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Car Accidents Up in January with Icy Conditions

With a week to go, car accidents in town during the month of January had reached a total of eight, one short of last January's total of nine. Five of the eight accidents were reportable. In nearly all cases icy driving conditions were directly responsible.

On January 4th, vehicles driven by Mrs. H. Jenkins and L. Allard of Haileybury were involved in a minor accident at Russell and Georgina. Two days later a car attempted to pass a transport on Rorke Avenue. To avoid a head-on collision with an oncoming car, the driver was fortunate enough to escape by turning off on a side street. Meantime, Henry Cloutier driving the oncoming car had applied the brakes on the icy road and crashed head-on into the transport driven by Murray Nesbitt of Toronto. The transport was damaged to the extent of \$250.00 and the car was a total wreck. Taken to hospital for treatment were Joyce Gareau of Cobalt and Bill Grist of Hound Chutes.

Three cars were involved in an accident on Main Street, Margaret Tedesco of Cochrane made the turn at the bottom of the hill sliding into a car owned by the car continued on and struck Philip Lavallee of Lorrainville another driven by Russell McRoberts of Latchford who was coming up Ferguson. Damage, all told to the three cars was \$700.00.

E. Sauve and Marcel Dinel of Haileybury collided at the corner of Georgina and Cecil on January 7th with \$200.00 damage to the Sauve vehicle and \$50.00 to the other. The next day, Art Cooke and Geoffrey Giddens of Haileybury met at the corner of Probyn Street and the Lake Shore Road with resulting damage of \$75.00 to the Giddens vehicle.

On January 11th, Gerry Forget, driver for Joe's Taxi and Arthur Theriault were involved in a minor accident at Cecil and Georgina with \$80.00 damage to the taxi.

A car driven by Jean Lapalme of Haileybury stalled on Rorke Avenue and a three-way crash occurred with Kenneth MacLean of Cobalt crashing from behind and Adelard Pelletier of North Cobalt failing to see the MacLean vehicle with resulting damage \$60.00 to the Lapalme car and three hundred dollars to MacLean's.

Last Friday Omer Chartrand

MRS. A. HURST ELECTED PRESIDENT OF W. A. OF UNITED CHURCH

Rev. A. T. Denholm officiated at the installation of officers for 1955 at the regular meeting of the W.A. of the United Church held at the home of Mrs. D. Haig on Tuesday evening. The Association will be led by Mrs. Alan Hurst, the new President and other officers are: vice-president, Mrs. J. B. Robinson; treasurer, Mrs. D. Haig; corresponding secretary, Mrs. G. Pratt; Manse committee, Mrs. J. Hope, Mrs. R. Murphy and Mrs. T. Smith; Visiting committee, Mrs. H. Pickard and Mrs. R. D. Cumming; Devotional secretary, Mrs. A. T. Denholm; Kitchen committee Mrs. W. Farmer and Flower committee, Mrs. A. H. Kingsmill and Mrs. D. Dean.

Arrangements were made to serve refreshments after the annual meeting this Sunday evening and it was decided the annual turkey dinner will be on Wednesday February 23rd.

Members heard Mr. Denholm tell of the United Church proposed plan to convert the former Taylor home on the Lake Shore Road, New Liskeard into a home for senior citizens of the North and the W.A. decided to make financial assistance to this extensive project a part of their year's work.

Camp Lorraine will undertake the re-building of Murphy Lodge this spring and the Association plan to assist in this work.

Calendar of Events

Sat., Jan. 29th—Ski Club Mid-Winter Snow Festival.
Sun., Jan. 30—Annual Meeting United Church.
Tues., Feb. 1st—St. Paul's W. A. at 3:00 p.m. in Parish hall.

THE WEEK'S WEATHER

Week Ending Jan. 26th, 1955	Min.	Max.
Thursday	7	5
Friday	6	13
Saturday	9	15
Sunday	12	23
Monday	16	25
Tuesday	14	21
Wednesday	15	19

* Denotes below zero.

of Kirkland Lake proceeded up Main Street and attempted to turn south on Rorke. A collision occurred with a car driven by E. Brais of Kirkland Lake who was making the turn down. Total damage to both cars was \$400.00.

Board of Education States Regulations for Auditorium

Mrs. S. B. Bond, chairman of the Auditorium Committee of the Haileybury Board of Education has this week given us the policy regarding the use of the Auditorium by organizations outside the school system which will clarify points which have lately been questioned.

At the present time, certain organizations have definite allotments of time on a weekly basis, the schedule of which is given below. On special occasions, these periods may be taken by other organizations under the priorities and terms which will be outlined here.

