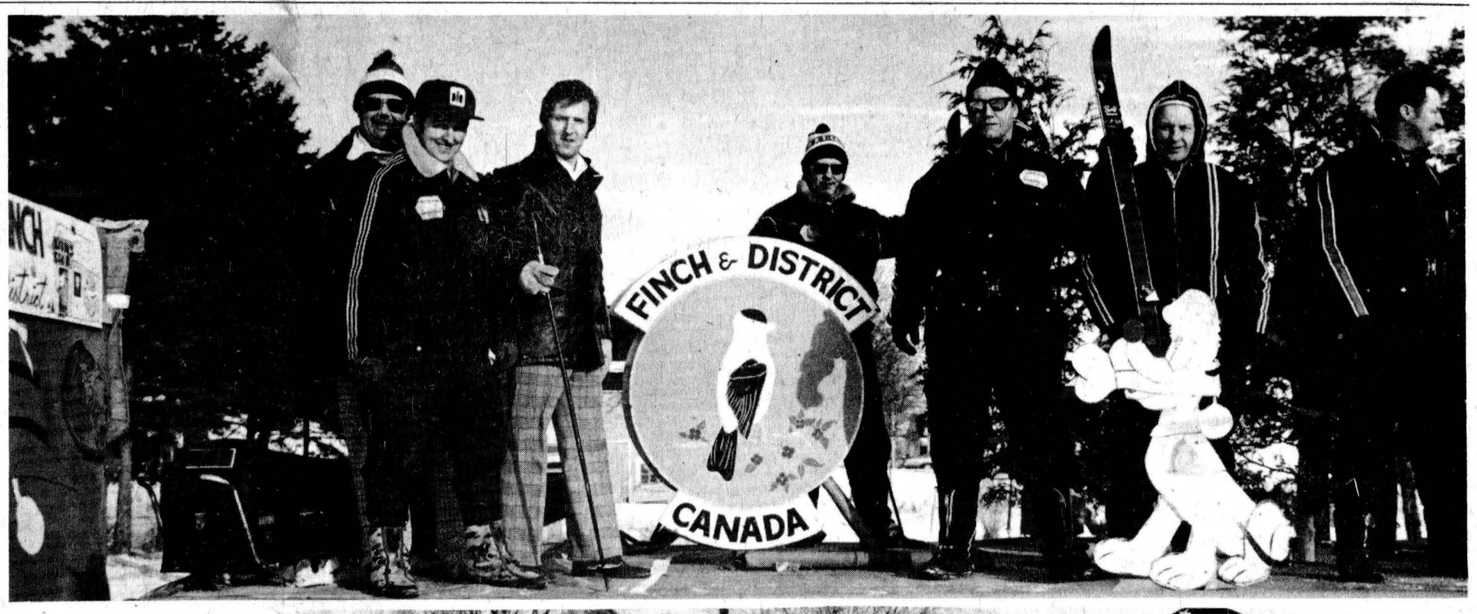



Parades, parades, parades

Clockwise from left - Santa on parade route in Berwick; Finch and District Lions Club appeared in both Berwick and Newington and sang Christmas carols at Ruppert's Nursing Home Sunday afternoon; Osnabruck Reeve Edwin Waldroff, Stormont County Dairy Princess Doreen Jans and Newington Fire Chief Cliff Rombough in the Newington parade.

- staff photos -

Santa was everywhere last weekend

(Staff) — Just as he is Christmas Eve and morning, Santa Claus was everywhere last Saturday and Sunday as area communities held their annual Christmas parades.

Saturday afternoon he was in Morewood and Berwick, taking the place of honor in their parades and distributing candy afterwards and Sunday afternoon the Newington Fire Station had Old St. Nick in the village for its parade and he visited children in Finch and Crysler Sunday.

Large numbers of floats were entered in each parade and at two of the three, at least, there was a good turnout of spectators to view the decorative efforts of community groups, service clubs and businesses.

Only in Berwick was there a small number of spectators to see the 12 floats in that community's parade. There was, however, a large number of children at the Community Hall following the parade to meet Santa and collect the soft drinks and bags of candy given out by the Berwick WI and the recreation association.

First prize float in the Berwick parade went to the 4-H Homemaking float, which depicted the nativity and came complete with "lowing cattle". Second prize went to the Sunday School for its depiction of Santa's Workshop, and Nicky Beehler's "Bionic Bug" took third prize. Prize winners collected $20, $15, and $10 respectively, and all those who entered floats received $5.

In Morewood, judges Cecil MacNabb, Ralph Steinburg and Nellie Koyman chose Morewood Public School's entry as the best in the parade. The Chesterville Chamber of Commerce captured second and the award for the best seasonal float went to the Morewood Recreation Association. Robert Lalonde's entry was judged the most original. The Morewood parade was sponsored by the Winchester Township Volunteer Fire Department and township clerk-treasurer Glenn MacGregor was parade marshall.

Newington had the largest parade ever this year, with 13 floats entered.

The parade was sponsored again this year by the volunteer firefighters and Chief Cliff Rombough was accompanied along the route by Osnabruck Township reeve Edwin Waldroff and Stormont County Dairy Princess Doreen Jans. Rick McDermid was parade marshall.

The float entered by Doug's Service took the top prize in the parade and was followed by the Ingleside-Osnabruck Rotary Club, in second, and the Newington Women's Institute, in third.

Santa Claus visited the Finch Arena Sunday afternoon under the auspices of the Lions Club and he was in Crysler that afternoon to hand out candy supplied by the Recreation Association.

Wes Libbey's swan song

Curriculum core of chairman's pride

CORNWALL (Staff) - The Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry County Board of Education has only been an innovator, but one of the leaders in the province in the field of curriculum development, Wes Libbey said in his final remarks as chairman of the tri-county board last Tuesday night here.

In his six-page swan song, Mr. Libbey listed the accomplishments of the board during the two years of his chiarmanship, paying particular attention to curriculum and the more active role trustees have taken in setting planning and priority policies as they become "partners in the educational decision-making process".

But it is curriculum development in which the 36-year-old chairman takes the greatest pride.

"Philosophically it will suffice to say that we have developed a systematic, logical approach to the development of curriculum locally," he said.

Superintendents of education have played a key role in keeping SD&G in the forefront of education and have been ably assisted in their jurisdictional responsibilities by the curriculum steering committee and task forces, Mr. Libbey says.

The board has adopted an approach to curriculum development which involves all those concerned in the development of learning and instructional materials, an example of which wa the recent vocational educatio seminar held in Cornwall.

Mr. Libbey stated that despite escalating osts, the board has remained committted to vocational education n SD&G schools and has identiied the need for blending this education with the needs of local industries and businesses.

The vocational seminar was one of the first efforts at having all parties sit down together to work out the problems and direction of vocational education. What was started at the seminar, Mr. Libbey said, is being carried on by the Vocational Action Committee. Vocational education is obviously close to his heart, since the third-term trustee is chairman of St. Lawrence College's technology and trades division, a post he has held since the Cornwall Campus opened. Prior to that, he taught at Ryerson Polytechnical Institute in Toronto. Academic programs haven't been neglected and Mr. Libbey takes particular pride in the development of major thrust in the field of mathematics core programs and language arts.

The role of the trustee in education in SD&G has changed during the last two years from that of a "member of a corporate body charged with the decision-making process in the realm of policy... to actual involvement an accountability to (their) communities through our Priorities and Planning Approach". Mr. Libby said the trustee has had an opportunity to receive briefs from communities as well as from shools and to react to the briefs o community educational needs an wishes on an individual basis.

By raking priorities each year, the bard has been able to respond directly to the expressed needs of the various segments of the populatio of SD&G he stated.

Trustees ave been aided in their more ative role by increasingly active school committees - the parent-teacher-student bodies which reflect the personality and state the desires of schools throughout the United Counties.

Mr. Libbey said when he began his term, school committees were in their infancy stage but over the last two years "we have seen school committees evolve into a vibrant, vigorous and vital component within our system".

The board was committed to the development of school committees through its philiosophy of education, which has been translated into reality as there are now committees in 40 of the board's 54 schools.

He also lays some of the credit for the development of the role of the trustee at the door of the board's administration for the initiative members showed in this regard.

The province comes in for some criticism in the chairman's final remarks, particularly for its handling of education finances.

Mr. Libbey said the province's removal of grant ceilings has permitted boards with large industrial tax bases to keep residential tax rates low nad still increase student spending.

By doing this, the minister of education has been "lobbied" into the position of providing inequality of education and inequality of tax burdens across Ontario, particularly in SD&G with its low industrial concentration.

This has been one of his major themes during the tight budget year the board has experienced and it formed the base of board presentation to the ministry earlier this year.

Celebrate Christ's birth

(Staff) - Community and area churches will celebrate the birth of Christ at varying times this Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Morewood United Church and Trinity United Church in Chesterville held special services two weeks ago and will hold regular services Sunday.

The Morewood service is at 9:30am and the Chesterville service is at 11am.

Presbyterian churches in Chesterville and Morewood have also held special Christmas services. Regular services will be held at 9:45am Sunday at St. Andrew's and 11:15am in Morewood.

Holy Trinity Anglican Church in Chesterville will hold Christmas communion services at 7:30pm Christmas Eve and at 11:45am Sun., Dec. 26.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church in Chesterville will hold services on each of the weekend days.

On Friday, services will be held at 9pm and midnight. A service will be held at 10am Christmas day with regular services scheduled for 9am and 11am Sunday.

A community candlelight carol service will be held in Emmanuel Baptist Church, Newington, at 7:30pm Friday.

Choirs and soloists from the Wesleyan, United and Baptist churches will be participating in this hour-long presentation of the Christmas message in song and story.

Accompanists will be Mr. Elizabeth Beaudette, Mrs. Verla Gallinger and Wayne Dunbar. Narrations will be given by Rev. Gerry Orr and Rev. Charles E. Burtch. A freewill offering will be received for the work of The Canadian Bible Society.

Chalmers United Church, Finch and St. James United Church, Avonmore, will hold a combined Christmas Eve service at St. James at 11pm Friday night. The two congregations held a Christmas cantata service Sunday at Chalmers. Both congregations have already held their Christmas services and will have regular service hours Sunday.

Rev. Lloyd Smith will conduct regular services at St. Luke's Presbyterian Church, Finch, and Knox Presbyterian, Crysler, on Sunday. The service at Knox starts at 9:30am and at St. Luke's at 11am.

Notre Dame de la Rosaire Roman Catholic Church in Crysler will have a midnight mass Christmas Eve with mass at 8:30 and 10am Christmas morning. Mass will also be celebrated at 8:30 and 10am Sunday.

St. Matthew's Presbyterian and Trinity United Churches, Ingleside, will hold a combined Christmas Eve service at 7:30pm Friday at Trinity.

St. Peter's Anglican Chuch, Ingleside, will have its Christmas Eve mass at 7:30pm and he priest, Rev. Reinhardt, who also looks after the Crysler parish, will have Christmas Eve service there at 10pm. Newington Anglican Church, the third part of the charge, will have its Christmas service at 10am Christmas Day.

There will be a midnight mass Christmas Eve at Lour Lady of Grace Roman Catholic Church, Ingleside, preceded by carol singing. Service Christmas Day will be held at 11am and there will be a regular services Sunday.

Final council session

(Staff) — Roxborough Township Council marked its final meeting of the year last Tuesday morning by handling a brief agenda. William Freeland was authorized to conduct a feasibility study for a modular home project on the fifth concession and tenders were called for the purchase of diesel fuel, gasoline and furnace oil for 1977. The tenders must be in the hands of township clerk-treasurer Ed Wright by 5pm Mon., Jan. 3. The inaugural meeting of the new council will be held at 10:30am Tues., Jan. 4.

Record late

(Staff) — The Record will be a day late next week because of the Christmas and Boxing Day holidays. The paper will be printed on Thursday morning and will be in the mail that afternoon. Advertisers and correspondents are reminded their deadlines will be put back one day next week.

18,000 innoculated

(Staff) — Almost 370 persons received their innoculation against swine flu at clinics held in Chesterville. Two weeks ago 128 persons over 65 years received their shot and 241 other persons between 20 and 64 years received their shot at a clinic last Thursday. A second clinic had to be scheduled for Chesterville because the St. Lawrence and Ottawa Valley Health Unit ran short of monovalent serum for persons between 20 and 64. A representative of the health unit said Monday almost 18,000 persons were innoculated at 30 clinics. The total number of persons receiving their innoculation is almost 24,000 including those done by private doctors and at nursing homes and plants.

Sale approved

(Staff) — The sale of the former North Stormont District High School building in Finch to the municipality the Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry County Board of Education has been approved by the Ministry of Education, the board was told at its meeting in Cornwall last Tuesday evening. The village will in turn be selling the school building to Tarascan Industries Ltd. which will be manufacturing switches for the electronics industry at its Finch location.

Recount Thursday

(Staff) — County court judge George A. Stiles will conduct a recount Thursday morning of ballots cast in the recent municipal election in Williamsburg Township to decide the third seat. Thursday morning. The recount, to be held in Cornwall, was requested by Robert Gillard who finished one vote behind the third runner Gord McNairn in the election. Mr. McNairn polled 329 votes, Mr. Gillard 328 and last place finisher Graham Hess had 323. Dwight Crowder led the polls with 473 votes and Don Kyle had 448. Three seats are to be filled.

Break-in at rink

(Staff) — Thieves netted over $300 worth of cigarettes and refrigerated foods from the Chesterville and District Community Centre sometime between midnight last Tuesday and 8am Wednesday morning. Recreation Director Rick St. Dennis said the thieves were either unsuccessful or gave up in trying to get into the main office but were successful in breaking into the canteen and stock room. The plexiglass in the main entrance door was kicked in, plexiglass was off the ticket wickets, the canteen service window was shoved or kicked in and the stock room door was jimmied open. Missing are $280 worth of cigarettes, $50 worth of refrigerated food, a gallon of peanut oil and two garbage cans (probably used to carry the cache). Total damage is estimated at $550.



Honored on retirement

Mrs. Annie Mayhew, Winchester, who retires at the end of this month after almost 27 years of teaching in the area, was honored by her present and former colleagues at a party Saturday evening at the Winchester Legion Hall. Mrs. Mayhew began her teaching career in Matilda Township and has been at the new Maple Ridge school for the past five years. Among those who gathered to pay tribute to her years of service to education were, from left, superintendent of Education Hugh Hutchison, trustees Lorne Thompson and Lorne Mellan and Maple Ridge Principal Bill McMillan. She was presented with a plaque in the form of the United Counties by Mr. Hutchison on behalf of the board. - staff photo -

Maple Ridge highest rate

CORNWALL (Staff) — Maple Ridge Senior Public School has the highest enrolment precentage of rated capacity of any public elementary school in SD&G according to the School Facilities Utilization Review presented at last Tuesday night's meeting of the tri-county board of education.

Enrolment at Maple Ridge is 94 per cent of the rated capacity of the school, two percentage points higher than the two second-place schools, Long Sault and Sir John Johnson.

Schools with enrolment figures of 85 per cent or more of their rated capacity were designated as at or above functional capacity, according to the review. Schools with 70 per cent of less than their full number of students were designated as "significantly below functional capacity".

The school with the lowest functional capacity in SD&G is Williamsburg Public School, which was only 39 per cent of rated capacity. Next lowest is Cornwall's West Front, as 43 per cent, and Maxville Junior, as 49 per cent.

Of the eight schools rated as above functional capacity, both Chesterville and Winchester Public Schools are included. Chesterville PS has a 1976 enrolment of 90 per cent of rated capacity and Winchester has 85 per cent.

Included in the schools below capacity are Roxmore, 51 per cent; Riverside Heights, 60, Finch, 61; Elma, 63; Newington 65; Roxborough Township, 67, and Monkland, 69. Twenty-one schools are rated as being below functional capacity.

The 19-page report also includes figures which show present enrolments in the counties' elementary schools as percentages of those in 1969, when the tri-county board came into existence.

Maple Ridge, Chesterville and Winchester enrolment figures are shown as percentages of 1973 figures. Maple Ridge has 124 per cent of the enrolment it had in 1973; Chesterville has 123 per cent and Winchester 106.

Monkland is at 84 per cent; Morewood 106; Morrisburg 91; Newington, 81; Riverside Heights 80; Rothwell, 97; Berwick, 75; Elma, 86; (1973 comparison); Finch, 85; Roxborough Township, 97 (1974 comparison); Roxmore, 81 (1974 comparison), and Williamsburg, 48 per cent.

Morewood woman dies in WD

Mrs. Lillian Sophia Dillabough, Morewood, died in Winchester District Memorial Hospital Sund., Dec. 19 after a lengthy illness. She was 76.

She was born Lillian Sophia Ault, the daughter of Philip Edwin and Sarah May (Strader) Ault August 9, 1900, at Winchester Springs and received her education at various schools in Dundas County.

She married Stanley Dillabough in Chesterville in 1920. Mr. Dillabough died in 1955.

A member of Morewood Presbyterian Church, she is survived by two sons, Glen and Ralph; one daughter, Mrs. Robert Brown, and five grandchildren. A second daughter, June, predeceased her.

Rev. Fred Reed conducted the funeral service at 2pm Tues., Dec. 21 from the Vice and Craig Funeral Home. Interment was at Morewood Presbyterian Cemetery and pallbearers were Milburn McLeod, Donald Carlyle, Herb McNabb, Samuel Barrington, Harold Hillis and Harry Hutchinson.

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Raymond-Fisher vows December 4

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Raymond were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony at Osnabruck Baptist Church Sat., Dec. 4. The bride is the former Kathryn Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fisher, RR4 Newington, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Raymond, Greenfield. The couple has taken up residence in Greenfield. - staff photo -

Snowmobile club formed in Winchester Township

(Special) - At a meeting held last week, a group of concerned snowmobilers agreed to form a snowmobile club which will develop a marked and groomed trail system throughout Winchester Township.

After some discussion, the lack of safe and useable trails became quite evident as many pointed out that they did much of their snowmobiling on roads and ditches. Also noted was the fact that in the past, much of the travelling on privately owned land was done without the owner's consent.

Besides aiming for good trails, the club will also hold club events which are the norm with other clubs. These events will help promote togetherness and unity amongst the members as well as help raise funds to make the club financially solvent.

The club is not intended to break up existing groups in the township who get together for snowmobiling and socializing but rather to provide for everyone, individuals and groups. No one needs to break up exisiting friendships or widen their immediate circle of friends to derive benefits from the organization. Simply join as an individual and help the cause of good snowmobiling in this area.

Work on establishing trails began immediately with Robert Lalonde plotting a trail from Morewood to Chesterville, Don Henderson agreed to look after the Chesterville-Dunbar area trail whiel the Chesterville-Winchester run will be looked after by John VanBruinessen and Bob Larose. Several other trails are also in the planning.

The club also intends to connect with existing trails which surrounds the township thereby filling the long existing gap between the neighbouring clubs and providing the snowmobilers with almost unlimited miles of trails.

As the club has yet to acquire funds, new grooming equipment was considered out of the question for this year. However, "Home made groomers", which can do a pretty good job, were considered and Gordon Young agreed to look at such equipment and make recommendations at the next meeting.

The important job of marking the trails has been undertaken by Tom Hewitt while Al Kennedy agreed to come up with the necessary membership forms and land owners permission forms.

Membership fees were discussed and it was agreed to have a family membership at $10 and a single membership at $5 for the season. It was also agreed that the name "Winchester Township Snowmobile Club" was appropriate and should be retained.

The new club appears to be off and running. But, to keep on growing, it needs the support of local snowmobilers. Those interested in the sport are invited to join and help make it a solid organization. Those who would like to see a trail in their immediate area are invited to contact any of the people mentioned above. Membership applications will be made available at the various snowmobile dealers in the are. They can also be obtained from anyone mentioned above.

A second meeting has been scheduled for Tues., Dec. 28 at 8pm at the Winchester Township Building on Highway 43. Everyone is welcome to attend.

James Parkin, dies Dec. 20

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. L.M. Ferguson from the Vice and Craig Funeral Home at 2pm Mon., Dec. 20 for James Parkin, Morewood, retired farmer, who died in Winchester District Memorial Hospital Fri., Dec. 17. A native of the United Kingdom, Mr. Parkin was in his 79th year.

He was born October 29, 1898 a son of James and Hannah (Lythgoe) Parkin, both deceased, and received his education in England before coming to Canada.

Mr. Parkin is survived by one brother, Joseph, North Bay.

He was a member of the United Church of Canada.

Interment was at Morewood United Church Cemetery and pallbearers were Grant Swerdfeger, MacThompson, Gil Steen, Ronald Dillabough, Harold Stewart and Wallace Merkley.

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Lloyd Markell



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NORTH DUNDAS DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL — DOCTRINA ARTE CONIUNCTA

Senior band was a fine success last week. Our thanks go out to all who attended.

As this is our last school report before the Christmas Season, we at North Dundas would like to wish you and your loved ones a very Merry Christmas and a Joyous New Year.

NANCY CARSCADDEN
and
JANE ALLISON

MAPLE RIDGE (Special) - Although looking forward to the Christmas holidays, students at North Dundas have kept themselves very active. Snow has finally arrived and our Ski Club sponsored its first trip of the year last Saturday. They headed off bright and early to Edelweiss Valley for a day full of fun on the slopes.

Our Senior Girls' Basketball Team has something to be especially proud of. They were one of 18 teams to compete in the All-Ontario Basketball Tournament held in Sarnia a week and a half ago. Our team was victorious in its first scheduled game, defeating St. Joseph's Collegiate of Toronto. The girls' second game, however, resulted in a defeat at the hands of St. Pats of Sarnia. It should be noted that these girls were among the top girl basketball palyers in Ontario. This is a first for our school and it brings us at North Dundas a great honor.

Due to the hard work and skill of a group of students, the halls have been brightened with colorful graphic designs. These designs, along with many Christmas decorations, provide a pleasant atmosphere for all. Our Christmas band concert, featuring both the Junior and

Former miliner dies Dec. 16

Miss Clara Isabella Anderson, retired Miliner, died at Glen-Stor-Dun Lodge, Cornwall, Thurs., Dec. 16 following a three-week illness. She was in her 90th year.

Born September 24, 1887 the daughter of Robert James Anderson and his wife Christine Cameron, both deceased, she operated Clara's Hat Shop in Winchester before her retirement a number of years ago.

She is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Christina Bush, Cornwall, Mrs. Kathleen McCarthy, Ottawa, and Mrs. Jean Plant, London Ont. She was predeceased by a brother, Stuart.

Miss Anderson was a member of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Winchester.

Rev. H. Smith conducted the funeral service at 1:30pm Sat., Dec. 18 from the Vice and Craig Funeral Home, Winchester. Interment was at Maple Ridge Cemetery. Pallbearers were Sheldon Cameron, Archie Rice, Emerson Stewart, Ray Munroe, William McConkey and Donald Wilson.

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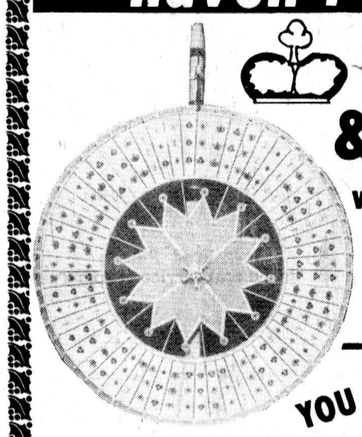

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Dundas DHIA honors top dairymen

SOUTH MOUNTAIN (Staff) — Dundas dairy farmers had their efforts honored at the annual Dairy Herd Improvement Association banquet and awards night at the IOOF Hall here Sat., Dec. 11.

Following a smorgasbord turkey supper catered by the ladies of St. Daniels, head table guests were introduced to the large audience by Dundas AgRep Tom Clapp.

Dundas Dairy Princess Helen Fawcett spoke briefly on the importance of testing cattle for milk and butterfat; Jerry Brugmans, Dundas Milk Committee chairman, briefly related what farmers can expect the line of milk quotas during the next year; Reg Strader, past chief supervisor of DHIA, thanked the local group for inviting him and his wife, and Dundas DHIA fieldmen Mac Moffat and Harold Boyce thanked the county organization for including them in their program.

Jerry Brugmans presented trophies to DHIA members for Breed Class Average above the Provincial Average. They were presented to William Kornelius De Jong, John VanDelst, Charles Farlinger, Archie Byers and Coons Bros.

Shields were presented to Francis Lynch, Ken Carkner, David Jorgenson, Martin Verburg, Wilmer and Hugh Porteous, Henry VanDenBrock, Malcolm D. Graham and Ranger DeVries.

Bank trophies were presented to Archie Byers, Winchester Royal Bank Trophy for most improved herd in Dundas East; Bank of Nova Scotia, Chesterville, for best record keeping in Dundas East, to Gordon Johnson; South Mountain Bank of Nova Scotia for most improved herd in Dundas East to Charles Farlinger; Williamsburg Bank of Montreal for best record keeping in Dundas West to Garry Hoy; Winchester Bank of Montreal for highest BCA for fat in Dundas County, to Martin Verburg; Royal Bank, Iroquois, highest BCA for milk in Dundas County to Mr. Berburg.

Mr. Clapp presented OMAG certificates to Dundas East members Archie Byers, most improved herd; breeding efficiency, Ken Carkner, and highest BCA, Wilmer and Hugh Porteous. Dundas West highest BCA, Martin Verburg; most improved herd, Clair Hollister, and breeding efficiency, Ted VanDerSweep.

To make the evening possible trophies were sponsored by the Dundas Milk Committee; Clement Feed Supply; Lorne Acres Farm Equipment; Stuart Byers Farm Equipment; Rooney Feeds Iroquois; Tibben Equipment Brinston; R.S. Allison Feeds Winchester Springs; Carl-Don Farm Equipment; D.L. Berry Feeds; Peter Babcock Surge; Ed. Smith Farm Equipment; Garry Murphy DeLaval; Edsel Byers Farm Equipment; Derks Farm Equipment; Weagant Farm Supplies; Herve Plante Universal; H. Summers Insurance; Martin Van Sleuven Pichseed; Biccum and McIntosh, and Saunders Feeds.

Door prizes were sponsored by Eastern Breeders Incorporated; Mrs. Joy Loucks Avon Dealer; Diversey, Chesterville Co-op, and Boucks Hill Feeds.

Winners were Mrs. Hugh Montgomery, Gordie Black, Mrs. Archie Byers, D. Hunter, Mrs. Cora VanDenBroek, Mrs. Bill DeJong and John VanDongen.

Directors for 1977 are Leonard Streng, Keith Smith, Wilmer Porteous, Elwood Coons, John VanDelst, Ralph Tibben, Don Johnston and Lorne Byers.

Chesterville area woman dies Dec. 14

Mrs. Ethel Marguerite Swerdfeger, an RR1 Chesterville housewife, died in Winchester District Memorial Hospital Tues., Dec. 14 in her 82nd year.

She was born in South Mountain November 5, 1895 the daughter of David and Anna (March) Grant and received her education at Mountain and Kemptville schools. In June, 1922, She married Arthur Lorne Swerdfeger in Hallville. Mr. Swerdfeger died January 7, 1962.

Mrs. Swerdfeger is survived by one daughter, Marilyn (Mrs. Gordon Johnson), RR1 Chesterville, and by two grandchildren, Carol and Chris Johnson.

The funeral service was conducted by Rev. L.M. Ferguson from the Vice and Craig Funeral Home, Queen St., Chesterville, at 2pm Thurs., Dec. 16 with interment at Maple Ridge Cemetery.

Pallbearers were David, Gary, Grant, Morgan and Brian Swerdfeger and James McMillan.

births

WINCHESTER (Staff) - The following are the births recorded at the Winchester District Memorial Hospital during the period Wed., Dec. 8 and Mon., Dec. 13:

To Mr. and Mrs. Brian Scharf, Metcalfe, a son, Wed., Dec. 8.

To Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Haley, Long Sault, a daughter, Thurs., Dec. 9.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Soini, Chesterville, a daughter, Thurs., Dec. 9.

To Mr. and Mrs. David Bryan, RR2 Mountain, a daughter, Mon., Dec. 13.

After a confusing year

Farm outlook for 1977

(Staff) — Canadian agricultural commoditites appear to be in a state of flux, according to the latest newsletter of the Dundas Soil and Crop Association, with decreases this year in the marketing of eggs, yield per acre of corn and pork production and increases in sales of potatoes, beef kills and fluid milk sales.

On the agribusiness supply side, it appears as if companies and suppliers are playing catch-up football as they attempt to stay even with demand.

Potatoes are now commanding $4 and the price could go higher as the tubers are being exported to Europe.

Egg marketings decreased by four per cent in Ontario this year while imports into Canada rose by 21 per cent. Prices have been stable with only three increases during the year and relatively stable prices are expected throughout 1977. Some production increases are expected next year as CEMA deficits have been eliminated and the levy reduced to five cents a dozen from nine cents.

The monthly newsletter notes there has been some agreement on the problems facing the dairy industry but not much as far as solutions are concerned, even though fluid sales in Canada increased by seven per cent this year. Ontario lost 1,000 dairy farmers this year, mainly due to the new policy for shipping milk by bulk only and the problems created by the cutback in industrial milk quota brought on by last year's oversupply.

The newsletter doesn't offer any predictions for dairy farming next year, asking instead how forecasts are possible when the main variable is policy.

The total acreage in corn increased by seven per cent this year but yields were down an average of 10 bushels an acre and there was a total decline of five million bushels this year compared to the 1975 harvest. Yields were estimated at 92 bu. per acre this year, down from 92 bu. per acre recorded in 1975. Even with the increase in acreage, this still led to a decline to 125-million bushels from 130-million in 1975.

Total beef inventory is down in 1976 for the first time in seven or eight years as the total kill figure for the year increased 10 per cent from 1975. Heifer kills in 1976 are up 14 per cent over 1975 and cow kills are up 15 per cent.

Canadian pork output dropped eight per cent in 1976 but is recuperating as the year ends. Ontario is still the leader but Quebec has almost pulled even and Alberta shows a poor third among the provinces in pork production.

The average hourly wage for male farm help was $3.14 in the spring of this year, up 11 percent over 1975 and 35 per cent over 1973, and is expected to increase if Ontario's minimum wage is raised by 10 per cent in 1977. The increase is expected to be felt most strongly on the harvest labor side.

Seed supplies appear adequate for 1977 with some problems existing in good quality oat seed due to disease problems during this year's growing season, the newsletter notes.

Fertilizer prices appear to have levelled off in this province and farmer's can look to a strengthening of prices of from five to 10 per cent next year. There appear to be adequate supplies of phosphate and potash materials for 1977 but some problems could be encountered in the supply of nitrogen fertilizers.

It will be more of a buyer's market for farm machinery next year, the newsletter predicts, as the supply of farm tractors and machines in Ontario appears to have caught up with the demand for most types of equipment. Overall list prices will probably reflect increased manufacturing and transportation costs of no more than seven or eight per cent shown by the most recent 12-month farm input price index.

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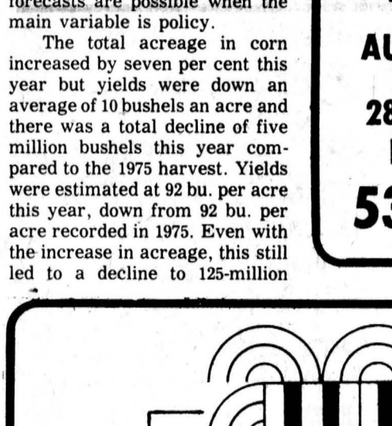
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A parent's reply

The Editor:
This letter is in reply to Randy Cleary's interesting appeal which appeared in the December 15 issue of the Record.

Randy, please understand that many parents and citizens felt that they had no decisive choice in the referendum for a community centre in Osnabruck Township.

Many wondered why money should be spent purchasing land (when five acres is available free in Ingleside), on drilling wells (when water service is available in Ingleside), on a septic system (when sewage service is already here).

Other points which prevented many from voting for an $800,000 porject being built in a field ½ mile from the Municipal Office, are as follows: There are approximately 700 youth in Ingleside schools five days a week who could make some extra use of such a facility; Also the density of the population of Osnabruck Township is in Ingleside, Number two highway east and west, and along the second concession. Several hundred tourists and campers are in the Ingleside area during the summer and would be attracted to summer events, dances, etc., held at such a community centre.

We as parents are at fault for not forcing Osnabruck Township Council to present this project to the voters in a proper manner.

People should be told the cost to build and maintain such a centre two or three months in advance of a referendum so further questions and answers can be brought forth.

A letter arriving two days prior to the election was a waste of the taxpayers' money. Also, perhaps an artist's sketch of the proposed building would have created interest, followed by enthusiasm.

Hang in there Randy, maybe Council will finally present a referendum which will give us a choice (not push our backs to the wall).

A parent
(Name supplied, withheld by request)

Tickets available

(Staff) — Some tickets for the Chesterville Rotary Club's New Year's Eve dance are still available from club members and at some local businesses. The dance will feature the music of the Sid Holmes Orchestra. There will also be a buffet supper and party favors will be supplied. Cost of the tickets is $15 a couple.

We erred

(Staff) — The Record erred in last week's edition stating Winchester Township will have a $15,000 deficit for the year 1976. The story should have read $15,000 will be borrowed by the township to cover current expenses until government grants are received and taxes are collected from ratepayers. In 1975, the township as stated did not have a deficit but rather a surplus of almost $10,000.

District News

COLQUHOUN (Special) - Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hart and Mrs. and Mrs. Don Kyle spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Roy McConnell, Morrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Hummel, Ottawa, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hummel.

The UCW held its December meeting at the home of Mrs. Roy Hart.

Clarence Countryman is a patient in Winchester Hospital.

Mr. Hierluk, student minister of Williamsburg charge, had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hart Sunday.

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Seasons Greetings to all.

Stuart F. Allan

TO THE ELECTORS OF FINCH TOWNSHIP

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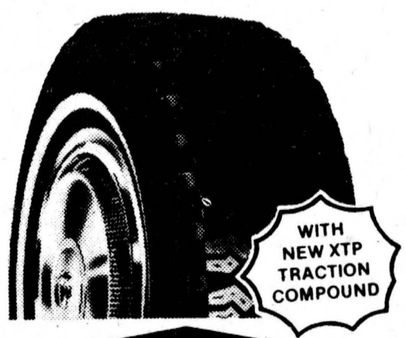

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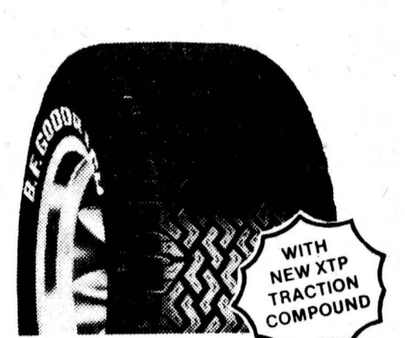

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TAKE NOTICE that the Municipal Council of the Municipality of the Village of Chesterville will at its meeting to be held on the 10th day of January, 1977 at the Community Hall in the Village of Chesterville at the hour of 8:30 o'clock in the evening to consider and approve, pass a By-Law for stopping up the said road allowance hereinafter described.

