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Coming Events

DATES TO REMEMBER

The Sunday School of St. Paul's Church will hold its annual Christmas Programme in the Church on Friday evening, Dec. 20th, at 7.45 p.m. The Junior Choir will present a Christams Cantata of songs and recitations. The children, their parents and friends are cordially invited to come. An offering will be received during the evening. Santa Claus will visit the church and distribute the gifts and candy to the children

SCHOOL CONCERT

The Annual Christmas Concert will be held at S. S. No. 18, Mountain Ridge School, at 8.15 p.m. on Friday evening, December 20th. Adults 15c. Come and enjoy a good program. 31c.

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FEATURE FOR WEDNESDAY

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Funeral of the Late Mrs. Harry L. Flora

Impressive tribute was paid to the memory of the late Mrs. Harry L. Flora at her funeral, which was held from her late residence to the local United Church on Wednesday afternoon of last week. The service was conducted by Rev. John A. Waddell, pastor of Western United Church, Ottawa, a former minister of Winchester United Church, and a close friend of the deceased. Assisting was the pastor, Rev. N. J. Thomas, and Rev. Walace MacKinnon, pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church. The choir, under the direction of Mrs. Howard Fetterly, led in the singing, while a solo, "No Tears Up Yonder," was rendered by Mrs. Harold Lannin.

Following the service, interment was made at Maple Ridge Cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. W. H. Agnew, Ernest Helmer and L. A. Porteous, all of Ottawa; Albert P. Johnston, of Kemptville, and J. Kenneth Ault and Hart Melvin, of Winchester.

The late Mrs. Flora, who was the former Miss Tressa Henderson, passed away on Monday, December 9th, following a lingering illness. She was 44 years of age and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson.

Besides her husband, she leaves three sisters, Mrs. Michael Behan and Mrs. Fred Saunders, of Toronto, and Miss Phyllis Henderson, Reg. Nurse, of Ottawa and Winchester, and one brother, Mr. Fred Henderson, of Campbell's Bay, Que.

The large concourse of relatives and friends filled the church to capacity and bore evidence of the high esteem in which the late Mrs. Flora was held.

Floral Tributes

The floral tributes were as follows: Husband; The Henderson Family; The Flora Family; Holly Rebekah Sisters; Women's Association of United Church; Henderson Lodge, A. F. & A. M.; The 100 Club of Winchester; Winchester Chamber of Commerce; Ottawa Dairy Limited; Canada Packers Limited; Winchester Press; Directors of Winchester Rink Co. Ltd.; Henderson and Walker's Dairy; Crown Bakery and Staff; Staff of X-Ray Dept., Ottawa Civic Hospital; Ladies' Bridge Club; McKercher Bros. and Staff; Porteous Bros.; Geo. E. McCaffrey; Staff of Campbell's Bay Post Office; Ottawa Fruit Supply Limited; Mr and Mrs. Delong Preston; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Keyes; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lannin; Mr. and Mrs. John Rennison; Dr. and Mrs. Dougal MacLean; Mr. and Mrs. Carson Kerr; Mr. and Mrs. John Burke; Dr. and Mrs. Alvin Cameron; Mrs. J. J. Gray; Mrs. Beulah MacPhail; Mr. and Mrs. James Gibb; Mrs. J. H. Ross; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Agnew and Jane; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barrigar; Miss Marjorie Crummy; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fetterly; Mr. and Mrs. Willis Cross; Mr. Dickie Justus; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Moorhead; Nurses' Bridge Club, Ottawa; Mrs. Maude Summers and Family; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Durant; Mr. and Mrs. Reid Walker; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Summers and Family; Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robinson; Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Draper; Mr. Frank McIntosh; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown; Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Hitsman and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ault and Family; Miss Lillian Armstrong; Miss Mildred Armstrong; Miss Nina Armstrong; Mr. Earl Freeland; Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Stevenson; Mr. and Mrs. Albert P. Johnston and Family; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Robinson; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Docksteader; Mrs. Clara Justus and Family; Mrs. J. W. Ault; Mr. and Mrs. Thorald Lane; Dr. and Mrs. Fred Kemp; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Dukelow; Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hitsman and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Alex Davdison; Mr. and Mrs. Garner Reynolds; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph MacPherson; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Summers; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morgan; Mrs. Jean Kenney; Miss Annalea McGregor; Miss Betty Anderson; Mrs. Iris Harper; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Singleton; Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Elliott and Family; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hutt; Miss Jean Beach; Miss Giva Openchaw; Mrs. Winnifred Suffel; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard A. Porteous; Miss Eleanor Hitsman; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Nugent; Miss S. Fleming; Dr. and Mrs. Ira Hamilton; Rev. and Mrs. M. I. Robinson; Mr. and Mrs. Hart Melvin, David and Eleanor; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Elliott; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Slater; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vice; Mr. Paul Sanders; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dixon; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dixon; Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Jones; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Shortt.

Friends From A Distance

Relatives and friends from out-of-town attending the service were as follows: Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Flora, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Flora, of Ottawa; Dr. and Mrs. Fred Flora, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Thompson, Mrs. Beulah MacPhail, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Porteous, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Agnew, Mrs J. J. Gray, Mr. William Sutton, Mrs. J. A. Waddell, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Nugent, Mrs. Ernest Helmer, Mrs. F. L. Dubervil, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hulse, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Halpenny, Mrs. Fred Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hitchman, Miss Kennedy, Mr. G. A. Dixon, Miss Margaret Bray, Reg. N., Miss Eileen Curran, Reg. N., Mr. Paul McIntosh, Mrs. R. Hammond, Major A. de L. Panet, all of Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Summers, Iroquois; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Summers, Cardinal; Mr. and Mrs. Sparling Summers, Williamsburg; Mr. Lorne Kinkaid, Morrisburg; Dr. and Mrs. F. F. Kemp, Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. Royal Graves and Mrs. Hutchins of Ogdensburg; Mr. and Mrs. George McCaffrey, Russell; Mrs. A. P. Johnston, Misses Hazel and Electa Mills, of Kemptville; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Preston and Mrs. Reid Walker, Merrickville; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Nugent, Berwick; Messrs. Howard and Wilfred Porteous, Vernon; Miss Eleanor Bell, Brinston; Mr. and Mrs. Thorold Lane, Aultsville. Representing the Ottawa Dairy were: Messrs. G. M. James, J. P. Laframboise, C. G. Belway, C. A. Sutherland, E. F. Helmer, and R. D. McFarlane. Producers Dairy: W. Corvick, G. Mulvah.

CORNWALL CLEANERS HOLIDAY CALLS

Cornwall Cleaners will call at Winchester for clothing to be cleaned on Monday, December 23rd, instead of Tuesday, their usual day. As the staff will be on holidays, there will be no call here during the week of December 30th. Regular service will be resumed on January 7th.

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A Gift Suggestion!

An ideal gift for the youngster or adult who enjoys skating is a Season's Ticket to the local Arena. These tickets are now available at Harry Flora's Store, at the same price as in former years. Buy one now and include it in your Christmas gifts to the youngsters—they'll appreciate it. If the weather remains cold, ice will be made at the rink without delay. Mr. Earl Bowman has been engaged as caretaker and is ready to start flooding as soon as weather permits.

DELMER TIMMINS HEADS C. O. V. JUNIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE

Officials of the Central Ottawa Valley Junior Hockey League met at Kemptville last Wednesday night to re-organize the league for the coming season. Delmer Timmins, of Inkerman was elected president, and George Whipps, also of Inkerman, secretary-treasurer, and it was announced that the league will be composed of three teams—South Mountain, Inkerman and Kemptville Agricultural School. The schedule will be drawn up in the near future, and the league hopes to get underway on Dec. 26th, if possible.

Officials also decided that they would try to arrange an interlocking schedule with teams in the Upper St. Lawrence League, if that organization decided to affiliate with the Ottawa and District Hockey Association.

15 COWS DIE IN FIRE IN OSGOODE TOWNSHIP

A lightning bolt which ripped through a barn on the farm of Forest Jeacle, Osgoode Township, last week, killed 15 cows and razed the barn containing a large quantity of winter feed. The loss was estimated at $6,000. Four horses and one sow were saved.

The bolt struck at the height of a violent electrical storm which swept over Osgoode township. So powerful was the shock, it was thought at first the house was struck.

Mr. Jeacle ran to the barn to find smoke and flame pouring from the building. He managed to get his horses and one sow from the burning building, but the cows perished.

By the time neighbours arrived, the fire had gained such a hold that little could be done.

Mr. Jeacle said the barn and stock were partly covered by insurance.

CARD OF APPRECIATION

I wish to take this opportunity to thank my many friends and neighbours for their personal visits, cards, letters and treats, which I received while I was a patient in the Ottawa Civic Hospital and since my return home.—Mrs. Gordon Simzer. 31c

Rev. John A. Waddell, Former Pastor of Local United Church, Dies At Ottawa.

Local citizens learned with regret, on Saturday last, that Rev. John A. Waddell, a former beloved pastor of the local United Church, had passed away at the Ottawa Civic Hospital, following a severe heart attack.

Mr. Waddell, who for the past 14 years, has been pastor of Western United Church, Ottawa, was stricken ill on Wednesday evening last while attending a Fellowship Banquet. That same afternoon he had conducted the funeral service of the late Mrs. Harry L. Flora in the Winchester United Church. He was 66 years of age.

