NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS ->

Interesting Items Concerning Other Centres and Communities in Which Many of Our Readers are Interested

EVERTON

Mrs. Ross, of New York, is visiting for some time at the home of Mrs. John Stowart.

Mrs. George Loree spent a few days in

Guelph last week. Several from here attended the one day convention, held in Quelph

Mrs. McQueen is visiting at the home for Nassagaweya Township. of her brother, Col. Head. Mr. and Mrs Simpson, of Guelph, spent Sunday at the will take place on Christmas day. same home.

GEORGETOWN

W. J. Alexander purchased two prize winning Yorkshire pigs at Guelph Winter Pair last week.

Dr. Bomerville, of Halleybury, has been a visitor in town during the week. Mr. W. Dixon, of Sandhill, visited with Mr. and Mrs. O. T. McKay last Saturday Mr. Nelson Cook's many friends are very glad to hear of his recovery from his

recent Illness. Mrs. Tuor and little daughter, o Halleybury, is visiting at the home her father, Mr. Ralph Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Corke, of Paris, and Mrs. H. Corke, of St. Hyacinthe, Que., visited with friends in town during

following the operation was favorable. The attendance at the Band dance in the Town Hall last Priday night was not as large as was hoped for. However those who were present enjoyed the good music provided and had a splendid evening.-Herald. Tuesday evening, December 23.

Mrs. Campbell was hostess for the December W. C. T. U. meeting, which was well attended.

Last Priday evening about one hundred of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Fletcher's friends and neighbors called upon them to bld them farewell before moving off the farm to take up their new home in

It is with a great deal of satisfaction brother, the late William Scott, in Torthat we pass on the information re- onto, on Monday afternoon last. ceived from Mr. J. K. McLaren, village tax collector, that the taxes in the village, leaves shortly for Plorida, where he will have to date, been more fully paid than spend the winter with friends and rela-

The local puck-chasers had their first and is still hale and hearty. workout on the local rink on Tuesday evening, after which guite a crowd of during the recent cold spell and has a making ice for the curiers and hockey very good ice surface for a start.

At the December meeting of the L. A. winter sports to start .- Champion. and W. M. B., of the United Church, at Mrs. O. T. Scott's, the election of officers for the Ludies' Aid resulted in by illness, are glad to know that he is the re-election of the same officers, viz: able to be out again. President, Mrs. Gibson; Treasurer, Mrs. Ramesbottom; Becretary, Mrs. Elgle; Press Secretary, Mrs. Clow.-Advocate.

EDEN MILLS

with a fair attendance. The Secretary being reduced to a minimum. The men asking for assistance in the work. A Christmas turkey,-Reformer. donation of \$10.00 was granted. It was also agreed to send flowers and Ohrbstmas greetings to sick once in the home or Hospital. Mrs. W. Wilson, our delegate to the annual Women's Institute Convention, gave a most interesting and spicy report of the proceedings. At the close of the meeting, while lunch was being prepared Mrs. Prood, Mrs. Robert-Son and Miss Argo, with Mrs. Bardon as planist, sang two levely Ohristmas carols. An educational and profitable afternoon

was spent. On Priday evening S. S. No. 5 concert and Christmas tree was the centre of attraction, when the parents, young folks and children of the section were present in full force. Under the able leadership of the teacher, Mr. Hughes, with Mrs. W. Early as organist, and Mr. J. Marshall as chairman, the scholars presented a programme, which was in keeping with the season. Choruses, carols, recitations and plays were all well stateined the crowning excitement of the evening was when Santa sent a message, assuring them he was leaving Acton with good load, and would be present in few minutes, which proved true, as he appeared in time to distribute gifts to the expectant and happy children.

On Saturday, evening the United Church Bunday School Christmas tree and concert was held in the Town Hall, when the parents and children turned out in full. Rev. M. C. Candler acted as chairman. Two plays were presented, people. which were well carried out, also songs and recitations were given by the scholars. The expectant event of the evening being the Christmas tree, which both the children and grown-ups enjoyed, returning home with hands filled, and hearts aglow with the good-will which attends such events.

Quite a number from here attended the G. C. V. I. concert and dance in Guelph on Priday evening.

Miss Marjory Gandler won first prize for most proficient student in bookkeeping in Commercial Department at the Guelph Collegiate-Vocational Institute. Mr. and Mrs. Abbott, of Toronto, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lowrie over

Sunday. Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Lowrle in the birth of twin sons at St. Joseph's Hospital, on December 17. Mother and bables are

doing well. As we approach the Christmas season may our readers all realize that "The happiness of love is in action," its test

NASSAGAWEYA

United Church

School annual Christmas tree concert

BALLINAFAD.