ALL THAT PART of the Extension of Victoria Street, South of the Nation River in the Village of Chesterville, Westerly from College Street.
AND TAKE NOTICE that the said Municipal Council will at the said time and place hear in person or by this Counsel, Solicitor or Agent, any person who claims that the lands will prejudicially be affected by the said By-Law and who applies to the Council to be heard.
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NOTICE — The Morewood Quilt Draw winner - Marilyn Schwerdtfeger, RR2, Winchester. 16-1

NOTICE — New arrivals in toys and children's wear. Janmart, Chesterville. 11tf

NOTICE — Will repair and buy old snowmobiles. Reasonable rates. Trevor Stewart, 448-2700. 17-3

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

Take NOTICE that all persons having claims against the Estate of HAZEL BELLE STEEN, late of the Township of Winchester, in the County of Dundas, Widow, Deceased, who died on or about the 24th day of September, 1976, are hereby notified to file proof of their claims with the undersigned on or before the 7th day of January, 1977, after which date the undersigned will distribute the Estate of the said deceased with reference only to the claims of which they will then have had notice.

DATED at Morrisburg, this 9th day of December, 1976.

Ralph Dillabough, Morewood, Ontario, and Beryl Casselman, Chesterville, Ontario Executors,
By their solicitors, McInnis & MacEwen, Morrisburg, Ontario

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WANTED

WORK WANTED — Will babysit on New Year's Eve. Phone 448-3024. 16

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A visitor from Calgary
16

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to my friends, neighbors and relatives for cards, gifts and visits while I was a patient in Winchester District Memorial Hospital. Special thanks to Neil and Margaret Kelly for all their help in driving me to the hospital. Also for the care that was so quickly given me by Dr. D.W. Justus, nurses and staff on first floor. Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered.

D.E. Richards
16-1

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. George Marcellus would like to say a sincere thank you to all their friends, neighbors and family who made their 40th anniversary celebration such a success. Also a thank you to those who contributed to the purse given us on that day. May God bless you all with a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year. 16-1

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express a sincere thank you to all my friends and relatives who remembered me with visits, cards and gifts while I was a patient in the Ottawa Civic Hospital. Special thanks to Dr. Berry, Dr. Scott, Rev. Allan Rodgers, visitors from the Presbyterian churches and the nurses on the third floor.

Mrs. Harold Elliott
16

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to all for flowers, sympathy cards, calls and donations to the Heart Fund during my recent bereavement in the loss of a dear brother, James Parkin. Your many acts of kindness was most appreciated.

Joseph Parkin
16

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Asel Merkley wish to extend their sincere thanks and appreciation to their relatives, friends, and neighbors for their floral tributes, messages of sympathy, and donations to the Heart Fund, Cancer Society and United Church. Special thanks to Dr. Howard Justus, Rev. L.M. Ferguson, Vice and Craig, the nursing staff of Winchester District Memorial Hospital. Special thanks also to those who brought food and helped in many ways at our homes. All your acts of kindness will long be remembered.

The Merkley Family
16

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Ethel Swerdfeger wish to extend their sincere thanks and appreciation to their relatives, friends, and neighbors for their expressions of sympathy, floral tributes, donations to the Heart Fund and Bible Society and for food brought to the house. A special thanks to Dr. Slowey, the nursing staff of the cardiac unit of Winchester District Memorial Hospital, Rev. Ferguson and Vice and Craig.

Marilyn and Gordon Johnson and Family
16

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express sincere thanks to the nurses and orderlies while I was a patient in the Winchester District Memorial Hospital. A special thanks to Dr. Marston, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Whittaker, the therapist and my neighbours who took the time to send me cards and gifts while I was ill.

Sincerely, Bill Adams
16-1

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The Chesterville Jets wish to extend their sincere thanks to the following for their donations and assistance: Fulton Bros. Ltd., JanMart, Al-Mor Ladies Wear, Byers Building Supplies Ltd., Al's Lunch, Seaway Valley Drug Store, Bogart Motor Sales Ltd., Rocky McMillan, Mac LaSalle, Mike Dean, C&M, Jack MacMillan Fuels Ltd., Bruce Morrison, Chesterville Chamber of Commerce, Hijack, Al's Garage, James R. Moran, Mike Brennan, Milano, Jack Durant's Farm Services, A Huneault, Durant's Flowers, McCloskey Hotel, Al Butcher, Don Campbell, Rick St. Denis, Countryman Electric, United Co-op, Sport Shop, Betty Bread, Blake Feeley, Neil Kelly, George Chambers, Cal Dillabough. Our appreciation also to those who came to our party and helped make it such a success. Due to your generous support the Chesterville Jets are now in a better financial position.

16-1

COMING EVENTS

CHRISTMAS COMMUNION — Anglican Church Christmas Communion Service's, Christmas Eve, Chesterville 7:30pm, Winchester 9:15pm, South Mountain 11:15pm; Christmas Day - Winchester 10:30am; Sunday, Dec. 26, Sough Mountain, 9:15am, Winchester 10:30am, Chesterville 11:45am. All welcome. 16-1

SNOWMOBILE CLUB — The Winchester Township Snowmobile Club will hold its second meeting on Tuesday, December 28th at 8pm at the Winchester Township Building on Highway 43. All interested snowmobilers are urged to attend. Refreshments will be served. 16-1

MEETING — Regular Chamber of Commerce meeting 8pm Tuesday, Jan. 4, Community Hall. All organizations planning to take part in the 1977 Chesterville Winter Carnival are asked to have a representative present. 16-1

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY — The family of Duart and Catharine MacLean invite you to an open house at their home in Goldfield on December 28th from 2-4 and 7-9pm. On the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary. No. gifts please. 16

NEW YEAR'S EVE BALL — Dec. 31, Berwick Community Centre. Music by Ronnie Summers. Dancing 9pm-1am. Buffet Luncheon. Phone 984-2803 or 984-2553 for tickets, $12.00 per couple. 16-1

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my relatives, friends and Neighbors, for cards, gifts and visits while I was a patient in the Winchester District Memorial Hospital. Special thanks to Dr. McMillan, Dr. Rosenquist and the nursing staff on the first floor.

Mrs. Lyle McMahon
16-1

CASH BINGO — Will be held in the Chesterville Legion Hall every Wednesday night, starting Sept. 22. All regular games $10.00 each and $300.00 progressive jackpot. Two share the wealths. Admission: $1.00. 4tf

BINGOS — Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 538, Williamsburg, Ont. Will hold Cash Bingos every Wednesday night starting October 8, at 8:00 p.m. at Boucks Hill. 2tf

ANNUAL DANCE — Annual Rotary Club New Year's Eve Dance featuring Sid Holmes Orchestra, Dec. 31, 1976. Dancing 9pm-1am. Buffet - favours - Chesterville Community Hall. Tickets available from Rotary Members, $15.00 per couple. 17-6

SNOWMOBILE NOTICE — Anyone wishing to join the North Star Snowmobile Club, contact Lynn Rombough, Peter Casselman or Oscar Laub. Meeting held every Friday at the Club House at 8pm. 16-2

NEW YEAR'S EVE BALL — Finch Community Centre, Friday, December 31, dancing 9:30pm-1:30am. Music by "The Tartans". Buffet and favours. Tickets $7.50 each. Sponsored by Finch & District Lions Club. 16-1

IN MEMORIAM

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In loving memory of Myrtle Mary (Droppo) Hodgson who passed away Dec. 26, 1970.

More each passing day, we miss her
Many think the wound is healed.
But they little know the sorrow
Lying in our hearts concealed.

Always remembered by Husband Roy, son Hepburn and Mary Hodgson
16-1

IN MEMORIAM

POLLOCK — In loving memory of a dear sister and aunt, Velma who passed away December 16, 1975.

The depth of sorrow we cannot tell
Of the loss of one we loved so well,
And while she sleeps a peaceful sleep
Her memory we shall always keep.

Always remembered by Sister Georgina and by her Nephew Bill
16-1

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of my husband J. Osgoode Nugent who departed this life Dec., 22nd, 1974. And of parents and Grandparents - Laura Otto 1874 - Dec., 26th, 1973. John Alvin Otto 1869 - 1946.

"Shall claim of death cause us to grieve
And make our courage faint and fall?
Nay! Let us faith and hope receive--
The rose still grows beyond the wall".

Elva Nugent and son Dr. Brock Nugent.
16-1

GREETINGS

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

During the coming year and for the Christmas Season, may we extend to one and all a very Merry Christmas and a healthy and prosperous New Year.

Leo & Yvonne Coyne & family
16

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

Madolyn and Bert McMahon, Finch take this opportunity to wish one and all a very Merry Christmas and the very best for the year 1977.

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Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hall of Cardinal spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Servage, Chesterville.

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Receives Erle Kitchen Award

R. Roy Simmons, Finch, receives the Ness Memorial Trophy from Doug Ness for the first place Breeders Herd at the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair in Toronto Tues., Nov. 16. One of the most prominent area Ayrshire breeders, Mr. Simmons topped a class of 14 entries. He showed Memory Lane Kamay to the first prize three-year-old and Kamay went on to win Reserve Grand Champion Female of the show. Kamay was also winner of the Erle Kitchen Memorial Trophy, offered by the Dairy Farmers of Canada to the first prize winner the highest composite BCA index as officially recorded at the ROP office. At two years and eight months, Kamay had produced 12,617 pounds of milk, 539 fat for 4.27 per cent to give her a BCA of 185 and 191. The Memory Lane herd also had the fifth prize calf, seventh prize yearling and 10th place dry cow.

- photo courtesy ayrshire breeders -

TO THE VOTERS OF THE VILLAGE OF FINCH

I would like to take this opportunity to express my gratitude for your continued support at the polls on December 6.

I would also like to extend my wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you and yours.

D.C. Vollrath

ODHS News

Dallas Buchan

INGLESIDE (Special) - It seems that everyone at ODHS is in a rush to hand in essays, tests, book reports, and the Christmas holidays are nearly here.

The spirit of Christmas has hit ODHS and to help us feel it the halls of OD are trimmed with decorations. Thanks to the Christmas decorating committee for a job well done.

This week the Grade 12 boys' and girls' gym classes had bowling on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday as a gift from Santa Claus.

On Wednesday a Christmas concert was held for the school population with the school band playing and Santa Claus visiting the staff at ODHS.

Last Friday our boys' basketball teams played at Tagwi. The scores are as follows: the seniors lost 47-43 and the juniors won 63-35.

On last Friday the marketing class went to Ottawa. The trip was informative on prices and enjoyed immensely.

On Saturday, December 18, the band "Wedge" played at ODHS. "Wedge" was a great band but because of many other Christmas dances in the area the turn out was not too good with the result that ODHS lost approximately $120.

More of Ossie's News after the Holidays. Merry Christmas Everyone!

Severe Draught

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G.L. Graham,
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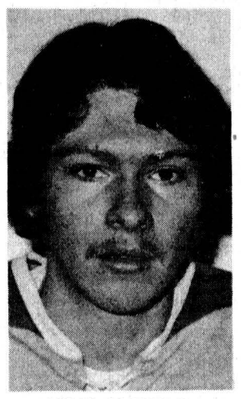

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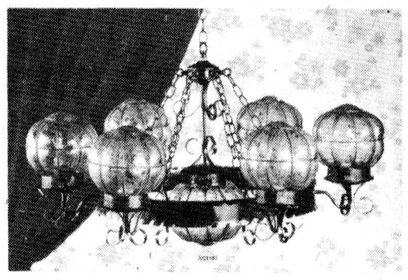

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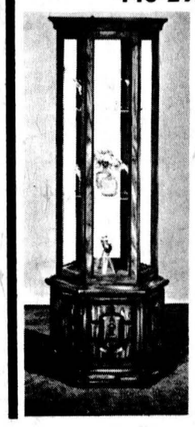

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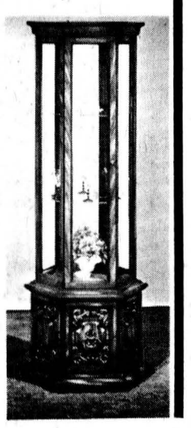

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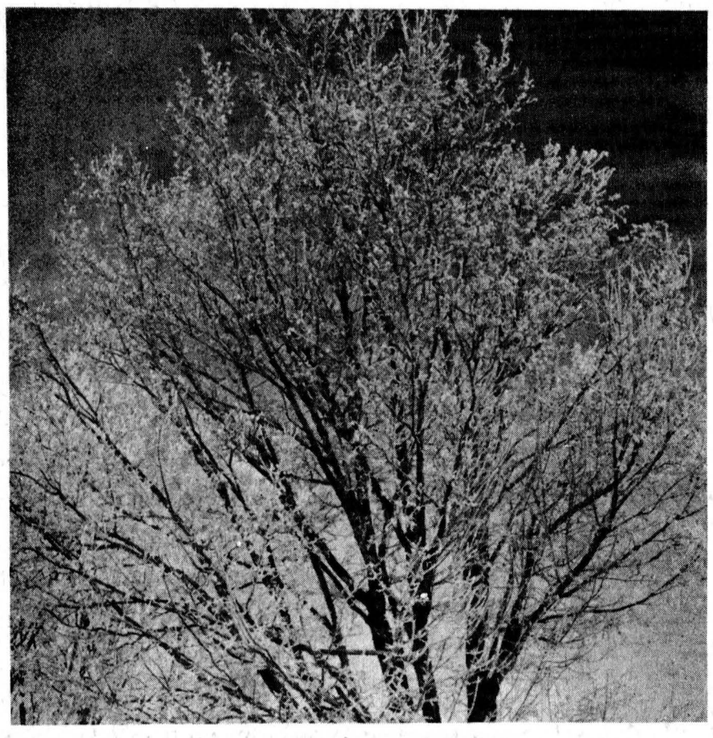

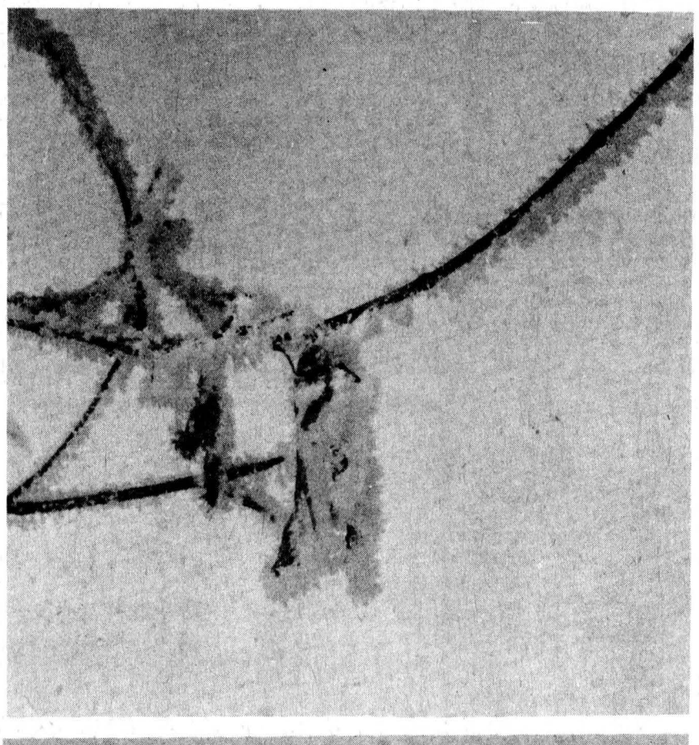

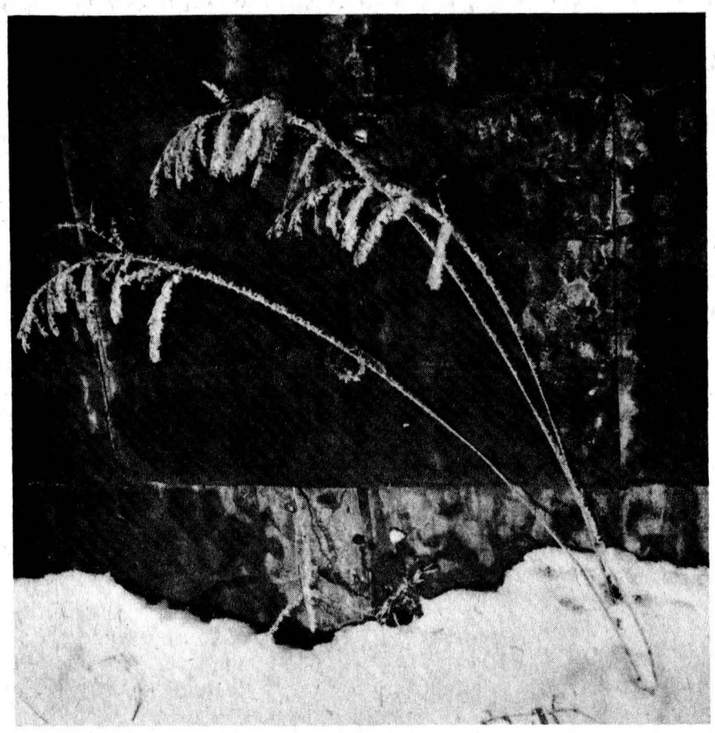

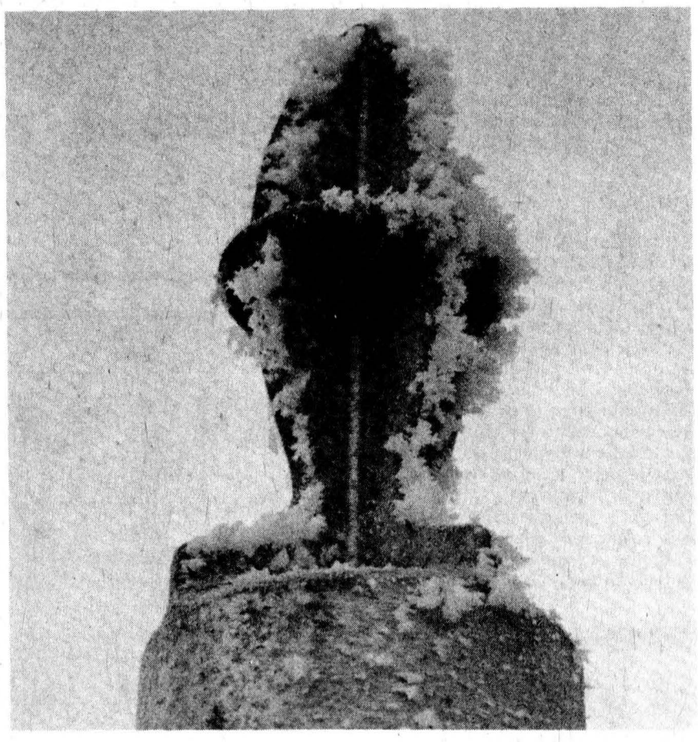

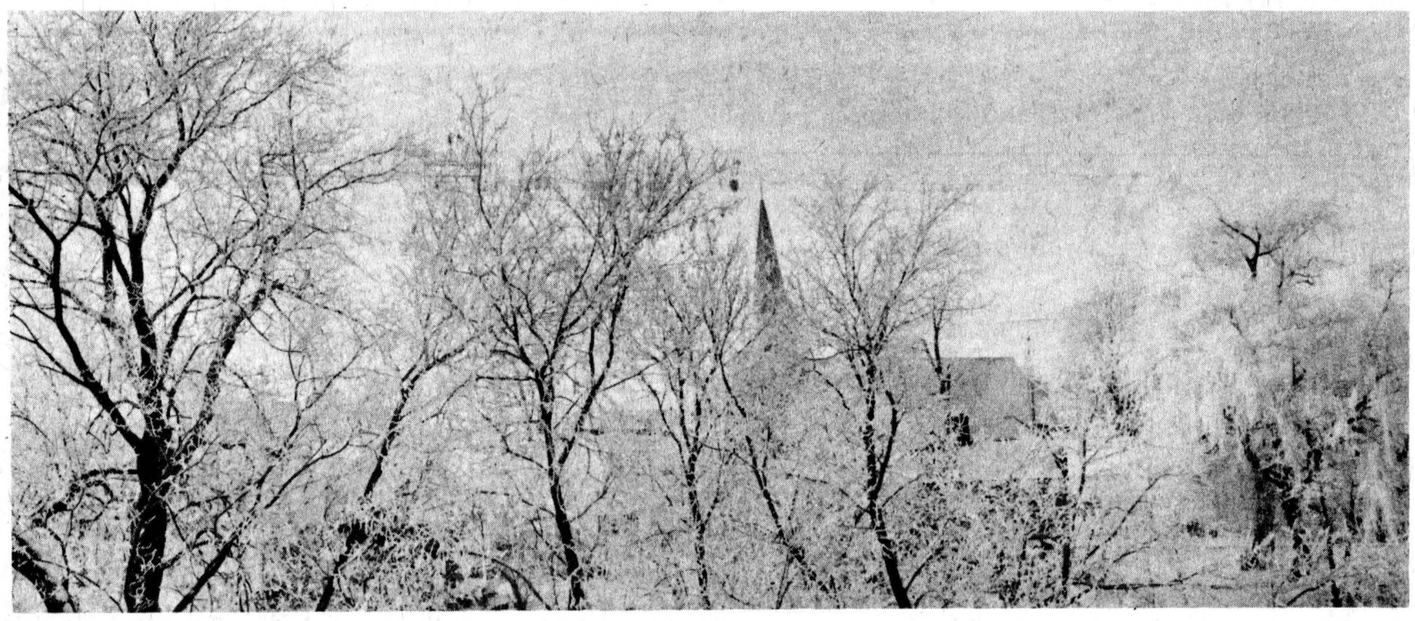

chesterville's past

FROM THE RECORD
THURS., DEC. 24, 1936

Chesterville Public School Christmas Report, Room A: Sr. IV - Solveig Hagen 84, Clarence Marshall 83, Teddy Hess 82, Edwin Smith 82, Melba Perkins 81, Fern McLean 80, Muriel Froats 77, Lockie Helmer 77, Emily Olsen 77, Marjorie Boyd 75, Agnes McNaul 72, Jr. IV - Merle Summers 70, Laura David 79, Edwin Maloney 73, George Taylor 73, Dorothy Liscumb 70, Stewart McMurray 69, Willis Price 67, Billie Hough 66, Lloyd Cameron 63, Doreen Gillard 62, Ruth Wardell 62, Mildred Merkley 61, Room B: Sr. III - Marguerite Summers 74, Robert Tait 72.3, Grace Cheney 71.5, Eric Stata 71.2, Marion Barclay 69.3, Marcia Sharkey 68.8, Eileen Paul 67.5, Douglas Smith 66, Jack Magee 62, Hilton McLean 61.8, Charles Bouck 61.5, Georgina Cameron 61. Jr. III - Gordon Fulton 78.2, Glendon Taylor 77.5, Billy Barber 75, Ruth Moore 74.1, Eric Fyke 72.9, Marcia Fyke 68.4, Baden Boyd 66.3, Douglas Dillabough 64.4, Grace Hall 62.8, Hubert McLean 61.6, Clare McMillan 61.6, Mildred Froats 60.

Miss Helen Moad had a rather narrow escape when struck by a car that was skidding on the icy streets the other day. Miss Moad was walking down Victoria St. and as a car was drawing up behind her she went over to the sidewalk but the auto also made that way and as it was pulling to a stop the bumper struck Miss Moad and carried her until the car finally slid to a halt. She was uninjured and the driver, unknown, backed away and drove off without a word.

With the opening of the St. Lawrence League hockey schedule this weekend the first home game in Chesterville Tuesday night with Brockville, it begins to look as if this league is in for some good hockey. Last year's residence rule restrictions kept a number of fine players in Chesterville territory out of the game as far as local hockey is concerned. While two of last year's team were lured away by Prescott, Farmer and Olsen, it is felt that their places on Chesterville's forward lines have been more than filled with newcomers.

J.T. Kearns and John Heveran are both recovering at their homes from injuries suffered in falls on the ice. Mr. Kearns fell Saturday morning and injured his hip and Mr. Heveran fell at the home of John King and has been confined to his home with a sprained back.

Billie Dixon's Cubs are fast rounding into shape and are so anxious for a game to test their stamina that they have taken on the Morrisburg Juniors for a game to be played in Morrisburg Monday night. The local boys are all 18 years and under but coach Dixon says he has a team that is lightning fast and that will be a surprise packet for local fans. He has succeeded in paring his men down to 14 players whom he lists as - forwards, Lyle Steinberg, Cecil Plantz, Bud Fyke, Lyle Smith, Dwaine Froats, Billie Bailey, Allan Moran, Geo. Olsen and Jack MacMillan; defence, Gordon Hummel, James McNault, and D. Nadeau. The goalies are Lyle (Chubby) Casselman and Hubert Moriarty.

FROM THE RECORD
THURS., DEC. 26, 1946

For the past week Eric Casselman has been going around keeping folks from bumping into the first finger of his right hand which is not all there. While using the turnip cutter to prepare a salad for his milkers, he absentmindedly put the finger where the turnip should have been and a portion from near the tip went the way of the turnips. It is now healing nicely.

Maxville Glens will open the Central Ottawa Valley schedule here Thursday night, January 2nd, to start off the battle between Chesterville's Legionaires, Finch's Stormonts and Winchester in a double schedule. The regular season wraps up February 13.

The children of Chesterville and District will be happy to know that Santa Claus has again promised to visit the Community Christmas tree this Christmas Eve to meet each youngster and give out presents of candy, nuts and oranges in co-operation with the Rotary Club of Chesterville.

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the editor's notebook



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the farmer's wife

by wyn thompson

Dear Santa:
You are coming, aren't you? Don't let anyone brainwash you into thinking the country has gone too modern for 'your thing'. What this country needs is more spirit, not less.

And don't worry that your beard no longer bears the look of distinction: we'll remember where we saw one first.

The times aren't as jolly as they might be, but that's all the more reason you must come. Christmas, we do need. The crackling noise you'll be hearing will be smiles attempting a comeback on faces that have been creased into sadsacks.

Some may even cry on seeing you, having given you up as traceless in a cloud of pollution. Even I began to wonder about you but, for another reason. I feared the mails might not get through because of Joey Davidson and his gang.

Well, a better stake-out for the posties may not be easy for you to come up with, but I think most of us down here would settle for plainer things. Rene, you know, touched us all when he spoke of separation and it gave us a new idea of the importance of the simple things of life, living with our neighbors regardless of which province we find ourselves in, breathing free air, and working together for a common good.

We tend not to put a price on those things that unite us for a common good, until we are deprived of them. Well, Santa, bring us the wit to remember that whatever our petty differences, united we stand. Recently, I was talking to one who served time in a prison camp during the Second World War (what is that, say today's youngsters) and he remarked about how cut off he felt. "I felt I'd like to get out and go to a movie and telephone a friend. I felt that I'd like to go up and down in an elevator, and run up a set of stairs. I felt that I'd like to spend money and make at least one decision."

Amazing, isn't it? We, who are so free, grumble about decisions, decisions, decisions, we curse the telephone out loud and say that the movies are lousy. Bring us the girt, dear Santa, to enjoy life. Give us the heart to realize that the world isn't going to the dogs but simply changing. It is a privilege to view this change and maybe have a tiny hand in it.

Do you recall who said that the definition of apocalyptic vision was "a clear picture of impending doom best perceived by those who do their utmost to hasten its onset?"

Please joke with them a bit. They need it. Drop off at their homes some secret elixir so they'll relax, a bit, at this best of all possible times of year. Come to think of it, we could all use an elixir for relaxation and proper perspective.

Now you may wonder if it is your role, but as a gift to make us aware of our good fortune, could you tell us of the grief that is still there in Guatemala, through the tragedy of earthquake? Could you picture for us the weary dejection you felt coming through oppressed countries? Was it a happy Christmas in England this time, or a little sad and worn? What about our neighbors to the south? Does hope again tread the horizon?

Not that I think our little country can do much to help in the world situation, but I'm convinced that if we let our eyes rest on the world's real problems we will feel a bit shameful of worsening Canada's troubles by exaggerating them. My feeling is that we need reminding about the more tranquil pleasures. Our corn crib has a dozen bluejays this December, a startling streak of blue against the evergreens and white snow. I cherish the Farmer's grin as he pats an arthritic old Nipper dog who has served him so well. I find again the white blanket of beauty over our snowmobile trails in the bush across the way. A half hour in a handcraft shop at high noon can take the curse off a bad morning. Or an hour spent in a good book.

We need happy ideas, or stimulants to ideas, to keep things from being too daily. Ideas like that which prompted Colonel By to undertake the Rideau Canal or Dr. Robert F. Legget to write about the Rideau Waterway.

Bring folks things to work and play with, to read, to express themselves with. Not more television, nor radio. Bring checker sets, snowshoes, skill saws, oil paints; bring song books for around the piano, garden tools and new paddles, mouth organs, knitting needles and hiking boots.

Unfortunately, you may find us busier discussing life than actually living it. We debate while life rushes on. We are saying-"where did this year go to?" It went with concern that Canada would never be serene again. We may not again know the old serenity, but some of that was in difference anyway - but we'll not replace it anew by rushing around saying 'prejudice' at the top of our lungs. Could you wrap that idea in silver paper and place it under the tree?

A motto I always remember came from a distinguished person who said "I have not time to worry - I am too busy doing."

It isn't a partridge in a pear tree, but another acceptable gift would somehow remind us of those gallant people who serve us in hospitals, in firehalls, and churches when they keep their cool when our spirits plummet to the depths of despair.

And don't forget youth. It is a hellish time to be young. And broke. And unemployed. And don't forget the aged - life can be lonely. Forget the middle-aged, the depression, the Second World War, and the aftermath smartened us up real fine. We'll dig our heels in again - no matter what.

Well, my dear, happy old friend, the Farmer's getting hungry for his supper. He is a patient man...heaven knows, he's had lots of time to practise his patience these thirty long years with me but, your patience must be wearing thin when you have so many requests to fill.

You'll do fine whatever you do for I know you'll remember those who know not Peace. And that reminds me, better this year change those old lines to read "Peace on Earth and Good Will to Men and Women" - there are women here now too, they discovered, just ask any Anglican. Lord bless us, one and all. Funny thing, I set to examining the Book recently and I couldn't find one spot where the person whose birthday we're celebrating didn't acknowledge women.

Come then, singing and roof-skimming; come quickly and surely and don't miss the poorly. We'll raise our mulled cider cups and our voices will bid you as Happy Christmas as ever you've heard. Not only for your sake but for ours as well. Come to think of it especially for ours. Our need is greatest!



Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: Our 17-year-old, Nora, is a high school senior. She went steady for seven months with Keith, also a senior.

Three weeks ago, Nora decided she wanted to go with others so she broke off with Keith, making it clear she'd date him from time to time, but not exclusively.

Keith's mother is determined to "patch things up." She immediately wrote Nora a long letter and sent her a beautiful sweater. She phones daily to report Keith is depressed or not "feeling well' and misses her terribly. All this pressure has made our daughter a wreck.

This evening Keith's mother came to our home and asked to see Nora alone. They visited for an hour. When she left, Nora was in tears. It seems Keith has developed a skin rash. The doctor says it's "emotional". The woman told Nora it is HER fault and she is morally obligated to go back to him "before he does something awful to himself."

Nora is beside herself. I am furious. My husband is fit to be tied. What should be done? - **On The Spot In N.J.**

Dear O.T.S.: A 17-year-old is no match for this aggressive woman. Invite her over and tell her in Nora's presence that you are sorry Keith is ill but Nora is not to be used as a drugstore prescription to cure her son's skin problems.

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Explain that Keith's rash is not the result of Nora's rejection of him but rather his inability to accept the realities of the situation. Let her know that Keith must learn how to cope with disappointment and frustration because he is bound to be faced with it time and time again in the future. The boy needs therapy, not a mother who runs interference for him.

Assure Nora, privately, that she is not responsible for Keith's problems and she must not allow his mother to make her feel guilty - no matter what.

Dear Ann: Recently a woman wrote to ask whether her sister-in-law was wacky because she wrapped the garbage in newspaper and tied it with a ribbon, sometimes "fussing with the bow for five minutes." You told her to relax with the knowledge that her sister-in-law had the most beautiful garbage in town.

You could be wrong. If the letter came from Chicago she has stiff competition. My wife wraps her garbage in gift paper left over from holidays. She also saves boxes and ribbon and especially enjoys surprising the trash collector with fancy "packages" from Marshall Field & Co. Any comment - W.C.R.

Dear W.C.R.: No. I just wish I had some of that woman's spare time.

Dear Ann: My parents were divorced three years ago. It was a bitter parting and the wounds have not healed.

Their only grandson will be five years old next month and I am having a birthday party for him. Mother says she won't come if I invite her ex-husband. Dad is crazy about the boy and I don't feel it would be fair to exclude him. What should I do? - **Split Head**

Dear Head: Landers' Law: If a person says, "I won't come if you invite So-and-So" - THAT person should be told, "Sorry, we'll miss you."

Inform your mother that she can come AFTER the party, enjoy some birthday cake and ice cream and have the boy all to herself.

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CHESTERVILLE'S PAST

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Break in Hydro Transmission lines early this morning shut Chesterville and district off from power supply and when the circuit was rerouted the supply was not sufficient for normal demand. Production of The Record, which was published Monday afternoon because of the Christmas and Boxing Day holidays, was held up for some time when the low line voltage was insufficient to heat the metal in the Intertype. It is hoped to have the supply of power back to normal late this afternoon or evening.

When the rush is really on Santa Claus needs a bit of help. Vern Fetterly, the popular Morewood auctioneer was just doing that the other day, manufacturing a doll's bed when the sharp chisel slipped making a hasty gash in his left hand. He didn't even have time to shout "going, going, gone!".

The bells of Conentry Cathedral, ringing in the tower, which alone survived the German attack on Coventry in 1940, will mark the beginning of the BBC's 3 Empire Broadcast" to be heard at 9am Christmas Day. At the conclusion of the broadcast, the King will deliver his annual Christmas message to the world. His Majesty will speak from his country home at Sandringham, where the Royal Family will be spending Christmas.

A crowd of about 300 relatives and friends, including the teachers and pupils of St. Mary's School, attended the concert presented be the teachers and pupils of Chesterville Public School in the Community Hall Thursday afternoon. R.C. Dillabough, principal, was chairman for the programme which consisted of choruses, recitations, plays and solos.

FROM THE RECORD
THURS., DEC. 27, 1956

Six employees of Nestle (Canada Ltd. plant here were honored by their fellow workers on the eve of their retirement. The address was read by G.W. Gilbert, plant manager, and the presentation of platform rocking chairs was made by Charles Bouck, president of Local 488, Dairy Workers Union. Among those retiring from Nestle service after 126 combined years were Ross Stata, Albert Hurtubise, Peter LeClair, Percy Fyke and William Taylor. John Turner was also presented with a platform rocker on the eve of his departure for employment with the Parke-Davis plant in Brockville.

