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BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday wishes are extended this week to:

Jill Louise Neufeld, Maple, eight years old on Friday, Feb. 6.

Cherith Anne Pipher, Newmarket, 11 years old on Friday, Feb. 6.

Dorothy Ilene Wilder, Pottageville, six years old on Saturday, Feb. 7.

Margaret Ilene Hutt, Pottageville, three years old on Saturday, Feb. 7.

Nancy Diane Duncan, Newmarket, five years old on Saturday, Feb. 7.

Wayne Spence, Aurora, eight years old on Sunday, Feb. 8.

Christine Black, R. R. 3, Newmarket, 12 years old on Monday, Feb. 9.

Joanne Pinder, Sharon, seven years old on Monday, Feb. 9.

Lois Jean Black, Zephyr, eight years old on Tuesday, Feb. 10.

Doris Edith Brandon, R. R. 3, Newmarket, six years old on Wednesday, Feb. 11.

Ruth Shunk, R. R. 2, Newmarket, 12 years old on Wednesday, Feb. 11.

Ronald Arthur Simmons, Newmarket, 11 years old on Wednesday, Feb. 11.

Johnny Ennis, Orillia, three years old on Wednesday, Feb. 11.

Judith Mary Ann Racine, Newmarket, six years old on Wednesday, Feb. 11.

Wayne Pickering, Zephyr, one year old on Thursday, Feb. 12.

Auldeen Dike, Mount Albert, eight years old on Thursday, Feb. 12.

Virginia Boyd, Newmarket, five years old on Thursday, Feb. 12.

Send in your name, address and age and become a member of The Newmarket Era and Express Birthday club.

Banquet Permits Discussed By W.C.T.U.

Newmarket — The regular meeting of the W.C.T.U. was held at the home of Mrs. H. Molyneaux with the vice president, Mrs. M. Eade, in the chair. Mrs. Ernest Morton gave the devotional exercises.

The secretary, Miss L. Starr, brought to the attention of the meeting that organizations may obtain banquet permits which are issued in dry areas. A permit obtained two weeks in advance of a banquet may be given for double the number of guests finally attending. This either means excessive drinking or the possibility of the liquor being sold illegally at some other time although all unused liquor is supposed to be returned but there is no check-up after.

Reference was made to the appeal from Cardinal McGuigan to all Roman Catholics of the Toronto archdiocese to abstain from alcoholic beverages during Lent. They are to promise not only that they will not drink but that they will not serve it or frequent places where such beverages are served and that all money that would otherwise be spent in this way be devoted to alms giving.

Mrs. J. A. Maitland gave the story of the life of Frances Willard, the founder of the World's Woman's Christian Temperance Union. A dialogue, "Why do we need the W.C.T.U.?", was given by Mrs. E. Morton, Mrs. J. A. Maitland and Miss L. Starr. A collection was taken for World Missions.

Visual Aids In School To Be Described

Newmarket—The use of visual aids in the school will be demonstrated by H. A. Jackson and the pupils of Grade 8, King George school, at the next Home and School meeting which will be held at Trinity United church Sunday-school room Tuesday, Feb. 24, at 8 p.m. Guest soloist will be Mrs. H. Martin. Other features of the program will be a short talk on radio crime programs and comic strips by Mrs. J. T. Rhodes, the presentation of the medals and cups to the winners in the events on public school sports day and a short discussion on making bread by Mrs. Ted Mitchell. This discussion will be based on the recipes to appear in the February 19 Homemakers' Exchange.

A special invitation is being forwarded to the members of the Lions club and their wives.

ELECT OFFICERS

Newmarket — The Ladies' Prayer Fellowship of the Newmarket Gospel Tabernacel held its annual eletcion of officers last Thursday. Resulls: pres., Mrs. Lelia Rolph; vice pres., Mrs. F. G. Woodhouse; sec.-treas., Mrs. W. Curtis; pianist, Mrs. George Fletcher; assist. pianist, Mrs. L. James Lake. Mrs. S. Edwards, resigning because of ill health, was unanimously elected as honorary president. The ladies decided to hold a missionary meeting in conjunction with the Young People's meeting on the last Friday evening of each month. A missionary will be invited to address this meeting which will be held at the parsonage, 54 Prospect Ave.