For these special occasions, the following priorities will apply: Priority I—Properly supervised high school, public school or separate school special events.

Priority II—Special events of a general educational or cultural interest.

Priority III—Special service-club projects where charity is the aim.

Priority IV—Group meetings of either a selective or a general nature, which are not necessarily educational or cultural (e.g. political party meets, assemblies or organizations, etc.)

No public or private dances can be accommodated in the auditorium.

The following terms must be observed in requesting the use of the building:

(a) Two weeks advance notice on requests, so that regular time-holders may be notified of the change, if any.

(b) No facilities can be provided for banquets, luncheons or dinners. However, on request, facilities can be provided for making tea and coffee and for preparing sandwiches, cake, etc. Dishes are presently NOT available.

(c) At NO time will alcoholic beverages in any form be offered on the school premises.

(d) The Board will make no provision for the procuring, setting-up or taking down of seats. On application, however, the high school student Council will undertake to set up and take down seats on payment to them of a fee of three dollars.

(e) The sponsoring body or applicant will in every case be responsible for damage caused during occupancy of the premises.

Rental fees are as follows: (a) Where no admission is charged, there will be a minimum fee of three dollars for the services of the caretaker. (b) Where admission is charged, there will be a minimum basic fee of ten dollars. Any additional charge will be made on a percentage of the gross admissions, such percentage to be separately negotiated between the Board and the sponsoring body prior to the event in question.

Enquiries should be addressed or telephoned to either: Mrs. S. B. Bond or Mr. G. Cassidy, Haileybury, Ont.

Present Permanent Time Allotments

Sunday—2 to 4 p.m.—Badminton Club.

Monday—7 to 9 p.m.—Boy Scouts.

Tuesday—7 to 11 p.m.—Badminton Club (Junior and Senior).

Wednesday—7 to 9 p.m.—Girl Guides; 9 to 11—Mining School.

Thursday—6:30-8 p.m.—Cubs; 8 to 11 p.m.—Badminton Club.

Friday—6:30-11 p.m.—High School Games and Functions.

The use of the gymnasium on a regular basis on Saturdays is included in order that caretaker maintenance may be done.

Main Street Hill Dangerous for Saturday Traffic

Main Street hill on a fine winter's day can prove more entertaining than any double header you could put together at the movies. Saturday was no exception.

It was Constable Rundle's day off so Constable Don Scanlan was doing double duty as he stood at the bottom of the hill from 10.30 a.m. until 2.30 p.m. re-directing traffic up Ferguson Avenue. He had no opportunity to direct traffic coming down the hill but whatever direction drivers found themselves taking, the Constable had the way well cleared to avert any disasters.

Transport drivers who hit the greasy surface of the hill must have been relieved to spot the uniform at the intersection as they sailed straight through safely.

Citizens, of course, are so accustomed to enjoying the challenge of trying to get up the hill to avoid the nuisance of driving eight blocks out of their way, that they seldom give the weather conditions any thought. They prefer to take a run at it and enjoy that supreme moment when they have been smart enough to overtake their neighbor who is now carefully backing down in fervent hope that some equally ambitious driver will not plough into them from the rear.

All unsuspecting, Billy Grozelle left his office on Saturday and proceeded home as usual or as he thought. Suddenly, he was in a rink and nothing happened when he applied the brakes. He, too, was happy to see the policeman clearing the way as he chose the biggest snowbank in sight and narrowly missed severing the post at the Liquor Store. A comrade in arms, OPP Con-

L. Umphrey and N. McAulay Skip Winning Rinks

Nine rinks entered the British Consols last week in their first step of the long road to the Dominion Brier. When it was all over on Tuesday evening Lorne Umphrey and Neil McAulay were the victors who will represent the Cobalt-Haileybury Club at the zone playdowns scheduled for New Liskeard this week-end.

The two rinks are made up of the following players:

McAulay, H. Sadler, Brian Poppleton and Roger Fleming.

Umphrey, Tom Brown, Wm. MacArthur, M. DeBastiani

Rinks entered in the competition were R. Morissette, Connie Vachon, Neil McAulay, Bob Poppleton, Taylor Pipe, Geoffrey Dixon and Jack McDonald.

Altar Guild Guests of Canon and Mrs. Goodier

The members of St. Paul's Altar Guild were guests of Canon and Mrs. Goodier at the Rectory on Tuesday evening for their regular monthly meeting. Following business discussions, Canon Goodier very kindly showed a collection of slides depicting beautiful church edifices in various parts of England with an informal commentary as to their history and location. Some local views of the old St. Paul's Church in Haileybury were also shown.