The late Mr. Waddell was born in Scotland, and came to Canada as a lad in 1894. He received his education in the public schools of Scotland, Brockville Collegiate and Victoria University, Toronto. While living in Brockville, and in attendance at George Street Methodist Church, he was recommended by the official board of that church as a candidate for the Christian ministry.

Ordained in 1906

At the conference held in Kingston in 1903, Mr. Waddell was received as a probationer and served the church at Perth Road and Battersea, in the Kingston district, during his probation. On completion of his course of study at Victoria University, he was recevied into the ministry of the Methodist Church at the 1910 session of the Montreal Conference held at Brockville. For special reasons, he was ordained in 1906 at Smiths Falls. He served at Princess Street Church, Kingston, for five years, before coming to Winchester, where for nine years he had a most successful ministry.

Mr. Waddell went to Western United Church, Ottawa, in May, 1942, and has served there, faithfully, since that time. For a long period of years, he was secretary of the Ottawa United Church Ministerial Association.

Chairman of Presbytery

Prior to church union, he was assistant secretary for two years of the Montreal conference and was accorded the honor of being elected chairman of the Dundas-Grenville Presbytery in 1928. Always interested in young people's work, he held the position of secretary of the department of religious education in the Winchester district for 15 years, and for several years was chairman of the Dundas County Boys' Work Board. He was commissioner to the General Council of the United Church held at London in 1930.

In 1910 he married Miss Lulu E. Robinson, of Kingston, who survives.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by one daughter, Miss Mabel Waddell, at home; one brother, Capt. Arthur Waddell, of Ottawa. Another daughter, Jean, died in Ottawa a few years ago.

The body rested at his residence, 547 Wellington Street, Ottawa, and at Western United Church for an hour before the funeral service on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. The service was conducted by Rev. J. Richmond Craig, chairman of the Ottawa United Church Presbytery, and the address was given by the Very Rev. Dr. John W. Woodside, of Chalmers United Church, former moderator of the United Church of Canada. Interment was made at Cataraqui cemetery, Kingston.

While the body rested at the home, scores of people from this district paid their respects by viewing it.

The late Mr. Waddell was a life member of Henderson Lodge, No. 383, A.F. & A.M., and on Monday evening the last rites of Freemasonry were conferred on the departed brother at a special service, held at the home. The service was conducted by Wor. Bro. Geo. I. Martin and other officers Bro. W. J. Stewart, assisted by Wor. of Henderson Lodge. About 75 Masons were present, including twenty-five from Henderson Lodge.

Tributes From Colleagues

Mr. Waddell's sudden passing came as a shock to his colleagues, many of whom paid touching tribute to his memory.

"John Waddell was one of the finest gentlemen in our profession. An ideal pastor and a good organizer, he had an uncanny genius for making friends and keeping them. He was known and loved all over the Ottawa Valley," Rev. J. Richmond Craig declared.

Said Very Rev. Dr. J. W. Woodside: "It is commonplace to say he will be missed. No one can evaluate the contribution which he made. He did with all his might what was given him to do. He was a great servant of Jesus Christ, a devoted and faithful minister in the church of God."

At the morning service at Stewarton United Church Sunday, Rev. F. S. Milliken, former chairman of the Montreal and Ottawa United Church Conference, declared himself deeply shocked at the news of the unexpected passing of Rev. John A. Waddell.

Wonderful Pastor

Paying tribute to the late minister of Western Church, Dr. Milliken said: "He was a good neighbour of mine and a great friend. His people all loved him for he was a wonderful pastor. As secretary of the Ottawa United Church Ministerial Association for a number of years, he filled that position with remarkably fine success."

Rev. Dr. H. W. Avison, of Dominion United Church who was a class-mate of Mr. Waddell at Victoria University, said: "He was a Christian gentleman, humble and sincere, a man who accomplished a great deal in the Christian ministry."

Joining in tribute to the memory of the late pastor, Rev. Robert Good, Moderator of the Montreal and Ottawa Presbyterian Synod, said: "Through all the years of my ministry in Ottawa, John Waddell was a neighbour and friend. I greatly admired him as a man and a minister. By his death, all Christian denominations in this city have suffered loss."

100 Club Holds Enjoyable Meeting

A musical treat by Ottawa artists and a humorous address by Reeve J. E. U. Roleau, of Cornwall Township, were features of the December Luncheon-Meeting of the local 100 Club, held at Hotel Winchester on Monday evening.

Nearly 50 Centurians and guests attended the meeting, which was presided over by the president, Centurian Erle Helmer, with Centurian Chester Robinson as secretary.

Community singing was led by Centurian Chester Timmins, with Miss Jean Mercer, one of the Ottawa artists, presiding at the piano. Grace was said by Centurian Rev. Wallace MacKinnon, with Centurian Randall Wylie reciting the Creed.

Guests who were introduced by the president were Messrs. Allan MacDonald and Robt. Ledgerwood, and Councillor Fred Lannin, of Merrickville, a former member of the Club.

Winners of a prize boost, conducted by Centurian Nelson Dixon, were Centurian J. E. Woods and Miss Reta St. James, of Ottawa.

The president gave a report on the condition of Centurian Herb Watson, who is taking treatments at the Ottawa Civic Hospital, and asked the members to remember him by sending him a card.

It was announced that the Orange Walk would be held in Winchester on July 12th, and that the 100 Club would co-operate with L.O.L. No. 862 in planning the program for the day. All money raised from the events on that day will be donated to the Memorial Hospital.

Centurian Robinson informed the Club that new members would be accepted in the Blue Cross Hospital Plan, if the applications were made at once.

Centurian Hart Melvin, Chairman of the Park Committee, requested that the road leading to the barn at the Park be stoned in the vicinity of the Grand Stand. Members agreed to donate trucks and time, and the job is to be completed at once.

Centurians Leroy Boyd, Les. Dixon and John Rennison were appointed a nominating committee to bring in a slate of officers for 1947 at the next Club meeting.

The guest speaker, Reeve J. E. U. Roleau, of Cornwall Township, was introduced by Centurian Walter MacDonald, and delighted the Club with a series of humorous stories, which kept the members in roars of laughter for half an hour. Mr. Roleau possesses a personality that makes him ideal as an entertainer. His French-Canadian accent, which he used to advantage in many of his story skits, was a treat and thoroughly enjoyed by all.

At the conclusion of his address, he was thanked on behalf of the Club by Centurian Earl Freeland.

Through the courtesy of Centurian John Delavignette, genial host of Hotel Winchester Dining Hall, and also Chairman of the Syllabus and Program Committee of the Ottawa Musical Festival Association, 3 talented artists from Ottawa were guests of the Club and contributed several vocal and instrumental numbers which were highly appreciated and loudly applauded by the Centurians. The program provided by these artists was a rare treat to all lovers of good music.

The artists were introduced by Centurian Delavignette, who, himself, delighted the Club with a solo, "Home On The Range," accompanied by Miss Mercer.

The first artist presented was Miss Laura Fink, A.T.C.M., Laureate of Montreal University of Music. She contributed three piano solos, which were executed with the grace and skill of a highly professional artist. Her selections were "Malaguena," a Spanish Dance by Lacuona; "The Elf," by Isidore Philippe, and "A Choral and Prelude," by Bach.

Miss Reta St. James, soloist of Dominion United Church, Ottawa, was the next artist introduced, and her renditions of "Moonbeams," from Victor Herbert's Operetta, Red Mill; "An Old Violin," by Howard Fisher, and "Gesu Bambino," by Pietro A Yon, were worthy of the highest praise. Her fine soprano voice, expression of tone and charming personality, were highly appreciated by the audience.

The accompanist, Miss Jean Mercer, added much to the evening's entertainment.

Appreciation of the Club to the visiting artists and Centurian Delavignette was voiced by the president at the conclusion of the program.

Stores To Remain Open Every Night Starting Dec. 17th

In order to accommodate Christmas Shoppers, the stores in Winchester will remain open every evening from Tuesday, December 17th, to December 24th, inclusive. They will also remain open on Wednesday, December 18th.

BOXING DAY TO BE OBSERVED

Boxing Day, Thursday, December 26th, will also be observed by local merchants, as has been the custom for the past four years. Householders should remember that the stores will remain closed the day after Christmas and plan their buying accordingly.

Press Will Be Published Tuesday For Next 2 Weeks

With Christmas and New Year's Day falling on Wednesday this year, the Press for the next two issues will be published on Tuesday. With this earlier publication date, correspondents and advertisers are asked to send in news and advertising copy not later than Monday noon for the next two weeks. Copy received too late for one edition will be held over for the next edition of the Press. Merchants and other Business Men wishing to have Greeting Advertisements inserted in the next two editions should notify us on Friday or Saturday. These are busy times in a newspaper office, and any co-operation you can give us by sending your news items in at the earliest possible moment will be greatly appreciated. Please remember the next two issues of the Press will be published on Tuesday, December 24th, and Tuesday, December 31st.

WINCHESTER WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

There was a good attendance at the December meeting of the Women's Institute, held in the town hall last Friday evening, and presided over by the president, Mrs. George Wilson, with Mrs. Wm. Lannin as secretary. Roll call was answered by the members naming their favourite Christmas Carol.