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A WOMAN'S PAGE

Women's Editor: Caroline E. Ion Phone 993; in Aurora phone 151

Interesting Reading For Everyone

Newmarket Social News

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—Mr. Wallace Morton, Toronto, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Morton.

—Mrs. Walter Meddick, Toronto, visited her cousin, Mrs. Frank Prest, and Mr. Prest, for a few days last week.

—Mrs. B. Bell, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Madill.

—Mrs. Bert McCarnan spent the weekend in North Bay with Mr. McCarnan, and while there called on several friends.

—Mrs. Annie Sanderson and Harold had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Folkeard of Aurora.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Ruddock spent the weekend with Mrs. Ruddock's father, Mr. Leo Burton, at Woodville.

—Mrs. L. Little, accompanied by her daughter, Mary Lou, attended the concert given at Eaton's Auditorium on Saturday night by Nan Merriman, American mezzo-soprano.

—Many friends called on Mr. S. S. Madill over the weekend on the occasion of his birthday.

—On Sunday, Feb. 1, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Morrison, Toronto, visited their cousin, Mrs. Albert Starr.

—Mr. W. T. Webster, Mimico, and Mr. V. S. Webster, Toronto, visited their mother, Mrs. Fred. Webster, last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jarvis, Queensville, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Keay and family.

—Mrs. W. E. Richardson entertained on Sunday evening on the occasion of her birthday.

—Mrs. J. Nesbitt, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur West, spent the weekend in Hespeler where they visited Mrs. Nesbitt's daughter, Mrs. B. Wilson, and family and in Lansing, Mich., where they visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Hill.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Rowland were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Schrank.

—Mr. Roy Martin, accompanied by his children, Aubrey, Marlene and Vonda, and Kenneth Beckett, Glenna Creed and William Eade, visited Lorne Park College, Port Credit, on Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Allen, Toronto, were the weekend guests of Mrs. W. E. Richardson.

—Mrs. W. C. Wheeler, Mr. George Smith and Mrs. Frank Cockbain and daughter, Barbara, were guests at the home of Mrs.

—Mrs. Geo. McComb returned from Port Dalhousie on Sunday after visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McComb.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cowieson, Toronto, was the Sunday guest of Mrs. V. Barker.

Seek Cotton Prices For Bandages

Newmarket — An appeal has been made by the Society of Friends for contributions of clean, white cotton suitable for dressings and bandages in devastated countries abroad. All contributions are forwarded to Toronto where they are sterilized and prepared for shipment by the Society. Francis Starr, Bogarttown, who is now in India, and Barbara Walker, well known visitor to Newmarket who is now in Poland, in their recent letters requested more bandages and dressings to help relieve the desperate shortage of white cotton in these countries.

Miss Walker told of mothers using newspapers for babies' diapers and of visiting homes where children with open sores have nothing to use for bandages. Every home in Newmarket could contribute a worn sheet or pillow case.

All interested contributors are requested to bring their bundles of clean, white cotton pieces to the next meeting of the Home and School Association at Trinity United church on Tuesday, Feb. 24, at 8 p.m.

Trinity W. A. Elects Mrs. J. E. Morris

Newmarket — Mrs. John E. Morris was elected president for 1948 of the Trinity United church Women's Association at the regular meeting Feb. 5. Mrs. Ross Howlett, vice-president, presided at the meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. W. O. Noble. The installation of officers was conducted by Rev. H. Cotton. Guest soloist was Mrs. Lou Bovair.