Mrs. Glen, of Clinton, is visiting at

the home of her daughter, Mrs. Daniel

Mr. George Hilts, of Winnipeg, Man.

will be pleased to hear that his condition

ing her sister, Mrs. Richard Shortlit, Jr.

The Christmas Tree and entertainment

of the United Church was held on

John Ford, Robert St., who has been

ill in St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton,

All wish Bort a speedy recovery.

is improving slowly.

returned home yesterday.

Tuesday evening, 23 inst., when a

of the Sunday Behook

the district.

Mrs. Ball and son, of Brantford, visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnson on Priday. Mr. and Mrs. Rentner, of Ottawa, are spending Christmas with Mrs. R. L. Brown.

LIMEHOUSE .

days from Alma College, St. Thomas, Mr. Walter Vyse, of Hamilton, who has had the gravelling contract for the Township this year, had the misfortune o lose one of the large gravel trucks by fire, on Thursday morning. In starting gramme of drills, dialogues, choruses the truck to leave for home in some way it took fire, and burned up. The loss and solos was given by the children will be heavy as these trucks cost, it is said, over five thousand dollars.

Municipal nomination at Brookville on Monday next, for reeve and councillors, Quite a number of family re-unions Christmas tree, held on the same even We wish the Park Pares and all its readers "A Happy and Prosperous New

tunate, but seemed unavoidable, and we are glad it did not spoil either. - Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Milliore and children, of Brampton, attended the Christmas tree on Monday evening.

The annual Christman Tree entervisiting at the home of his mother, talmment of the United Church Bunday Mrs. Martha Hilts, and other friends in Echool was held last Priday evening in the Town Hall, and was attended by a The school concert at the Blue Moun- large number of friends and the parents tain Echool, which was held on Tuesday of the young folks who deserve credit for evening last, was a grand success. Miss their parts in the programme, which con-Lindsay, teacher, deserves credit for the sisted of choruses, recitations, duetts, The many friends of Mr. B. Binclair Orchestra contributed music before the programme commenced and Rev. W. J. Taylor was chairman for the occasion. At the conclusion of the programme

which was well lended down-The annual Christmas Tree entertainment of the Presbyterian Church Sunday Mrs. J. F. Binclair, who has been Echool was held on Monday evening in confined to her bed the past few weeks the church and was well attended. Rev. W. H. McCracken was chairman for the programme, which consisted of opening chorus, recitations, duetts, drills and a solo by Elden Lambert, which was encored. The conclusion of the programme was enacted by the scholars in a welldirected play on the birth of Christ, the shepherds, and the wise men follow-

John Gunby, of Nelson Township, tives. Mr. Gunby is in his 80th year, by the ladies of the congregation and the Jos. E. Pencock has been appointed Banta Claus from the tree.

manager of the curling rink, and John players, who are anxiously waiting for the The many friends of Rev. J. N. Mc-

Paul, who has been confined to his room

Stratford branch of the Bank of Comstock branch of the Bank.

On Wednesday afternoon the Women's end on the storm sewers, and unemplay- John's Church took place at the home Institute met at Mrs. Jas. Barden's home ment, so far as Milton is concerned, is of Mrs. John Lister. read an appeal from the Travellers' Aid are pretty well assured now of their

OAKVILLE The many friends of George II. Corn-

his condition is causing anxiety. yesterday morning.

Nancy, are leaving on Baturday for rance, of Alliston. Atlantic City and will go on to Miami, Florida, where they will spend six weeks, during the week-end.

John Buckle, of Brantford and William Foreman, of Detroit, were fatally injured when their cars collided a few miles

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Duncan, King Street, had the misfortune to have her leg broken last week. She had gone the holidays. the corner of Roynolds and Colborne Streets for the evening paper and was struck by a truck.—Record.

Jas 'L. Hewson is much improved in last Priday evening and attended the health after her recent illness.

Lowville debaters visited the Y. P. B. of St. John's Church and won the first the inter-church debates for young

Quite a large number of Oakville purchased about a dozen fully accredited the oratorical championship.

For several days the skating rink has Staff of THE PREE PRESS." been flooded and it was hoped there would be skating for Christmas. The hockey season is due to open before the THE KEY WHICH UNLOCKS MANY new your.-Blur.