It was decided to make a donation to the Sick Children's Hospital, also to hold an "At Home" in February. As a scheme for raising money, it was agreed to circulate a number of aprons, the idea being that each lady should sew a patch on the apron, under which is to be enclosed a cash donation.

This being the last meeting before Christmas, a Christmas Tree was used to decorate the stage, and an exchange of gifts took place during the evening. Guests of the Institute on this occasion were three British War Brides, Mrs. Allan Ellacott, Mrs. John Goodenough, and Mrs. Wm. Aldridge. They were introduced to the members and welcomed by the president. Mrs. J. A. Akins, of Winnipeg, was also a guest.

An interesting program, which followed the business session, was presented, with Mrs. Neil Hutt and her committee of Miss Mary Empey, Mrs. Geo. Dixon, Mrs. J. Nesbitt, Mrs. Omar Patterson, Mrs. J. Barrett and Mrs. M. Black, in charge. The program consisted of contests, jokes, readings, music, etc. Readings were given by Mrs. W. G. Porteous and Mrs. J. Nesbitt.

Christmas Carols and other musical numbers were rendered by the following Public School girls, under the direction of Mrs. Wilfred McKercher and Miss Evelyn MacDonald, who accompanied them on the piano: Anne Cross, Marilyn Serviss, Arlene Robinson, Charlotte Lindsay, Louise Summers, Kathleen Fennell, Helen Helmer, Helen Tansley, Joan Clarke and Valerie Beardsall.

A piano selection, "White Christmas" was rendered by Miss MacDonald, and "Silent Night" was sung at the close of the program, with Mrs. Ed. Libera presiding at the piano.

A social time followed, with dainty refreshments being served.

Mrs. Kenneth Carlyle moved a vote of thanks to Mrs. Hutt and her committee and to all others who had assisted in making the evening such an enjoyable one.

Mrs. Allan Ellacott expressed appreciation to the Institute on behalf of the war brides, for the kind invitation extended to them to be guests at this meeting, and for the gifts presented to them. This was followed by the members singing "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows."

The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

CHILD SMOTHERS TO DEATH

Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Casselman, of Morrisburg, have been bereaved by the death of their youngest child, an infant boy of three months. The child was apparently smothered in bed, as it slept, by the weight of clothing on it. The family is a large one, there being eight children left. Funeral services were conducted in St. Paul's Lutheran Church by Rev. F. L Howald, followed by burial in Mount Pleasant cemetery. The little one bore the name of Denzil Charles.

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THE ART OF GETTING ALONG

Sooner or later a man, if he is wise, discovers that business life is a mixture of dull days and bad, victory and defeat, give and take.

He learns that it does not pay to be a sensitive soul—that he should let some things go over his head like water off a duck's back.

He learns that he who loses his temper usually loses.

He learns that all men have burnt toast for breakfast now and then, and that he should not take the other fellow's grouch too seriously.

He learns that carrying a chip on his shoulder is the easiest way to get into a fight.

He learns that the quickest way to become unpopular is to carry tales and gossip about others.

He learns that it does not matter so much who gets the credit so long as the business shows a profit.

He learns that buck-passing always turns out to be a boomerang and that it never pays.

THE PROMISED LAND

From a background of tragic violence in Europe, half a million Jews are estimated to be looking to Palestine with passionate hope for a new life of peace and security. A pitiful commentary on that hope is the latest outbreak of terrorism in Jerusalem and the statment of Zionist extremists that "this is war."

Palestine is a much promised land. The Zionists claim the promise of ancient covenant and modern mandate. The Arabs claim British promise as well as hereditary right. Jewish and Arab terrorists both fight for the fulfillment of irreconcilable promises and exclusive claims. Where is the peace and security that the heirs of the promise long for?

The answer lies in the compassionate understanding that once swept over Jerusalem. To such understanding it is revealed that the Promised Land is not geographical or historical, not to be won or held by violence, but sought in the spiritual values that rule out nationalistic passion and racial pride.

It is the common task of all men everywhere to find this Promised Land of mutual understanding where Jew and Arab and Christian can work together and the dispossessed of every land may be welcomed into a more abundant life, comments the Christian Science Monitor.

QUOTE FROM YESTERDAY

Do not keep the alabaster boxes of your love and tenderness sealed until your friends are dead. Fill their lives with sweetness. Speak approving, cheerful words while their ears can hear them, and while their hearts can be thrilled and made happier by them.—Childs.

ISN'T IT THE TRUTH?

The following poem, composed by Mr. G. M. Davis, a British Columbia farmer, contains more than a grain of truth:

"You can raise the price of liquor but the only squeal you hear,
Is from a thirsty public which demands more gin and beer;
The same way with tobacco; they will pay without a peep,
And smoke at least as heavy as they did when it was cheap.
You can put a tax on movies; they will ante up and go;
They will pay a rise with pleasure on the things they wear for show.
But raise the price of milk! Oh boy; they'll fight with all their breath,
They have a growing youngster who is bound to starve to death;
The Family Allowance can never stand so much;
It's nice to keep that windfall for nylons and such.
They don't ask for bigger wages just to spend it all on milk;
They will show those wicked farmers and their scheming, thieving ilk;
They will march with hoisted banners, they will cable, write and wire;
They will drag the local member by his whiskers through the mire.
They don't mind paying rises on their whiskey, smokes and silk,
But not the slightest fraction will they tolerate on milk."

EDITORIAL NOTES

Perpetual devotion to what a man calls his business, is only to be sustained by perpetual neglect of many other things.—Stevenson.

By the way, don't spend all your money on Christmas shopping—the second instalment of that pledge you made to the Memorial Hospital comes due in January.

The word "chiffonier" comes from the French word for "rag gatherer," according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica. To confirm, pull out the nearest bureau drawer these days of shortages—and high prices.

The Press has received a brief history of the Ontario Red Cross Society, covering the period from the beginning of World War I to this year. The activities of this great Society are reviewed in an interesting and informative manner, and emphasize the outstanding work performed during two world wars and the intervening years of peace in that period. The record is an enviable one and should be most gratifying to all who had an active part in it. It is noted that from 1939 to 1945, inclusive, the Ontario Division of the Red Cross raised $33,147,423 to aid in carrying on its service at home and abroad and enlisted the aid of a vast army of workers whose contributions of time and effort were of paramount assistance. The Winchester and District Branches of the Red Cross can take pride in the part they played in contributions of money, supplies, etc.

IN OUR TIME - - By Howie Hunt



"But darling—that advertisement EXAGGERATED a little. NO new stove can REALLY make an old shoe taste delicious."

W. H. S. NEWS NOTES

By Gordon Helmer.

Noon Hour Program for H. S.

The High School Staff has organized a "teacher-pupil" supervized noon-hour program for the winter months. Rooms listed below have been set aside for the following activities:

Grade IX—Piano playing and singing.

Grade X—Girls' lunch room and games.

Grade XI—Boys' lunch room and games.

Grade XIII—Library reading and study room.

Shop—Grades IX and X boys—Manual Training.

Commercial Room — Typing for students not taking the regular commercial course.

Basements—Girls and boys ping-pong.

Home Economics Room—Preparation of hot lunch.

As time goes on, other fields of activity are planned for the students.

Groups of students have been formed to assist the teachers in the supervision of these noon activities.

Some of the objectives of this plan are to develop responsibility, to give opportunity for development of special interests, to make the school an attractive place, to develop a sense of responsibility to encourage orderliness, to give extra reading and study time for ambitious students, to promote school spirit, to give the students the greatest possible advantage of the educational and recreational facilities of the school.

Daily Assembly

Supervision of the daily High School Assemblies, held in Grade IX each morning at 8.55, has been given over to the Literary Society Executive. The executive will conduct the opening exercises, with added variety of Christmas carols and songs.

Grade IX will prepare a short Christmas program for the last school day of this term, December 20th.

Hockey Supervisor—Ronnie Workman

Alex MacGregor has won another Scholarship for the school year 1945-46—the Third Carter Scholarship. First and second were won respectively by Margaret G. MacGregor, Williamstown H. S., and Joseph A. MacLean, of Maxville H. S.

HOLIDAY RAILWAY FARES

Low rail fares for Christmas and New Year's travel between all stations in Canada have been announced by J. A. Brass, chairman of the Canadian Passenger Association.

Return tickets for the Christmas period will be sold for the one-way fare plus one-third, good going Monday, December 23, and up to a including Christmas Day. Return may be made leaving destination any time up to midnight, December 26. A similar reduction will be in effect for New Year's, going between December 30 and January 1, and leaving destination on return up to midnight, January 2nd.

Return tickets covering both holidays will be sold at the regular one-way fare plus one-half, with this reduction good, going, from Friday, December 20, to Wednesday, January 1st, inclusive, with return travel from destination up to midnight of Tuesday, January 7th.

Special arrangements for teachers and students will see the regular one-way fare and one-quarter applying for the round trip, with these tickets good going from Monday, November 25th, up to Wednesday, January 1st, and permitting return as late as January 31st.

St. Francis Was First To Popularize Custom Of Christmas Carols

St. Francis of Assisi is accredited as having been one of the first to popularize the custom of singing carols at Christmastime. He taught the faithful simple and tuneful melodies, and the saying goes that, overjoyed by the success attending his presentation of the first Christmas Crib in 1223, he burst into joyous vocal recitation of the gospel story.