The following were elected: hon. pres., Mrs. H. Cotton; past pres., Mrs. W. O. Noble; pres., Mrs. John E. Morris; first vice-pres., Mrs. R. L. Pritchard, second vice-pres., Mrs. R. Howlett; third vice-pres., Mrs. H. M. Hooker; fourth vice-pres., Mrs. R. D. Brown; rec. sec., Mrs. W. J. Geer; assist., Mrs. Roy Meads; corr.-sec., Mrs. N. Hopper; press, Mrs. G. Luesby; treas., Mrs. Harper Price; financial sec., Miss B. Neilly;

Temperance, Miss L. Starr; United Nations, Mrs. J. E. Maitland; social welfare, Mrs. C. M. Carter; devotional, Mrs. Elman Campbell; pianist, Mrs. H. Cotton; assist., Mrs. C. S. Gilbert.

Program: Mrs. W. O. Noble, Mrs. R. R. McMath, Mrs. F. Robinson;

Refreshments: Mrs. Ross Howlett, Mrs. W. J. Geer, Mrs. H. A. Jackson; Mrs. N. Hopper, Mrs. R. C. Smith, Mrs. C. Churchill, Mrs. F. E. Penrose, Mrs. E. Wright, Mrs. T. A. Mitchell, Mrs. F. Bothwell, Mrs. N. Scott:

Kitchen: Mrs. J. E. Morris, Mrs. J. Denne, Mrs. C. Wray, Mrs. E. Skinner, Mrs. R. McCabe, Mrs. L. Bovair, Mrs. E. Evans, Mrs. S. Beare;

Flower: Mrs. C. G. Wainman, Mrs. L. P. Cane, Mrs. G. L. Manning; parsonage, Mrs. H. M. Hooker, Mrs. A. Spear, Mrs. T. A. Mitchell, Mrs. E. Evans, Mrs. R. D. Brown.

PLAN SLEIGHING PARTY

Newmarket—The Young People's get-together of the Gospel Tabernacle met in the parsonage last Friday evening. The young people are arranging a sleighing party Friday, Feb. 20. Miss Violet Curtis and Miss Irene Curtis were at the piano.

Y. P. Enjoy Ice Party At Queensville

A large crowd of United church Young People from all parts of North York gathered at Queensville rink on Monday night for the annual skating party sponsored by the recreation committee of the Toronto Centre North Presbytery Young People's executive. Novelty relay races, a grand march and other special events were directed by Clare Eves, Queensville, recreation convenor. Following the skating the crowd was entertained at Queensville United church and a bountiful lunch was served by its Y.P. group. Edward Maynard, Schomberg, led the sing-song and the Schomberg group also conducted an inspiring worship service. Arthur Starr, Wesley, conducted a brief business session. Roll-call indicated that members were present from Keswick, Ravenshoe, Queensville, Newmarket, Aurora, Wesley, Temperanceville, King, Laskey and Schomberg.

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GLORIA PEPPIATT WED SATURDAY

The marriage took place Saturday morning in St. John's Chrysostom Roman Catholic church of Gloria Veronica Peppiatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Peppiatt, Newmarket, to John Dennis, Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dennis. Rev. T. McCabe officiated. Rev. Sister Mary Jane played the wedding music and Mrs. E. Dennis was soloist.

The bride, entering the church on the arm of her father, wore a white lace gown with fitted bodice and circular skirt extending into a train. Her finger-tip veil was held by a coronet of matching lace and she carried a white prayer book with orchids. Maid of honor was Joan Peppiatt with Adele Dennis, bridesmaid, and Mary Vale, junior bridesmaid, gowned in sky blue, pale violet and pale pink faille taffeta with circular skirts and matching mittens and Dutch bonnets. All carried nosegays of roses and sweet peas. Groomsman was Howard Dennis and ushers were Arthur Peppiatt, George O'Brien, William Boland and Kenneth Cox.