Refreshments and a social hour followed.

stable R. Berry was responsible for tracking down the Department of Highways first aid equipment in Cobalt. A good layer of salt and sand and what looked like a 24-hour shift for Haileybury's Constable ended at 2:30.

FORMER HAILEYBURY MAN DOCTOR FOR PATIENTS ON HMCS MAGNIFICENT

A well known Haileybury man was probably the busiest doctor in Canada over the week-end when the HMCS Magnificent's sailors were seriously poisoned after a drinking party aboard Canada's biggest naval vessel.

Surgeon Lieut. Commander Harvey Little, according to reports in the Toronto Star, had been on duty for 36 hours administering to the sick.

Joining the navy after his graduation from the University of Toronto, Dr. Little has been residing in Halifax with his family for the past several years.



GEORGE COUTTS

A past member of the Board of Studies of the Royal Conservatory of Music of Toronto, and for many years a leading member of the piano, theory and organ faculty of the Conservatory, George Coutts will conduct current examinations for the Conservatory in Haileybury on February 12th. He is well known from coast to coast as an examiner and adjudicator. A Westerner—Mr. Coutts was a faculty member of the Regina Conservatory before coming to Toronto—he is keenly interested in the development and growth of music education in Canada. A church organist and choir master, Mr. Coutts is one of the most popular and experienced examiners sent out by the Conservatory each year.

Neighborly News Celebrates 15th Anniversary

The fifteenth anniversary of Neighborly News broadcasts, one of the most popular features of Canadian radio, will be marked by a special broadcast on Sunday day, Jan. 30, on stations of the Trans-Canada network.

While the 15th anniversary applies specifically to the Ontario broadcast of Neighborly News, the special program will be heard nationally and will include the voices of Neighborly News commentators across Canada—Les Way British Columbia; F. Greene, Prairies; Don Fairbairn, Ontario and Quebec; Jack Brayley, Maritimes; and Gerard Brady who does a French language version of Neighborly News in Quebec. CBC hopes to have W. B. Sawdon of the Sackville Tribune-Post, president of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association, as a guest on the show.

During the 15 years of its existence, the Ontario Neighborly News commentator have scanned more than 150,000 copies of the English-language weeklies of Ontario and Quebec, and have read on the air more than 30,000 items totalling some million-and-a-half words. Since the program began, greetings have been extended to some 40,000 people in Ontario and Quebec entering the ranks of the "Over-Ninety Birthday Club." The fact that city dwellers like the program as much as those who live in the smaller centres is proven by surveys—Neighborly News in Ontario has a larger audience than any other program on the air at its time of broadcast.

CBC's Reid Forsee will produce the special anniversary program, and Don Fairbairn will act as host. Forsee has been with Neighborly News since it began starting out as its announcer and later becoming its producer, a post he still holds. Fairbairn took over as commentator seven years ago, after the death of the well-loved Andy Clark who through his association with the program was dubbed "the mayor of little places."

The anniversary program will be heard across Canada at the following times: 8 p.m. NST; 7:30 p.m. AST; 6:30 p.m. EST; 5:30 p.m. CST; 6:30 p.m. MST; 5:30 p.m. PST.

Figure Skating Hours:

Beginners—Tues., Thurs.	3:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Saturday	2:30 - 3:30 p.m.
JUNIORS—Thursday	after School—5:30 p.m.
Saturday	2:30 - 4:00 p.m.
INTERMEDIATE—Tuesday	4:00 - 5:30 p.m.
Saturday	1:00 - 2:30 p.m.

ALL DUES MAY BE SENT TO MRS. J. B. ROBINSON

Northern Ski Club

MID-WINTER FESTIVAL

SKIING and TOBOGGANING by Floodlight

TORCHLIGHT PARADE on Skis

DANCING and REFRESHMENTS

SATURDAY, JANUARY 29th

COME EARLY

STAY LATE

The Fun Begins at 8.00 p.m.

Your Last Opportunity! Hear Evangelist and Mrs. C. Struck



FRIDAY NIGHT at 8:00 p.m.

Rev. Struck gives his life story entitled "I WAS A DRUNKARD AT TWELVE"

SUNDAY EVENING AT 7:30

Mrs. Struck gives her life story entitled "SAVED FROM SELF DESTRUCTION"

SUNDAY SCHOOL at 10:00 a.m.

Special Open Session

FLANNEL GRAPH • SINGING

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You Can't Afford to Miss These Great Services

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20 Games for 50c

Sponsored by Haileybury Legion Ladies' Auxiliary at LEGION HALL

4 Special Games

Grand Prize: \$100.00 on 14 Numbers

TUE., FEB. 1st

Starts at 8.30 p.m