Hymns in honor of the nativity were written as early as the 4th century, but these monotonous church chants neither properly nor musically ante-date our modern carols. Experimentation with modal and intervallic relationships during the 15th century, together with the folk songs and minstrelsy of the times, made definite contributions to the traditions and popularity of Christmas music.

Puritan England forbade public performance of carols; so for a while they traveled "underground" by word of mouth, and "broad sheets," printed annually, served to preserve the texts with a variance of accuracy.

When the restoration of English royalty voided the Roundhead Parliament's abolition of Christmas festivities, residents of colonial Boston placed lighted candles in their windows to welcome the Waits who, resuming the Old English tradition, went about the city singing carols on Christmas Eve:

"It came upon the midnight clear
That glorious song of old . . .
The world in solemn stillness lay
To hear the angels sing."

Yule Happiness



A locomotive, railway gun and tank-in-transit—all made of wood—delight the heart of this young man. It was just what he needed for his war games.

Hawkers Bustle in Bethlehem at Xmas

In Bethlehem, the place of the Nativity, Christmas is also observed on January 6, and in peaceful years, it has one of the most picturesque of all celebrations. Tourists do not see in Bethlehem the reverence they logically expect to see. On the contrary, the most sacred spot in the Christian world on one of the most sacred days in the Christian year becomes a virtual fair-ground.

Sellers of miscellany cry their wares at the very door of the Church of the Nativity, built on the sight of the Manger. Hucksters of mother-of-pearl crosses hawk their goods among the throng of visitors. One-eyed beggars tell their tales of woe to would-be contributors while Moslems persuade pilgrims to buy bright-colored and sticky sweets brought from Damascus. In the throngs are Jews, hundreds of them.

The legend is that the Moslems left this church standing when they destroyed or converted all others in the Holy Land because of the legend of the Three Kings which was worked over the main door. When these Arabs saw the Arab-looking king bringing presents to the Infant Jesus they refrained from laying sacrilegious hands on the edifice built where He was born.

Red and Green Decorations

The use of green at Christmas time is understandable when it is recalled that the idea of decking churches, houses, shops, etc., centers around the use of evergreen. This custom antedates the Christian era and apparently is a survival of the Roman Saturnalia when inhabitants of Rome ornamented their temples and dwellings with green boughs.

Red, which is regarded as the most cheerful of all colors, is said to react most quickly on the optic nerve. Decorations available at the winter solstice include holly, the berries of which are red.

Bear Gifts

Angels, sent by the Christ Child, bring presents to Hungarian children—that is, if they have been good. They believe the angels are listening long before Christmas. If the youngsters happen to find bits of tinsel on the floor they are certain of it, as this is angels' hair.

Apple Custom

Apples play a great role in Christmas customs. In parts of England they are pared and the peeling, taken off in one spiral, is thrown over the left shoulder. Tradition has it that the peeling will form the initial of the person whom the parer is destined to marry.

Has your Subscription expired?

Our Column

An optimist is a man who thinks—"Whatever I do will be all right."

You carry least weight when you start to throw your weight around.

The big idea in life is not to be "as good as the average" but to raise the average.

Self-important people are well named. They are important only to to themselves.

Modern highways are the kind wide enough for five cars to smash up at the same time.

A braggart is full of wind—but he gives lots of storm warnings that tell you to avoid him as much as possible.

Another minor mystery of the moment is what has happened to all the tinned beans that this country used to produce.

A tip to Canadians—Totalitarianism steps in when more and more people take less and less responsibility for their country.

It is strange that there should nearly always be jobs for hockey players while war veterans sometimes seek work and cannot find it.

What will Prime Minister Mackenzie King give Progressive Conservative Leader John Bracken for Christmas? Another bye-election, perhaps!

Due to the rapid growth of the aviation industry, it's beginning to look as though we will soon be referring to a proverbial "man in the air."

A Regina man claims to have perfected a rain-making machine. Of greater interest to this part of the Dominion ot this season might be a device to control snowfall.

We read this the other day: To some women "housewife" means one who loves her house more than her husband. Wonder if there are any Winchester women in this category?

People who complain continually here on earth will probably kick about their halos being too tight when they get into Heaven—or else about the coal shovels being too heavy.

TWILIGHT OF MAN O'WAR

No prince of royal blood ever has received more attention and care than the beloved Big Red who will be 30 New Year's Day, if alive. Read Dan Parker's story on the greatest race horse of all time, in The American bec 22) issue of The Detroit Sunday Weekly, with this Sunday's (Decem- Times.



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SAVE ELECTRICITY!

SOUTHERN ONTARIO faces a severe power shortage right now. Every home, farm, store and industry in the southern part of the province must save electricity in every practical way if essential services are to be maintained during the present winter period, and rationing restrictions avoided. Hydro, therefore, asks your sincere co-operation to relieve an urgent situation.

THE DAILY PERIOD DURING WHICH SAVINGS SHOULD BE EFFECTED IS BETWEEN 8 A.M. AND 8 P.M., AND CONDITIONS ARE PARTICULARLY ACUTE BETWEEN 4 P.M. AND 7 P.M.

HERE IS HOW YOU CAN HELP

IN THE HOME — Eliminate all Christmas decorative lighting until Saturday, December 21st, and again after January 1st, 1947.

Turn off lights when not required.

Use a minimum number of lights in the living-room, consistent with good vision.

Use electrically heated water sparingly and check leaking hot water taps.

Do not use range elements on "high" when a lower heat will serve, and turn off all elements as soon as possible.

Cook oven meals as often as possible and avoid the unnecessary use of surface elements.

Turn off verandah and other outside lights.

Turn off all small appliances as soon as possible.

Do not use electric air heaters and grates.

IN STORES AND OFFICES — Eliminate all Christmas decorative lighting before December 21st, 1946, and again after January 1st, 1947.

Eliminate the use of electricity for signs and store windows from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Turn off all lights when not required.

Use electrically heated water sparingly and check leaking hot water taps.

Do not use electric air heaters.

IN INDUSTRIES — Switch from day to night operations wherever practicable.

Turn off factory and office lights when not needed.

Turn off motor-driven machines when not required and effect other savings wherever possible.

Avoid the use of all non-essential outdoor lighting.

Do not use electric space heaters.

THE HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWER COMMISSION OF ONTARIO

News From Our Neighbouring Districts

NORTH MOUNTAIN

Mrs. (Rev.) G. A. Beatty spent Saturday in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lanson Hyndman and Helen were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Christie.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Clare Balkwill had the misfortune to suffer a fractured ankle. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Andrews, Ross and Lester, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Christie.

Mrs. Robena Balkwill and Mr. L. Balkwill, of Ottawa, were Sunday callers at the home of her son, Mr. Clare Balkwill.

Christmas Vesper Service

The C. G. I. T. Group of St. Andrew's United Church, Hallville, held a very impressive Christmas Vesper Service in the church on Sunday evening, with the leader, Mrs. Roy Hastings, in charge, assisted by Miss Betty Irwin. The manger scene in the foreground was very effective, with the choir in the background singnig Christmas carols. During the service, Mrs. Percy Cummings, president of the local W. M. S., read a Christmas story, and Miss Lila Mae Beatty sang a solo. Miss Donna Hyndman was the accompanist for the service.

Commencement Exercises

The Hallville Continuation School Commencement was held in the school auditorium on Friday evening, Dec. 13th, at 8 o'clock, with a large attendance. Mr. Merrill Allen, of the school board, was the chairman. The Glee Club, accompanied by Miss Phyllis Kerr at the piano, provided music during the programme. Athletic awards and diplomas were presented by the Principal, Mr. R. Kinchsular. The valedictory address was given by Miss Dorothy Milne, a graduate of last year.

The main feature of the program was a 3-act comedy play: "Laughing Gas," presented by the following students: Anne Clark, Georgena Evans, Helen Skuce, Harriet Brissendon, June Linton, Marguerita Black, Donna Hyndman, Malcolm Fairfield, Gilbert Skuce, George Black, Lorne Renwick and Donald Poole. All parts were well acted, and much credit is due both teachers and pupils for a fine performance. Following the programme, a dance was enjoyed to the music of Kirkwood's Orchestra.

HALLVILLE

Church Street and Kerr's Ridge Farm Forum was held this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Cumming spent the week-end in Cornwall.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Allen were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Martin.

Mrs Wm. Rennick spent Tuesday in Ottawa.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. John Dougall is a patient in a Kingston Hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Hugh Blaine spent a few days in Toronto recently.

Miss Betty Kerr, nurse-in-training in Grace Hospital, Ottawa, and Miss Martha Kerr visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kerr, a few days last week.

Mr and Mrs. Wm. Allen returned home on Friday last after spending several weeks with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Allen, of Rockwell, Ont.

SOUTH MOUNTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mulholland entertained to a six o'clock dinner on Wednesday evening, the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Armstrong and Miss Kay Morgatroid, the occasion being Mr. D. Mulholland's and Mr. Armstrong's birthday.

There are a few mild cases of Scarletina around here at present. All precautions are being taken to keep it from spreading.

Master John Scott, young son of Mrs. Beatrice Scott, underwent an operation, having his tonsils removed at the Coleman Nursing Home, at Kemptville, on Tuesday. Dr. Thomson, assisted by Dr. Beamish, performed the operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Minor Cooke, of Ventnor, and Mrs. H. Martin, of Spencerville, were guests of Mrs. J. Payne on Thursday.