At the King George hotel, the bride's mother received in a twilight blue crepe dress with corsage of red roses. The groom's mother assisted, wearing a gray moire ensemble with corsage of yellow roses. For the wedding trip to Montreal and Ottawa, the bride travelled in a pale blue dress with black accessories. They will live in Toronto.

C.W.L. Hear Talk On Health, Recreation

Newmarket — The regular monthly meeting of the Catholic Women's League was held Monday night at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Gould with 25 members present. Mrs. W. A. McCaffrey presided.

Mrs. N. L. Mathews, speaker, gave a talk on health as related to adult recreation. Mrs. Mathews stressed the importance of hobbies and sports in the lives of everyone today as a relief of mental strain.

"It is becoming more necessary that adults learn to occupy their increasing amount of spare time pleasantly and profitably," she said.

A social hour followed and refreshments were served by the hostess.

Newmarket — The regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion will be held tonight at 8 p.m. at the Legion club rooms. A full attendance is requested.

Aurora Social News

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Mr. William Malloy, Alliston, spent several days last week with his brother, Mr. Charles Malloy, and his sisters, the Misses M. and C. Malloy.

Directors of the Aurora V.O.N. committee gave a dinner at Ridge Inn on Thursday in honor of Miss Isobel Black, assistant V.O.N. director for Canada. Before the dinner Mrs. L. C. Lee entertained at tea for Miss Black.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Holdham and Mrs. H. Doane, Toronto, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Cunningham and family spent Sunday visiting Mr. Cyril Deveys, Toronto.

ANOTHER SHIPMENT

The members of Mrs. George Smith's Box for Britain club have sent the following articles to Mrs. K. Aitkens, Toronto, for shipment overseas to the needy children of Britain: two baby blankets, 44 diapers, 20 baby gowns, 11 baby gertrudes, four baby vests, one knitted coat, one pr. rubber panties, two prs. training panties, two prs. knitted bootees, six cans baby powder, six bars baby soap, two towels;

Two wash cloths, 2 cards safety pins, four baby slips, six baby dresses, one pr. baby slippers, six girls' dresses, two girls' skirts, two girls' sweaters, two prs. girls' panties, two girls' vests, one pr. girl's sockees, two boys' sweaters, 2 prs. boys' trousers, three prs. boys' socks, five boys' suits.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Newmarket — The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held Thursday, Feb. 19, at 2.30 p.m., at the home of Mrs. J. B. Bastedo, Park Ave. There will be a round table discussion with Mrs. Arthur Boyd, Mrs. Elton Armstrong. Mrs. Fred. Proctor and Mrs. Robert Lewis taking part. As this is expected to be a most interesting meeting it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

St. Andrew's College officers and cadet corps members have sent out cards for the annual At Home and dance at the college on Feb. 20.

Officers for the Ladies' Section, Highlands Golf club for 1948, are: pres., Mrs. Hugh McRae; vice-pres., Mrs. Harry Fry; sec.-treas., Mrs. Clifton Spence; capt., Mrs. Lees Owram; vice-capt., Maxine McKenzie.

Among those from Aurora attending the Ice Capades on Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eveleigh, Miss Erna Eveleigh, Misses Marjorie and Bertha Andrews.

Members of the First Aurora Girl Guides troop held a sleighing party on Tuesday evening.

The W.M.S. of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church met on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. H. Stoddart.

Mr. Dawson Brown has accepted a position at Merrickville, Ont. Mr. Brown has been Cubmaster of the Aurora Boy Scouts.

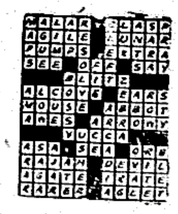
Miss Bertha Andrews, Walkerton, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. M. L. Andrews.

Mrs. Beulah Hogarth, Toronto, spent the weekend with her brother and sister-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Hicks.

Aurora Branch 385, Canadian Legion, is holding a dance in the high school auditorium on Friday, Feb. 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moore are on an extended motor trip through the southern United States.

ANSWER TO PUZZLE ON PAGE 4



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