Chesterville Public School pupils staged a full evening of entertainment last Thursday in the new Legion Hall to a capacity audience. All the rooms took part in the affair with choruses, recitations, solos and one-act plays to suit every taste.

Rev. R.H. James, minister of a parish near Metcalfe, was nominated the Social Credit candidate for Grenville-Dundas in the next federal election. He received the nod at a meeting held at Bishops Mills, and Eric Falls, of Britannia Heights, was nominated at Manotick as the candidate for Carleton County.

With 48 houses under construction by private contractors, and 18 more moved in by Hydro, the once barren fields north of Woodland are taking on the air of the bustling community-to-be, Ingleside. When Hydro rehabilitation teams finish their moving operations and more private homes are completed, there will be some 1,500 people living in one of the most modern towns along the St. Lawrence waterside. At the moment moving operations have been suspended to ensure that no families are out of their homes for Christmas.

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Chesterville Woman's sister dies suddenly

Rev. H. Lamble conducted the service from the Vice and Craig Funeral Home, Hwy. 31, at 3:15pm Mon., Dec. 13 for Mrs. Thelma Marie Moyes, 41-year-old Vernon housewife who died suddenly in Winchester District Memorial Hospital Fri., Dec. 10.

She was the daughter of Arthur and Myrtle (Crites) Heagle, both of whom survive.

Besides her parents, she is survived by her husband, William Fredrick Moyes; one daughter, Wendy (Mrs. Keith Presley), Vernon; two sons, William Arthur and Jeffrey James, both of Vernon; seven sisters, Mrs. Vera Armstrong Northfield Station, Greta (Mrs. Jas. Bailey) and Alva (Mrs. Chas. Collingridge), both of Chesterville, Freeda (Mrs. Donald Harper), Winchester, Edna (Mrs. Albert Harper), Williamsburg, Keitha (Mrs. Wm. Vallance), Montreal, and Mrs. Norma Bert, Newington; she is also survived by a brother, Lyle Heagle, Finch. She was predeceased by a second brother, Graham.

Interment was at Springhill Cemetery and pallbearers were Reg Harper, Jerry Ross, Howard Presley, Richard Moyes, Lyman Armstrong and Bruce Presley.

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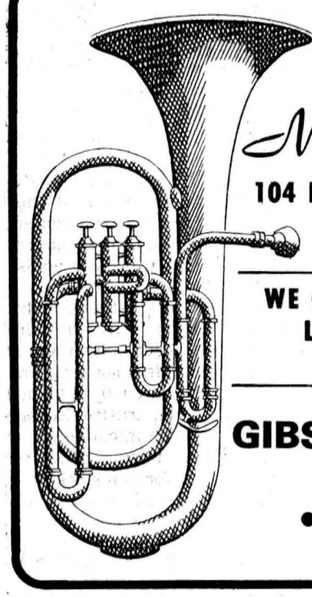

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I would like to take this opportunity to thank my nominators and also all of those who supported me in the recent election. Congratulations to the new Reeve and Council Season's Greetings to all.

Nelson LaPrade

WINTER PARKING

No motor vehicle shall park on any street in the Village of Chesterville between the hours of 12 o'clock midnight and 7 o'clock of the following morning during the winter months of November, December, January, February, and March.

Owners of all motor vehicles are to remove same from the streets at any time when snow plowing operations are being carried out in the Village of Chesterville.

A Police Officer, upon discovery of any motor vehicle, in the village streets during hours mentioned above, or during snow removal periods, may cause it to be moved to a suitable place and all costs and charges in connection therewith may be charged to the owner.

G. L. Graham
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Local couple celebrates golden anniversary Sun.

(Staff) - Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Morris (nee Gertrude Barkley), Queen St., Chesterville, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary with a family dinner and public reception at the Chesterville Legion Hall Branch 434 Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris were married December 22, 1926 at Williamsburg by Rev. T.A. Iseler, the village's Lutheran pastor. They were attended by the groom's brother, Jack Morris, and the bride's sister, the late Ethel Barkley.

They have four daughters, Marjorie (Mrs. Charles Hess), Burlington, Marion (Mrs. Ronald Droppo), Chesterville, Sheila (Mrs. Hubert Fleming), Crysler, and Sharon (Mrs. George Anderson), Long Sault. They also have 10 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

At the family dinner, catered by the ladies of Holy Trinity ACW, Mr. Morris's brother, Jack, of Prescott, acted as master of ceremoneies, and the couple's children presented them with matching end tables and lamps and a coffee table.

They also received many congratulatory messages from their friends and relatives as well as plaques and certificates from Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau, Governor-General Jules Leger, Ontario Premier William Davis ad letters from SD&G MLA Osie Villeneuve and Stormont-Dundas MP Ed Lumley.

During the open house, piano music was supplied by Jack Morris and Mrs Helen Cross presided at the console.

In an appropriate note for the season, the couple's grandchilren sang several Christmas carols during the reception.

Board discussion goes up in smoke

CORNWALL (Staff) — Ifs, ands, and butts was the reply of the SD&G County Board of Education to the administration's proposed smoking policy for the tri-counties' 10 secondary schools presented at last Tuesday night's full board meeting.

Discussion on the matter dragged on for half an hour before being stubbed out by a motion which sent the proposals back to the administration for further study and recommendations. The new policy is to be presented at the board's January general meeting.

Last Tuesday night's proposal contained provisions for the prohibition of smoking for students under 16 years of age without written parental consent and would require secondary school administrations to advise all students against smoking.

Cornwall trustee Sandra Enns tried to have a third proposal included which would protest the rights of non-smokers.

Her motion went up in a cloud of smoke when trustee Eugene Legault said the intention of the proposals was to set a policy for smokers, not for non-smokers.

The proposed policy would have allowed each school to set its own policy, providing it incorporated the age 16 requirement.

Schools now have individual rules regarding student smoking and after seeking input from principals of the 10 schools in the board's jurisdiction, the board was told the schools would prefer to keep their autonomy in order to deal with local situations.

Trustee John Schultz, attending his last board meeting, said the board should adopt a smoking policy which conforms with its food policy. Earlier this year the board passed a motion doing away with the sale of junk food in high school cafeterias.

Smoking policy caused board members to get into an argument over the jurisdictional rights of each school, with trustee Lorne Thompson's objection to the use of the word policy to describe the decisions made at the school level.

He said policy-making is the board's prerogative and asked that another word be substituted.

Trustees Legault and Sam McLeod said it is the board's duty to provide "broad, general guidelines" for school committees, which eventually will be asked to help make the decision on smoking policy.

One trustee objected to the board setting up guidelines, saying they would rob each school of their independence but Mr. Legault argued that if the board can't provide guidelines "then it's time we packed up and went home".

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NOTICE

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TO THE EFFECT THAT

1. The regular meeting of the Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry County Board of Education, scheduled for December 28, 1976, has been cancelled, and further
2. That the Inaugural Meeting of the Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry County Board of Education for the year 1977 will be held Tuesday, January 11, 1977, Followed by the regular meeting of the Board.
3. Subsequent to this each meeting of the board will be held on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month, at 305 Baldwin Avenue, Cornwall, Ontario.

T.R. Leger
Secretary of the Board

S.W. Libbey
Chairman of the Board.

Thank You!

I would like to thank the residents of Finch Township for their confidence in acclaiming me Reeve for the years 1977 and 1978.

On behalf of my wife, Irene and myself we wish everyone of you a very Happy Holiday Season.

Johnson Ouderkirk

THANK YOU

Although I was unsuccessful at the polls on December 6, I would like to thank those who supported me, especially those who worked with their time and cars.

Wishing everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Stewart Hart

16-1

MINISTRY OF REVENUE ASSESSMENT REGION NO. 1

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TO THE OWNER OR TENANT:

Take notice that pursuant to Section 40 of The Assessment Act, Chapter 32 (as amended, R.S.O. 1970) I have on the sixth day of December, 1976 delivered or caused to be delivered, assessment notices to all owners and tenants in this Region. The last day for appealing the assessment is January 11th, 1976 and the assessment roll may be examined at the Municipal Office during regular business hours commencing December 22nd, 1976.

M. FAY, M.I.M.A.
Regional Assessment Commissioner.

NORTH DUNDAS PLANNING AREA

A Public Meeting will be held in the Winchester Township Building on Thursday, January 6, 1977, at 8:00pm to discuss the following amendment to the Official Plan of the North Dundas Planning Area:

Amendment No. 4- (a) to redesignate Part of Lot 15, Concession 6, Township of Mountain, from rural to industrial.

(b) to redesignate Part of Lot 24, Concession 8, Township of Mountain, from rural to industrial.

Glenn MacGregor, Sec.
17-2

TOWNSHIP OF OSNABRUCK

WINTER ROAD RESTRICTIONS

Osnabruck residents are requested to refrain from parking vehicles overnight or leaving other obstructions (cordwood, logs, machinery) on all Township Roads including streets within Ingleside and Newington, effective Dec. 1, 1976 to April 30, 1977. This is necessary in order to permit snow plow operations.
Obstructions on Township Roads and Streets could be subject to removal at owners expense. Your co-operation will be appreciated.

L.E. Marcellus,
Clerk-Treas.

TWP. OF OSNABRUCK

PUBLIC NOTICE

Due to Christmas and New Years Day falling on Saturdays. Monday December 27, 1976 and Monday January 3, 1977 are hereby proclaimed as Public Holidays.

Edwin Waldroff,
Reeve.
16-1

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At the same time, Young Canada Works will enable students to gain valuable work experience and test their career aspirations.

Like Canada Works, your Canada Manpower Centre will have application forms and a Young Canada Works "Guide to Applicants" early in the new year.

So, think about what your organization would like to do for students. Young Canada Works for students in your community.

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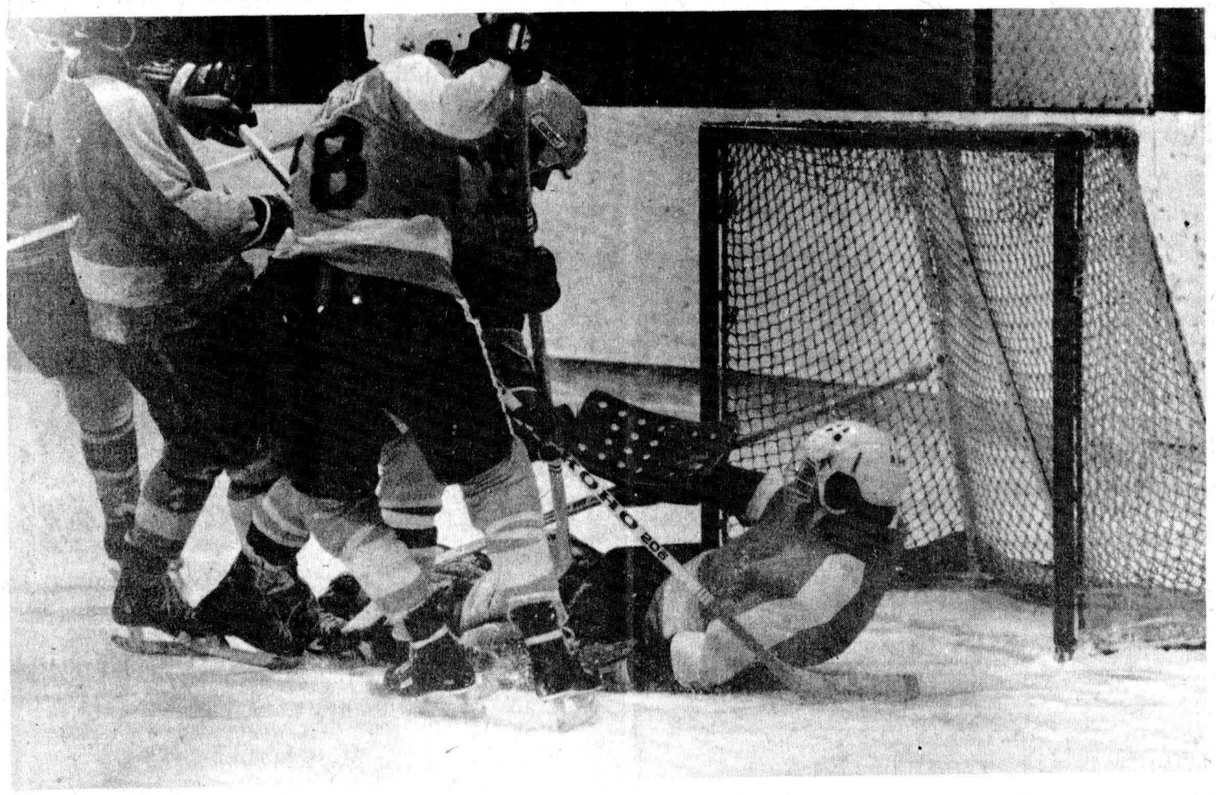

Traffic jam

Char-Lan goaltender Mark Garreau had more visitors than he really bargained for on this play during last Tuesday night's North Stormont Long Sault Junior C Hockey League game played here. Garreau got his hand on the puck on this play but had four shots elude his grasp as the Chesterville Jets posted a 4-1 win over the Rebels.

-staff photo -

Bantam Flyers collect three points

(Special) — Chesterville Bantam Flyers gained three of a possible four points in Carleton-Dundas Minor Hockey League action last week.

On Tuesday night, Chesterville travelled to Russell to play the up-to-then hapless Warriors. Russell had not yet gained a single point in the Bantam standings.

Flyers were taught a lesson in goaltending and persistence as the pesky Warriors fought Flyers to a 1-1 draw.

Warriors' Flynn shut the door on the Flyers, kicking out 28 shots and allowing only Curt McMillan to score. Hayward replied for Russell.

Wednesday, Chesterville hosted the Greely Eagles in a league game. Bantam "B" Flyers Derrick VanDelst and Jim DeRue were recruited to shake up a lethangic performance the previous night by Chesterville wingers.

Add to this, a little embarassment and a lot of pride, and you have a "can't miss" remedy. Flyers blasted the Eagles 8-2.

Every skater on the Flyers notched at least a point. Dave Byers led the scoring parade with a goal and three assists. Three-point men were Glendon Shay, Mike Beckstead and Curt McMillan. Doug Rance added two goals and single goals or assists also went to Jim DeRue, Derrick VanDelst Don Servage, Rick Grisel and Glen Patterson.

The locals weren't as fortunate in two exhibition weekend games, losing 3-2 to defending ODMHA Bantam champs Cornwall Township, and 3-2 to Osgoode-Rideau of the Golden Triangle League.

Friday night was a good news - bad news situation for the Flyers. It marked the return of Don Richards and Garry Beckstead.

The bad news was that the game was played without regular centres Marque Laflamme and Mike Beckstead, out with injuries and sickness respectively. Dave Byers and Peewee Duff Mitchell did a capable job at centre in both exhibition games.

Against Cornwall Township, Chesterville played well, but couldn't finish their plays. Scoring for the Flyers were Patterson and Glendon Shay.

Scoring for the Township were: Mark Dow with a pair and Bruce Barker.

Sunday night, in Osgoode, the Flyers blew 1-0 and 2-1 leads to lose 3-2. Flyer forwards refused to forcheck and backcheck and consequently, goalies Laflamme and Witteveen were easy pickings for Osgoode's Peter Bisdee, Mike Doyle and Dale Haig.

Flyer scorers were Glen Patterson and Don Richards with his first of the year.

Bantam B tie one, lose two

(Special) — Tuesday night, the Flyers played host to the Osnabruck team which ended in a 4-4 tie.

Both teams scored in the first period with Graham Cook getting the goal for the home team.

The second period proved quite interesting with Osnabruck again starting the scoring, only to be followed up with Derek VanDelst and Ronnie Jones getting the single goals.

Greg Ward gave the Flyers an even better lead by scoring as soon as the third period opened. Just when things were going in the flyers favor Osnabruck scored two goals to tie the game.

Friday night, Chesterville travelled to Morrisburg for their first league game with this team, only to be defeated 4-3.

Kim Cass started the scoring in the first period for the Flyers, but with only six seconds left to play Morrisburg evened the count. Kim Cass again scored in the second period and Tony Fraser followed suit to take the lead 3-1. Morrisburg pulled up their socks in the remaining period to pull off three fast goals and win the game.

Saturday, the Flyers played an exhibition game with Iroquois, losing 3-2. Danny Trillo and Mark Thompson each got a goal for Chesterville.

Embrun keeps winning, two more victories

EMBRUN (Staff) - The Gatineau Nordiques came within just 16 seconds of snapping the Embrun Panthers winning string at eight games with a tie in Gatineau last Tuesday night.

However, rookie winger Randy Burman altered the situation with the winning goal as the Panthers posted a 5-4 win in the Ottawa District Senior Hockey League.

On Thursday night, the Panthers put it all together to rip the lowly Ottawa Cougars 10-0.

Burman, who toiled for the Centennial Cup junior champion Rockland Nationals last season, has just lately started popping goals on a regular basis.

He fired the winner Tuesday night during a scramble around the Gatineau cage.

Centre Rick Larose was the top marksman for Embrun beating Andre Lord with a pair of shots. Dave Dixie and Loyal Hughes got the other goals.

Beating Bob Moore for goals were Dan Moreau, Pierre Lemire, Denis Roy and Gilles Lanteigne.

Embrun outshot Gatineau 49-36 in the close game that saw the score tied 1-1 and 3-3 at the period breaks.

In Ottawa, Embrun came up with a complete team effort with Wayne Hughes facing 21 shots for the shutout and nine players figured in the scoring.

Only Pierre Patenaude got a pair of goals. Singles went to Dixie, Larose, John Hutton, Scott Henderson, Derek Edgehill, John Bonnar and Steve Desloge.

Embrun managed 46 shots on the Ottawa net during the game, which was called with eight minutes remaining. A plate of protective glass at one end of the Merivale Arena was shattered and with no replacement available play was terminated the unfinished portion of the contest will be completed when the teams meet next.

Red, Blue teams tied for second in town league

(Staff) - What was a three-way battle for first place has changed into a two-way fight for second place in the Chesterville Town Hockey League.

Green posted its fifth win in succession, 4-2 over Blue Thursday, to take a four-point hold on first place while Red blanked Yellow 6-0 Wednesday night to draw even with Blue in the runner-up slot.

Pete Monast had an easy night in posting the shutout and Garry Gallinger and Rick Cormier each netted a pair of goals against the winless Yellow squad.

Brian Gunnel and Owen Shortt each scored singles for the winners.

On Thursday night, Mike Lecuyer paced Green with two goals and Frank Swerdfeger and Rick Barkley scored singles in the fast-skating contest.

Brian McMillan and Dwayne Skinner replied in a losing cause for Blue.

The teams split a pair of first period goals before Green fired a pair of quick goals late in the middle stanza to move into the lead.

Green will face-off against Yellow tonight and Red and Blue will meet to decide second place Thursday night. Both games start at 10pm.

Garry Gallinger and Dave Carkner top the league in scoring, each with eight goals. Mike Lecuyer, Pete LaSalle and Dwayne Skinner each have seven goals and Rick Barkley has five.

Standings

	W	L	F	A	PTS
Green	6	1	26	19	12
Red	4	3	29	13	8
Blue	4	3	25	20	8
Yellow	0	7	10	38	0

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Local arenas the place to be

(Staff) — The Chesterville and District Community Centre will be the "Action Place" again this year for local youngsters during the Christmas break.

Schools are out for the festive season tomorrow (Thursday) and the bell will not recall classes until Tues., Jan. 4.

Some children will not have any problems passing time during the 11-day break from the books and teachers' looks but others may.

Chesterville recreation director Rick St. Dennis told The Record Thursday his department will offer a "Shinny Hockey Program" from 1-3pm each day the rink is open during the break. The rink is open for the program Dec. 24, 30, 31 and Jan. 3.

A rubber puck will be used and regular public skating prices will be in effect.

Arena doors will be closed to the public at 5pm Fri., Dec. 24 and opened again Tues., Dec. 28.

The doors will close again at 5pm Fri., Dec. 31 and open Mon., Jan. 3.

The Bantam A Flyers and Legion Peewees will host hockey tournaments on Tues., Dec. 28 and Wed. 29, respectively.

Each tournament will feature eight teams in a consolation round event. Games will start early in the morning with the consolation championships scheduled for 4pm and the grand championships at 5pm.

Chesterville hockey teams will also be busy during the break playing regularly scheduled Carleton-Dundas Minor Hockey League games and participating in a week-long league tournament at the Winchester Community Centre.

Along with teams entered in the Carleton-Dundas league, teams from Maxville, Embrun, Pinecrest and McKellar Park, both from Ottawa, will compete.

Carleton-Dundas teams include Chesterville, Winchester, Russell, Metcalfe, Greely, Kemptville, Morrisburg, Cardinal, Athens, and Long Sault.

The tournament starts Mon., Dec. 27 and finishes Fri., Dec. 31.

On Monday, bantams and juveniles play from 7am-4:30pm.

Midgets, girls and the girls' championship games will be played from 7am-8pm Wednesday. Atom and atom championships will be played from 7:30am-6:30pm Thursday.

Friday's action, from 7:30am.6pm, will be championships in peewee, bantam, midget and juvenile divisions.

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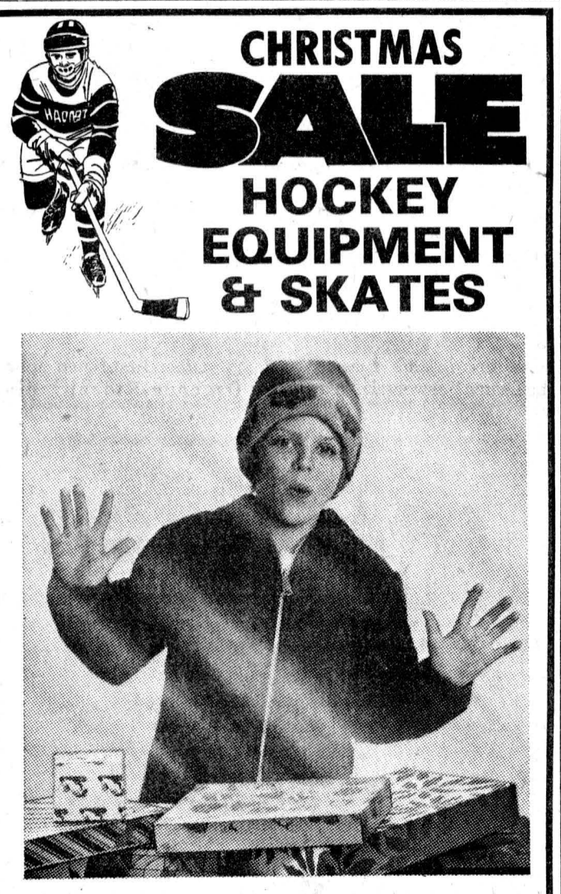

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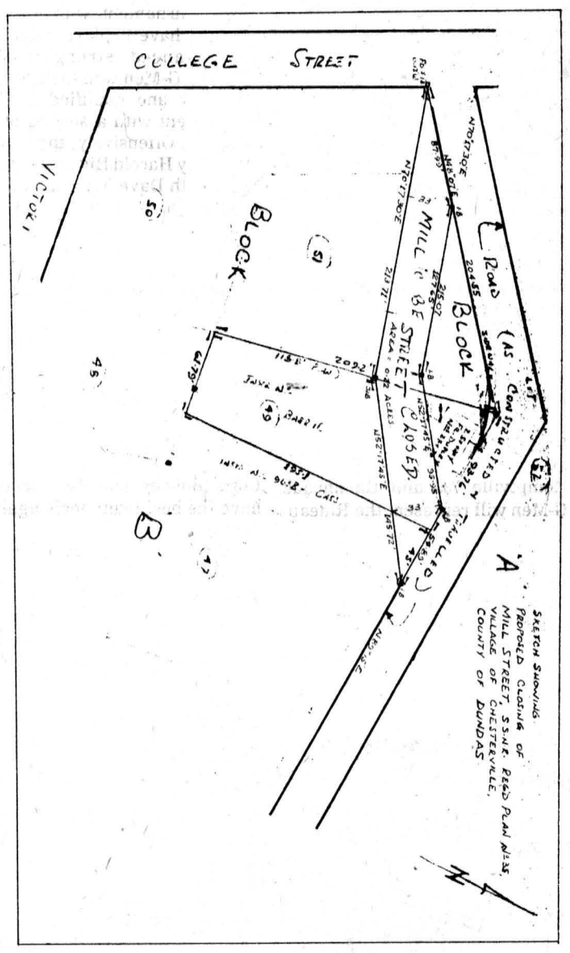
NOTICE OF INTENTION to pass a By-law under Section 443 s.s (c) (d) and Section 446 of The Municipal Act, Chapter 284, R.S.O. 1970, to stop up and close that Part of Mill Street in the Village of Chesterville, in the County of Dundas, according to registered Plan No. 35, more particularly set out at Schedule "A" attached hereto.

TAKE NOTICE that The Municipal Council of The Corporation of the Village of Chesterville, will at its meeting to be held on the 10th day of January, 1977, in the Council Chambers in the Community Hall in the Village of Chesterville, aforesaid, at the hour of 8;00 p.m. o'clock in the evening, consider, and if approved, pass a By-law for stopping up and selling, if deemed advisable, that part of the said Mill Street hereinbefore referred to.

AND TAKE NOTICE FURTHER that the said Municipal Council will at the said time and place, hear in person, or by his counsel, Solicitor, or agent, any person who claims that his land will be prejudicially affected by the said By-Law and who applies to be heard.

DATED this 29th day of November 1976.

G. Lloyd Graham,
Village Clerk,
Chesterville, Ontario.



SCHEDULE "A"

ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in the Village of Chesterville, in the County of Dundas and being composed of a portion of Mill Street, situated between Blocks 'A' and 'B', South side of the Nation River according to the Purvis Plan of the said Village of Chesterville, registered in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of Dundas as No. 35, containing by admeasurement Twenty-two One-Hundredths (0.22) acres be the same more or less, described as follows:

PREMISING that the bearings herein mentioned are assumed to be astronomic and are referred to the established Northerly limit of Church Street, according to the said Registered Plan No. 35, the bearing being North 81 degrees 42 minutes 15 seconds East and relating all bearings herein thereto;

COMMENCING at the North Westerly corner of the said Block 'B', S.S.N.R.;

THENCE North 70 degrees 17 minutes 30 seconds East, along the Southerly limit of Mill Street according to the said Registered Plan No. 35, a distance of Two Hundred and Thirteen and Seventy-one One-Hundredths (213.71) feet more or less to a standard iron bar planted at an angle in the said Mill Street;

THENCE North 52 degrees 17 minutes 45 seconds East, along the South Easterly limit of the said Mill Street according to the said Registered Plan No. 35, One Hundred and Forty-five and Seventy-two One-Hundredths (145.72) feet more or less to an iron bar planted at the most Northerly corner of Lot Forty-Nine (49) in the said Block 'B';

THENCE South 89 degrees 15 minutes West, Fifty-four and Eighty-nine One-Hundredths (54.89) feet more or less to the North Westerly limit of the said Mill Street according to the said Registered Plan No. 35;

THENCE South 52 degrees 17 minutes 45 seconds West, along the said North Westerly limit of Mill Street according to the said Registered Plan No. 35, Ninety-five and Ninety-five One-Hundredths (95.95) feet to an iron bar planted at an angle in the said Mill Street;

THENCE South 70 degrees 17 minutes 30 seconds West, along the Northerly limit of the said Mill Street according to the said Registered Plan No. 35, One Hundred and Twenty-seven and Sixty-five One-Hundredths (127.65) feet to an iron bar planted;

THENCE South 48 degrees 07 minutes West, across the said Mill Street according to the said Registered Plan No. 35, a distance of Eighty-seven and Ninety-nine One-Hundredths (87.99) feet more or less to the point of commencement.



Here it comes...



There it goes

Seven-year-old Whelan Tinkess did just about everything in his power to stop the puck in his debut as a goaltender for the Avonmore squirt hockey team Thursday night. The first year team has, needless to say, been having great difficulties getting shots on the other net let alone win contests, but coach Murray McMillan is not losing heart or faith in his future stars. Young Whelan had his hands full with a more experienced Berwick squad last week and on occasions employed the Tony Esposito flop stop (even using the stick) as seen on the left photo but was still unable to master, the art of blocking the little black disc that kept eluding his grasp.

- staff photos

Junior hockey talent showcase Monday

MORRISBURG (Staff) - The eight best teams in the Ottawa District Hockey Association's Junior B Hockey League will be on display here Monday to select a representative to the Ontario Games.

The defending ODHA champion Morrisburg Lions have qualified for the single-elimination tournament along with previous winners of the vent, the Vanier 72s and the Gananoque G-Men.

Seven games will be played, starting at 9am with the championship contest scheduled for an 8:30pm faceoff.

The top two teams after 15 regular season games in each of the four divisions will be on showcase.

Morrisburg and the Cardinal Broncos will represent the local St. Lawrence division while the Kemptville 73s and Gananoque G-Men will represent the Rideau-St. Lawrence division.

The northwest is represented by the Carleton Place Kings and Ottawa Parkway Canadians while Vanier and the St. Isidore Eagles will represent the northeast division.

At stake is the Cy Easterbrook Trophy and the right to represent the ODHA at the Ontario Games in North Bay Feb. 11-14.

Each of the seven games will consist of three 20 minute straignt time periods, with the final minute of the first and second period stop time and the final five minutes of the last period stop time.

Opening round games have Vanier meeting Cardinal at 9am with Morrisburg going against St. Isidore at 10:30am. Kemptville meets Ottawa at noon and Carleton Place faces Gananoque at 1:30p.

The winner of the first two games play at 3pm and the winners of the last two first round games tangle at 4:30pm.

Morrisburg will go into the tournament with nine rookies and five players missing from last year's squad. At last year's tournament the Lions won their first game before losing their next one.

The following team sketches on who to watch for on the ice has been supplied by league statistician Murray Reed. Team records and individual records do not include the past weekend's games.

Gananoque G-Men (12-2-0-24) - The tournament winners of a year ago have 10 players back. A well-balanced, strong skating club, the G-Men won their league last year and qualified for the tournament with a second place standing. Offensively, the G-Men are led by Harold Higgs (21-18-39) along with Dave Freeland (11-19-30 and Tim Higgins (9-11-20). In goal, Jim Niles has the second best goals against average in the ODHA at 2.68.

Kemptville 73s (13-2-0-26) - The 73s opened the campaign with 11 straight wins but have slipped slightly the last couple of weeks with some key injuries. Randy Blondin, the club's rugged forward, leads the club (13-19-32), with Charlie Legault (12-15-27) and Lindsay Selleck (12-9-21). Chris Bonney and Lee Eckford have the best team goals against average at 3.57.

South Ottawa Parkway Canadians (11-4-2-24) - The Canadians are making their presence felt in the northwest division, winning seven and tying two of their last nine games. Dave McDonell has 12-14-26 to lead the club. Stu McKay has 10-9-19 and Don Adams 6-12-18. The Canadians have lost only four games all season and sould be a top contender.

Carleton Place Kings (11-6-1-23) - The Kings are currently in third place having lost four straight games after getting off to a strong start. The Kings are led by 15-year-old Don Vaughn with 20-17-37, tops in the northwest. Adding offence to the Kings are Jeff Kealey with 15-13-28 and Don Matheson with 12-15-27.

St. Isidore Eagles (10-5-1-21) - The Eagles have been able to hold down second place with their ability to score goals. Their most productive player has been defenceman Doug Kelly with 15-27-42. Along with Kelly, Pierre Fillion (11-17-28) and Dan Lamarche (9-18-27) keep opponents' goaltenders busy. With the addition of Kelly's brother Mike, a high scoring left winger, the Eagles could give Morrisburg trouble.

Vanier 72s (15-1-0-30) - The 72s, looking for their second tournament win, may be the club to beat. Having the most goals for and the least against, the 72s have lost only one game this season. Defenceman Paul Legault and goaltender Tony Lamonica with a 2.50 average make the team strong defencively. The club scoring leader is Robert McFarlane with 17-14-31, followed by Richard Laundry with 16-11-27.

Morrisburg Lions (10-4-1-21) - The Lions with their large lead in the southeast have lost only one game in their last nine starts. The goaltending duo of Mark Duvall and Danny Aikman may be kept busy in the first game against high-scoring St. Isidore. The club's scoring leaders are Kevin Duvall (9-18-27), Pete McIntosh (12-14-26) and Doug McNairn (9-16-25).

Cardinal Broncos (4-9-0-8) - The Broncos will carry the worst record into the tournament but that will mean little as they qualified for the event after losing their first four games. Cardinal boasts the league's scoring leader Doug Byers (24-18-42) and Bill Mullin (14-18-32).

Minor puck tourneys next Tues., Wed.

(Staff) - The Chesterville and District Community Centre will be a beehive of activity next Tuesday and Wednesday as local minor hockey teams host a bantam and peewee tournament.

The Bantam Flyers will host seven area teams Tuesday and the Legion Peewees will play host to as many teams the following day.

Each tournament will feature 10 games including consolation round play and the two championship contests.

Play begins at 8am both days with the consolation finals slated for 4pm and the grand champions to start at 5pm.

In the bantam tournament, the host Flyers will play the defending tournament champion Iroquois entry in the opening game of the event at 8am. Chesterville was the finalist last year.

Other first-round action has Osgoode-Rideau playing Morrisburg at 9am, Winchester against Char-Lan at 10am and Alexandria meeting North Franklin, N.Y., at 11am.

In the peewee tournament, Chesterville plays Russell at 8am, Embrun meets Spencerville at 9am, Aelxandria goes against Cornwall at 10am and North Franklin, N.Y., faces off against Char-Lan at 11am.

Alexandria is the defending champion and Embrun won the consolation title last year.