Mr. Harold Wood, of Ste. Annes, spent a few days here recently.

Mr. Fred McIntosh, of Brouseville, was a caller in town the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Harper, of Dundela, were Sunday guests of his family here.

Mr. I. N. Harper and family were tea guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Suddaby.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Reuben Barriger very ill at present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilroy visited their daughters at Hulbert on Sunday.

Messrs. Robt. Wright and G. Boyd were up to Maitland on Saturday.

The Bazaar, sponsored by the C. W. L.. took place in the I.O.O.F. hall on Saturday afternoon last. A large number attended Articles of home cooking and sewing were quickly disposed of..

MOUNTAIN

Miss Edna Norton, of the staff of Perth Hospital, is holidaying at her parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Adams and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allen.

Miss Dorothy Milne, a student at Ottawa Normal School, spent the week-end with her parents. Dorothy gave the Valedictory Address at the N. M. C. S. Commencement on Friday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Buchanan, Maureen and Kelvin, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Moorhouse on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Simms and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Milne on Sunday.

The W. M. S. held their December meeting at the home of Mrs. A. S. VanAllen, with a record attendance. A very appropriate Candle-Lighting Service was enjoyed by all present. The following are the officers of Mountain United W. M. S. for 1947—Hon. president, Mrs. Chas. Robinson; president, Mrs. D. W. Cameron; 1st vice, Mrs. A. Moorhouse; 2nd vice, Mrs. Chas. Patton; treasurer, Mrs. G. Imrie, Sr.; rec. sec'y., Mrs. W. Craig; cor. sec'y., Mrs. S. B. Simms; temperance, Mrs. M. Casselman; literature, Mrs. H. Simms; Christian stewardship, Mrs. A. VanAllen; community friendship, Mrs. W. Hoy; missionary monthly, Mrs. E. Durant; associate helpers, Mrs. A. Norton; press reporter, Mrs. G. Imrie, Jr.; intercessory prayer, Mrs. Chas. Patton; mission band leader, Mrs. A. Moorhouse; assistant, Mrs. H. Durant; baby band leader, Mrs. J. P. Milne.

WILLIAMSBURG

Messrs. Parker Locke and George W. Strader are spending this week in Toronto.

Mrs. Lee Casselman, Mr. and Mrs. Jason Whitteker and Mr. and Mrs. Willis McIntosh spent last Thursday in Shanly with the former's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Scott.

Miss Maude Casselman, of town, spent Thursday with friends in Ottawa

The Sunday School of Williamsburg United Church is practising to present a beautiful Christmas Pageant on Christmas Sunday evening and again on Christmas eve at the annual Christmas entertainment.

Mrs. Wm. Fawcett, of Winchester, spent Thursday evening in town with her aunt, Mrs. Nettie Haggerty.

Mrs. Hilda Johnston, of Bouck's Hill, spent a couple of days recently at Brockville.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Scott, of Shanly; Mr and Mrs. Carl J. Casselman, of Dalmeny; Mrs. Genzimer Barkley, of Morrisburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cameron, of Dalmeny, were recent guests at the home of Mr. Oscar Casselman and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Casselman.

Mr. Danny Brown, of Cardinal, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hill, accompanied by Mrs. Garnet Weegar and Mrs. Carmen Barkley, left on Monday on a motor trip to California, where they will spend a couple of months with friends.

Mr. John O'Shaughnessy, Mrs. Weldon Beckstead, Miss Eva Weegar, Mrs. Lyda Empey, Mrs. Edgar McIntosh and Mrs. Annis Becker, all of town, attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Bouck, of Aultsville, held in Elma United Church on Thursday afternoon.

CASS BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. James Bowman and Elgin and Mrs. Lloyd Casselman were in Morrisburg on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hogaboam spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. George Coons and Edna.

Mr. and Mrs. George McIntosh, of Inkerman, and Mrs. Grant, of Moose Creek, had tea with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Munroe on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Turner, Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hogaboam had tea with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Poole on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Coons and Edna spent Sunday with Mrs. John Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Scott and family.

Visitors at the home of Mr. George Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Turner on Thursday evening were Mr. Lorne Cooke, Mr. Graham Pemberton, Mr. Byron Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hogaboam.

CLOVERDALE

The W. M. S. held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. George Cinnamon last Wednesday afternoon with a fairly good attendance.

Mr. Orval Baker, Mrs. Thos. Stobo and Gerald and Master Raymond Porteous spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baker, of Heckston.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Porteous and children spent last Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stobo.

Mr. Allan Cinnamon and his bride arrived home last Wednesday evening.

Mr. Roy Cumming arrived home from the West last week.

Mr. Ira Docksteader is somewhat under the weather at present. We wish him a speedy recovery.

HULBERT

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Flegg spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Alex MacDonald and family, in Alexandria. Raymond MacDonald returned home with them, after spending some with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Flegg.

Mrs. Roy Hamilton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford McQuaig.

Mr. Joe Thorpe is very poorly at time of writing. His sister, Mrs. W. N. Marshall, has been staying with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mellan and Mrs. Harold Mellan and boys were down to Cornwall on Saturday.

Miss Marjorie Jackson spent Sunday with Mrs. Harold Mellan and boys.

Mrs. Chris. Mellan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mac Ellis.

Mrs. Donald Lawless and Carl spent a day last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Flegg.

Mrs. O. Lake has returned home, after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. E. Coons.

KARS NEWS

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Thompson, of Reeve Craig, was baptized at St. John's Anglican Church on Sunday afternoon, receiving the name of Mavis Lillian. Rev. L. MacMorrine officiated.

W. M. S. Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the W. M. S. of Trinity United Church was held in the Sunday School Rooms on Wednesday afternoon of last week. Rev. W. W. Jones presided for the election of officers, which resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Arthur Adams; vice presidents, Mrs. H. Wallace and Mrs. J. L. Greer; secretary, Mrs. J. K. James; treasurer, Mrs. S. Greer; Christion stewardship, Mrs. Lee Pratt; supply, Mrs. W. E. Stratton; missionary monthly, Mrs. J. L. Greer; mission band supt., Mrs. C. Todd; assistant, Miss Dora Beggs; associate helpers, Mrs. Roy Bell; temperance, Mrs H. Barrows; organist, Mrs. R. M. Wallace; literature, Mrs. Roy Chambers; finance committee, Mrs. L. Pratt, Mrs. S. Greer, Mrs. C. Todd, Mrs J. Craig, Mrs. P. Chambers.

Mission Band Annual

Excellent reports were given at the annual meeting of the Mission Band of Trinity United Church, which was held in the S. S. rooms and presided over by the supt., Mrs. C. Todd. The sum of $70 is to be sent to headquarters. Prize winners for regular attendance are: Eleanor Pratt, Janet Wallace, Ruby Todd, Barbara, Patricia, Jackie and Arthur Scobie, Margaret Pratt, Shirley Clairmont, Keith Beggs, Allan and Arthur McLeod.

The officers for 1947 are: President, Ruby Todd; vice presidents, Marion Bell and Barbara Scobie; secretary, Billie Pratt; assistant, Jack Scobie; treasurer, Eleanor Pratt; assistant, Allan McCord; sick committee, Ronald Douglas, Donald Murdock; placing of chairs, Ross Greer and Richard Craig; charge of hymn books, Joyce Barrows; mite boxes, Margaret Pratt; associate helpers, May Bell.

WINCHESTER SPRINGS

Mrs. Orren Casselman spent Wednesday with her niece, Mrs. James Durant, and family, at Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Robinson and Denzil were guests recently of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kinkaid and family and Mrs. D. Kinkaid, of Russell.

Miss Shirley Redmond, of Winchester, spent the week-end with Miss Norma Casselman.

Mrs. O. Casselman and Mrs. Jas. Durant were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Medric Landreville on Thursday last.

Mrs. Arnold Casselman spent a couple of days last week at the home of Mrs. Joe Steele.

Mrs. O. Caselman spent one day recently with friends at Williamsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Robinson and sons were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Whittaker, of Williamsburg Township.

Miss Melba Casselman, of Morrisburg, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Aden Casselman and sons spent one day recently with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Riddell, Dundela.

Mr. and Mrs. G. McIntosh spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Strader. of Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dillabough and son, of Chesterville, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Robinson and Denzil.

The ladies of Knox Presbyterian Church held a successful Afternoon Tea and Bazaar in the Orange Hall on Friday afternoon.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. Harry Flora and the members of the Henderson family in the passing of Mrs. Flora.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dodderidge, of Brinston, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. D. Salter.

Miss Murie. McIntosh, of Williamsburg, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. George McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steele and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Allison motored to Montreal on Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. C. Merkley, of Nation Valley, returned home on Sunday, after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. H. Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. John McIntosh, of Ottawa, were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston McIntosh attended the 40th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gray in Ottawa on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Holmes entertained several friends recently.

Mr Glen McIntosh, of Ottawa spent Monday with his mother, Mrs. Heber McIntosh, and family.

Mr. Arnold Montgomery, of Ganonoque, spent Friday with Mrs. Heber McIntosh and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McIntosh and David spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Adams, at Kars.

WINCHESTER SPRINGS W. A.