TO CORRESPONDENTS

Owing to the holiday coming on Thursday THE PREE PRESS will next week be published on Wednesday. Please mail your correspondence a day earlier next week in order that we may be sure of securing it in time for publication that week. Your assistance will be appreciated.

PRE-INVENTORY SESASONABLE BARGAINS IN USED

FARM EQUIPMENT 1-Clare Bros. Magnet Range

Miss Lydia Caldwell is home for holi-

. The Presbyterian Christmas entertainment, on Monday evening, was very successful, and so was the United Church ing. The conflict in dates was unfor-

ROCKWOOD

Miss Iona Oakes, of Brighton, is visit- Santa Claus put in his appearance and distributed the presents from the tree

J. F. Little, W. Johnstone and Miss ing the star and offerings of gifts. At Agnes Scott, attended the funeral of her the end of the programme Mrs. (Rev.) W. H. McCracken was presented with a brass muffin dish and brass cake tray from the choir and mission band. Afterwards the gathering repaired to the basement where refreshments were served distribution of Christmas presents by

Christmas music and sermons were enyoung people enjoyed skating. Manager Randall has been appointed manager of joyed by the congregations in the Jas. Hurren has been working long hours the arena. Both are tousily engaged churches on Sunday. At the Presbyterian Church, Mr. Gordon McPhall, of Eden and evening.

Mills assisted the choir both morning Miss Barbara Pick, of Pergus, was a recent week-end guest with Mrs. Hanna

and Miss Gladys. A joint meeting of the Women's Aux Mr. A. J. Bloane, an old Milton boy, lliary was held in Guelph last week and manager for the past five years of the attended by members from St. John's Church here. Miss Irene Isaac, of Midmerce, has been transferred to the Wood- Japan, was present and gave an interesting address. Also the December meet-Gangs of men are working in the east ing of the Women's Auxiliary of St.

The annual meeting of the Young People's Boclety of the United Churcht was held last week and officers elected for the coming year. The society has been supporting two native missionaries. one in China and the other in India for some years.

The schools closed on Monday for the wall, McDonald Road, will regret to learn holidays and the Continuation scholars that he suffered a stroke on Tuesday and held their Literary meeting Monday aftermoon. Our teachers who have been After a brief illness John Dearing, away during the past term are home well-known and highly esteemed resident once more: Miss Edna M. Pearen, of of Trafalgar Township died at his late Dundas; Miss Lovena Richardson, of Milresidence, Dundas Highway, near Palermo | ford Bay; Miss M. Milroy, of Brampton; Mins Margaret McNabb, of No. S. B., Mrs. B. E. T. Ellis and daughter, Quelph Township; and Mr. George Tor-

> Miss Elnore Rudd, of Pergus, was here Mrs. McMahon, of Detroit, Mich., visiting her sister, Mrs. Herb. B. Dyer.

Messrs. Prod Day, Pred Hosking, Arneast of Oakville on the lake shore highway old Wanless, Harry McPhedran and alster, last Priday. Four other persons were in- | Mias Elizabeth, of Toronto University, are home for the holidays. Also Mr. II.

Helen Duncan, little six-year-old Hosking, of Queen's University, Icingati Mr. and Mrs. Will Hosking and family are at Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hosking's for

Mr. Johnston Hewat, of Simcoe, was home for the week-end Dr. E. P. and Mrs. McCullough and We were pleased to report that Mrs. Miss Marion, were visitors in the village

> United Church Sunday Behool entertain-Rev. John Little and J. A. Little were in Holstein Monday attending the furi-

eral of Mras Robert Altkin. The many friends of Mr. Edward B. people motored to Toronto, Monday even- Jolliffe, of Toronto, will be pleased to ing to witness the athletic display by hear of his success in securing the 1930 the Appleby school boys in Hart House. Rhodes Scholarship. Only a few years S. G. South and Son, sixth line, have ugo he attended Quelph C. V. I. and won

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Witty young people, always entertaining, are in demand, of course, for young folks, like older ones, like to be amused. Prequently these useful members of soclety are less popular, however, than those who cannot tell a good story, but who are quick to see the point and to laugh at another's jest. Appreciation is the key which unlocks more doors than any other. Do not pity yourself for lacking brilliancy if you know how to appreciate others, and how to express that

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Anited Church of Canada

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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28 11.00 a. m.-The Minister. Bubject: "Memories that Bless and Burn," 2.30 p. m.—Sabbath School. 7.00 p. m.-'The Minister. Bubject:

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