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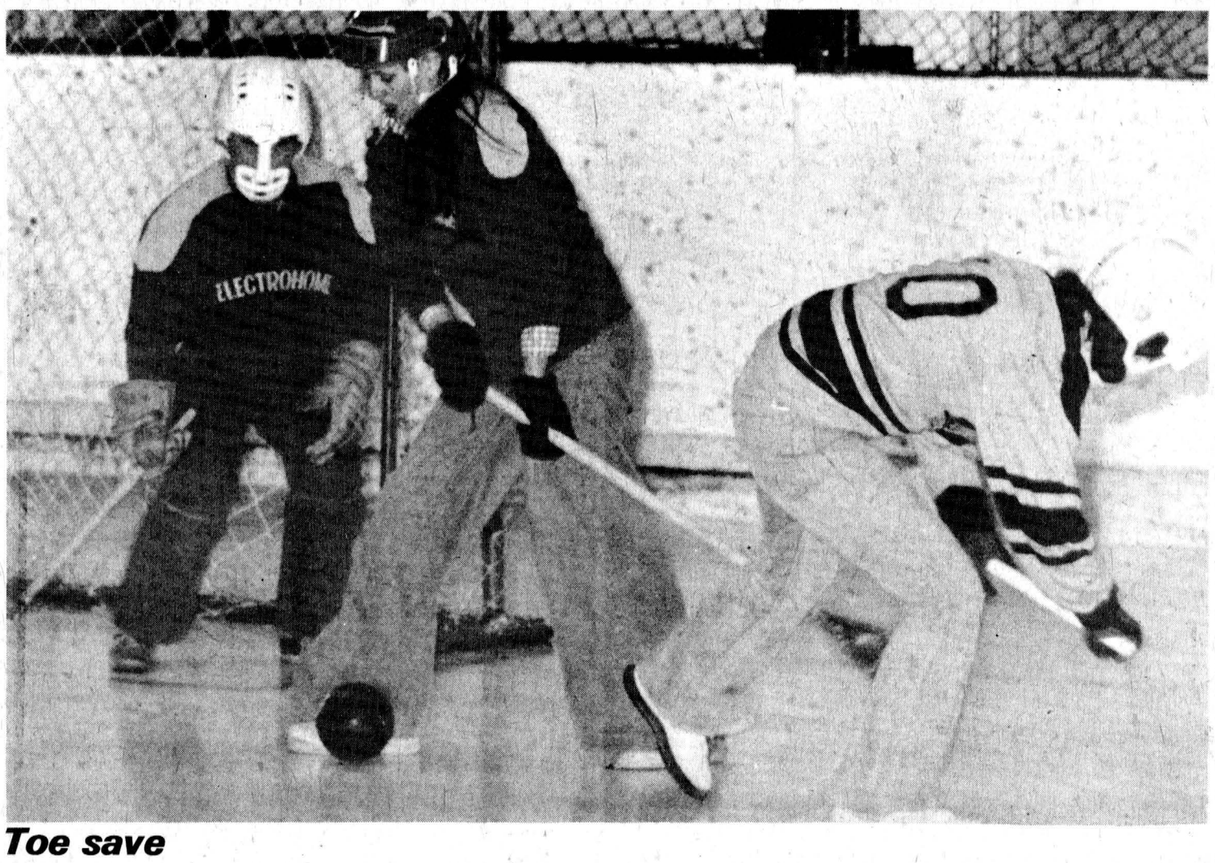

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No broomball is going to hurt me, may have been the thinking of this Ingleside defencewomen Thursday night as Chesterville acted as host in the North Stormont Ladies' Broomball League game. Chesterville won the contest 1-0 on Jean Ward's goal to increase their seasonal record to four wins, a loss and a tie.

- staff photo -

Winchester Hawks slip into division cellar

WINCHESTER (Staff) — The Winchester Hawks were once tied for first place in the St. Lawrence division of the ODHA Junior B Hockey League but now find themselves trailing along.

The Hawks had their winless string pushed to five games on the weekend as injuries to key players and player protests against the dismissal of coach Dave Armstrong continue to plague.

The Spencerville Bruins downed the Hawks at home 4-1 Friday and the Kemptville 73s blasted them 10-0 Sunday.

The disastrous weekend was the second in succession. It marked the second weekend they played two games, lost two games and only scored one goal.

Their chances of qualifying for the ODHA tournament in Morrisburg next Monday were good two weeks ago but it slipped from their grasp when the trouble set in.

While the Hawks were floundering about, the Morrisburg Lions split a pair of weekend games to maintain an 11-point on first place.

The Lions outclassed Athens 11-4 Friday night before bowing 5-3 to the Long Sault Pats Sunday.

Dave Tait, Doug McNairn, Billy Morrow and Kevin Duvall each netted a pair of goals as Morrisburg held 4-0 and 7-1 period leads.

Bryan Rutley, Brian Moran and Kevin Mackler got the other goals.

Replying for the Aeros were Brad Millett, Chris Bresee, Rick Merkley and Bob Seed.

Athens received five minor penalties and Morrisburg seven.

On Sunday, the Lions had a two-goal margin slip from their grasp.

The teams were scoreless after one period of action and Morrisburg moved into a 2-0 lead early in the middle stanza before the Pats stormed back with three goals before the period ended.

Jim Losey led the winners with a pair of goals as singles went to Kevin Wells, Rick Ayotte and Rick Currier.

Doug McNairn, Bob McNairn and Dave Tait scored for the Lions.

Morrisburg received 10 minors, a major and a 10-minute misconduct. Long Sault was handed nine minors and a major.

Monday night, Morrisburg doubled the Prescott Saints 10-5 to ruin their hopes of playing in the ODHA tournament.

The Lions led 4-2 and 6-4 at the period breaks as their top offensive line of Pete McIntosh, Doug McNairn and Kevin Duvall literally owned the ice.

McNairn scored five goals and added three assists while Duvall scored a pair and collected five assists and McIntosh netted a single goal and collected four assists.

Billy Morrow and Bob McNairn got the other Morrisburg goals.

Lynn Norton, Blaine Shaver, John Biccuum, Peter Lapensee and Allan Dalley scored for the Saints.

Morrisburg received eight minors and a major and Prescott had nine minors and a major.

Weekend Scores

Wednesday
Cardinal 9, Long Sault 6
Gananoque 8, Athens 3

Friday
Spencerville 4, Winchester 1
Morrisburg 11, Athens 4
Brockville 5, Prescott 5

Saturday
Gananoque 6, Spencerville 4
Cardinal 4, Kemptville 1

Sunday
Kemptville 10, Winchester 0
Long Sault 5, Morrisburg 3
Athens 4, Brockville 2
Gananoque 8, Prescott 4

Monday
Morrisburg 10, Prescott 5

League Standings
St. Lawrence

	W	L	T	PTS
Morrisburg	12	5	1	25
Cardinal	6	9	0	12
Prescott	5	10	1	11
L. Sault	5	11	1	11
Winchester	4	13	1	9

Rideau-St. Lawrence

Gananoque	15	2	0	30
Kemptville	14	3	0	28
Spencerville	9	6	0	18
Brockville	5	10	2	12
Athens	5	11	0	10

Doug Zeran tops 1,000 mark

Monday Nite Men's
Doug Zeran rolled the highest triple ever recorded at Monast Lanes last week. Doug had a 369 high single and finished the night with a 1,014 cross. His average jumped to 241.

Bird's Red and White top the standings with 53 points. The Mailmen have 48, Monast Lanes 43, Chesterville Legion 37, Kraft Foods 36 and Farmers 35.

Riverside Rollers
Sandy Harold and Irv Little topped the league. Sandy had a 229 and 631 while Irv rolled a 246 and 628.

Rachelle Morin leads the standings with 20 points. Jim Harold has 17, Larry Stevens 16 and Brian Casselman 11.

Will. Mixed League
Dale Casselman, Lawrence Whitteker and Orval Casselman are all tied for first place with 31 points. Rita Cooper is two points back at 29 and Percy Robertson and Dale Whitteker are at 23 each.

Orval Casselman was the top keggler with a 301 and 764. Twylla Whitteker had a 232 and Rita Cooper a 643.

The standings have three two-way ties after last week's action. Dale Whitteker and Rita Cooper are at 32 points, Lawrence Whitteker and Orval Casselman at 31 and Percy Robertson and Dale Whitteker at 27.

Percy Robertson led the men with a 312 and 775 and Rita Cooper topped the women with a 286 and 703.

Les Copains
Anita St. Pierre was top keggler with a 277 and 708. Henri-Paul Marion had a 253 and Albert Bouchard a 692.

Denis Perras leads the standings with 54 points and Gisele Hebert has 43. Claudette Piche and Rodolphe Lafrance 41 each, Alphonse Adam 37 and Colombe Lafrance 36.

Avonmore Thurs. Night
Dean McIntyre and Beulah Rielly topped the league. Dean had a 271 and 700 while Beulah had a 233 and 655.

Beth McIntyre leads the standings with 64 points while Carolyn Tinkess has 52, Beulah Rielly 49, Ardis McIntyre 46, Iva Bush 37 and Lois Bilmer 25.

Matilda League
Marilyn Payne and Percy Robertson topped the league last week. Marilyn led the women with a 246 and 592 and Percy topped the men with a 304 and 732.

Larry Casselman leads the standings with 32,774. Shirley Belanger has 32,675, Dale Wise 32,624 and Percy Robertson 32,297.

Community League
Eleven points separates the top and bottom teams in the league standings after last week's action. Tommy Parker leads with 49 and Lyle Loucks has 44, Gord McLaughlin 43, Earl Johnston 40, Lorne Byers and Ralph Dillabough each at 38.

Lorne Byers led the men last week with a 288 single and 773 cross. Doreen Marcellus had the women's high single with a 239 and Edythe Cameron rolled a 624 high triple.

Busy Matrons
Only six points separates the top three teams in the league standings. Jean Fyke leads the way with 59 points while Gladys Smith has 55 and Fran Shaver 53. Jean Ball has 46, Ella Merkley 30 and Mary McCloskey 29.

Sharon Shaver had the high single last week with a 257 and Lois Dillabough the high cross with a 573.

Defenders
Lise Steinburg won double honors last week leading the women with a 299 single and 763 triple. Ron Kuno topped the men with a 749 cross and Ralph Dillabough had a 287 single.

Ralph Dillabough leads the standings with 60 points, 14 more than Dwayne Hall. Jeanine VanOers has 42, Pat Monast 39, Rita Lapierre 36 and Bertha Barkley 29.

Wed. Afternoon Ladies
Virley Edwards rolled a 248 high single and Eileen Sharkey had a 650 high cross last week.

Theresa Masterson tops the standings with 55 points and Virley Edwards has 53. Bertha Barkley has 49, Eileen Sharkey 48, Frances Bird 47 and Lois Coates 42.

Finch Mixed League
Doug Zeran and Heather Brownlee each garnered double honors last week. Heather led the women with a 263 single and 615 triple while Doug rolled a 306 single and 780 cross.

Sylvia Bird leads the standings with 67 points. Heather Brownlee has 49, Ellery Ouderkirk and Ila McElheran 47 each, Ruby Mekker 45 and Lyle Forsythe 39.

Midgets defeated

(Staff) - The bubble finally burst on the Chesterville Midget Flyers.

The Flyers had their unbeaten string in the Carleton-Dundas Minor Hockey League snapped at eight games last week losing 2-1 Greely Wednesday and 3-2 to Morrisburg Friday.

Tuesday, the Flyers blanked Iroquois 5-0 in exhibition play.

Jeff Phifer posted the shutout as Chesterville got single goals from Jeff Derue, Dave Phifer, Ron Leclair, Rob Woods and Rudy Grisel.

The Flyers held 2-0 and 3-0 period leads.

On Wednesday, all the scoring was in the first period as Greely dumped the flyers.

Dave Phifer fired the lone Chesterville goal. Tyrone Franey and Dave Vanderkydte scored for Greely.

The following night, Rudy Grisel scored a pair of late goals but it wasn't enough to erase a 3-0 Morrisburg lead.

Scott Campbell scored twice and Gary Jarvis once for Morrisburg. Jim Jordan assisted on all of the goals.

Morrisburg led 1-0 at the period breaks and ran the margin to 3-0 before Grisel replied for Chesterville.

The Flyers will host Winchester in an exhibition game at 8pm tonight. Next week they will participate in the Carleton-Dundas league tournament at Winchester.

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Atoms consolation finalists at L. Sault

(Special) - In the past week the C of C Atom Flyers have twice tangled with their strongest competitors of Carleton Dundas League, the Greely Eagles.

Last Wednesday the Flyers travelled to Metcalfe to play the Eagles and Flyers came up flat. At 11:25 of the first period Bradley scored to put Greely on the scoreboard. Less than two minutes later Milligan scored to make it a 2-0 lead.

The clock had barely begun in the second period when Cooper notched the third goal for Greely and shortly thereafter Milligan capitalized to make the score 4-0 as Greely continued to dominate play.

Finally at 2:24 of the second period Chesterville made it on the scoreboard as Michael Van Delst became our rushing defenceman and scored a goal on a play initiated by Kent Smith. So the second period ended 4-1 for Greely.

The third period saw only one goal as Lauzon scored.

Last Friday, Greely returned the visit and Flyers were more than prepared this time. Mark Smith got Chesterville going on a goal at 2:34 of the first period.

The second period saw each team plagued by penalties as the boys became overanxious in their attempts to control the play. At 14:30 of the period Kent Smith scored on a pass from Kelly Mitchell.

Eagles still hung in and worked diligently which finally netted them a powerplay goal by Lauzon.

This ended the second period and the scoring for the game. The 2-1 lead by Chesterville was held by good strong defensive and offensive play.

On Saturday our Atom Flyers travelled to Long Sault to participate in their first tournament of the season. Alarm clocks began the day at 6am for the lads as the first game against Cornwall Township began at 8am. The goalies were alert in the first period nonetheless and stopped all shots as both teams got the feel of the day and the teams.

The second period featured good passing and well set up plays which netted each team a goal. Township scored first as Brown notched one. Flyers then answered as Kelly Mitchell scored on a pass from Derek Morrison and Mark Smith.

In the third period Flyers lagged a little and the even stronger Township reaped the benefits and notched three goals winning the game 4-1.

This loss put the Flyers in the consolation of the tournament and set to play Maxville at noon.

Chesterville came out strong but Maxville's goalie proved even stronger as he turned back many Flyers shots on goal. At 9:11 the scoring was opened as Macdonell scored for Maxville and later in the period Mark Smith scored unassisted to put Flyers on the board and end the period in a 1-1 tie.

Chesterville really came on in the second and third period as their strong skating proved too much for their opponents and left their goalie with little help. Flyers notched three goals in the second period and seven goals in the third period leaving the final score 11-1 for Chesterville.

Scoring were M. VanDelst, D. VanDelst, Darin Kelly, Kelly Mitchell, Kirk Barkley, Mark Smith with two and Rene Boulanger with three.

Chesterville's win took them to the finals at 4pm where they tangled with the Alexandria Glens.

The first period was scoreless as the goalies were fantastic. Both teams played strong hockey but the Glens came up with two goals in the second period. Flyers out shot the Glens but just couldn't buy a goal.

The third period put Chesterville on the scoresheet as Darrin Kelly's persistence out manoeuvered the Glens on a pass from Kelly Mitchell. The Glens then replied before the end of the third period to make the final score 3-1 for Alexandria and give them the "B" Trophy Mark Smith came home with a medal for being the third star in the final game.

Finch continues domination over Chesterville

(Staff) - The Chesterville Jets and Finch Township 76s remain tied for second place in the North Stormont Long Sault Junior C Hockey League standings.

The Jets nipped Char-Lan last Tuesday night to snap the deadlock but Finch evened it up the following night by blanking the Jets 4-0.

In the second half of the weekly double-header at Finch, the Avonmore Aces hit the win column in the standings by downing Osnabruck Township 6-4.

As of Tuesday noon, league president Larry Stevens had not yet received game reports from Thursday's game between Osnabruck and Char-Lan and Sunday's contest featuring Avonmore and Maxville.

The scores of the two games were unknown.

Jets 4, Rebels 1

Chesterville continued to dominate play over Char-Lan scoring their third win in as many meetings over the Rebels here last Tuesday night.

Dave Cross paced Chesterville to their eighth victory of the season with a pair of goals, including the eventual winner midway through the first period.

Kevin Blair scored Chesterville's opening goal and Larry Gallinger finished it off in the final period. Period scores were 2-0 and 2-1.

Mickey Wolfe fired his 11th goal of the season to break Larry Curran's shutout bid.

Char-Lan was handed seven minors. Chesterville had six minors and a 10-minute misconduct.

Finch 4, Jets 0

For the second consecutive meeting in recent weeks, the Finch Township 76s blanked the Chesterville Jets.

Jim Hume posted his fourth shutout of the season as his mates scored once in the first half and three times in the second half for their eighth win of the season.

The league's scoring leader Dave Rumer paced the attack with a goal and two of assists. Other goals went to Richard Courville, Ian Moran and Steve McRae.

Chesterville received seven minor penalties and Finch had 11.

Aces 6, Osna. 4

Osnabruck Township got a hat trick from Neil Simpson but it went for naught in the second half of last Wednesday's double-header at the finch community Arena.

Dan Marsolais fired a pair of late goals for Avonmore to overshadow Simpson and give the Aces a 6-4 win, their first of the season after nine straight defeats.

Blair Henderson also fired two goals for the Aces and singles went to Morris Dusomos and Barry Crawford.

John Bedingfield notched the final Osnabruck goal.

Avonmore never trailed in the contest that had only six minor penalties called, three to each team.

The Aces led 3-2 at the half and increased it to 5-2 before Osnabruck replied with a pair of goals.

Standings

	W	L	T	F	A	PTS
Max.	8	1	1	48	29	17
Chest.	8	4	0	60	30	16
Finch	8	3	0	43	24	16
Char.	5	5	1	44	42	11
Osna.	1	8	0	19	42	2
Avon.	1	9	0	23	70	2

Not including results from Thursday's Osnabruck Township vs Char-Lan game and Sunday's Avonmore vs Maxville contest.

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Wed., Dec. 22

8pm- Avonmore meets Osnabruck and Char-Lan meets Finch in NSLSJHL double-header at Finch Community Centre
10pm- Green meets Yellow in Chesterville Town Hockey League action
8pm- Bantam Flyers host Russell

Thurs., Dec. 23

8pm- Chesterville at Char-Lan in NSLSJHL action
9pm- Chesterville meets Crysler at Finch Community Arena in North Stormont Ladies' Broomball League action
10pm- Blue meets Red in Chesterville Town Hockey League action

Sun., Dec. 26

2pm- Cardinal at Morrisburg in ODHA Junior B Hockey League action
3pm- Chesterville at Maxville in NSLSJHL action

Mon., Dec. 27

8am- ODHA Junior B Hockey Tournament at Morrisburg Community Centre. Top two teams from each of the four divisions compete in single elimination event.
8pm- Avonmore meets Ingleside, Newington meets Finch and Crysler meets Berwick in North Stormont Ladies' Broomball League triple-header at Finch Community Arena.

Tues., Dec. 28

8am-6pm- Bantam A hockey tournament at Chesterville and District Community Arena
8pm- Finch at Chesterville in NSLSJHL action

Wed., Dec. 29

8am-6pm- Peewee A hockey tournament at Chesterville and District Community Arena
8pm- Prescott at Winchester in ODHA Junior B Hockey League action
8pm- Avonmore meets Finch and Maxville meets Osnabruck in NSLSJHL double-header at Finch Community Arena
10pm- Red meets Green in Chesterville Town Hockey Legue action

Thurs., Dec. 30

8pm- Avonmore at Char-Lan in NSLSJHL action
9pm- Chesterville at Finch in North Stormont Ladies' Broomball League action
10pm- Yellow meets Blue in Chesterville Town Hockey League action

NOTE: Shinny Hockey Program at Chesterville and District Community Centre from 1-3pm Dec. 24, 30, 31 and Jan. 3.

The Mothers' and Tots skating program, sponsored by the Finch Lions Club, is not being very well attended. The program, which runs from 1-2pm each Tuesday, is open to everyone and not just Lions club members' wives and children.

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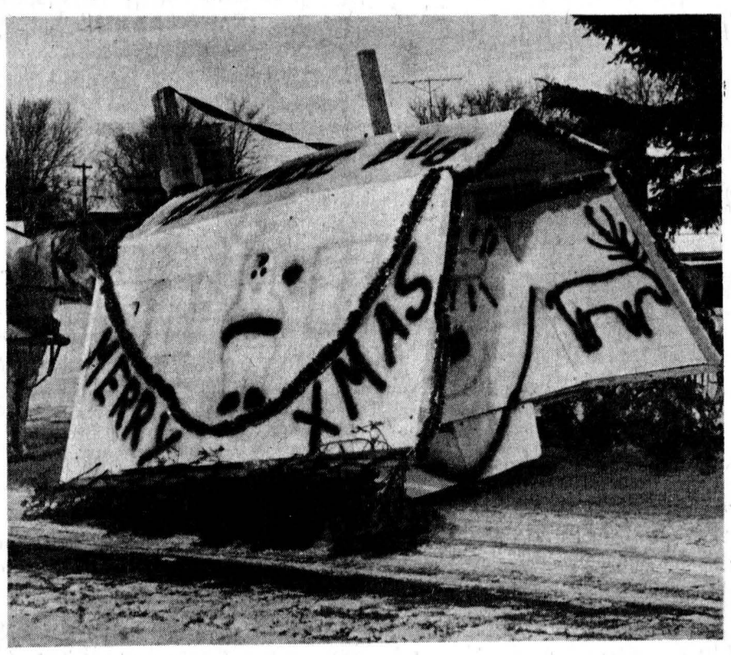

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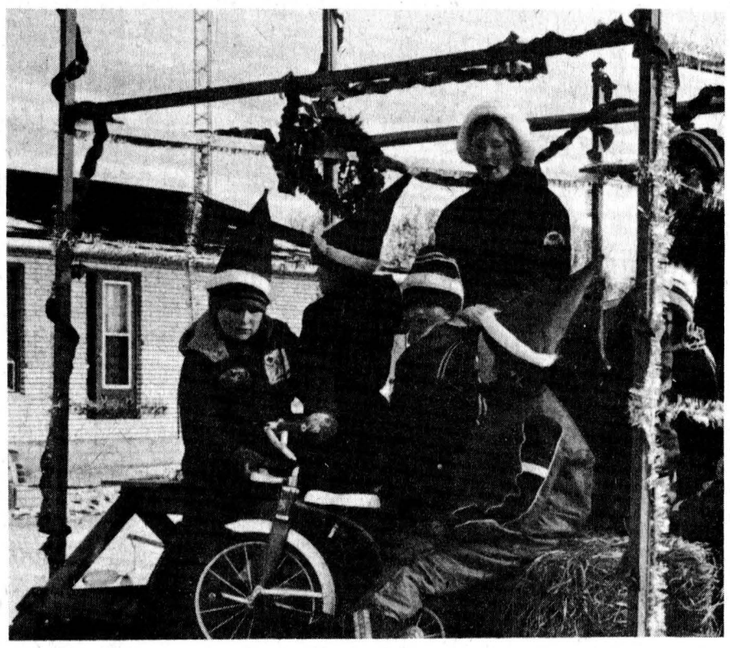
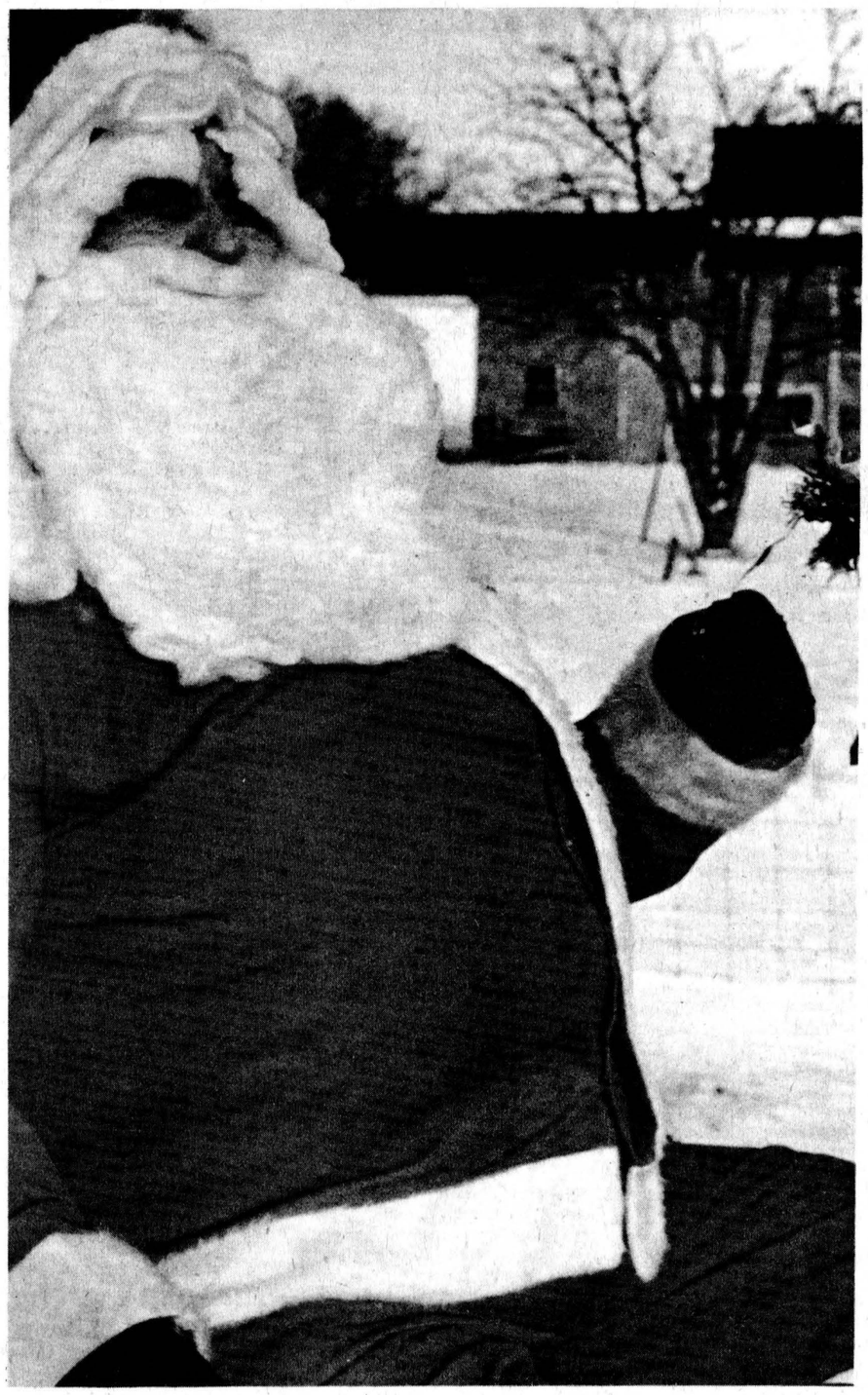


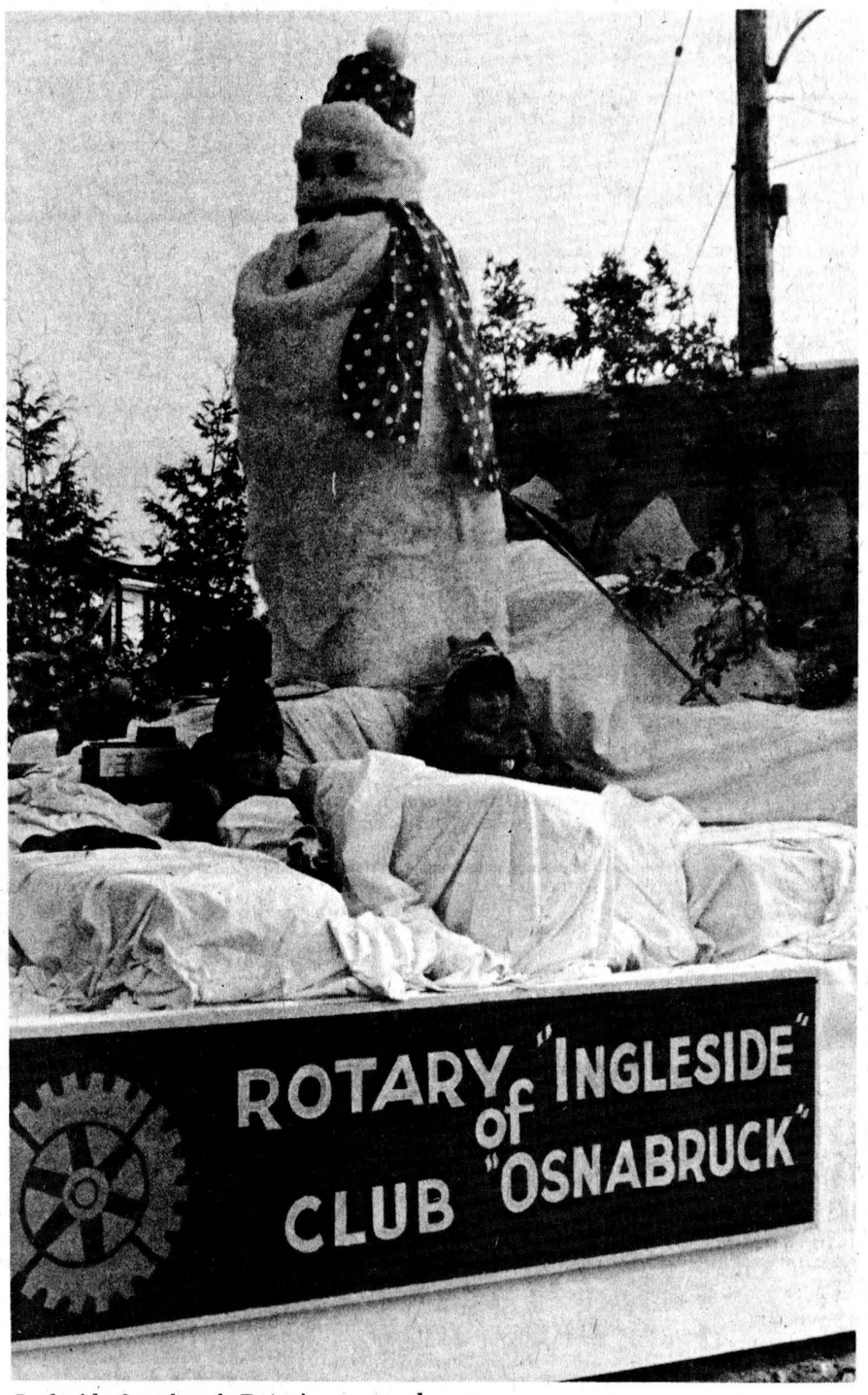
Sunday School second place winners



Santa didn't need any pillows

Christmas parades dot Stormont

Newington Sunday



Ingleside-Osnabruck Rotarians second



Doug's Service first at Newington



Women's Institute place third



Snowmobilers revert to wheels

Christmas Greetings



O Come, All Ye Faithful

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant;
Oh come ye, Oh come ye to Bethlehem.
Come and behold Him, born the King of angels:
O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him,
Christ the Lord.

Yea, Lord, we greet Thee, born this happy morning;
Jesus, to Thee be glory giv'n;
Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing,

Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation,
Sing, all ye citizens of heav'n above:
Glory to God, in the highest:
O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him,
Christ the Lord.

O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him,
Christ the Lord.



ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH CHOIR

The Herald Angels Sing

Hark the herald angels sing,
"Glory to the new-born King,
Peace on earth, and mercy mild,
God and sinners reconciled!"
Joyful, all ye nations, rise,
Join the triumph of the skies,
With the angelic host proclaim,
"Christ is born in Bethlehem."

Refrain:
Hark the herald angels sing,
"Glory to the new-born King,"

Christ, by highest heaven adored,
Christ, the everlasting Lord,
Late in time behold Him Come,
Offspring of a virgin's womb,
Veiled in flesh the Godhead see;
Hail, the incarnate Deity,
Please as Man with man to dwell,
Jesus, our Emmanuel!

Hail, the heaven-born Prince of Peace!
Hail, the Son of Righeousness!
Light and life to all He brings,
Risen with healing in His wings,
Mild He lays His glory by,
Born that man no more may die,
Born to raise the sons of earth,
Born to give them second birth.

Good King Wenceslas

Good King Wenceslas looked out
On the feast of Stephen,
When the snow lay 'round about,
Deep and crisp and even.
Brightly shone the moon that night,
Though the frost was cruel,
When a poor man came in sight,
Gath'ring winter fuel.

"Hither, page, and stand by me,
If thou know'st it telling,
Yonder peasant, who is he?
Where and what his dwelling?"
"Sire, he lives a good league hence,
Underneath the mountain,
Right against the forest fence,
By St. Agnes' fountain!"

"Bring me flesh, and bring me wine,
Bring me pine logs hither;
Thous and I will see him dine,
When we bear them thither."

Page and monarch, forth they went,
Forth they went together;
Through the rude wind's wild lament,
And the bitter weather.

"Sire, the night is darker now,
And the wind blows stronger;
Fails my heart, I know not how;
I can go no longer."

"Mark my footsteps my good page,
Tread thou in them boldly:
Thou shalt find the winter's rage
Freeze thy blood less coldly."

In his master's steps he trod,
Where the snow lay dinted;
Heat was in the very sod
Which the Saint had printed.
Therefore, Christian men, be sure,
Wealth or rank possessing,
Ye who now will bless the poor,
Shall yourselve's find blessing.

Jingle Bells

Dashing through the snow
In a one-horse open sleigh,
O'er the fields we go,
Laughing all the way;
Bells on bob-tail ring,
Making spirit bright;
What fun it is to ride and sing
A sleighing-song tonight!

Jingle bells, Jingle bells!
Jingle all the way!
Oh, what fun it is to ride
In a one-horse open sleigh!

Infant Holy

Infant holy,
Infant lowly,
For His bed a cattle stall;
Oxen lowing,
Little knowing
Christ the Babe is Lord of all.
Swift are winging
Angels singing,
Noels ringing,
Tidings bringing,
Christ the Babe is Lord of all.
Flocks were sleeping,
Shepherds keeping
Vigil till the morning new
Saw the glory,
Heard the story,
Tidings of a gospel true.
Thus rejoicing,
Free from sorrow,
Praises voicing
Greet the morrow,
Christ the Babe was born for you.

Silent Night

Silent night! Holy night!
All is calm, all is bright,
Child.
'Round yon virgin Mother and
Holy Infant so tender and mild,
Sleep in heavenly peace,
Sleep in heavenly peace.

Silent night! Holy night!
Shepherds quake at the sight!
Glories stream from heaven afar,
Heav'nly hosts sing "Alleluia".
Christ, the Saviour, is born!
Christ, the Saviour, is born!

Silent night! Holy night!
Son of God, love's pure light
Radiant beams from Thy holy face,
With the dawn of redeeming grace,
Jesus, Lord at Thy birth.
Jesus, Lord at Thy birth.

Silent night! Holy night!
Darkness flies, all is light!
Shepherds hear the angels sing:
"Hallelujah! Hail the King!

Christ the Saviour is born!
Christ the Saviour is born!

Silent night! Holy night!
Child of heav'n! O how bright
Thou didst smile when Thou wast
born!
Blessed be that happy morn,
Full of heavenly joy,
Full of heavenly joy.

What Child Is This

What Child is this, who laid to rest
On Mary's lap is sleeping?
sweet,
Whom angels greet with anthems
While shepherds watch are keeping?
This, this is Christ the King,
sing:
Whom shepherds guard and angels
Haste, haste to bring Him laud,
The Babe, the Son of Mary,
myrrh,
So bring Him incense, gold, and
Come peasant, king, to own Him;
The King of kings salvation brings
Let loving hearts enthrone Him.
Raise, raise the song on high,
The Virgin sings her lullaby:
Joy, joy, for Christ is born,
The Babe, the Son of Mary.