The regular monthly and annual meeting of the Winchester Springs United Church W. A. was held on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 10th, at the home of Mrs. Dalton Robinson, iwth the president in charge. The Scripture was read by Mrs. Cecil McIntosh, and the business attended to. The report of the nominating committee was brought in by Mrs. Aden Casselman as follows: President, Mrs. Orren Casselman; 1st vice, Mrs. Geo. Myers; 2nd vice, Mrs. Byron Steele; secretary, Mrs. Harry Potter; treasurer, Mrs. Abe Bailey; pianist, Mrs. Dalton Robinson.

Rev. Mr. Vowles closed the meeting with prayer, after which the hostess served a dainty lunch.

DAISY MISSION BAND

The Daisy Mission Band of the United Church, Winchester Springs, held its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Clarence Thompson. Scripture was read by Mrs. Arnold Casselman, and the Watch Tower given by Rev. Mr. Vowles, Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Vowles. The Study Book was read by Irene Steele. Rev. Mr. Vowles presided for the election of officers, which resulted as follows:—Leader, Mrs. Alvin Steele; assistant, Mrs. Irwin Holmes; president, Norma Casselman; vice president, Ronald McIntosh; secretary and press reporter, Eric Steele; treasurer, Keith Allison.

The meeting closed with the Members' Purpose, and the hostess then served grapes and candy. A vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. Thompson for the use of her home, by Rev. Mr. Vowles.

INKERMAN W. M. S.

Mrs. Geo. S. Gervan was re-elected president of the Women's Missionary Society of the Inkerman United Church at the annual meeting, held at her home last Tuesday. It was decided at the meeting that in the coming year each member would take charge of one meeting during the year.

Mrs. Gervan presided, and eleven members were present. The pianist, Mrs. E. Brown, played a number of carols softly, after which all joined in repeating "A Christmas Lyric from India," taken from the monthly. Mrs. Gervan read a poem by Phillip Brooks, "Everywhere, Everywhere, Christmas To-night," and a carol was sung. The Scripture reading was read by Mrs. R. A. Suffel, and with bowed heads all joined in the prayer hymn: "Come Thou Long Expected Jesus"

The candle-lighting service was in charge of the president, with Mesdames M. Dunlop, E. Bailey, F. Barkley and W. Crowder representing India, and Mesdames Geo. McIntosh, R. A. Crowder, C. Wylie and R. A. Suffel representing Canada. Mrs. Gervan led in prayer, and a dedication poem was read in unison. During the business period reports were heard from the various department secretaries. Rev. Mr. Gervan presided during the election of officers for 1947

The following officers were elected: vice presidents, Mrs. Arnold Suffel and Mrs. E. Brown; rec. secretary, Mrs Fred Hutt; cor. secretary, Mrs. Earl Bailey; treasurer, Mrs. Ray Brown; literature secretary, Mrs. R. Crowder; Christian stewardship, Mrs. Frank Barkley and Mrs. R. Brown; finance committee, Mrs. Geo. McIntosh, Mrs. Roy Ennis, Mrs. Cecil Wylie and Mrs. Russell Crowder; supply, Mrs. Roy Ennis; press reporter, Mrs. R. Crowder; comm. friendship, Mrs. M. Dunlop; temperance, Mrs. Frank Barkley; missionary monthly, Mrs. Geo. McIntosh; associate members, Mrs. Roy Ennis; mission band, Mrs. Wallace Crowder; board members, Mrs. W. Crowder and Mrs. R. Crowder; pianist, Mrs. E. Brown.

VERNON W. M. S.

The Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society of the Vernon Presbyterian Church held their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Arthur Folkard. The meeting opened with a Christmas Service. The W. M. S. reported a successful year, from the treasurer and all secretaries. A Life Membership was presented by Mrs. A. D. Cameron, a former member, now residing at Beachburg. Rev. Younger Lewis spoke briefly.

The officers for 1947 are: Hon. president, Mrs. Jas. Cameron; president, Mrs. C. Younger-Lewis; 1st vice. Mrs. W. McRostie; 2nd vice Mrs. J. H. Campbell; secretary, Mrs. W. D. Dow; treasurer, Mrs. A. Folkard; home helpers sec'y., Mrs. J. H. Campbell; glad tidings, Mrs. A. Campbell; expense treasurer, Mrs F. Hanes.

Vernon Ladies' Aid Society

The Ladies' Aid Society reported a good year, both socially and financially. Plans were made for some Christmas activities. The officers for 1947 are: President, Mrs. W. Dow; 1st vice, Mrs. W. Folkard; 2nd vice, Mrs. W. McRostie; secretary, Miss Alma Hanes; treasurer, Mrs. Jas. Cameron. Rev. Younger-Lewis closed the meeting with prayer. Mrs. A. Folkard served lunch, and a short social time was spent. The January meeting will be held at the Manse on January 9th. The two Societies will meet the same day.

COUPON CALENDAR

BUTTER: Coupon B35 becomes valid today.

SUGAR - PRESERVES: Coupons S37 and S38 become valid today.

MEAT: Coupon M64 becomes valid today.

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A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized on Saturday afternoon at the United Church Parsonage, Metcalfe, when Labrassa Esther Baker, daughter of Mr. Arthur Baker and the late Mrs. Baker, and Stanley Wallace Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cooper, both of Osgoode township, were united in marriage by the Rev. E. G. Warren.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and was attended by her sister, Miss Frances Baker. The bridegroom's brother, Ritchie Wilton Cooper, was best man. The bride wore a street-length dress of light blue crepe trimmed with black sequins, with matching accessories. Her corsage was of pink and white carnations and maidenhair fern.

After a reception at the home of the bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper left on a short wedding trip. On their return they will reside in Osgoode Township.

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IN MEMORIAM—In loving memory of Howard Roger Jannack, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jannack, of Hallville, who died on July 3rd, 1946.

Consolation

He was such a little darling,
So bright and full of fun,
But this world was no place for him,
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He was only a little fellow,
Only three and a half years old,
When Jesus came and called:
Come, babe, enter the children's fold.

He was like a pure white flower,
With never a taint of sin,
That is why Jesus took him
Before sin would enter in.

Mom, Dad and grandparents are lonely,
For their babe they sure did love,
But they will some day meet him
In the heavenly mansions above.

He's up there now with other children,
Romping and playing on that golgolden shore;
Just another of the Master's angels
Only gone on before.

He's where no sin can enter,
Nor ever a naughty word;
Oh! Your darling is so happy,
Up there with his Lord.

—Mrs. Alfred Byrd, Great Aunt. 31p

IN MEMORIAM—In loving memory of I. N. Erratt, who passed away three years ago, December 18th, 1943.

The face I loved is now laid low,
His loving voice is still,
The hand, so often clasped in mine,
Lies now in death's cold chill.
I often sit and think of him
When I am all alone,
For memory is the only thing
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IN MEMORIAM—In loving memory of our dear father, John A. Hunter, who passed away December 26th, 1943.

"Till the day break and the shadows flee away."

—Ever remembered by Edna and Lou. 31c

IN MEMORIAM—In loving memory of my father and grandfather, Mr. D. N. McIntosh, who passed away December 22nd, 1945.

It's lonesome at home without you, Dad,
And sad the weary way,
For life is not the same to us
Since you were called away.
If we had all the world to give,
We'd give it, yes, and more,
To hear your voice and see your smile,
And greet you at the door.
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MISS E. B. WALKER DESIGNATED AS DEACONESS

On Thursday evening, December 5th, at a very impressive service, under the auspices of the Presbytery of Toronto in Fairbank Church, Toronto, Miss Evelyn Beatrice Walker, Deaconess of the church since graduating from the Presbyterian Missionary and Deaconess Training School Toronto, on April 16th, receiving her Deaconess Diploma, was designated as Deaconess of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

The service opened with a hymn, with Rev. D. W. Oswald, M.A., of Oakwood Church, and secretary of Training School Board, taking first part of the service, and an anthem by the choir, "Lead Me, O. Lord." Rev. E. Forman, B.A., of Morning Side Church, and Clerk of the Presbytery. requested that Miss Evelyn Beatrice Walker be presented as a candidate for designation. Rev. D. W. Oswald presented Miss Walker. Rev. R. G. MacKay, M. A., of Woodbridge Church, Moderator of Presbytery, conducted the service of designation. After the designation, Rev. W. Ferguson, F.R.G.S., minister of the church, spoke of the splendid work Miss Walker had done in the various branches of the church. Mrs. G. D. Ralston, B.A., Principal of Training School, pinned the Deaconess pin on Miss Walker and spoke a few words and told of a letter she received from a friend from Miss Walker's last Mission Field in Northern Saskatchewan, saying how they were building on her work, that now they were reaping the benefits of what she had done, and if all the Deaconesses were like Miss Walker, he would not hesitate to recommend the school anywhere in Canada.

Mrs. Schroeder, of the W. M. S., Deaconess Secretary, also spoke a few words. Mrs. MacKay, on behalf of the church, presented Miss Walker with a pair of lovely soft brown kid gloves with angora lining. Miss Edith Anderson, Deaconess, presented her with a lovely black leather bound writing case with her initials in gold on the front, on behalf of the Training School. Mr. Ronald Clouson, president of the Y. P. Bible Class, presented her with a beautiful tan plastic purse, trimmed with two rows of gold nail heads. Mrs. Ingram and Mrs. Jackson, where she boarded, each presented her with a lovely white blouse.

Miss Walker, in her gracious and unassuming manner, thanked all for their beautiful gifts and for the many kindnesses shown her. The meeting closed with the Benediction and a hymn. After the service, a reception was held in the basement of the church.