Joy To The World

Joy to the world! the Lord is come;
Let earth receive her King,
Let ev'ry heart prepare Him room,
And heav'n and nature sing,
And heav'n and nature sing,
And heav'n, and heav'n and nature sing.

Joy to the world! the Saviour reigns'
Let men their songs employ,
While fields and floods, rocks, hills and plains,
Repeat the sounding joy,
Repeat the sounding joy,
Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.

He rules the world with truth and grace,
And makes the nations prove
The glories of His righteousness,
And wonders of His love,
And wonders of His love,
And wonders, wonders of His love.

Bang! Bang! Seniors are alive!

120 area senior citizens attend Christmas party

Last Wednesday afternoon approximately 120 Chesterville and Area Senior Citizens assembled in the Chesterville Legion Hall to enjoy a sumptuous turkey dinner followed by a Christmas program.

The Hall and tables, decorated in their tinsel and holly, gave a festive atmosphere. Everyone seemed in a gay mood, making the party a success from start to finish.

Fr. J. Appelman invoked the blessing and Rev. L.M. Ferguson offered the thanksgiving.

The holiday meal was served by the Volunteer Group composed of young ladies who very generously contribute their assistance when needed.

Following dinner president Mrs. M. Kearns called the meeting to order with the remark, "Bang, Bang, Senior Citizens are Alive!"

Mrs. W. York read an enjoyable poem "Symbols and Colors of Christmas".

Mrs. N. Beckstead read, "A Letter to Santa" which gave us food for thought.

Miss Addie Campderros, accompanied by Mrs. D. Cross at the piano, led in a medley of Christmas carols.

Miss Campderros also delighted the audience with two solos, "Jingle Bell Rock" and "I'll be Home for Christmas".

Rev. Ferguson contributed greatly to the program as he sang "Oh Holy Night" and "In the bleak Mid-Winter". He was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Allison Graham.

Fr. Appelman sang the National Anthem of Holland and he also entertained on this recorder. Both these numbers were appreciated by all, and warmly applauded.

The most outstanding number on the program was a vocal duet, "Amazing Grace" sung by Rev. Ferguson and Fr. Appelman.

Mrs. M. Curran (Madam Suitem' All) read some humorous letters supposedly written by Senior Citizens asking for her help with their Christmas shopping.

Santa Claus was present and after delivering several parcels took his leave, wishing everyone a Merry Christmas.

Fire Chief Fyke warns of leaving tykes alone

"Christmas brings temptations to many parents, while visiting with neighbors or completing last minute shopping, to leave small children unattended for short periods," says Fire Chief Mike Fyke.

"At the same time, decorations, trees and wrapping paper bring an increased threat of fire danger unless constant care is exercised."

The Fire Chief urges all parents to recognize the fire danger of this season and not to leave small children alone in the home even for a moment. He points out that the Criminal Code of Canada forbids such action which endangers the life or health of any child under the age of 10 years.

Parents are further reminded that under certain conditions a Christmas tree can be ignited by a single match to burn furiously to charred wood in a few seconds. Care must be taken to keep butts of natural trees immersed in water and to ensure that the tree itself does not obstruct access to a door or window.

Guns or Butter

Did you know that the annual income of UNICEF (United Nations Children's Fund) is less than the amount spent on world armaments in two hours?

Christmas party for Messengers Dec. meeting

(Special) - The December meeting of the United Church Messengers was held Monday Dec. 4. The meeting was in the form of a Christmas Party.

The meeting opened with the Messenger Motto and Prayer. Roll call was answered with "What does Christmas mean to you?" All 22 members were present.

Mrs. Geertsma read the story "The Birth of Jesus".

Birthday greetings were extended to those having December birthdays, Drew Mitchell, Gary Geertsma, Clinton Young, Jefferey Barkley, Sharon Armstrong and Tracy McMillan.

Mrs. Merkley instructed the members in making candles which will be distributed to those receiving Meals on Wheels at New Years.

Mrs. Merkley played her autoharp for the members to sing Christmas Carols.

The members enjoyed hot dogs and cake after which the exchange of gifts took place.

Each member placed a decoration on the tree as part of our donation of decorations for the new tree for the Sunday School.

December

It always happens in December... Christmas trees... decorations... gift wrappings... they all add up to greater home fire danger. This is the time to take the utmost care to make sure that holiday fun will not turn into family tragedy. Watch small children more carefully at this season than at any other time... and never, never leave them unattended.

Merry Christmas... Merry Christmas... to you... and keep this Christmas safe from fire. Take special care with the tree... stand it in water... clear discarded wrappings away from the tree... keep cigarettes ad matches at a safe distance... and never leave small children unattended... even for a minute.

Festive meeting for CWL

(Special) - A large number attended the Dec. 6th meeting of St Mary's CWL Chesterville despite dubious weather warnings.

After a brief disposal of business agenda, the guest speaker was introduced by Father Appelman. Father Raby, from Brockville, gave a very interesting show of slides of the British Isles and the Holy Land.

Helen Hughson had been on the same tour and convened the meeting.

This tour was sponsored by the Catholic Register and in the Holy Land, Larry Henderson, editor of the Register, was their guide. Five days were spent in Jerusalem, a day in Tiberias. They saw Bethlehem, some swam in the Dead Sea, lowest point of sea level in the world and crossed the sea of Galillee.

Little Christmas gifts were handed out to winners of the lucky draw. Agnes McEvoy and Janet Holmes looked after these prizes.

The meeting concluded with refreshments. Elaine Chambers provided a festive note by playing Christmas music at the piano.

Visitors abound in Morewood this weekend

MOREWOOD (Special) - Mrs. Alida Young spent the weekend with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Young, Greely.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Barnes, Ottawa visited Mrs. Zoe McQuaig and Miss Carrie Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Barnes visited Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Carlyle, Brockville.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hatina and family, Ottawa visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack James.

Warm Wishes



We would like to take this opportunity to inform old and new patrons that once again we are operating the Finch Variety Store and extend our Christmas wishes to all

CLAUDE & EDNA CUTHBERT
FINCH VARIETY STORE
FINCH, ONT.

Greetings and a better than par Christmas holiday! Thanks.

Winchester Sporting Goods WINCHESTER



It's Christmas

Time to send this holiday wish for a Christmas of dazzling delights. Thanks to our many friends

Ron Armstrong Insurance Agency
CRYSLER



CHRISTMAS Greetings

Delivering our good wishes for a Merry Christmas right to your door, and extending a barnyard full of thanks for your kind patronage.

Clement's Feed & Farm Supplies
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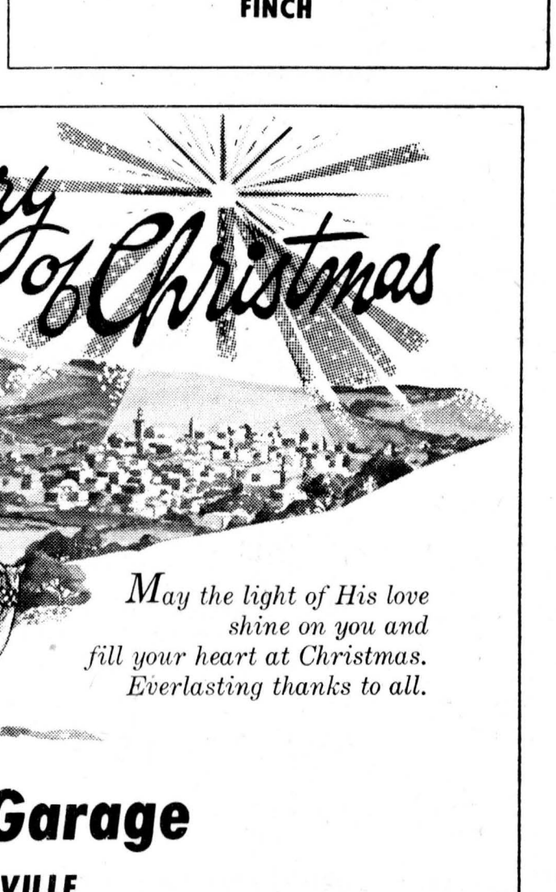

a Christmas Carol

Love and joy come to you and a heartfelt thank you too.

Carl's Radio & TV
FINCH



We wish you a Merry Christmas

Hope every day of the holidays is a special day for you, filled with the pleasures that make you happiest!

Add our thanks to your holiday joys.

Upper Canada Motor Sales
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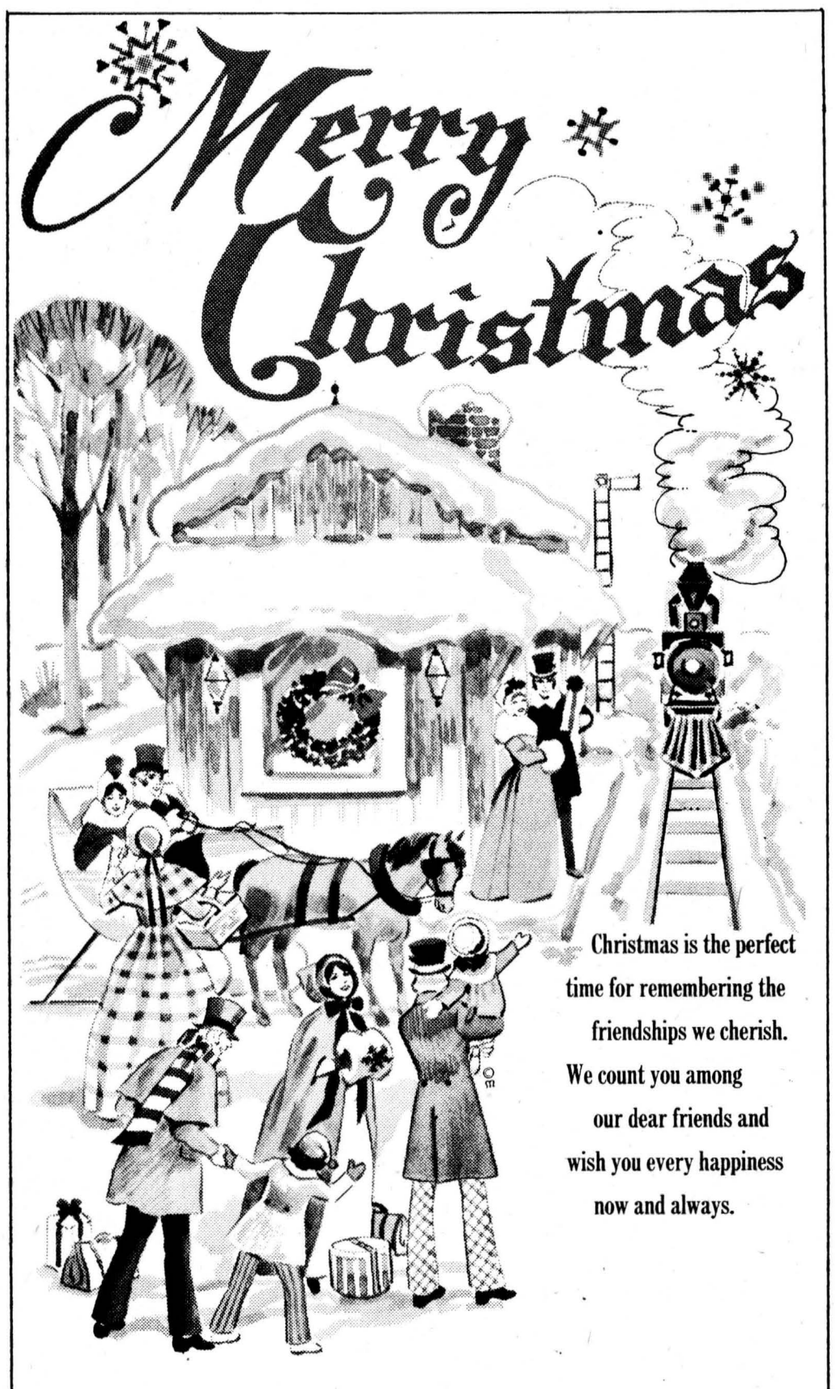


Merry Christmas

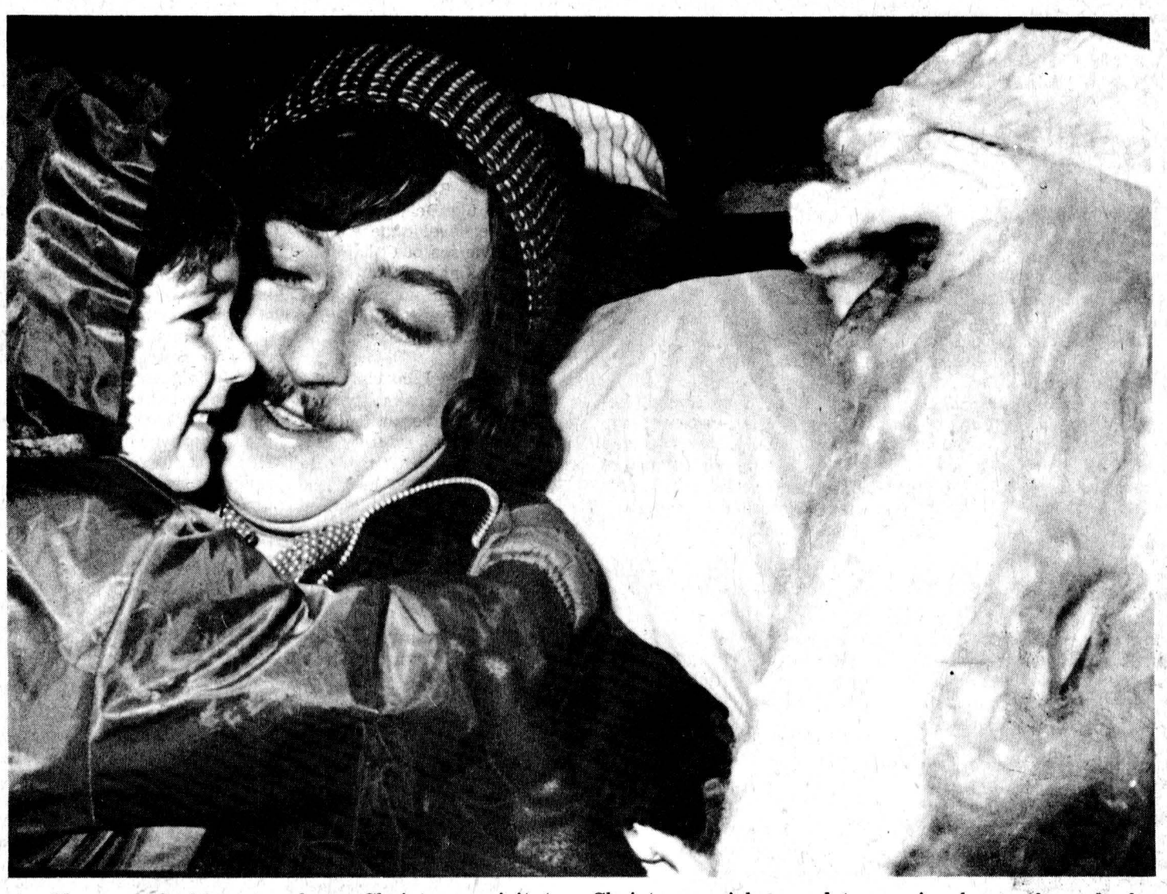
Christmas is the perfect time for remembering the friendships we cherish. We count you among our dear friends and wish you every happiness now and always.

Bernie's Furniture
CHESTERVILLE

The Glory of Christmas

May the light of His love shine on you and fill your heart at Christmas. Everlasting thanks to all.

Lannin's Garage
CHESTERVILLE



Santa Claus made his annual pre-Christmas visit to Berwick Saturday afternoon to take part in the community's Christmas parade. As usual Santa was a hit with the youngsters who jammed the Community Hall to have a private word with him regarding their Christmas wishes and to receive bags of candy from members of the WI and recreation association. Visiting with Santa are Trevor Ouderkirk and his father, Garry. - staff photo -

Keeping Christmas plants for spring

Flowering plants can add to the festive flavor of your home during the holiday season.

With proper care, some Christmas plants will last through the year until they can be planted outdoors in the spring, says T.J. Blom, Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food horticulturist.

One attractive flowering plant is the azalea, native to Asia and a member of the rhododendron family. It takes about two years to grow a cutting into a marketable plant. Mr. Blom suggests azaleas be kept in a sunny place but at cool temperatures, too much heat may cause withering.

With optimum conditions and frequent watering, azaleas can survive through the winter to be put in the garden in late spring.

The Christmas cactus, also called lobster or crab-claw cactus, is another traditional Christmas plant. Although the plant requires plenty of light, direct sunlight should be avoided - especially in the spring. To ensure that the plants have a long life, the soil should be kept moist but not wet, and temperatures should be cool.

The most common Christmas plant is the Poinsettia. As they range in size and color, they can be used as centerpieces on coffee tables or as floor plants for decoration. The bright-colored leaves (or bracts) are traditionally red, but are also available in white and pink. Poinsettias should be kept in a cool, well-lit location, free from drafts. Changes in temperature will cause the leaves to drop off.

Poinsettias can be kept over the year to flower again next Christmas if they are put in continuous darkness for 12 hours a day, eight to 10 weeks before you wish them to flower.

Cyclamen, available in shades from white to red, should also be kept in a cool place free from drafts, and should be watered thoroughly when necessary.

Another popular Christmas plant is the Chrysanthemum. Once in bloom, it can be ekpt anywhere in the house, even in low-light areas. This plant should be kept in a cool place, and should be watered thoroughly when the soil becomes dry to the touch.

A Christmas pepper plant will not only serve as an attractive decoration, but can also add zest to the dinner plate. According to Mr. Blom, peppers from the plant are edible and can be fried, dried or eaten raw.

In caring for a pepper plant, less water is required than for other Christmas plants, but it should not be allowed to dry out. With proper care, this plant will live all year round.

When watering Christmas plants, Mr. Blom recommends using melted snow or rainwater at room temperature.

Taking care of leftovers avoids problems later

As soon as the Christmas dinner is over, food specialists at the Ontario Food Council, Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food, suggest you take care of the leftover turkey before you take care of the dishes - or even your guests.

Leftover turkey must be refrigerated or frozen as soon as dinner is over. If it's left at room temperature it deteriorates very quickly.

Here's what you do. Take all the meat off the carcass. Leave in pieces as large as possible to prevent drying. Wrap and refrigerate if you plan to use it within two or three days, or freeze it the following way.

Wrap the meat snugly in heavy-duty aluminum foil or in durable plastice freezer bags. Make the bundles of a size suitable for one meal.

The smaller sizes or pieces of meat can be placed in rigid freezer containers and covered with gravy. Pour leftover gravy into freezer containers, leaving a half-inch headspace for expansion. Package leftover stuffing separately.

Label all of these to be used within two months. Freeze immediately. And, finally, break up the carcass and put it into the refrigerator if you plan to make soup within a couple of days.

Now, you can get back to the festivities, knowing that your turkey leftovers will be safe to eat.

UNICEF Depends on You

UNICEF does not share in the United Nations budget, which is fananced by regular predetermined government contributions. Rather, the United Nations Children's Fund is entirely dependent on voluntary contributions from governments and people. Your purchase of Unicef greeting cards and calendars goes a long way in helping UNICEF provide food, clean water medicines and school supplies for children in 109 developing countries.

Stocking stuffer suggestions for the cook

Its just about the night before Christmas and you have just a couple of days left to think about stocking stuffers. Here are two ideas from food specialists at the Ontario Food Council, Ministry of Agriculture and Food.

- Roast meat thermometer - it'll take the guessing out of cooking the turkey. "Oh, but there are a lot of roasting timetable charts in cookbooks," you may say. True - and they will probably tell you that a 12 lb. whole turkey roasts at 325F (160C) for 4¾ to 5½ hours. That's a ¾ hour difference! Wouldn't it be easier to insert a roast meat thermometer in the thigh or stuffing of the turkey at the beginning of the cooking and let it tell you when the turkey is done? In the thigh - once cooked - it should register 185F (85C); in the stuffing - 165F (75C). You'll find the thermometer useful all year round for roasting all kinds of meats.

- An oven thermometer. Have you found, recently, that the cookies you bake tend to burn - or don't cook in the suggested time? It could mean that your oven is not accurate. With this gadget all you do is clip it to the rack in the oven. Set your oven to the required temperature. Let it pre-head, and cycle once. Check the thermometer. If it registers higher than you want, lower the oven temperature by that many degrees. If it registers lower, raise the oven temperature. If it's off more than 25F it would be a good idea to have a serviceman recalibrate your oven. If it is at the right temperature - You're lucky!

Food safety quiz

The Christmas season approaches. You are busy planning meals. You want to make sure everything is done well ahead to leave you plenty of time to organize yourself and the household.

However, this could get you into trouble. Try this quiz prepared by food specialists at the Ontario Food Council, Ministry of Agriculture and Food.

A "yes" answer to any one of the following questions could lead to cases of intestinal upset or food poisoning.

Do you keep a thawed turkey for more than a day even in the refrigerator, before cooking?

Do you stuff a turkey more than three hours in advance of roasting?

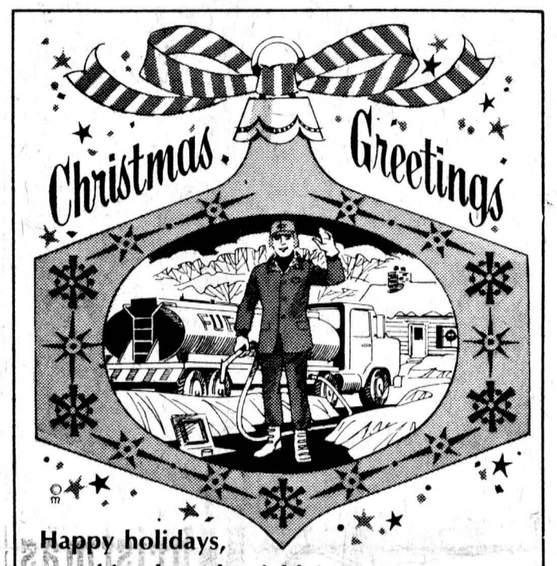
Do you stuff a turkey then freeze it so that it will be "ready" for roasting?

Do you partially cook the turkey one day then finish the cooking the next day so that you won't have to get up so early?

Do you store the cooked leftover turkey (with the stuffing in it) in the refrigerator?

You Can Help

Proceeds from one box of UNICEF Greetinh Cards can buy 1,000 Multivitamin capsules for a mothe or child; or buy enough seed to sow 600 feet each of lettuce, carrot and beet rows.



Happy holidays,
friends and neighbors.
Thanks for letting us serve you.

B.M. Graham Fuels
WINCHESTER



Our wish is that you be blessed with the sweet peace of the Christmas Story. Warm thanks.

JANMART
CHESTERVILLE



Thanks for your cooperation and goodwill. May the Yuletide bring Health, Happiness and Prosperity into your home.

Fred Coons Insurance
CHESTERVILLE

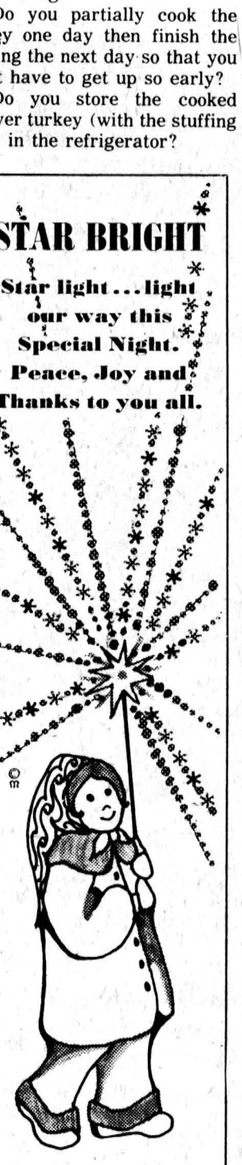


Tagged for you...
★ Joy ★ Peace
★ Good Fortune
★ Our continuing appreciation

Louis J. Weiner Motor Sales
WINCHESTER

STAR BRIGHT

Star light... light our way this Special Night. Peace, Joy and Thanks to you all.



Dingeman's Construction
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We wooden miss this opportunity to hope the magic of Christmas touches you all. Thanks to our neighbors.

Ingleside Lumber Ltd.
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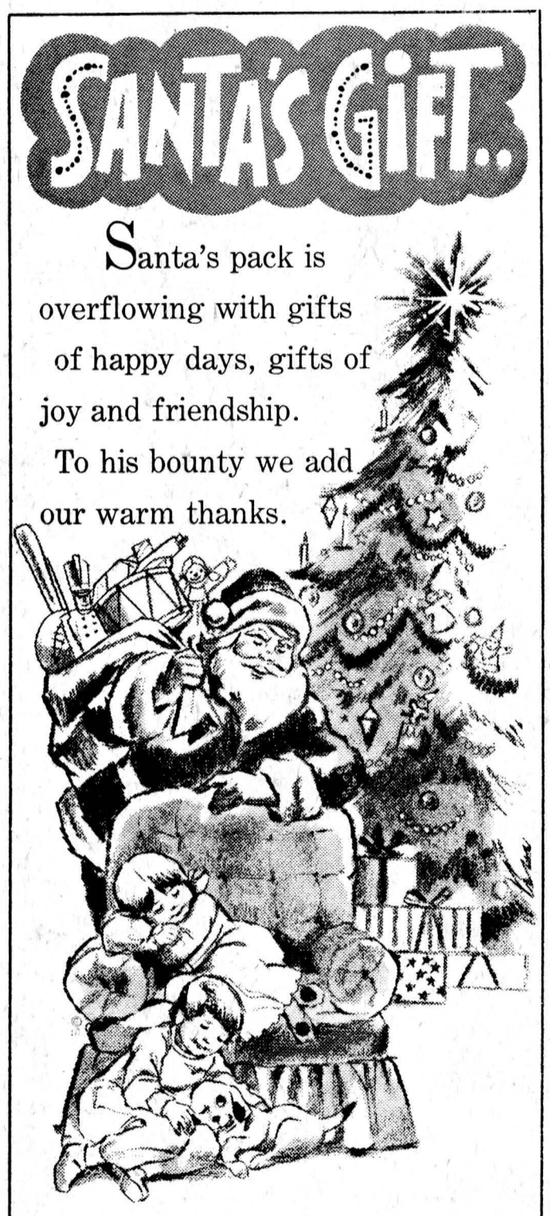

Santa's pack is overflowing with gifts of happy days, gifts of joy and friendship. To his bounty we add our warm thanks.

Lorne Acres Farm Equipment
WINCHESTER



Canadian Tire Associate Store
(W.P. Henophy Ltd.)
WILLIAMSBURG



Clair Empey, Williamsburg was the lucky winner of the "New Year's for Four in Las Vegas" Draw sponsored by the S.D.&G. Cornwall Shrine Club December 14th. The winning ticket, drawn at the Finch arena by Potentate of Karnak Temple Norm Haines, was sold to Mr. Empey by Graham Garlough. Above, John Alguire, (left), president of the club, makes the presentation with Mr. Garlough, (right). Proceeds of the draw will be used to assist the Shriners in their hospital work. Press Photo—Patenaude

Tips for buying a Christmas tree

When purchasing a Christmas tree there are a few points to keep in mind, says Burke McNeill, Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food horticulturist.

Mr. McNeill suggests the Scotch Pine is ideal should you plan to keep a tree in your home for a long period of time.

"The needle drop is minimal and it can be kept safely for about three weeks," he said.

Spruce and fir are also traditional Christmas trees but should only be used for short periods of time.

"They tend to dry out more quickly and the needle drop is heavy," Mr. McNeill said.

To help reduce the fire hazard of having a Christmas tree indoors, Mr. McNeill suggests setting the base of the tree in water with a bit of sugar to help keep the tree from drying out.

He advises people who are cutting their own trees this season to let the tree warm up inside for about one-half hour before beginning to decorate.

"If a tree is taken indoors from the cold, the needles are very brittle and will fall off if disturbed before the tree has a chance to warm up," he said.

Christmas trees take about six to 10 years to reach the most popular height of six feet.

While most of Ontario's Christmas trees are grown in the northern part of the province, Scotch Pine grows well on the limestone plain located to the south of Kitchener.

Ontario Hydro Inspectors look for unsafe appliances

Mingling with the last-minute Christmas shoppers but hot on a different trail are Ontario Hydro inspectors searching for unsafe and potentially dangerous electrical appliances.

These tend to reach flood proportions on shelves in smaller neighborhood shops just before Christmas.

Jim Little, Supervising Electrical Approvals Inspector, says the amount of unapproved "junk" runs into the millions of dollars in Ontario and across Canada. Most of the "bargains" are imported.

"Anything which uses electricity as a power source must bear the Canadian Standard Association label, proving it has been examined and is safe. Most of this shoddy merchandise not only is unapproved but is ineligible for certification because of the potential hazard."

The larger stores such as department or chain outlets have their own inspectors and experts who eject unlabelled items.

Hydro inspectors have the authority to order unlabelled merchandise off the shelves. Here, the corner gift or hardware store is stuck with the loss since often it is difficult to trace the salesman who unloaded the imported merchandise a month or more previously.

A common ploy is to manufacture "look-alikes" which resemble popular and approved appliances but are cheap and not safety-approved. In this category are some hand-held dryers and electric combs, or night-lights on religious pictures for the children's bedroom and nursery. Thin insulation and poor wiring make them dangerous.

Another item here is a rotating multi-coloured lamp, usually placed on a television set. If these products don't carry the CSA label they could cause a fire or a short-circuit.

Mr. Little said these are only a few of the many unlabelled products available, although the overall number seems smaller than last year.

"This is possibly because we laid 72 charges last year against importers or merchants of which 68 resulted in fines."

No charges have been laid to date this Christmas season.

Ideal, inexpensive gifts

Slips from your favorite houseplants, when planted in attractive containers, make inexpensive gifts for people who like plants.

R.A. Fleming, Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food horticulturist, says there is still time to start propagating plants for the festive season.

Coleus, fibrous or pot begonias, Wandering Jew, and English or German ivy are some of the many plants which can be propagated from slips.

Begonias can be rooted from a single leaf, but Mr. Fleming suggests cutting a piece of stem with a leaf to help the plant root more quickly.

For coleus, Wandering Jew and the ivies, he suggests cutting the tip of a healthy plant which has three or four leaves.

Cuttings should be rooted in perlite and peat moss (50-50) or in a mixture of coarse sharp sand and peat. Beginners should avoid using vermiculite as a rooting medium because it may pack and remain too moist. The rooting medium should be kept moist enough to hold together, throughout the rooting process.

Optimum temperatures range from 18 to 20C or 65 to 68F.

Although the cuttings require plenty of light, direct sunlight is not necessary.

Growth rate of the cutting depends on the type of plant you are propagating. To help speed root growth, Mr, Fleming suggests putting a plastic bag over the cutting and container to keep the humidity high. Root hormones, available from garden centers, will also help stimulate growth.

Elma UCW holds pot luck

ELMA (Special) - The UCW held their December meeting in the form of a pot luck supper for members and their husbands, at the home of the president, Mrs. Kenneth Beckstead, on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Hubert Casselman, Brockville and Mrs John Casselman Toronto, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Graham McPherson and called on other relatives in this area last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Carruthers were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Craig, Chesterville.

Miss Cathy Herriman and Brian Barkley, university students at Kingston and Toronto, respectively, spent last weekend at their homes here.

William Warring, Cornwall, called on Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Carruthers last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham McPherson were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Barkley, Sunday.

Year- end meeting

(Special) - The Dundas County Red Cross Homemakers met recently at the home of the Supervisor, Mrs. Catharine M. MacLean, for a buffet supper and seasonal social evening.

Present, among other guests, were Committee Chairman, Rev. L.M. Ferguson, Mrs. Ferguson and Mrs. Beatrice Culhane, Supervisor of Cornwall Red Cross Homemakers.

The Homemakers will not meet again until the New Year.

Weekend guests push- off season festivities

7th AVENUE (Special) - Mr. and Mrs. John Grandaw were Sunday supper guests of Mrs. Annie Johnston, Chesterville.

Mrs. Hilda Crowley, who has been the guest of Mrs. Jennie Flegg, left on Thursday to spend Christmas with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Parnell and family, Toronto.

Walter Mattice called on Mrs. Jennie Flegg Wednesday.

Saturday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. Robt. May were Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Breton and family, Carlsbads Springs Lee, Tracey, Susan Pettery, Ottawa.

Holiday season visitors

FIFTH AVE. (Special) - Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eden, Mrs. Gordon Gow and Clara spent Sunday in Montreal.

Heather Bain, Morrisburg, spent the weekend with Charlene Gallinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hollanda, Samantha and Melanie were dinner guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gerry O'Connor.

Gordon Gow spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gallinger and Charlene.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerry O'Connor and children, Montreal, spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gallinger and Charlene.

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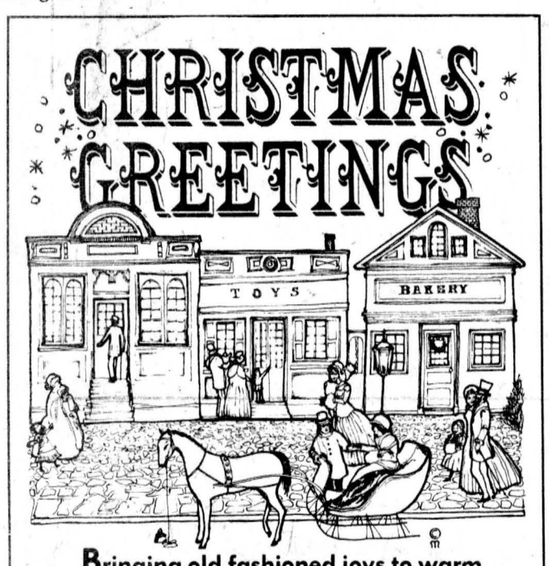
The water used by 90 per cent of the population of the developing world is either unsafe or inadequate, or both. UNICEF Greeting Cards help the United Nations Children's Fund support projects which will provide abundant, unpolluted water.



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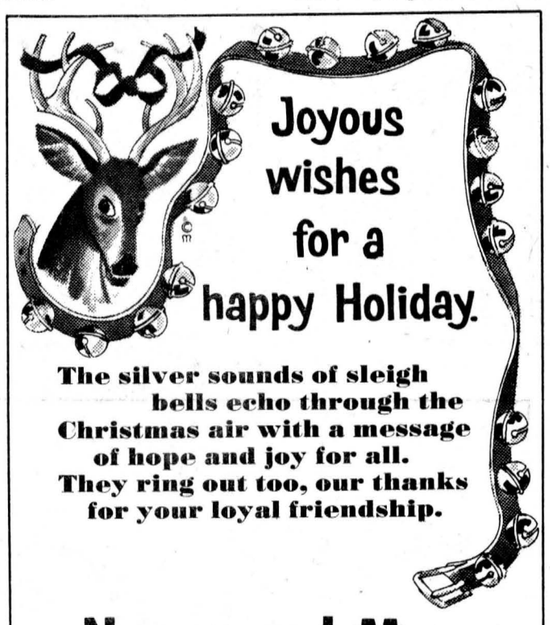

Joyous wishes for a happy Holiday.

The silver sounds of sleigh bells echo through the Christmas air with a message of hope and joy for all. They ring out too, our thanks for your loyal friendship.

Nancy and Mac Lasalle
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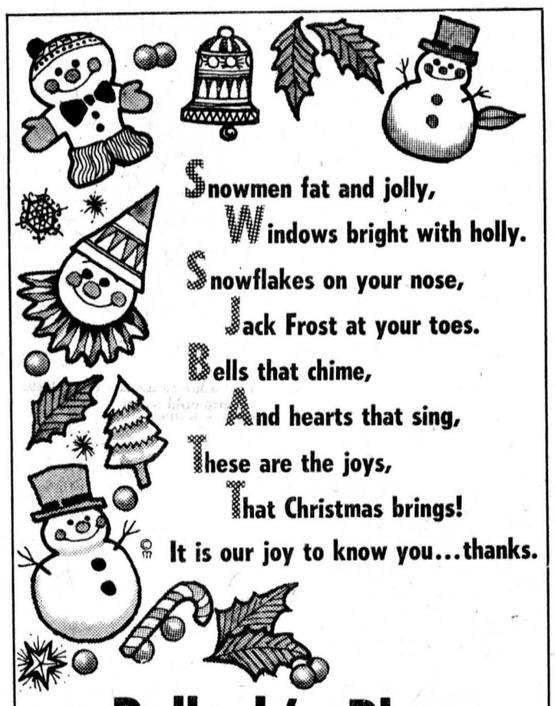

Snowmen fat and jolly,
Windows bright with holly.
Snowflakes on your nose,
Jack Frost at your toes.
Bells that chime,
And hearts that sing,
These are the joys,
That Christmas brings!
It is our joy to know you...thanks.

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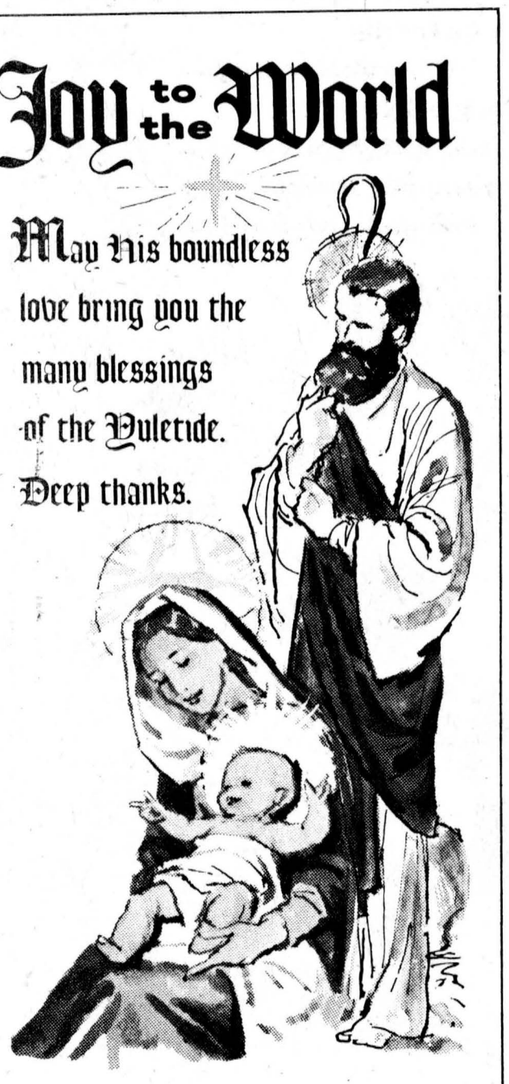

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Holiday Menu

MENU FOR THE DAY

BREAKFAST
1/2 cup Grapefruit Juice
1 ounce Ready-to-Cook Cereal
1/2 cup Skim Milk
Beverage

LUNCH
4 ounces Broiled Flounder
Crispy Salad (1/4 head lettuce, shredded, 1/4 medium cucumber, peeled, 1/4 medium green pepper, 1/8 medium tomato, 2 ounces carrot, 1 stalk celery and 4 radishes, sliced)
1 one-ounce Roll
1 small Orange
Beverage

SNACK
2/3 cup Skim Milk

DINNER
Holiday Menu

SNACK
Iced Coffee
(1 cup coffee, 1/4 cup skim milk, artificial sweetener and ice cubes)

HOLIDAY MENU

HOT TOMATO BOUILLON
PARSLEY ROAST LEG OF LAMB WITH CAPER SAUCE
CREAMY BAKED POTATOES
TASTY GREEN BEANS
SEASONS GREETINGS SALAD WITH MUSHROOM DRESSING
PINEAPPLE-GRAPE PARFAIT WITH WHIPPED TOPPING

HOT TOMATO BOUILLON
4-1/2 cups tomato juice
3 cups water
3 beef bouillon cubes
1 tablespoon Worcestershire
Few drops of "legal" hot sauce
6 sprigs of mint or parsley

Combine all ingredients, except mint or parsley, in a large saucepan. Bring to a boil. Lower heat and simmer 5 minutes. Divide evenly. Serve hot with a sprig of mint or parsley in each bowl. Makes 6 servings.

Each serving is equivalent to:
3/4 cup tomato juice (Bonus)
1/2 bouillon cube

PARSLEY ROAST LEG OF LAMB
1 five-pound leg of lamb, trimmed of all fat
1/2 cup freshly squeezed lemon juice
1/4 cup freshly chopped parsley
2 tablespoons mustard
3/4 teaspoon rosemary
Salt and pepper to taste
Parsley or celery leaves for garnish

Preheat oven to 325°F. Place lamb on a rack in roasting pan. Insert meat thermometer into center of largest lean muscle, not touching bone. Roast for one hour. Combine lemon juice, parsley, mustard and rosemary; mix well and pour over lamb. Sprinkle with salt and pepper. Roast 18-20 minutes to the pound, or until thermometer registers 150°-160° for medium, 20-25 minutes per pound or 160°-170° for medium-well done. Weigh portions before serving. Makes 6 servings. Garnish with parsley or celery.

Each serving is equivalent to:
6 ounces lamb

CAPER SAUCE
4 cups thinly sliced celery
4 cups beef bouillon
1/2 cup capers
1/4 cup caper liquid
1-1/2 teaspoons "legal" browning sauce

In a large saucepan cook celery in bouillon until soft, about 15 minutes. Place in blender container; process until smooth. Return to saucepan. Stir in remaining ingredients. Simmer until thickened. Divide evenly. Pour over portions of Parsley Roast Leg of Lamb. Makes 6 servings.

Each serving is equivalent to:
2/3 beef bouillon cube



CREAMY BAKED POTATOES
6 baked potatoes, about 3 ounces each
1 cup plus 2 tablespoons buttermilk
2 tablespoons chives
1/2 teaspoon imitation butter flavoring
1/2 teaspoon salt or to taste
Dash white pepper
Paprika

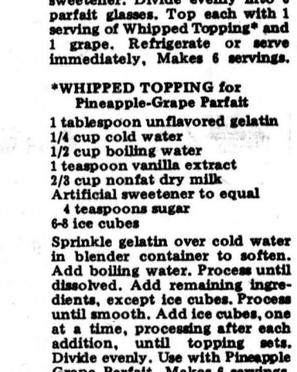
Preheat oven to 350°F. Cut baked potatoes in half lengthwise. From one half of each, scoop out pulp, leaving enough potato so shell maintains shape and each weighs about 1 ounce. From the other half, scoop out all of the potato; combine pulp with remaining ingredients, except paprika, in mixing bowl. Mix well. Divide evenly. Using a pastry bag, pipe each portion back into each of the 6 shells. Sprinkle lightly with paprika. Place on a baking sheet; bake for 25-30 minutes or until hot. Serve immediately. Makes 6 servings.

Each serving is equivalent to:
3 ounces potato (Choice Group)
3 tablespoons buttermilk (1/4 cup skim milk)

TASTY GREEN BEANS
12 ounces onion, thinly sliced
2 canned medium tomatoes, chopped
3/4 medium green pepper, finely chopped
1 cup chopped celery
1/4 cup water
1/2 teaspoon freshly ground pepper
6 parsley sprigs
2 whole cloves
1 bay leaf
1/2 teaspoon dried chervil
3 cups cooked green beans

Place first 7 ingredients in large saucepan. Tie parsley, cloves, bay leaf and chervil in a piece of cheesecloth and add to vegetable mixture. Cover and simmer 10-15 minutes or until vegetables are tender. Add green beans; continue simmering, uncovered, until beans are hot. Remove spice bag. Divide evenly and serve. Makes 6 servings.

Each serving is equivalent to:
2 ounces No. 4 vegetable
5/8 medium No. 3B vegetable
1/2 cup cooked No. 3B vegetable



SEASONS GREETINGS SALAD
2-2/3 cups sliced, fresh mushrooms
3 cups Romaine lettuce
3 cups Iceberg lettuce
1 pimento, sliced

Toss ingredients in large wooden salad bowl. Before serving, pour Mushroom Dressing* over salad and toss lightly. Divide evenly. Makes 6 servings.

***MUSHROOM DRESSING**
1/3 cup sliced, fresh mushrooms
6 tablespoons vegetable oil
3 tablespoons wine vinegar
6 tablespoons tomato juice reduced to 1/2 volume
1 small garlic clove
3/4 teaspoon chili powder
1/2 teaspoon Worcestershire
1/2 teaspoon onion powder
Dash salt or to taste
Dash artificial sweetener
Dash "legal" hot sauce

Combine all ingredients in blender container. Process until smooth. Store in small jar with cover. Shake before using. Pour over Seasons Greetings Salad. Divide evenly. Makes 6 servings.

Each serving is equivalent to:
1/2 cup raw No. 3B vegetable
1 tablespoon oil
1 tablespoon tomato juice (Bonus)

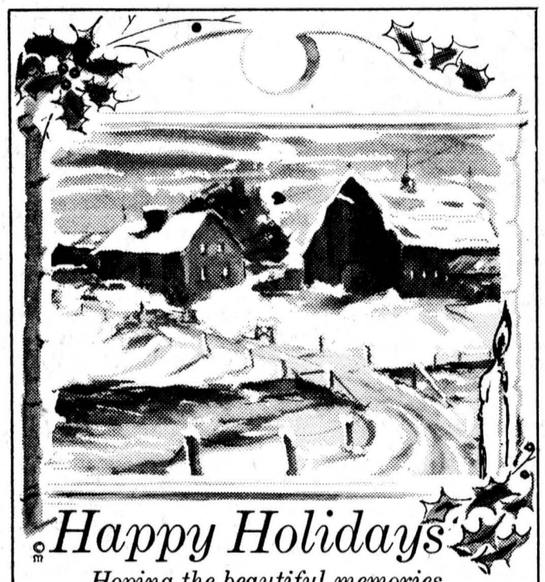
PINEAPPLE-GRAPE PARFAIT
2 cups crushed pineapple, with juice
2 cups grapes
1/2 teaspoon grape extract
1/2 teaspoon pineapple extract
Artificial sweetener to equal 4 teaspoons sugar

Place 1-1/2 cups pineapple in blender container; process until smooth. Pour into a 1-1/2 quart bowl. Cut all but 6 grapes into halves. Combine cut grapes and remaining pineapple with pureed pineapple. Stir in extracts and sweetener. Divide evenly into 6 parfait glasses. Top each with 1 serving of Whipped Topping* and 1 grape. Refrigerate or serve immediately. Makes 6 servings.

***WHIPPED TOPPING for Pineapple-Grape Parfait**
1 tablespoon unflavored gelatin
1/4 cup cold water
1/2 cup boiling water
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
2/3 cup nonfat dry milk
Artificial sweetener to equal 4 teaspoons sugar
6-8 ice cubes

Sprinkle gelatin over cold water in blender container to soften. Add boiling water. Process until dissolved. Add remaining ingredients, except ice cubes. Process until smooth. Add ice cubes, one at a time, processing after each addition, until topping sets. Divide evenly. Use with Pineapple Grape Parfait. Makes 6 servings.

Each serving is equivalent to:
1 fruit (List No. 2 and No. 3)
1/3 teaspoon extract
1/3 cup skim milk
1/2 teaspoon gelatin



Happy Holidays

Hoping the beautiful memories of a family Christmas will be shared by you and those you love.

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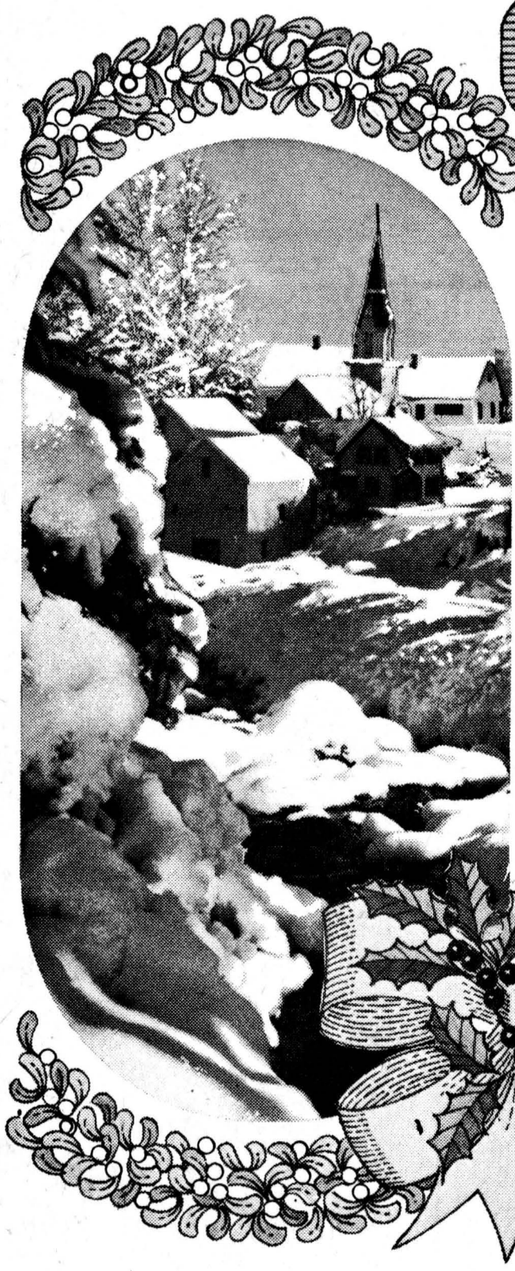

Let there be love
at Christmas
when all the world
is warm and bright
with dreams.
In the hushed landscape
of this glorious season,
we send tidings of
comfort and joy to all!

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UNICEF - helping in a hungry world

More than two-thirds of the world's people do not have adequate supplies of safe, clean water.

In the rural areas of most developing countries, the burden of getting the family's daily supply usually falls upon the women, who must walk many miles each day to fill buckets of water, often from muddy streams and other unsafe sources.

Unsafe water can cause diarrhea, cholera, typhoid, paratyphoid fever and amoebic dysentry. And these diseases are, in turn, among the main causes of sickness and death in the developing countries. Diarrhea is often the chief cause of infant and young child mortality.

Many governments, with help from UNICEF - the United Nations Children's Fund - have introduced some basic water supply systems which help relieve the intolerable burden on women and improve the chances of better health for their children.

Of seven projects directly funded by UNICEF Canada this year, four involve the provision of clean water supplies, amounting to a total contribution of $1,871,183. These projects are supported by grants from the Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA).

During 1976, 1,000 handpumps were installed and maintained in each village of 500 people in the State of Tamil Nadu in the southeast region of India. Thus, 500,000 people benefited. In addition to the CIDA grant, this porject has also been supported by a grant from the Alberta Committee for International Cooperation.

In Bolivia, UNICEF Canada is improving and expanding the coverage of patable water supplies and sanitation facilities in highly dispersed villages having fewer than 2,000 inhabitants. Some 90,000 rural peasants will benefit.

One hundred and fifty sites have been surveyed for water in the northern provinces of Mozambique where there is a serious lack of adequate water supplies. UNICEF Canada is providing the necessary handpumps which will serve 100,000 people with up to 50 litres of water a day per person.

In Bangladesh, the introduction of manually operated handpumps will improve the irrigation potential of many areas and could considerably help ease the food crisis over the next decade. UNICEF Canada has undertaken the task of surveying areas suitable for this type of irrigation and responsibility for investigating modifications to make the handpump more suitable.

Martin Beyer, UNICEF's Advisor on Drinking Water Programs, whose work has brought him into close contact with hundreds of villagers, has been deeply moved by the sense of hope and excitement when villagers begin to see that clean water is making their children healthier and more mentally alert.

The task that lies ahead is to arouse this sense of hope in more people and to stimulate their desire to better their lives through their own efforts.

How Greeting Cards Help

The sale of greeting cards through UNICEF Canada helps to provide some of the funds needed for this most important and urgent work. For example, $80 from card proceeds can buy a deep-well handpump for supplying a village with clean water.

This year's card selection includes many marvellous designs representing the works of talented and well-known artists. The cards range in size from the mini format (ideal for gift enclosures) to the Collector's Edition.

UNICEF Greeting Cards, whatever their size or theme, represent a sizeable contribution to the world's unfortunate children. For further information, or a free brochure contact:
Ontario UNICEF Committee,
38 Berwick Avenue,
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Gardeners' Christmas presents

Gardening gadgets make exciting gifts for plant lovers.

R.F. Gomme, Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food horticulturist, says new gadgets available this season can make gardening both indoors and outdoors easier.

One of the most popular gadgets this year is the hydroponic container - an ideal gift for people who are away from home for days at a time.

Hydroponic gardening allows people to grow plants indoors without frequent watering.

Hydroponic containers are available with and without soil and use a wick to give plants water as they need it. The containers are available separately or in kits at garden centres and specialty shops.

Anothe popular gadget is the trigger release lance. This is a long erect pipe ideal for watering plants in hard-to-reach locations.

An atomizer to spray the foliage of plants is also an ideal gift for those in apartments and homes with low humidity.

Outdoor garden enthusiasts may appreciate a Y-connector. Hoses can be attached to it so two areas of the garden are watered at the same time.

Beef calf producers get merrier Christmas

Agriculture and Food Minister William G. Newman has announced that more than 15,200 Ontario calf producers should receive cheques by Christmas averaging $1,358 to help offset this year's low market prices.

Mr. Newman said cheques are being processed on the basis of $58.42 per cow after deducting the owner's $5 premium for enrolling the animal in the voluntary Ontario Beef Calf Income Stabilization Program.

New government payment will be $20.75-million for 1976, the second year of the emergency program to help cow-calf operators weather a period of world-wide beef surpluses and abnormally low prices for calves.

The payment formula hinges on a support price of 50 cents a pound set earlier this year and a weighted average market price of 33.42 cents established at fall sales throughout the province.

Mr. Newman noted that the average market price was 3.6 cents higher than in 1975, reducing stabilization payments. This year there was a 26 per cent increase in the number of farmers enrolled in the plan.

He said the outlook for Ontario's beef industry in 1977 is brighter because of improved prices, a record slaughter rate to reduce herds in line with the market and moderating prices for feed corn.

Mr. Newman spoke at a cow-calf conference organized the ministry, the Ontario Cattlemen's Association and the Ontario Beef Cattle Performance Association. He urged cattlemen to join the Ontario government in pressing the federal government for agricultural tariff reforms and a law to restrict meat imports if they could hurt Canada's meat industry.

Child Killers

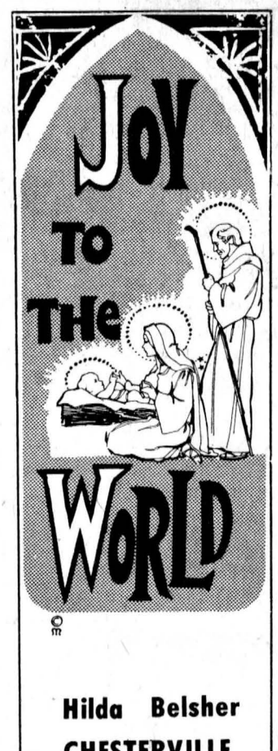
Measles, diarrhea and respiratory infections - minor childhood complaints in Canada - are child killers in poor societies, primarily because malnutrition weakens the children's resistance. With revenue raised through the sale of Greeting Cards, UNICEF is able to rpovide food supplements, vaccines and other medicines to lessen this cruel and tragic waste.

Children's Fund

UNICEF is the United Nations Children's Fund. It helps children all over the world, regardless of race, colour, sex, religion, national or social origin. You can help UNICEF by buying UNICEF Greeting Cards.

Dollar for Dollar

Every dollar for children's welfare that comes from the proceeds from UNICEF cards and calendars is more than matched, in goods, services and manpower, by the developing countries which receive assistance.



Hilda Belsher
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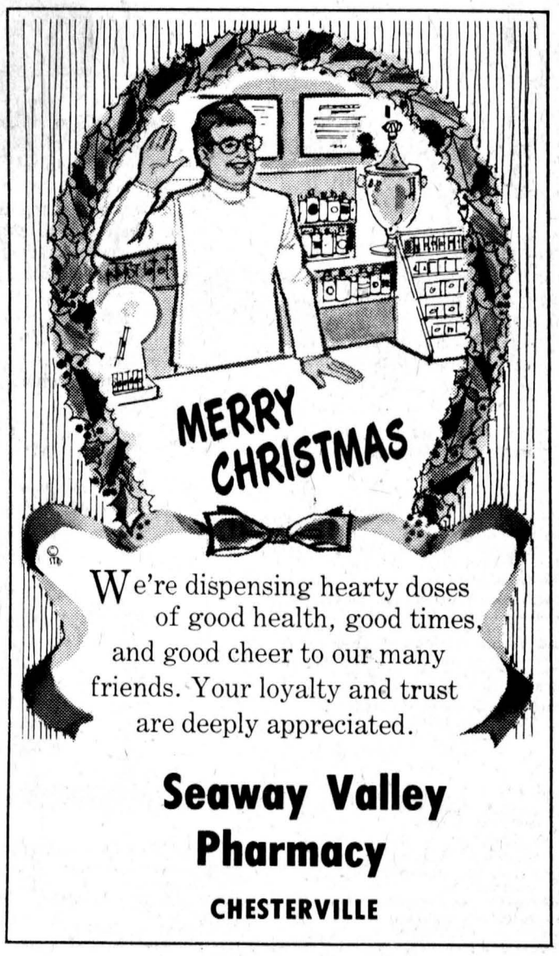

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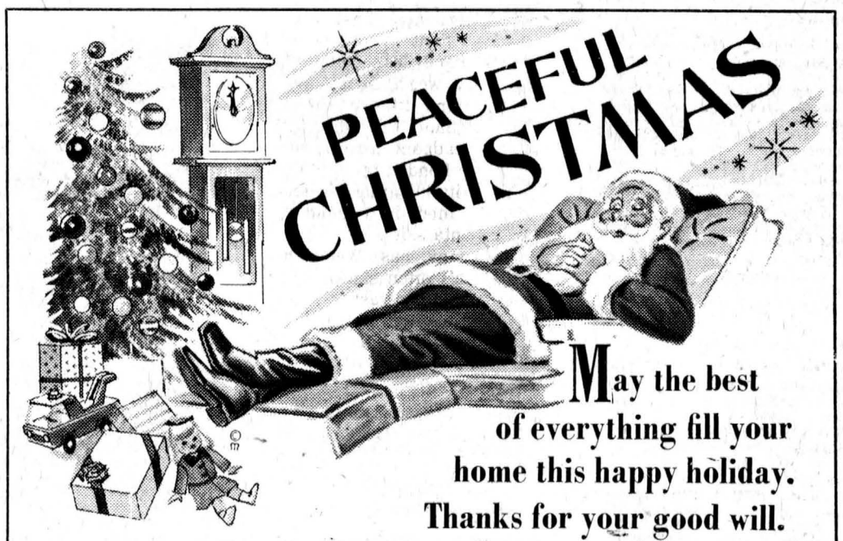

May the best of everything fill your home this happy holiday. Thanks for your good will.
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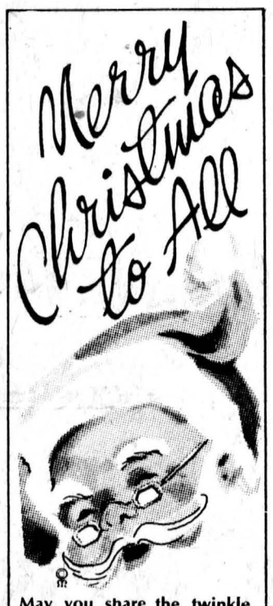

May you share the twinkle in Santa's eyes, the joy of his smile, with those you love. Our thanks.
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May the glorious music of long remembered Christmas carols bring harmony and love to your world. Sincere thanks.
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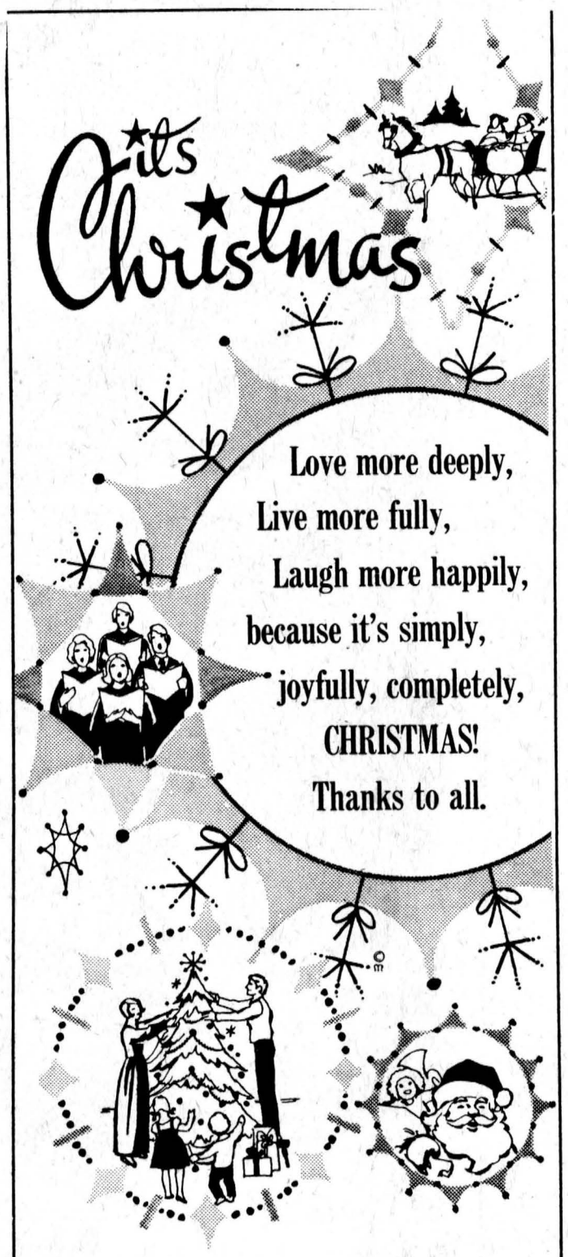

Love more deeply,
Live more fully,
Laugh more happily,
because it's simply,
joyfully, completely,
CHRISTMAS!
Thanks to all.
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May the night before Christmas
And all the year through
Be happy and bright
And enchanted for you!

Warm wishes and thanks to you and your dear ones.
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A short history of Santa Claus

Santa Claus is so familiar today, it's hard to imagine Christmas without him. But Santa, as we know him, didn't exist 100 years ago.

A century ago, you'd probably decorate a tree, hang stockings, sing carols, eat turkey, and give presents. You might burn a Yule log, or recite "The Night Before Christmas". But you probably wouldn't recognize Santa Claus.

You'd have met his ancestors and relatives instead. He had many, going all the way back to a Turkish bishop, a Roman cannibal, and European witches, with the devil himself an offshoot of the family tree.

But the modern Santa is one man's creation. Thomas Nast, the son of a Bavarian musician, who worked as an illustrator for Harper's Weekly, began a series of drawings of Santa in 1863. His first drawings reflected the current ideas, with a few Nast embellishments. Santa appeared as a gnome, smaller than a child, with an alcoholic's nose and distinctly Bavarian whiskers. Year after year, Nast did more Christmas drawing, adding bits of the Santa Claus legend: the North Pole workshop, the elves, the spyglass to find out who's naughty and who's nice ... By 1880, Santa had matured into the full-size, lovable grandfather-figure we know so well today.

If Nast created Santa, obviously Clement Clark Moore did not. That may come as a shock to fans of "'Twas the night before Christmas, when all through the house..."

Certainly, the popularity of that poem, published anonymously in 1823, influenced Nast's early illustrations. But the poem didn't create Santa - it didn't even mention him. It names only St. Nicholas and St. Nick.

It's even uncertain that Clement Clark Moore created the poem. He ws heard reading it to his children in 1822, but he didn't claim it until 1844. It may instead have been written by a Henry Livingston Jr., for his children, in the early 1800's.

The poem's galloping rhythms and vivid description - "His eyes, how they twinkled! his dimples how merry! - His cheeks were like roses, his nose like a cherry ... He had broad face and a little round belly - That shook, when he laughed, like a bowl full of jelly ..." - are more like Livingston's other poems than like Moore's ponderous and scholarly verse.

In one sense, that poem took Santa (or St. Nick) down a blind alley. For 40 years, it shrank the Christmas gift-giver from his full-sized predecessors into a half-pint small enough to shoot up and down chimneys getting covered with soot. That sort of realistic detail never bothered previous generations, any more than it bothers ours.

But the "Night Before Christmas" did establish two new ideas. It created a jovial Christmas figure to replace the former austere saint who dispensed both rewards and punishments. And it invented the reindeer to pull his sleigh.

Rudolph was not among them - he wasn't created until 1939, as one of Montgomery Ward's merchandising gimmicks. Ten years later, the song about the red-nosed reindeer spun onto the hit parade, and Rudolph was enshrined in Christmas folk-lore.

An old Swiss tradition has the Christ child or Christkindl drawn by tiny deer on a sleigh ride through the village streets, but only the name "Kriss Kringle" seems to have been exported to North America, not the deer.

In North America, Santa's closest ancestor was St. Nicholas. Early woodcuts, around 1810, show St. Nicholas tall and dignified in bishop's attire, drawn through the sky by horses. When author Washington Irving founded the American Christmas cult with his descriptions of Dutch customs in New Amsterdam, he wrote of St. Nicholas. Irving, incidentally, first described St. Nick's famous gesture, "laying a finger beside his nose."

From Irving to Nast to today, Santa is a North American. In every other country, St. Nicholas has similar but different descendants.

In Britain, there Father Christmas.

He has a superficial resemblance to Santa, but is more reserved and less rotund. He commonly wears a red-hooded gown, more like a monk's, instead of Santa's cap, often with a holly headband instead of fur trim. One London rental agency still finds its 40 Father Christmas costumes more in demand than its six Santa suits.

Germany has Weihnachtsmann. He's often shown as old and tired, in contrast to Santa's inexhaustible energy. He may be accompanied by a second figure who didn't survive the trans-Atlantic transplant, Knecht Ruprecht or Black Peter. Sometimes Black Peter has horns, a long red tongue, fiery eyes, and clanking chains - a vertable devil to frighten bad children, while St. Nicholas rewarded the good.

St. Nicholas emigrated to North America via Holland and the Dutch settlers of New York. Tales are often told of how Dutch children set out their wooden shoes for gifts.

The name "Santa Claus" came the same route, helped by progressively sloppier speech. Some linguists claim "Santa Claus" used to be "San Nicolaas", which became "San' 'Claas"; others say it was once "Sanct Herr Nickolass" (meaning saint-or-holy Lord-or-Bishop Nicholas) which became "Sintir Klass' or "Sinter Claes".

By 1845, at least, "Santa Claus" was an accepted name and spelling, for it appears under an illustration of someone stepping into a chimney - although the character looks more like a sailor in search of stockings with maidens still in them, than our modern Santa.

The original St. Nicholas was a real person, though most of what's known about him comes through legends. He was probably born late in the third century in Turkey. He became a Christian, and eventually Bishop of Myra. With other Christians, he was imprisoned by the Roman Emperor Diocletian, but released around 306 A.D. after Constantine took power. But even those dates are uncertain.

His association with Christmas rests mainly on two folk tales.

One story tells of a wicked innkeeper who hacked three boys into bits and stored them in pickle barrels. Nicholas miraculously re-assembled the lads and restored them to life - thus making himself the patron saint of children. So to this day, the celebrations and gift-giving focus on children.

In another story, Bishop Nicholas gave three bags of gold to a needy family, saving three virtuous daughters from prostitution. One version says he threw the bags down the chimney to avoid detection. The bags landed in the stockings the girls had washed out and hung to dry by the fire, so they could wear them again in the morning.

The story evokes many Christmas symbols. The three bags, for example, supposedly became the three gold balls of the pawnbroker - not specifically a Christmas symbol, but certainly appropriate for all who go into debt to buy presents!

Hanging stockings by the fire is obviously linked to St. Nicholas. So is the giving of presents anonymously.

So is the association with chimneys, though a pagan influence may creep into that. In early Europe, chimneys were simply holes in a low roof. Witches who claimed to leave their bodies in trances and fly about the sky could only leave and re-enter through this hole, for awed spectators blocked the door.

Soon, superstitious people assumed that any magical being flying through the sky would use the chimney. Don't scoff! It's no more ridiculous than our assumption that a portly Santa can descenda six-inch-wide flue tile!

Then there is a missing link in Santa's family tree. For St. Nicholas' Day is December 6th, not the 25th. Yet a number of modern Santa syndromes are tied to the day, rather than the person.

How Christmas itself became the 25th is equally a mystery. Nothing in the Bible specified either the date or the month. In fact, the more literally you take biblical records, the less likely a mid-winter nativity becomes.The first historical record of December 25th as Christ's birthday comes from 336 A.D.

One possibility for the choice of December 25th rises from theological nit-picking. Some early leaders decided that - in the tidiness of God's scheme for the world - Jesus must have lived an exact number of years. They had already settled March 25th for his death. Therefore it must also have been the date of his conception. Add nine months and presto! Jesus was born December 25th!

More likely, early Christians picked that date to protect themselves from persecution. That ws the birthday of the Persian sun-god Mithras, openly celebrated by the Roman empire. Even before that, it was part of the festivities of the winter solstice, (according to the old Roman calendar)), when days started growing longer. It was saturnalia, a free-wheeling festival honoring Saturn, god of agriculture and ruler of Rome in a former Golden Age.