While attending the Training School, Miss Walker worked on two Mission Fields, during the summer months, one in Manitoba and one in Northern Saskatchewan. She has been appointed Deaconess at large at Sarnia and took up her new duties on Dec. 9th. She is the only daughter of Mrs. Philip Walker and the late Mr. Walker, of Winchester Springs.

MOUNTAIN PRESBYTERIAN W. M. S.

Knox Presbyterian W. M. S., of Mountain, held the closing meeting of the year in the church, with Mrs. R. D. Ledgerwood presiding. The devotional part of the programme was prepared by Mrs. W. V. Carlyle. Christams Carols were sung, and the Story of the Nativity was read. Rev. Mr. Killen, Mrs. Killen and Mrs. Ledgerwood led in prayer. A splendid article on the Spirit of Christmas was read. Mrs. Killen, from whose teaching much benefit has been derived during the past year, continued the Study of the Book of Acts. All departments showed fine work done. The treasurer reported that a little more than one hundred dollars had been raised by the Auxiliary for all purposes.

The Nominating Committee presented the slate of officers for 1947 as follows: Hon. Presidents, Mrs. Geo Killen and Mrs. R. D. Ledgerwood; president, Mrs. H. T. Graham; secretary, Mrs. W. V. Carlyle; treasurer. Mrs. T. D. Ross; glad tidings' secretary, Mrs. Hilliard Richardson; pianist, Mrs W. H. Clark.

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W. M. S. AFTERNOON AUXILIARY

The December meeting of the Afternoon Auxiliary of the Women's Missionary Society of the United Church was held in the S. S. Rooms on Thursday, Dec. 12th. The devotional part of the meeting was in charge of Mrs. John Moffat and took the form of a Christmas Candle-light Service. Christmas Carols were sung, with Mrs. Steele at the piano. Four ladies, Mrs. Freeland, Mrs. VanAllen, Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Cass, representing Women of India, gave short sketches expressing thankfulness for Christianity coming into their lives and their country, and the hope that it would reach many more of their people. Mrs. R. Freeland sang an Indian carol: "Let us go and worship Jesus." Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Duncan and Mrs. Helmer spoke of the Challenge of Canadian Women to carry the light of Jesus to dark places in our own land, and to let the Light of Christ shine through all that we are or say or do.

The President, Mrs. E. Fennell, presided for the business part of the meeting, when reports from different secretaries were received. It was decided to cater to the Young People's Convention on January 4th.

Mrs. O. Wallace was asked to preside for the report of the nominating committee, which was adopted, and the following slate of officers elected for the year 1947:

President, Mrs. Eldon Fennell; 1st vice, Mrs. (Dr.) McIntosh; 2nd vice, Mrs. Nettie Helmer; 3rd vice, Mrs. Arthur Christie; rec. secretary, Mrs. L. Walker; cor. secretary, Miss Annie Walker; treasurer, Mrs. W. B. Allison; Christian Stewardship, Mrs. H. Robinson; Community Friendship, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Faith, Mrs. T. O. Keyes, Mrs. W. Rowat; Temperance and Citizenship, Mrs. W. J. Cass and Mrs. R. Freeland; Associate Helpers. Mrs Duncan, Mrs. Lannin and Mrs. Durant; Literature, Mrs. J. W. Ault; Missionary Monthly, Miss M. Rose; Supply, Mrs. E. Steele and Mrs. Edgerton; Pianist, Mrs. E. Steele; Press, Mrs. O. Wallace; nominating committee for 1948, Mrs. A. Christie and Mrs. Geo. Dixon.

ST. PAUL'S W. M. S.

St. Paul's W. M. S. held their annual meeting on Tuesday evening, Dec. 10th, at the home of Mrs. Margaret Moffat. The president, Mrs. Geo. Wilson, assisted by the secretary, Mrs. R. J. Empey, and Mrs. C. Hay as pianist, conducted the devotional part. The president thanked the Society for making her an Honorary Life Member. Correspondence was read by Miss Mary Empey. Reports from the different branches for the year's work were given, and were most encouraging. Mrs. Walter Moffat gave an interesting paper on Luke 2, and Mrs. A. Suffel gave the prayer. Mrs. Kennedy gave the concluding chapter of the Study Book for the year on Africa, which has proved very interesting during the different meetings.

Mrs. Wm. Johnston presided for the installation of officers of the W. M. S. for 1947, which resulted as follows::

President, Mrs. Geo. Wilson; 1st vice, Mrs. A. G. Suffel; 2nd vice, Mrs. Wallace MacKinnan; secretary, Mrs. R. J. Empey; rec. secretary, Miss Mary Empey; treasurer, Mrs. C. R. Robinson; glad tidings sec'y., Miss G. Irving; welcome and welfare, Mrs. Augus; supply, Mrs. W. Moffat; literature, Mrs. Edgerton; home helpers, Miss Irving and Mrs. Porteous; pianist, Mrs. C. Hay.

Mrs. Moffat, assisted by members, served dainty refreshments, and a social time was enjoyed. A vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. Moffat for her kind hospitality, by the president.

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There are numerous ways homemakers can save electricity. By employing each and every means of conservation, we shall keep every home appliance and industrial machine in operation.

Home Lighting

1. Reduce the number of lamps burning in a room which is in use to the minimum necessary for good vision.
2. Do not burn lamps in unused rooms; do not forget to turn out attic, basement, garage lamps and outdoor lighting.
3. Keep lamp shades and fixtures clean; dirty fixtures absorb as much as 1-4 of the light.

Electric Range

1. Use kettles which fit the electric element so that the entire cooking surface is heated quickly.
2. Cook all vegetables in a small amount of rapidly boiling salted water. When the vegetable is added, cover with a tight fitting lid and turn the clement from High to Medium or Low.
3. When you roast meat, plan an oven dinner which can be cooked at the same time.
4. Use your pressure cooker whenever you can.

Refrigerator

1. Defrost refrigerator regularly every week or 10 days.
2. When storing food, or preparing meals make one "loading" or "unloading" do.
3. Do not use the refrigerator to store foods which should be in the pantry. Take out jams, pickles and canned foods.
4. Be sure and cool hot foods before putting them in the refrigerator.

Water Heating

1. Use hot water sparingly when bathing, doing dishes or laundry; do not use running hot water.
2. Do not leave hot water taps dripping; replace worn-out washers.

Washing Machines

1. Soak soiled clothes in cold water.
2. Fill washing machine with hot water only to the water line.
3. Use warm water for only one rinse; a second and third rinse can be made in cold water.

Other Appliances

1 Do not leave the radio on when no one is listening.

2. Turn iron off before the ironing is completed; it will retain enough heat to finish several articles.

Pressure Cooker Meat Loaf

1 1-2 lbs. round steak, 1-2 lb. of sausage meat 2 eggs beaten, 2 tbsps. chili sauce, 1 tsp. salt, 1 onion, 2 carrots, 1 stalk celery, 1-2 cup of bread crumbs, 1 tbsp. fat.

Grind meat twice. Add eggs and chili sauce and salt. Chop onion, carrots and celery and add along with crumbs. Heat fat in cooker and having formed meat into a mould, brown it for two mins. Add 3 tbsps. of water. Cook 15 minutes at pressure.

Fuel-Saving Oven Meal

Fish Souffle; Browned Potatoes, Beans au Gratin and Meringue Cake. Servings for 5. Temperature, 325 degs. Time, 1 hour, 15 mins.

Time-Saving Oven Meal

3 lbs. Roast Beef; Spaghetti with Tomatoes, Baked Potatoes and Cocoanut Apply Betty. Servings for 6. Time: 1 hour, 40 mins. Temperature: 350 degs.

Triplicate Saucepan Set

Boiled Potatoes, Mashed Turnips and Fruit Dumplings with cold meat for entree.

LATE MARGARET EDMUNDSTON CURRIE

Mrs. Margaret E. Currie passed away on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 5th, at 2.15 p.m. Born in Linlithgow, Scotland, on May 22nd, 1869, she was in her 78th year. She came to Canada in 1906 and took up residence in Toronto. In her younger life she was an active member in the W. A. of St. Columba United Church, Toronto, until she came to Mountain to reside with her youngest daughter, Margaret (Mrs. Walter Lawrence).

Left to mourn her loss are, her husband, Lawrence M. Currie; three daughters, Mrs. Janet Fordyce, of Sarnia; Mrs. Catherine Holloway, of Toronto, and Mrs. Margaret Lawrence, of Mountain; two sons, Lawrance, of Toronto, and Peter, of Barrie; also 14 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. One son and one daughter predeceased her: John, who was killed in France in 1915, and Mrs. Annie Mahon, who died in October, 1945.

She was also a member of the Orange Lodge and Silver Cross Chapter in Toronto.

Rev. G. A. Beatty officiated at the service, and music was rendered by the Mountain and Hallville Male Quartette, composed of Messrs. Allan and Clair VanAllen, J. H. Hyndman and Trevor Thompson. The pall bearers were Messrs. Rae Allen, Joseph Loughlin, Robt. McConnell, Robt. Madden, Thomas Kerr Jr., and Harry B. Christie. Interment was at South Gower Cemetery .

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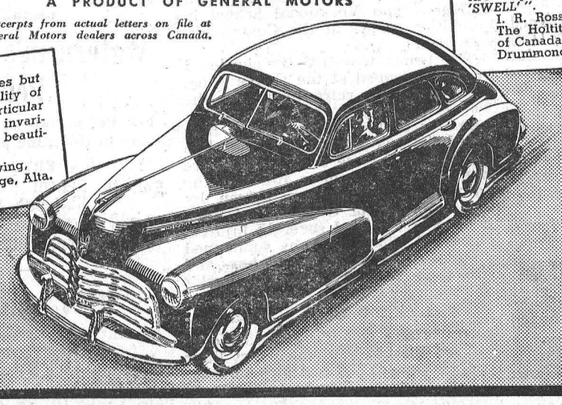

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Colombe Cayer spent last week with her parents in L'Orignal.

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Miss Willena Beaton, of Westmount, Que., spent Sunday with Mrs. B. McConkey.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Link were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coons, of Cass Bridge, recently.

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Mrs. Lorne Kinkaid, of Morrisburg, was a guest of Miss Mary Empey on Wednesday of last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cinnamon were present at the Cinnamon-Miller wedding at Moulinette on December 4th.

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Mr. and Mrs. Willis Robinson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Glen McMillan, of Grantley, visited friends in Dunvegan on Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Allison and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steele spent last Tuesday in Montreal ond attended the Ice Capades at the Forum.

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Miss Doreen M. Bethel, Reg. N., of Ste. Anne's Military Hospital, Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Que., spent the week-end the guest of Miss Madge Coons.

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Mrs. J. A. Akins (formerly Mrs. Boyes), of Winnipeg, Man., spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Elliott, and while in town renewed acquaintances with several of her friends.

STORE-OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT

We wish to announce the opening of our "New Serve-Self Grocery Store" on Church Street, Winchester, on Saturday, December 21st. Cold storage lockers will not be available for a few days, due to a delay in obtaining material to complete the system.

We will continue to operate our Grocery Store on Main Street, East, with the usual delivery system being maintained.

You are invited to call and inspect our New Store on Church Street and we know you'll like the service we offer.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

Mr and Mrs. C. R. Robinson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Mac Rae, of Dunnville, are leaving this week on a motor trip to Florida, where they will spend the Christmas and New Year's holiday season.

Underwent Operation.

The many friends of Miss Mary Brown will be pleased to learn that she is making satisfactory progress, following an operation for goitre, which she underwent at the Ottawa Civic Hospital on Saturday.

Engagement Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gibbons wish to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Hilda Mary, to Mr. Dwayne Thomas Hamilton, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hamilton, Chesterville. Wedding to take place in Winchester United Church on January 11th, 1947, at 3 o'clock.

100 Club Christmas Tree.

This week the 100 Club had a big Christmas Tree erected at the intersection of Main and St. Lawrence Streets, and when illuminated with coloured bulbs at night, it presents a pleasing sight. With local stores all decked out in Christmas garb, Winchester is all set for the joyous holiday season.

Christmas Donation To Hospital.

A Christmas donation of $25.00 to the Winchester District Memorial Hospital was received last week from Mr. Jack Boyes, of Montreal. The donation was turned in to the Hospital Treasurer, Mr. O. V. Stevenson, by Jack's mother, Mrs. J. A. Akins, and is gratefully acknowledged by the Hospital committee.

Fire Chief's Warning.

Fire Chief Gilbert Raistrick wishes to draw the attention of local citizens to the importance of exercising caution in decorating their homes for the Christmas Season, in order to avoid outbreaks of fire. Christmas tree lights should not be allowed to become overheated, and paper decorations should not be hung too close to light bulbs, hot-air registers, stove pipes, etc. Tossing of cigarette stubs should also be watched. Both the citizens and Fire Dept. will enjoy a Merrier Christmas if everyone guards against fire, especialy during the holiday season when there are additional hazards.

C. G. I. T. Conducts Service.

The service in the United Church on Sunday evening was conducted by the C. G. I. T. Group, with the pastor, Rev. Norman J. Thomas, giving the address. Special music was provided by the choir, under the direction of the organist, Mrs. Howard Fetterly, with special numbers by some of the members. The Misses Gwen Thomas, Marjory Crummy and Shirley Raistrick led in responsive reading, and the candle-lighting service was conducted by Misses Christine Stewart, Dorothy Servage and Betty O'Neil. The leaders of the group are Misses Evelyn Fennell and Ruth McGinnis.

Play Greatly Enjoyed.

The town hall was packed to capacity on Thursday evening last, when the Colquhoun Y. P. U. presented their play, "Uncle Cy Hits A New High." The drama was a three-act comedy and was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Personnel of the cast was as follows: Messrs. Graham Wells, Richie Warren, Glen Cunningham, Cecil Dennison, J. M. Carkner and Donald Kyle, Miss Marion Colquhoun, Mesdames J. M. Carkner George Wright, George Gow, Bernice Gallinger, Glen Cunningham, Donald Kyle, Percy Gallinger and Ernest Swerdfeger. The entertainment was presented under the auspices of the Young People's Society of the local United Church.

Rev. N. J. Thomas, pastor of the local United Church, acted as chairman for the evening. Between acts musical selections were given by Mrs. Lin selections, and by Donald Kyle, Hugh McMillan, who played two vio- who sang "Beautiful Dreamer." Both were accompanied by Mrs. Howard Fetterly at the piano.

OTTAWA BOYS KILLED IN MORRISBURG ACCIDENT

Ralph Crowe, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Crowe, of 8 Henry Street Ottawa, was fatally injured when struck by a car at Morrisburg last Thursday night, and died in Keck's ambulance on the way to Ottawa. Pierre Grandmaitre, of Eastview, a member of the Ottawa Technical School junior hockey team, suffered a fractured skull and a broken leg in the same accident and was conveyed home in the same ambulance as Crowe. He died at the Ottawa General Hospital on Saturday.

Junior and juvenile hockey teams representing the Ottawa Technical School were in Cornwall that night playing teams from the Cornwall Collegiate and Vocational School in exhibition games at the Community Arena.

The teams travelled by chartered bus and stopped at the Coffee Shop, Morrisburg, for refreshments on the way home. While in the restaurant, members of the teams thought they heard the bus moving and rushed to the street. Crowe and Grandmaitre were reported to have run into the path of a passing car, driven by Frank Moher, of Ottawa, and were knocked down and severely injured. Dr. A. T. Shannette was summoned and did all he could for the boys and had them sent to Ottawa in Keck's ambulance.

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SCHOOL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of School Section No. 11 will be held in Mulloy School House on Thursday, Dec. 26th, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

31p Roy Empey, Sec'y.-Treas.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Engagement Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest N. Holmes wish to announce the engagement of their second daughter, Winnifred Myrtle, to Thos. Francis Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Patterson, of Brockville. Marriage to take place at an early date.

St. Paul's Christmas Services.

The Services of Worship on Sunday in St. Paul's Church and Knox Church, Winchester Springs, will be in keeping with the Christmas Celebration. Special music will be provided by the choir. "Come and Worship, Christ, the King!"

Orange Walk To Be Held Here.

Members of L. O. L. No. 862 are making plans for the Annual County Orange Celebration to be held in Winchester on July 12th, 1947. They will have the support of the local 100 Club in carrying out the day's program, and all proceeds will be donated to the Memorial Hospital.

Bereaved of Mother.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. A. W. Churchill in the death of her mother, Mrs. Lillian Whiteside, who passed away at Ottawa on Sunday. She was in her 59th year and was the widow of the late J. E. Whiteside. She had spent most of her life in Metcalfe, where the funeral was held on Tuesday.

BORN

At the Cornwall General Hospital on Saturday, December 14th, 1946, to Mr. and Mrs. Scott Brownell, (nee Hilda MacDonald), of Mille Roches, a son, David Ross.

NEWLYWEDS HONOURED

About forty ladies were present at the home of Mrs. Willis Robinson on Thursday afternoon at a shower held for Mrs. Allan Cinnamon (nee Joan Miller). The house was decorated for the occasion with pink and white streamers. At an appointed time, the bride was ushered into the living room by Mrs. Wallace Cinnamon. The afternoon was spent in games and contests, the prize being won by Mrs. Willard Baker.

A beautifully decorated bride's book was presented to the bride, the address being read by Mrs. Stanley Gibson. Mrs. Willis Robinson and Mrs. Herb Gibson presented the bride with a set of boudoir lamps and cornflower dishes. The bride made a very fitting reply. Following is the address:

Dear Joan:—We have gathered here this afternoon to share a social cup of tea, to have an hour's chat with you, and to express our heartfelt pleasure of your recent marriage. It is a great pleasure to us, to be able to feel so much esteem for the gentleman to whom you have confided your life's happiness.

Joan, although some of us have not known you for so very long, you have made your way into our hearts by your sunny disposition, kind thoughts and deeds, and with each meeting have come to know you as a true and helpful friend. We are happy that your home is not distant from our community.

Together you have signed one of life's greatest contracts, and we know that with your optimism and strength of character, you will make a success of your marriage vows.

We ask you to accept these gifts as tokens of our esteem and good will. May every year of your married life find you happier. May God bless both you and your home.

Signed on behalf of your friends—Christena Robinson, Myrna Cinnamon, Mrs. H. Gibson, Mrs. Stanley Gibson.

Following the presentation, dainty refreshments were served.

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