The festivals of Saturn and of Santa have much in common. We too, look back in nostalgia to "the good old days", when we read Dickens and send Christmas cards with rural scenes.

The Saturnalia, like Christmas, was a time for giving presents. Small dolls were a popular gift - though for an unpleasant reason. They commemorated a myth that Saturn ate all his male children at birth, to fulfil a pledge that he would die without heirs.

Like Christmas, the Saturnalia was a time of peace and goodwill. People forgave enemies. Masters and slaves ate, talked, and bathed together. Sometimes their roles were reversed - a tradition that again got mixed up with St. Nicholas in the medieval Feast of Fools and the ceremonies of the Boy Bishop.

But mainly, Saturn gets involved in Christmas customs a as the god of agriculture. So do other agricultural traditions from other countries. Take "wassailing". Each winter solstice, Danish and Anglo-Saxon farmers anointed trees in their apple orchards with cider from the previous apple harvest, saying "wes hal", meaning "be whole" or "be healthy". As they proceeded, they also anointed themselves internally, and returned to feasts of celebration.

Similarly, the Romans feasted on the foods they hoped would grow again when the days lengthened into spring and summer. From these feasts springs the assumption that the Saturnalia was an orgy of gorging.

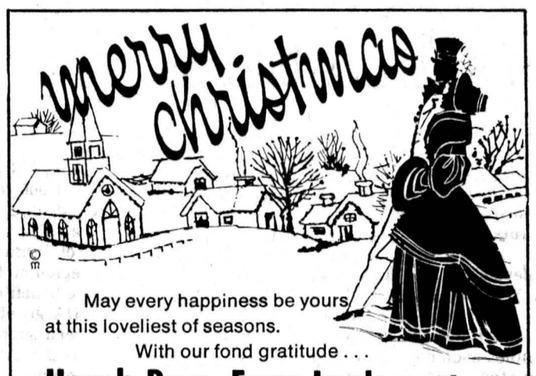
It may be that England did more gorging than Rome. They menu for King Arthur's Christmas is nauseating: venison, boars' heads, honey, mustard, mutton, beef, pork, herons, bitterns, peacocks, swans, bustards, teal, mallard, pigeons, widgeons, plum puddings, pancakes, apple pies, and custard, not to mention wine, mead, ale, and cider.

Even if that is legend, later history does document a Christmas pie nine feet around weighing 168 pounds, and containing 29 birds and animals. At one time there was a saying: "The devil himself dare not appear in Cornwall during Christmas for fear of being baked into a pie."

Strangely enough, even the devil turns out to be a relative of Santa Clause. Many of the gods of agriculture, including Saturn's own parent, the Carthaginian Hammon, were supposed to have ram's horns and cloven hoofs - honoring the domestic animals on whom men depended. Christian teachers, trying to stamp out heathen worship, gave the horns and hooves to the devil.

They show up again in Black Peter, St. Nicholas's Teutonic companion. But you'll be relieved to know that there is no apparent connection between the ubiquitous St. Nicholas and that colloquial name for the devil, Old Nick.

This history of Sants Claus was written by Brian Taylor for the December 1976 issue of the United Church Observer.



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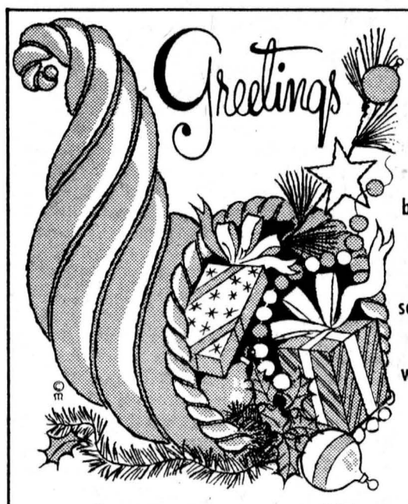

To you and yours, we send best wishes for a holiday season filled with the warmth and wonder of Christmas.
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It is our warmest wish that your holiday be filled with peace of mind, good health, and much joy.
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May enchantment be your gift at Christmas. Our gift is your friendship, thanks.
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Let us keep Christmas.
Let us hold this
shining day close . . .
remembering faithful friends.
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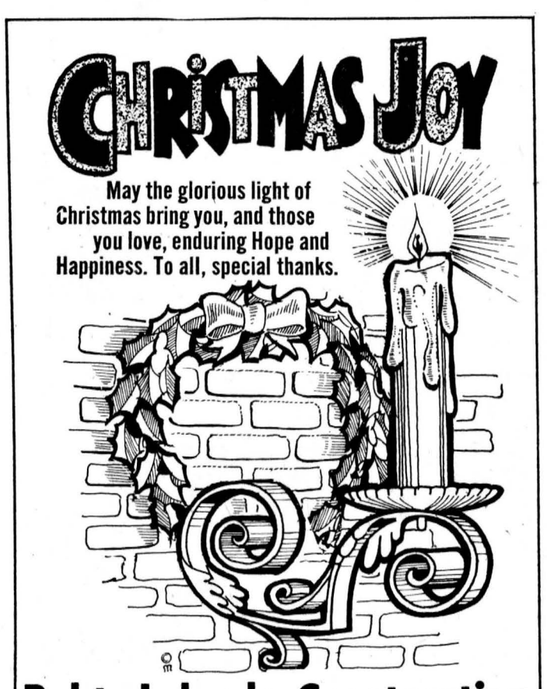

May the glorious light of Christmas bring you, and those you love, enduring Hope and Happiness. To all, special thanks.
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Heavenly angels pray for a joyous Christmas for you and those you hold most dear. Ever thankful for your trust and devotion, we join them in their good wishes.
Vice and Craig
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Trusting your Christmas will abound in the true riches of this meaningful season. Your rate high in our book ... sincere thanks for your friendship and abiding confidence.
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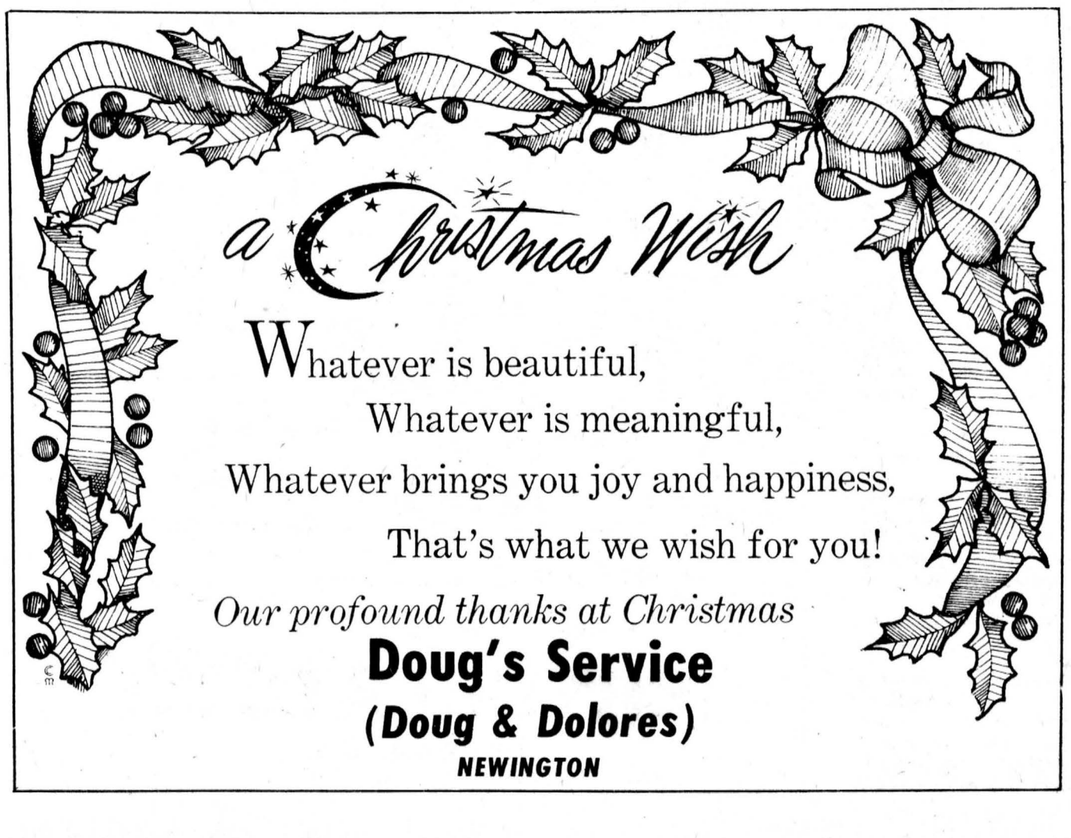


Whatever is beautiful,
Whatever is meaningful,
Whatever brings you joy and happiness,
That's what we wish for you!
Our profound thanks at Christmas
Doug's Service
(Doug & Dolores)
NEWINGTON

Fire chief outlines plans for Christmas fire safety

A happy Christmas can change in a few moments into a family tragedy, warns Chesterville Fire Chief Mike Fyke, in homes where fire safety precautions are neglected. Such precautions should head the list of every sensible family's preparations for Christmas, he says.

The Fire Chief urges the public to exercise special care in the setting up and decoration of Christmas trees, and draws attention to the following important points:

If plans call for a natural tree it should be bought fresh and green, and kept outdoors or in an unheated garage before being brought into the home for decorating. Then, one or two inches should be cut diagonally from the butt and the tree should be set up with the butt in water which should be maintained above the level of the cut.

Check strings of electric lights carefully for worn insulation, broken plugs or loose bulb sockets. Only CSA-approved lighting sets and only non-flammable decorations should be used. Declare the tree a no-smoking area and keep matches out of the hands of children.

Do not allow discarded gift wrappings to accumulate under the tree. Dispose of them as soon as the gifts are opened. Even a green tree will burn if ignited by burning paper around the base.

Set up the tree away from heat sources such as fireplaces, TV sets or radiators. Do not allow it to block access to doors or windows in the event of fire. Switch off tree lights at bedtime or when leaving the house.

Fire Chief Fyke points out that tests have proven that the safest tree is a tree with its butt set in water. However, if a tree has dried out before it is set up, it cannot regain its safe moisture level. A dry tree can be ignited by a single match, to burn violently to a charred state in a few seconds.

Even artificial trees can be serious fire hazards. Metallic trees are conductors of electricity and should not be decorated with strings of lights, but illuminated with floodlights. Some plastic trees, made from styrene materials, are flammable, unlike those made from polyvinylchloride.

All trees should be removed from the home as soon as possible after Christmas celebrations.

There's no place like home for the holidays... and there's no place like home for Christmas fire hazards. Keep that tree butt immersed in water... check those strings of lights for frayed insulation and possible short circuits... clear away discarded gift wrappings promptly... and don't smoke near the tree.

Christmas theme for Berwick WI Dec. meeting

BERWICK (Special) - The December WI meeting was in the form of a Christmas party in the Community Hall. Ten members and five guests were present.

President Mrs. Mabel Rushford opened the meeting with the Ode and the Mary Stewart Collect, followed by a special welcome to the guests.

The meeting's motto was - It's home and love and little things that make Christmas great.

The roll call was answered by each member giving a stamped Christmas card to be sent to a shut-in or a member moved away. The minutes of the last meeting were read and treasurer's report given by the secretary, Mrs. Violet Robertson. Correspondence contained many thank you notes and also a letter from Brian Wilson of the Ministry of Agriculture and Food thanking the Institute for their help with 4-H work.

Mrs. Rushford read a Christmas Verse. It was decided to donate $10 to the Santa Claus Parade to be used for five individual prizes of $2 each. Mrs Rushford reported that $10 plu plus a pair of slippers had been delivered to Mrs. Jean Benoit for the Cancer Cupboard.

Mrs. Lillian Bogart is to have a Christmas plant placed in Winchester District Memorial Hospital in the Berwick Ward.

The president adjourned the meeting and Mrs. Janna Sanders and Mrs. Marcel Glaude, who were on the Christmas Party committee, led in several games and many prizes were given out. There was also an exchange of gifts and everyone enjoyed the social hour after which lunch was served.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs John Vanturnhout with the Agriculture and Canadian Industries convener in charge.

Christmas story heard by St. James UCW

AVONMORE (Special) - Members of St. James UCW met at the home of their president, Mrs.Maldwyn Watkins, for their December meeting.

Mrs. Elmer Park and Mrs. Glenn MacMillan presented the worship service on the theme "What is Christmas?"

Mrs. MacMillan read the Christmas story as taken from St. Luke's Gospel, and both she and Mrs. Park alternated readings with carol singing by all the ladies. Christmas is a sound, Christmas is a taste, Christmas is a sight, Christmas is a feeling, Christmas is sharing but most of all Christmas is a belief, the ladies said.

Mrs. James Begg appropriately chose as her program topic for this Christmas meeting "Mary, the mother of Jesus". Four special characteristics seem to apply to this woman: she was the most highly favored woman of all ages; she was true to the divine trust that was gven to her; she was a deeply spiritual woman and she grew in the grace and knowledge of Jesus.

The treasurer's report showed 1976 to be a very successful year financially.

It was decided to hold a shower of articles needed for the church kitchen at our January meeting.

Th proposed budget for 1977 as prepared by the finance committee was presented by Mrs. Elmer Park and approved.

Mrs. Gordon MacRae presented the report of the nominating committee, showing few changes in the slate of officers for the new year.

Christmas baskets are to be packed for the shut-ins of the congregation.

All enjoyed a delicious lunch and a time of fellowship together, before the meeting adjourned with Mrs. Watkins reading a Christmas poem ending with the words "God bless us everyone."

St. Andrew's Ladies Aid Society

AVONMORE (Special) — The annual meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church was held on Tuesday night in the Sunday School Room.

A pot luck supper preceded the regular meeting and a large number of members sat down to a well-laden table. Mrs. J. Wiseman asked the blessing and a half-hour of fellowship followed. The meeting opened with the devotions by Mrs. M. F. MacRae, who took her reading from Luke 2. This was followed by singing Christmas carols, and repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison, Mrs. Orland Kyle president, presided for the business part of the meeting and Mrs. Tinkess, secretary, read the minutes and several letters from shut-ins and the families recently bereaved.

Mrs. Ferguson, treasurer, gave the financial report. The year was successful and showed a sizeable amount in the bank.

Committees were appointed for the Christmas decorations and boxes for shut-ins.

Some plans were made for the Church and Ladies Aid, to sponsor the birthday party for the friends at the Manor, Maxville, to be held when suitable for the staff, sometime in the latter part of December.

Mrs. Fraser MacRae gave the list of the Officers for 1977: honorary president, Mrs. J. Wiseman; president, Mrs. Orland Kyle; vice-president, Mrs. Gordon Campbell; secretary, Mrs. James Tinkess; treasurer, Mrs. John Ferguson; assistant secretary, Mrs. Clifford McElheran; worship convener, Mrs. Wiseman; bible convenor, Mrs. Jack Bush; convenor for baby gifts, Mrs. Glen McIntyre; cards and gifts, Mrs. Clifford McElheran; lunch convenor, Mrs. Stanley Goodman.

St. Mark's UCW Dec. meeting

LUNENBURG (Special) — The Christmas meeting of St. Marks' UCW was held in the C.E. Centre here Mon., Dec. 13 with a pot luck dinner at noon preceding the meeting.

Mrs. Leslie Eamer, Unit Three, assisted by Mrs. Ross Alguire, led the group in Christmas hymns and gave a meditation on hope.

Baskets for shut-ins were packed at Mrs. R.J. Rupert's Saturday.

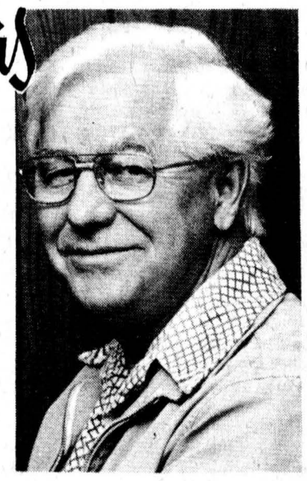
Rev. and Mrs. Loree were presented with a gift and Mrs. Millan Arbuthnot was presented with a certificate and Life Membership pin. She is moving away from the community.

Rev. Loree took the chair for the election and installation of officers.

The presidency for the next year will be held by Mr. Leslie Eamer and Mrs. Milton Hillis.

Rev. Loree closed with a prayer.

Merry Christmas



It has been a pleasure to be your Reeve and a member of Chesterville Council. The pleasure is highlighted by the public response and interest shown, as we tried our best to keep Chesterville a going, paid-up concern.

Now is the time to let others take over and continue the good work.

Again, my personal thanks for a most interesting and fruitful time of my life as your Reeve and Councillor.

May 1977 be a Prosperous year-to-all.

Keith Graham

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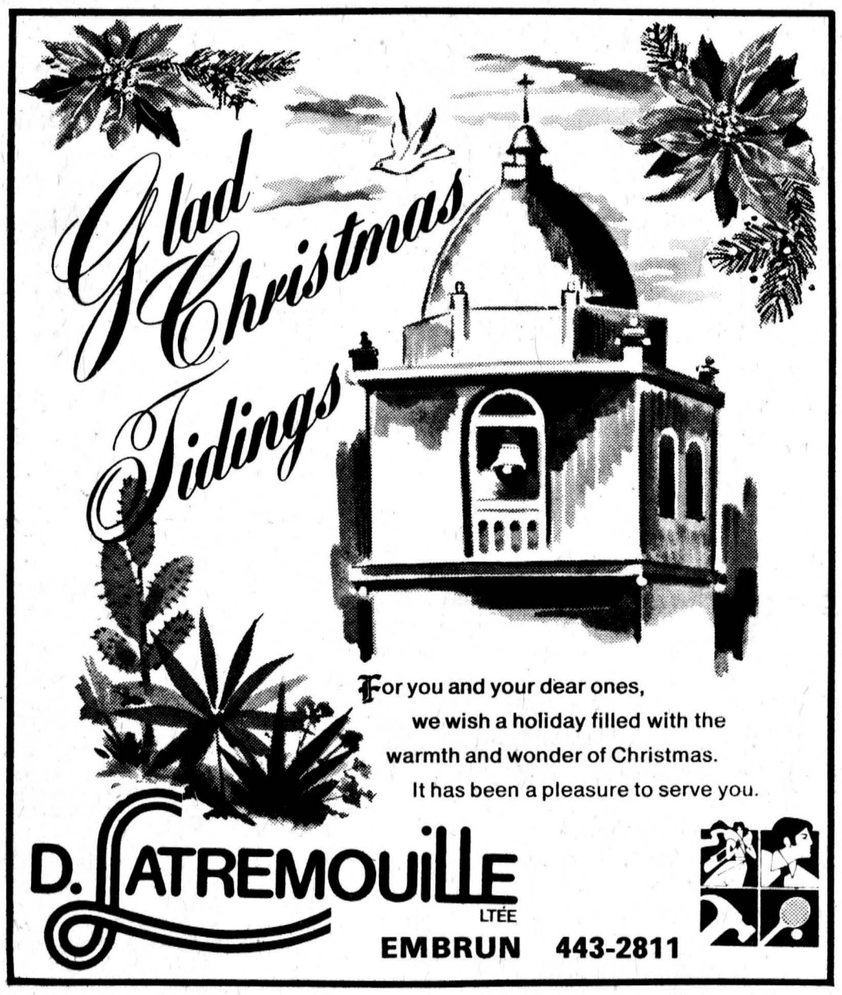

For you and your dear ones, we wish a holiday filled with the warmth and wonder of Christmas. It has been a pleasure to serve you.

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Merry Merry Christmas

May the joy and laughter of Christmas stay with you and brighten all your days. Sincere thanks.

THE CHESTERVILLE JETS

We wish you a Merry Christmas



Hope every day of the holidays is a special day for you, filled with the pleasures that make you happiest! Add our thanks to your holiday joys.

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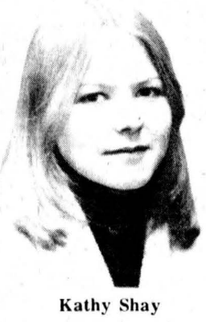

Kathy Shay



Debbie Chambers

Ringing out our warmest wishes for a Yuletide rich in goodwill and happiness. Our gratitude to all.

MERRY CHRISTMAS



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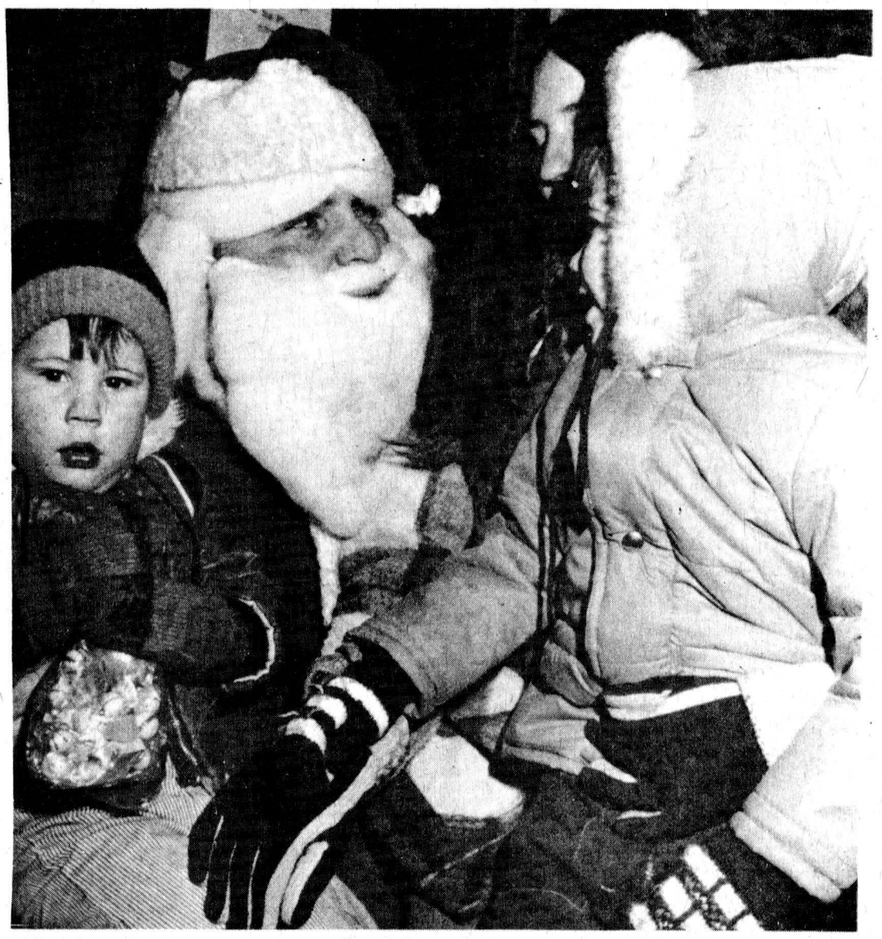
Sixty members attend

Close to 60 members of the Morewood Senior Citizens Club attended Friday's pot-luck dinner and first-ever Christmas party. Seven club members 80 years and over were recognized. They include Allan Swerdfeger, left, Carey Hunter, Zoe McQuaig, Elizabeth Dillabough, Evelyn Crump, Lillian Swerdfeger and Tom Reveller. - staff photo -



Christmas requests in Newington



Pere de Noel a Crysler

Santa started by giving dowries

St. Nicholas, so legend says, secretly gave gifts of fold for the dowries of poor spinsters. He tossed the gold down a chimney on Christmas Eve, and on one occasion the gift landed in a stocking hung by the fireplace to dry.

Spot remover tips

More entertaining means more minor casualties through this festive season. Most spots and stains are easily removed if you really know how to handle them properly. Each process described should be tested on the extra fabric of an inside seam, or a corner of the fabric involved, before attacking the actual stain.

In a kit of first aid cleaning agents and tools be sure to include an eyedropper (to measure one drop of liquid at a time), an art gum eraser, magnifying glass, white vinegar, and a soapless shampoo (not meant for hair). Spots are best removed from the wrong side of the fabric, with a paper towel placed beneath them. Move the towel around so the soil comes off on a clean part. Pat dry, do not iron. Remember soap will do more harm than good, it often "sets" the stain. When a chemical has been used, hold spot over a glass of cold water, and pat the fabric into the water gently.

Coffee: For table linens, hold stained fabric taut over a deep basin. (Tie into place.) Put basin into empty bathtub and from as high as possible, pour boiling water directly onto spot until it is removed. Pour slowly and carefully!

Cocoa and chocolate: As soon as possible sponge with cold water. A paste of Borax and water can be applied to table linens.

Chewing gum: Rub with ice cube until hard. Scrape as much as possible away. If fabric is linen or cotton texture, put adhesive tope over spot and press down hard. Pull adhesive up quickly while someone else holds the fabric tight.

Candle droppings: Scrape excess wax away. White wax spots can be put between 2 layers of blotting paper and pressed with a warm iron. If spot persits, dilute a little wood alcohol with water and apply.

Ice cream: Sponge with warm water and let dry. Sponge with carbon tetrachloride.

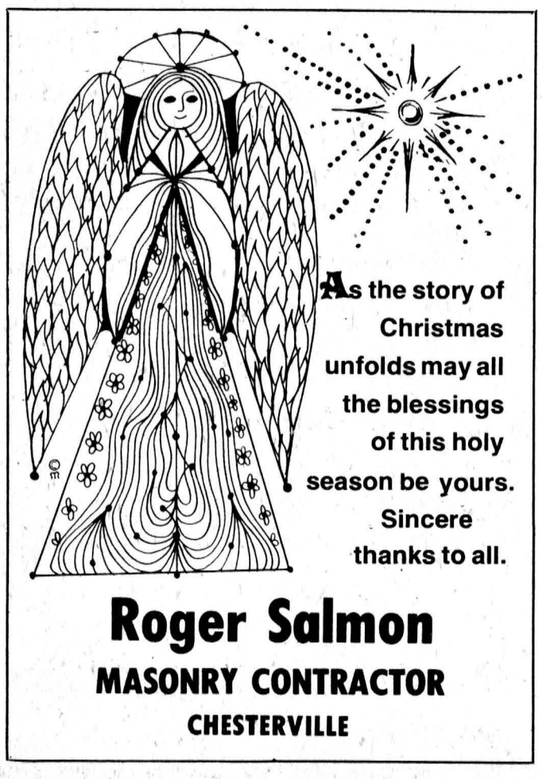
Lipstick: Sponge with carbon tetrachloride.

Blood: Fresh blood stains respond well to a mixture of 2 tablespoons of salt and 1 tablespoon water. If fabric is washable soak in cold water. For white fabric that is not washable use hydrogen peroxide.













Star symbolizes Christ

Two large rotating stars upon which is painted the story of Bethlehem adorn the interior of St. Bernard's Roman Catholic Church, Finch. Fr. J.R. Bougie, parish priest, says the star represents the light of Christ coming into the world, and suggests the theme expressed by the liturgy of Christmas, which is the Feast of Light.

- mcmahon photo -

Christmas Seals pay dividends through diversified programs

The Eastern Counties Lung Association is at work all year, in the fields of research, health education and rehabilitation.

The following are some of the programs conducted by your Lung Association during the past year throughout the five counties:

A one day workshop held at Glengarry Memorial Hospital, Alexandria, for doctors, nurses and staff.

In Cornwall a Smoking and Health presentation of films and literature to Boys Scouts and Girl Guides.

In January druing National Education Week on Smoking a Program called "Kick the Habit" more than 500 kits of printed material were distributed to the public. The program was held again during the month of May when another 150 kits were distributed.

In Cornwall for adults a Better Breathing Club. This program of exercises started in the spring and ran for approximately six weeks. In October during Asthma Week a similar program again for adults which lasted for eight weeks.

In Alexandria in the spring a five week Better Breathing Club for adults.

In the Morrisburg and Iroquois area a four week Better Breathing Club for adults.

During Asthma Week observed in October a Family Asthmatic Program started in Cornwall. This was a six-week program of exercises for Asthmatic children. Parents were part of an educational hour.

Speaking Engagements.

Upon request public and high schools were visited with Smoking and Health presentations which include films, visual aids and printed material.

The Lung Associations material is always in demand. It is in use right now by doctors, health units, hospitals, RNAs education program, offices, teachers, and by students of both public and high schools.

The money you spend on Christmas seals goes to support this work.

Major fund raisers

To improve the health conditions of the rural population in Bolivia, UNICEF Canada is directly funding the cost of improving and expanding the coverage of potable water supplies and sanitation facilities. In villages having fewer than 2,000 inhabitants, some 90,000 rural peasants will benefit. The sale of Greeting Cards is one of the major fund-raising activities of UNICEF Canada which makes support of projects such as this possible.



Be joyful and happy as you herald the birth of our Saviour. Warm thanks.

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Greetings

Wishing you Happy Holidays as Christmas lights the world! Thanks all.

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The world is bright and gaily decked . . . Christmas has come. Spend it in joy and in peace.

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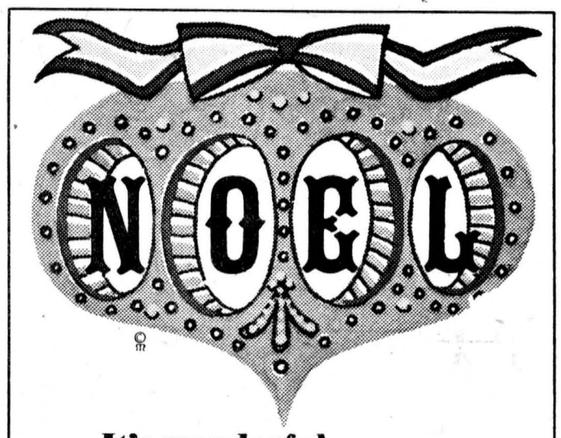

It's wonderful
to keep in touch,
With friends who mean
so very much,

Wishing you every
happiness and
heartfelt thanks.

BERWICK HOTEL
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Greetings

On our menu for the holiday – best wishes and thanks to our neighbors, patrons.

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We're happy to be of service to you all the year round, and happy to extend good wishes for your happiness and joy this festive season.

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Caroling Merry Christmas and thanks to our many kind patrons.

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In the spirit of this festive holiday, we extend sincere thanks and warm wishes for a truly old-fashioned Christmas.

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Santa lives for young and old alike

Members of the Finch and District Lions' Club made their yearly Christmas visit to Rupperts' Nursing Home, Newington, Sunday entertaining the patients with Christmas caros. Mrs. Earl McMillan accompanied them with the accordian. Fruit baskets were presented to each patient and Mrs. Ruppert was given a floral arrangement on behalf of the club. Seen in the photo with Santa is Miss Sadie Feeley and Lion president Ted Moran.

- photo by mcmahon

A Christmas Message

FR. J.R. BOUGIE

If you feel like a wise man, the Writ speaks to you thus:

"We saw His star and came to do Him homage" Matthew 2:2.

If you have the humble heart of a shepherd, you will hear the Angel say:

"Here is a sign for you: you will find a babe wrapped in swaddling clothes and lying in a manger." Luke 2:12.

Who really are we at Christmas? Do we see stars and angels or a manger?

The answer is two fold: No one is excluded from the stars and no one is excluded from the manger, for deep in the heart of every human being there is a star of Bethlehem and there is an angel with a message! There is also in that same heart a cradle, a warm place full of love and joy to be shared!

No matter who or what you are, you want your heart to give birth to salvation for all mankind.

No matter what your dreams are you want to save the world. Communist, capitalist, psychologist, psychiatrist...everyone who attaches an "ist" to his beliefs wants to save the world.

Educators, Politicians, economists, farmers, merchants, teenagers, those in middle age and senior citizens - everyone wants to save the world.

All want to give or sell happiness, because happiness is our salvation!

But do we give happiness or toys?

It seems we have made happiness a toy and a toy of happiness, well stated in the words of the poet who wrote, "Of what toys we have made our joys'.

Communists, capitalits, psychologists, economists; they all toy with concepts. Concepts and words.

But by doing this they fail to come to the point, which is stated clearly in Scripture: "And the Word was made FLESH."

Concepts cannot suffer; they cannot be unhappy, neither can they lead to Redemption.

Redemption starts in the flesh of the Baby of Bethlehem. And as the Word came into the flesh of that Child and became human, it entered into all mankind, which makes Christmas such a blessed event.

But like any birth, it was a beginning. It was the beginning of the realization that only humans can suffer, and only through suffering can Redemption be gained.

As the Eternal Word became flesh it became subject to suffering, making it common with everyman and personifying the humble hearts of the shepherds. And because of its infinite nature, it had common ground with the heavengazing wise men.

Which is why Christ became man: the Man in the manger Who is the star!

WI pot luck supper held in community library

INGLESIDE (Special) — Women's Institute members enjoyed a pot luck supper convened by Mrs. Gregor Williamson and Mrs. Stan McIssac in the community library recently followed by the December business meeting.

Winners of the prize drawing received cocktail aprons made by Mrs. Williamson.

Volunteers for packing and delivering cheer boxes to shut-ins were Mrs. McIsaac, Mrs. Betty Gill, Mrs. Daisy Eglinton, Mrs. Isobel Thompson, Mrs. Peggy Leete, Mrs. Shirley Walsh, Mrs. Williamson, Mrs. Peggy Rowden, Mrs. Mary Trimble and Mrs. Edith Canough.

An invitation to attend the meeting of the Osnabruck Centre branch Thurs., Jan. 6, was accepted.

Mrs. Jean Jeacle, convener of Education and Cultural Activities, will be the delegate to the Officers' Conference at Waterloo University May 3, 4 and 5.

The branch received two letters from its adopted child and will support her in 1977 as in 1976.

The January meeting will be held in the library at 2pm tues., Jan. 18. Conveners of Family and Consumer Affairs, Mrs. Ray Dixon and Mrs. Rheal Meilleur, will present the program.

A Variety Night is being planned for February 25 in connection with the Winter Carnival in Osnabruck Township and WI members will be helping with this event.

Even at maximum moisture content, a tree will burn it flame is applied all around the base. Keep discarded gift wrappings away from the base of the tree, and make the Christmas tree area a no-smoking zone.

Mariners sail on at Christmas

Something of a record attendance was achieved when two-score crew members of Chesterville Harbor, Mariners With Christ, and their friends assembled at Eatonholm in Chesterville for their December "sailing".

Rev. E. Earle Eaton, Captain, was host. Rev. Enos Brubacher, Eganville, "Admiral of the Fleet" and national director, offered prayer and gave a report on the work of the Mariners throughout North America over the past year.

First Mate Garnet Johnston piloted the "Good Ship Faith"; Mrs. Milton Shay, purser, "logged the voyage". George Crawford, steward, received an offering for the on-going work of the Mariners. A special collection also was taken for the relief of fire victims, Rev. and Mrs. Mansel Atkinson.

Christmas readings were given by Mrs. Shay, Mrs. Duart MacLean and Mrs. Lorne Feeley. Christmas carols were sung to the accompaniment of Jim Bray's accordion. Special music, vocal and instrumental, was rendered by a girls' ensemble, comprising Mrs. Martha Massey, Beverly Hill, Noreen McGregor, Susan Jordan and Tammy Casselman.

Mr. Crawford favored with numbers on the harmonica. Guest speaker was George Tanner of Ottawa.

Refreshments were served by a hospitality committee comprising Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. Shay, Mrs. MacLean, Mrs. Feeley, Mrs. Nina Woods, Mrs. Earl Campbell, Mrs. Piebe DeJong and Mrs. Arthur Dillabough.

Consider light colors when re-decorating ceilings and walls. They'll reflect more light and you'll need fewer or lower wattage lamps.

Seaway Services Christmas dinner

Members of Seaway Services Committee met for their Christmas dinner-meeting Monday noon at Knox Presbyterian Church in Iroquois.

A bountiful repast had been prepared by the ladies of the Executive and was enjoyed by all. Rev. Lester Joyce, Brinston, representing the Dundas County Ministerial Association, offered the table grace.

Mrs. Fred Zandbergen, president, chaired the business session that followed. The secretary's report was given by Mrs. Geraldine MacKinnon in the absence of Miss Candace MacKenzie, for whom it was a working day. Mrs. Reik Peppers gave the treasurer's report. Representatives were present from environment, St. Lawrence College extension department, Manpower and Industrial Opportunities.

Rev. Dr. Charles H. MacLean was host; Rev. E. Earle Eaton, public relations representative, covered the meeting for the press. Matters for discussion included government grants, LIP, LEAP, etc - recycling, cooperatives, works projects, programming and relief.

District News

GOLDFIELD WEST (Special) - Season's Greetings to the Editor and Staff of the Record.

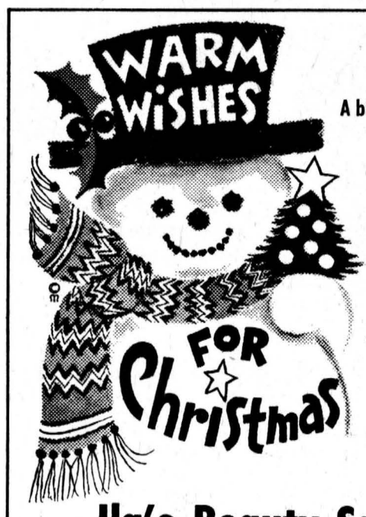
Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Foley were Mr. and Mrs. George Ayotte of Windsor, Miss Noreen Foley of Ste. Agathe, PQ Kevin Foley and Anna, Miss Marion, Ronald and Paul Foley and Butch Foley of Ottawa and Miss Veronica Murphy of Ottawa.

Miss Margaret MacLean of Vancouver and Peter MacLean of the University of Guelph are spending their holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duart MacLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Foley were in Cornwall last Monday and attended the Red Cross Christmas banquet at Beach Hall.

Mrs. Duart MacLean, Misses Marguerite and Aileen MacLean, Mrs. Margaret Duff and Jean, Mrs. Joe Dingemans and Mrs. Megan Ouderkirk, and Mrs Bernard Foley attended the Finch WI Christmas meeting held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Casselman.

Miss Mary Murphy and Ken Murphy of Connaught had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Foley.



A bit of Good Cheer we're sending 'specially your way. A Happy Season to you, to yours, to all, we merrily say.

Ila's Beauty Salon
FINCH



As you and your loved ones share your joy we wish you cheer and good wishes at Christmas.

Sharkey's Shell
CHESTERVILLE



Let there be **LOVE** at Christmas

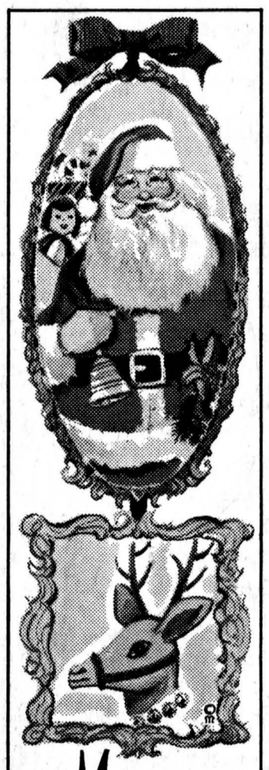
THE COUNTRY BOY

Joel and Rhonda Steele
WINCHESTER



Santa's bright magic touches us all at Christmas. Tucked in among his gifts you'll find our thanks and special wishes for a wondrous Holiday!

James Moran
Great West Life Insurance
CHESTERVILLE



Merry Christmas

We're teaming up with Santa and his reindeer to bring you happy holiday wishes.

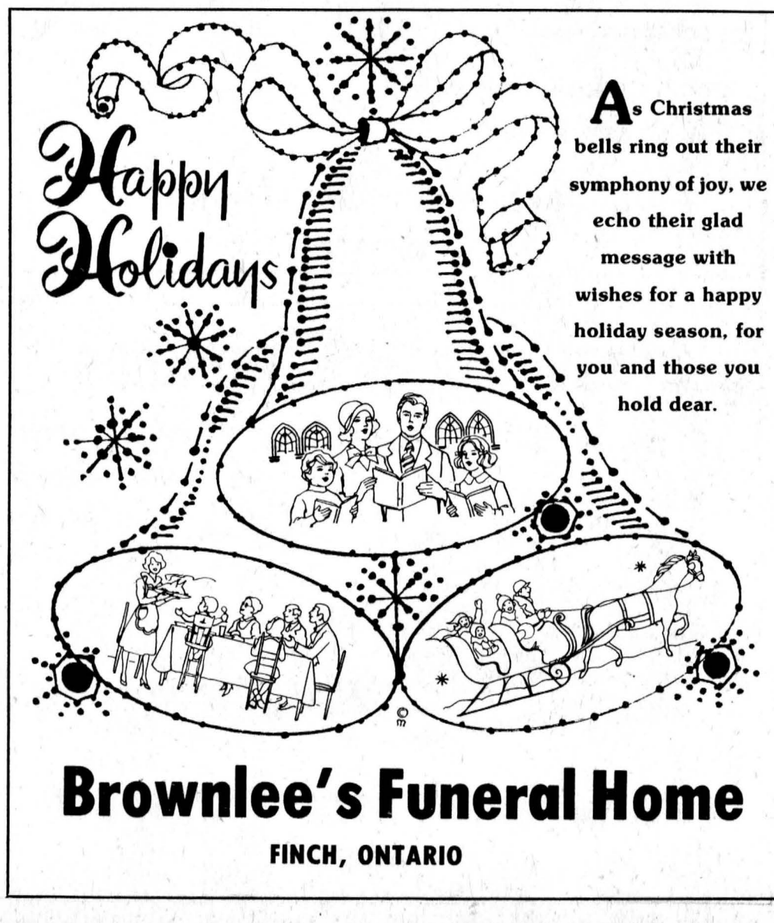
Marcelle's Beauty Salon
CRYSLER



May the spirit of Christmas remain in your hearts all through the holidays.

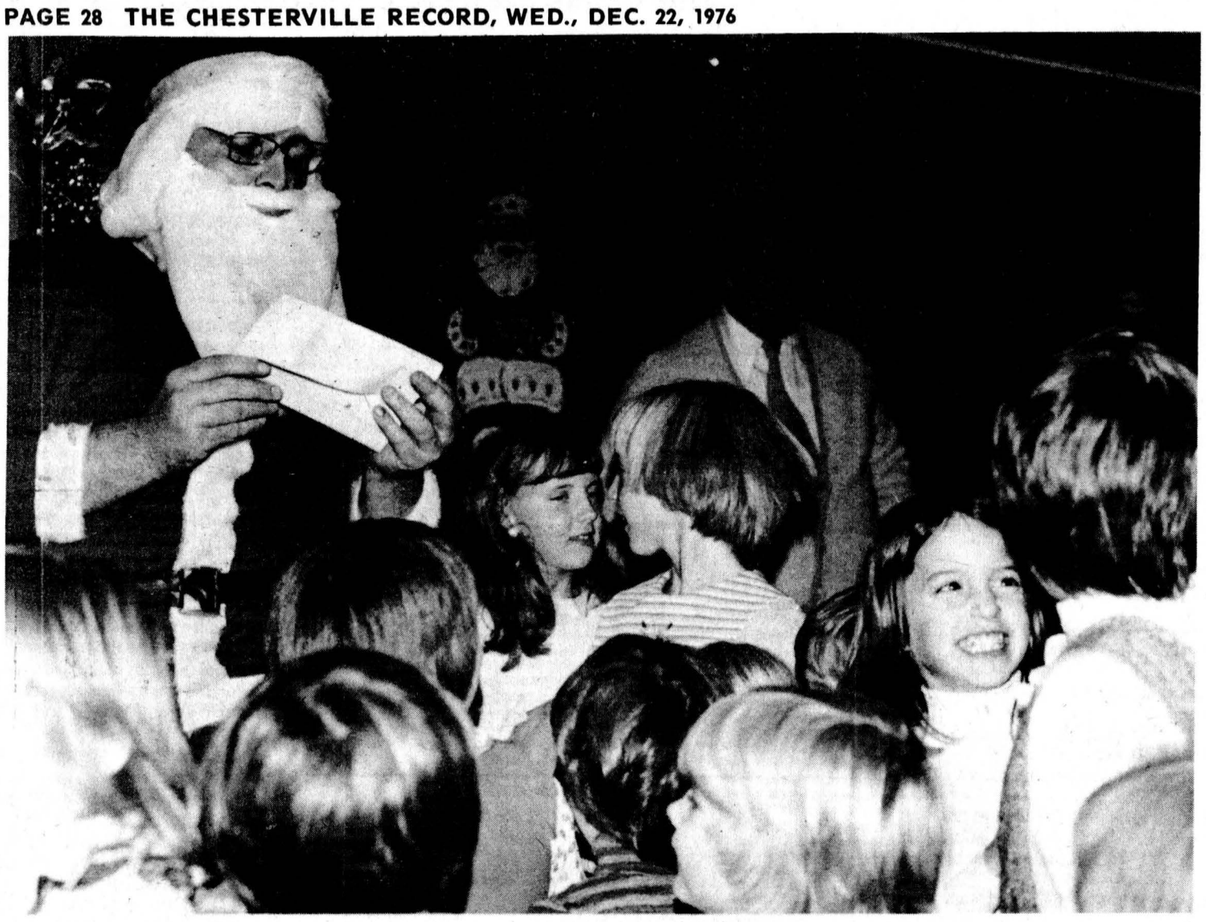
MERRY CHRISTMAS

B & B Construction
NEWINGTON & WILLIAMSBURG



As Christmas bells ring out their symphony of joy, we echo their glad message with wishes for a happy holiday season, for you and those you hold dear.

Brownlee's Funeral Home
FINCH, ONTARIO



Santa visits Rotarians and guests

Santa Claus attended last Wednesday night's meeting of the Ingleside-Osnabruck Rotary Club held at the Treasure Island Inn, Ingleside, to meet the club's special guests, the children of club members. Rotarians who don't have children brought those of their neighbors. The club also won second prize with its float in Sunday's Santa Claus parade in Newington.

- photo by lianne mohns -

Holiday spirit and spirits make a poor combination

MORRISBURG (Special) - Modern day motor vehicle traffic presents many hazards and problems and if drivers accept the value of statistics, the possibility of being involved in an accident are steadily increasing, states Const. J.P. Watson, Community Services Officer with the OPP Detachment here.

Const. Watson says one of the most serious hazards, if not the most serious faced by motorists today is the impaired driver.

"Very often these professional drinkers are overconfident in their own abilities and calculate that they can drive home impaired, undetected by the police.

"This attitude creates a hazardous situation for the motorist who isn't aware that the driver of the oncoming vehicle is drunk, or at the very least impaired sufficiently to affect his or her control of the vehicle," Const. Watson says.

The impaired driver is very often instrumental in causing serious motor vehicle accidents and the trend is to remove the drinking from the road completely, he says.

On conviction, the impaired driver is automatically suspended from driving for three months and the suspension is accompanied by a substantial fine.

"This Christmas and New Year, if you drink, leave your vehicle at home. It could prevent tragedy occurring to innocent and law-abiding citizens," Const. Watson advises area residents.

Use only non-flammable ornaments and trim on the tree. Do not decorate metallic artificial trees with strings of electric lights, but illuminate by floodlight if desired. Some plastic trees, made from styrene materials are flammable and may burn violently. Never use candles to decorate any tree.

Simple, personal touches add warmth

Indoors, outdoors, all around the house - Christmas is the season for decorating, and what a wealth of decorations there are!

The tree seems to be just the beginning. Its ornaments and lights become continually more varied and delightful.

Wreaths and greens, plants and bouquets, table centerpieces and window adornments appear in the home.

Outdoors, decorations range from a string of light and a wreath on the door to manger scenes to such creations as Santa, sleigh and reindeer up on the roof-top.

Some of the yard and roof embellishments are real works of art - no wonder communities give prizes for outdoor decorating and lighting.

A diversity of designs for decorating are ready-made, offering welcome help during the bustling holiday season.

Still, it's fun to use personal ingenuity and creativity in making unusual Yule decorations, suggest the editors of the Grolier Universal Encyclopedia.

One thought might appeal to bird-lovers: Place a wreath, ready- or hand-made, outside a window. "Decorate" it with foods tasty to birds, such as peanuts, popcorn, cranberries and bits of suet.

Simple, personal touches make a difference. For instance, greens, ribbons and glittering balls can be attractively arranged on a table or shelf.

Just putting some colorful ornaments and pine cones in a big glass bowl brightens things up.

Set the kids to stringing cranberries and popcorn in the good old-fashioned way.

It's surprising how pleasingly they blend with the modern marvels of tree ornaments.

Every area of the home deserves some holiday accents. How about fastening candy canes to a broad, bright ribbon and draping it around the kitchen bulletin board?

For the more ambitious, there's the kissing bunch, an old English tradition.

GREETINGS
May the glow of Christmas shine on you and your loved ones. Our thanks
Al's Restaurant
CHESTERVILLE


Christmas Greetings
We hope you and yours have the Merriest Christmas ever in the grand tradition of the Yuletide season!
Richard Young
ELECTRICIAN
CHESTERVILLE

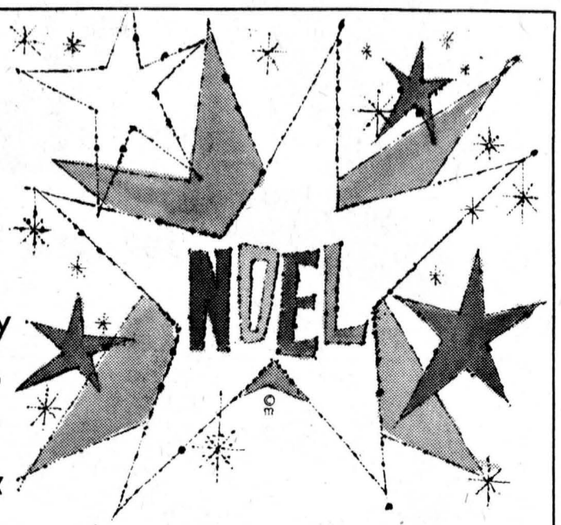

Merry Christmas
Wishing you and those you hold most dear all the old fashioned joys of Christmas! Hearty thanks.
Claude's Manufacturing & Upholstering Reg'd
MOREWOOD


Merry Christmas
Sending hearty wishes for all delectable things to fill your stockings to overflowing. Merry Christmas and thanks.
R. C. (Sonny) Elliott
CHESTERVILLE

JOYOUS Greetings
May the blessings of Christmas be with you today and always. Thanks to you all.
Crysler Home Centre
CRYSLER



One of the many joys of this dazzling holiday is the opportunity to say thanks to many friends.
Eileen and Jack



Jack MacMillan Fuels
CHESTERVILLE

We wish you a Merry Christmas
Songs of praise echo through the yuletide. As we share the old fashioned delights of this warm holiday, we carol our thanks to one and all.



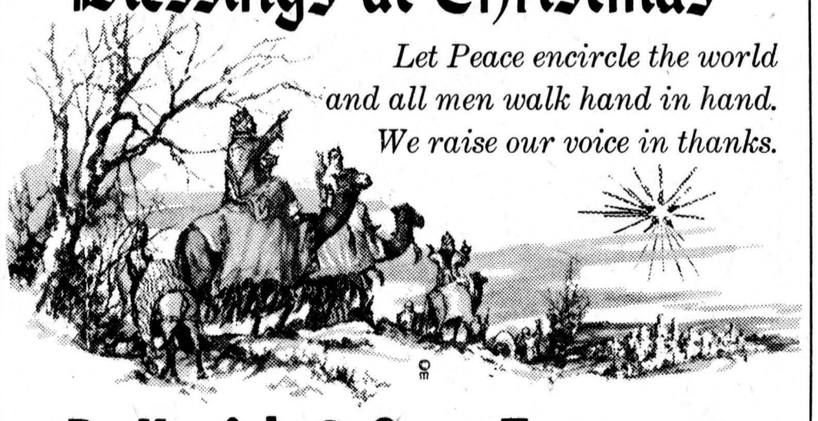
AULT FOODS
WINCHESTER

GREETINGS
Christmas would not be Christmas if we did not take the time to say "thank you" and wish you every happiness.



R.L. Hutt Construction
CHESTERVILLE

Blessings at Christmas
Let Peace encircle the world and all men walk hand in hand. We raise our voice in thanks.



P. Konick & Sons Transport
FINCH



Santa has company in Finch

Inside Ingleside



by Jean Jeacle

Dear Santa Claus.

I tried to be a good girl this year and I think I was fairly successful at it. I didn't hurt any flies, kick any cats or bite any children. I didn't even stick my tongue out at any grown-ups...though, I must admit, I was tempted to do so on more than one occasion.

I was going to ask you for a cleaning lady who would come once a week to bring order out of chaos here at 65 Maple St., but I have changed my mind. I have decided that because I wouldn't want her to see the house as it is, I would have to spend too much time cleaning up before she arrived. Just forget that request please, and send instead an "idea-machine" which will help me prepare my newspaper column during the happy but hectic holiday season.

Most of all, dear Santa, my wish is the time-honoured, traditional Christmas wish of Peace on Earth and Goodwill to All Men.

Love from
Your Believing Friend

P.S. I will leave your Pepsi and peanuts under the tree. They will make a nice change from milk and cookies.

BITS & PIECES

— Doesn't **Muriel Dixon** look grandmotherly these days!

— I hope that on Xmas morning **Ernie Gillard** finds more in his sock than just his toes. He gallantly shovelled a path at the library so that the Institute women could get safely home from their pot-luck supper.

— I hear that **Wallace MacKinnon** did a great job as Santa's helper at the fire hall on Saturday.

— Piercey St.'s **Julie Janik** drew the lion which will appear on the Winter Carnival Buttons. (It is a lion because the letters in the word could stand for Lunenburg, Ingleside, Osnabruck Centre and Newington)

— In the Winter Carnival Poster contest, the senior winners are **Collette Champagne** and **Leanne Acres.** Junior honors go to **Janet Wells** and **Rosemary Heagle.**

— **SueAnn Bartch** gave **Steve Middleton** a bigger than usual Christmas present. She bought him the ticket which won him the Jaycee's Trip for Two to the Bahamas.

— Christmas came early for a couple of other area residents as well. **Rory Evans** won the Minor Hockey colored television set and **Donald Plumadore** took home the firemen's stereo set.

I would like to send Christmas greetings to all subscribers...and even to those who just borrow the paper to read here, "Inside Ingleside".

Christmas music medley adds to Dec. WI meeting

(Special) — Members of the Chesterville WI were invited to hold their December meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Graham and more than 40 members and friends attended.

Roll Call was answered by the returning of the penny round-up bags.

During the business portion of the meeting, the secretary read a letter from the OMAF county Home Economist stating the Spring 4-H project would be "Consider your Clothes" This is a completely new course and the leaders for this club will be Mrs. D. Fulton and Mrs. B. McIntosh.

Mesdames R. Gilroy and Albert Smith agreed to represent the WI at the Chamber of Commerce meeting concerning the winter carnival supper. A committee was also named to help with the project.

Reports were given by A. Shay and M. Casselman. A Stanley party will be held in the new year, courtesy of Mrs. Gibeault.

Since there will be no meeting until March, the executive will deal with any urgent items of business.

The March meeting, on "Education and Cultural Affairs, will be convened by Mrs. R. Saunders and Mrs. D. Docksteader.

Miss Isobel Forward reported on the shut in gifts and members offered to help deliver them. Mrs. A. Smith extended thanks to the committee in charge of selecting and wrapping these remembrances.

At the close of the business portion, Miss Addie Campderros, accompanied by Janice McCadden, led in a sing-song of favorite Christmas Carols. Janice also favored the gathering with a medley of Christmas music.

A contest on the nativity was won by Mrs. J. McAvoy; the mystery parcel, N. Reid; spot prize, M. DeJong, and the lucky guest, Mrs. C. Turner.

Mrs. M. Derks voiced appreciation to the hostess for the use of her new home and presented her with a table arrangement.

A lunch was served by the conveners, Mrs. D. Wells and Mrs. H. Reid, assisted by their committee. Mesdames A. Johnston, M. Derks and A Gain.

Morewood WI Christmas pot luck

The Morewood Women's Institute held their December meeting in the United Church Hall.

The Christmas meeting was a social hour and pot luck supper for members and guests.

President, Mrs. K. Hillis welcomed all and held a short business meeting. The Social Committee held a carol sing-song and the senior citizens guartet of Mrs. Broom, Mr. Hutt, Mr. Hutchinson and Mr. Weaver entertained with Christmas carols. Mrs. H. Hutchinson, Mrs. J. Hutt and Mrs. Harold Stewart were in charge of the social hour.

Have yourself a merry little Christmas... but keep it safe from the fire dangers of the season... keep the tree fresh and green by standing it in water throughout its stay indoors. Keep cigarettes and matches at a safe distance. Switch the tree lights off at bedtime and before leaving home... and never decorate a tree with candles.

'Night of Nights' cantata presented by choir

A capacity crowd turned out on Sunday evening to enjoy the cantata presented by the choir of Chalmer's United Church, Finch. The program, produced and co-ordinated by Miss Eileen Runions, featured violin solos by Mrs. Roma McMillan of Dunbar and choral selections by the United Church Junior Choir.

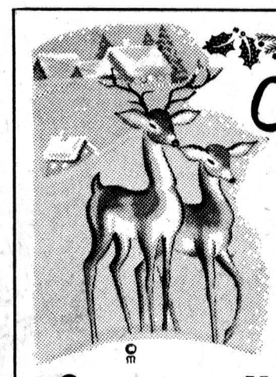
The cantata "Night of Nights" commenced with a candle light procession. Under the capable direction of Mrs. Lana Larsen, assisted by organist Miss Patsy Foster, the choir rendered in song the story of the sacred birth. The narration was most impressively read by Rev. H. Funge, of the Avonmore-Finch pastoral charge. Various parts of the story were portrayed in pageant form by members of the Sunday School. Mrs. Hilliard Shaver, Mrs. Colonel Montgomery, Mrs. Gary Nephew and Mrs. Ray MacLeod assisted with this portion of the program.

Solo parts in the cantata were taken by Kevin Flannagan of Avonmore, Miss Lori Shaver and Mrs. Lynden Hough, and a flute solo by Mrs. Elizabeth McIlwaine, of Finch. "Star of the East" was sung as a sextette by Misses Karen and Janice Foster, Susan Doyle, Donna Lee Smith, Ruth McLean of Finch and Kim Hayes of Avonmore. Capable assistance to Don McKercher and Kevin Flannagan was given by Harold Marcellus of St. Luke's Presbyterian Church.

It was a most impressive and enjoyable service and a fitting prelude to the joyous festive season.

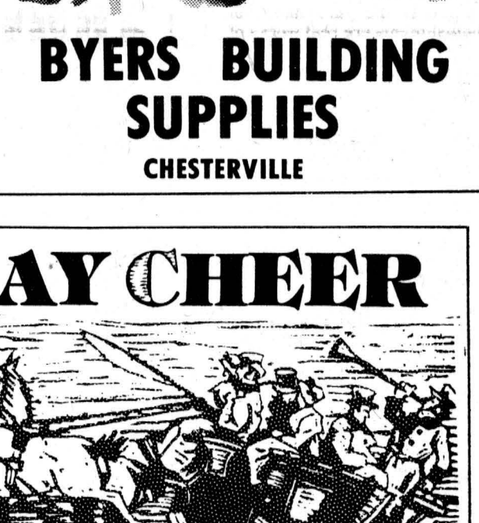
Set up Christmas trees indoors just before Christmas, and remove them as soon as possible after Christmas. Keep trees away from heat sources, and do not allow them to block exits.

If fire should strike, first get everyone out of the house, then sound the alarm and call the fire department before attempting to fight the fire yourself. Your first rule in the event of fire is Get Out Safely.



for Christmas
Wishing you the finest joys of a bright and happy Christmas . . . with much appreciation.
Summers Home Bakery
WINCHESTER

Joy to the World
May His boundless love bring you the many blessings of the Yuletide. Deep thanks.



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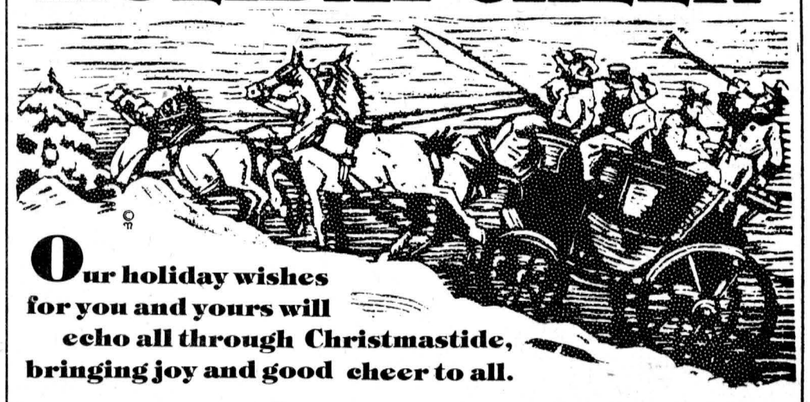
CHESTERVILLE



GLAD TIDINGS
Caroling our deep appreciation for your valued patronage
ROULEAU'S STORE
CRYSLER

HOLIDAY CHEER



Our holiday wishes for you and yours will echo all through Christmastide, bringing joy and good cheer to all.
Erik Thompson
CHESTERVILLE



That magical Christmas feeling,
And warm, lasting glow,
Come from thanking the friends,
We're so happy to know!
Merry Christmas & Happy New Year
HARRY DUSOMOS & FAMILY



IT'S CHRISTMAS EVERYWHERE
May yours be merry and gay.
Our hearty holiday thanks
for your kind patronage.
CHEZ THERESE
MOOSE CREEK 538-2333

Holiday Greetings



Thank you for your business.
We wish you a Merry Christmas with the spirit of God in your heart and the Wisemen in your thoughts.
Celebrate the Greatest Birth and Baby of all.
Enjoy yourself with the rich and poor.
Remember the problems of today, Strikes, Inflation and confusion all man made not God made.
How you celebrate Christmas can only be made by yourself either by love and kindness or by greed and hatred.
A special visit to the sick or aged and to the Church of your choice.

From Cec and Isobel, we wish you a very Merry Christmas and the Hope of Joy and Happiness in the New Year.

ORMOND GENERAL STORE
16-2



Greetings
Christmas brings warm hearts, happy voices and laughter, shared with those we hold most dear. We join the holiday merriment with cheery wishes and thanks to you and yours!
George Petric Automobiles Ltd.
VERNON, ONTARIO



Cornwall choir at Trinity

Cornwall's Centennial Choir was in Chesterville recently to give a Christmas choral concert at Trinity United Church. One of the most accomplished choral groups in Canada, the choir is the only one from this country ever to take part in the annual Welsh Eisteddfod - the world's largest folk music gathering. Conductor Brian McCartney, music director at Cornwall's General Vanier Secondary School, is seen guiding the choir through one of the many carols they rendered at the service. Trinity United held its special Christmas service two weeks ago and its Christmas pageant Sunday night. It will hold regular services Sunday morning.

- staff photo -

Easter traditions can be borrowed for Christmas

Easter at Christmas? It may sound ridiculous, but you can "Borrow" some of the Easter traditions for added fun for the kids at Christmastime.

For example, there's absolutely no reason why all of the presents must be carefully placed under the tree. Santa may be in an especially creative mood this year and decide to hide the 1morning surprises.

He might even leave clues written along the way (starting at the bedpost; to heighten the challenge. Or who's to say that we can't have Christmas baskets as well as Easter baskets?

Just think of all the fun to be had in decorating Christmas eggs in bright greens and reds, decking wicker baskets with gay red ribbons and holly, then stuffing them with candy canes and holiday cookies.

You can start a whole new family tradition that could well turn into a holiday they'll never forget!

Mini Noel bell for collectors

The tingle of tiny sleigh bells seem to echo the peal of the charming fine china Mini Christmas Bell created by Gorham.

A delightful full-color vignette reproduction of a Currier & Ives Christmas sleigh ride scene is depicted on one side of the delightful bell which features a gold plated scroll handle.

On the other side is "Noel 1976". Holly and berr decoration and the rim are of 22 karat burnished gold.

Silver snowflakes sparkle on tree

A lasting tradition. A silversmith's art. Gorham sterling "Snowflakes" are especially created each year to commenorate Christmas.

Designed to sparkle forever, they are ideal gifts for the tree or to wear as a fashionable holiday pendant.

The 1976 Gorham sterling "Snowflake," like its predecessors, is exquisitely crafted in precious sterling. (Each year the crafting tools for each distinctive edition are destroyed at the close of the year so that each becomes a more personal memento oflove as well as an important collectible.)

Seventh in the annual series, this year's Gorham "Snowflake" is engraved with the date on the back and there is additional space for a personal message, of for initials.

The 1976 Gorham "Snowflake" is available at most leading jewelry and department stores.

When families gather, it's Christmas- time everywhere

Through the years, the ways of celebrating Christmas have taken on many differnet forms.

Today's Christmas tree is apt to be plastic or aluminum, rather than nature's own fir, spruce or pine. The glow of tiny beeswax candles on a tree is only a memory, replaced now by strings of twinkling electric lights.

Jolly Santa, once transported only by reindeer-drawn sleigh, may now arrive by helicopter or jet plane.

But in spite of changes the essence of the season, the basic spirit of Christmas, stays the same.

Christmastide is, above all, a time for togetherness and rejoicing. And a modern Christmas, just like an oldfashioned Christmas, calls for gatherings of family and friends, with much merriment, fun and feasting.

Right now in this community, families are celebrating the holiday with just such gatherings, such merriment, fun and feasting.

Like families of yesteryear, they celebrate with gifts and greens, with the warmth of a glowing hearth and the gleam of a lighted tree with stockings hung by the chimney with care and even with candles, though these beckon brightly from candleholders rather than from the tree.

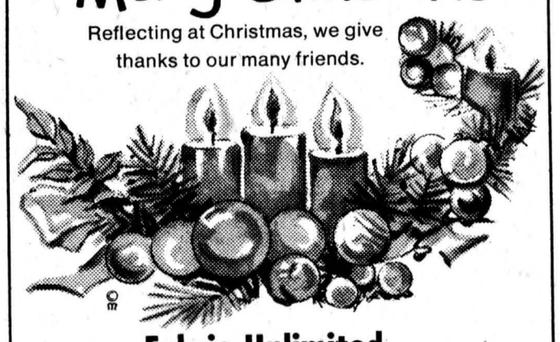


Sounding a fanfare
of Christmas wishes for harmony on earth.
Your kind generosity is appreciated.
Fawcett's Organs & Piano Studio
WINCHESTER



Chugging in with a caboose full of holiday magic and our thanks.
Lannin's Lumber Mart & Construction Co.
WINCHESTER


Wishing you everything that's bright and beautiful at Christmas. May our sincere thanks ornament your holidays.
JOY
Abel's Cleaners & Chesterville Hotel
CHESTERVILLE

Merry Christmas
Reflecting at Christmas, we give thanks to our many friends.

Fabric Unlimited
WINCHESTER

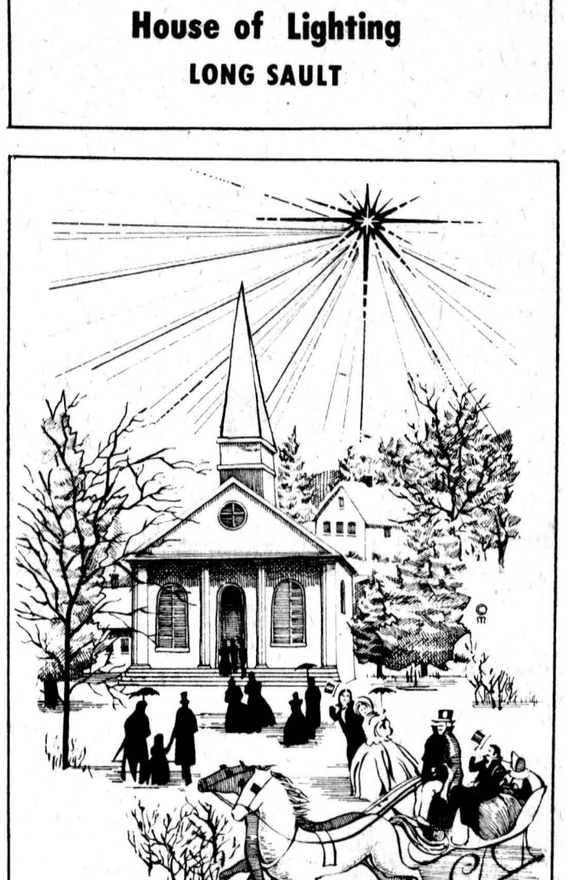


We're letting it all out! May the wonderful Spirit of Christmas bring joy to you and yours. Hearty thanks!
Morrison's Garage
CHESTERVILLE

It's a great feeling having friends as wonderful as you! At Christmas, and always, you're wished all the good things you so richly deserve.
David's Market
FINCH


ON CHRISTMAS DAY
all bells on earth will ring sounding a message of love and joy to people everywhere.
Our sincere gratitude.
Durant's Flowers
CHESTERVILLE

Celebrating the time of Santa, of Joy, of Giving! We send you sparkling wishes and sincere appreciation.
Don Weegar Sales
MOREWOOD



May the Holy Blessed Meaning of His birth be yours at Christmas. Reverent thanks one and all.
House of Lighting
LONG SAULT

To faithful old friends,
To cherished new friends,
Our thanks and best wishes
for a Merry,
MERRY CHRISTMAS
C & M Texaco
CHESTERVILLE



Hope your holiday hits a high note of happiness. In concert, we join in with thanks and growing appreciation.
Dutch Sash and Door Co. Ltd.
MOREWOOD