NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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

CEDARVALE

Friends of Eddie Hawes are sorry to hear of his illness in the Guelph hospital and they wish him a speedy recovery.

We wish the editor and the many Free Press readers a Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

Mrs. J. Reed spent the week-end at her home at Orton.

The Cedarvale W. I. held their December meeting at the home of Mrs. E. Wood on Wednesday of last week. The roll call was an exchange of Christmas gifts. The scripture was then read. After the business was dealt with plans were made for another euchre party in the near future. Also plans were made to get flowers and boxes of fruit for the sick. The following program was presented: reading, Mrs. Waldie; paper, What Christmas Means To Us All, by Mrs. A. Griffin. Christmas carols were then sung; poem, Mrs. Cunningham; instrumental, Eleanor Griffin; reading, Mrs. D. Hurren; a Christmas contest, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. W. Henderson being the winner. The meeting was then closed with the National Anthem after which the hostess served a delicious lunch and a social time was enjoyed.

LIMEHOUSE

Officers for 1946 elected at the annual Women's Missionary Society meeting of Limehouse Presbyterian Church on Thursday included: President, Mrs. H. Norton; 1st vice-president, Mrs. E. Sanford; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. E. Miller; secretary, Mrs. A. Benton; treasurer, Mrs. E. Miller; supply secretary, Mrs. A. J. Smethurst; glad tidings secretary, Mrs. A. Norton; home helpers secretary, Mrs. J. Newton; literature secretary, Mrs. S. Glaby. Twelve ladies attended the meeting held at Mrs. J. Newton's.

In Limehouse Memorial Hall on Friday evening, Miss Jean Ruddell and her 18 pupils put on a splendid program of recitations, dialogues and plays to a capacity audience. A musical play "Father Time's Musical Review" included a number of choruses, solos and scenes illustrating the passing of the seasons, as well as an Irish jig by one fair lassie. In spite of the fact that only a short time had been spent in practicing Rhythm Band numbers, they served to climax the whole show. Towards the close, chairman A. W. Benton called Miss Ruddell forward and Margaret Spitzer and Kay Norton on behalf of the pupils presented her with a black leather under arm bag, to which she fittingly replied. Santa Claus arrived in time to distribute the gifts from the large tree and sweets to the little folks.

Mr. Alex Wright was home from Toronto one day last week.

Mr. Bill Newton was home from Barrie on Sunday.

Sapper Jack Miller, recently home from overseas, has been visiting his uncle, E. Miller.

Mr. Heatherington, field man of Halton Federation of Agriculture set up his equipment in Limehouse Memorial Hall on Wednesday afternoon for the school children and again in the evening for adults. Four films were shown in the evening, the development and harnessing for hydro electric power in Ontario; "Early Start" showing the experiences of a junior farmer and his pure bred holstein calf; a health film; and "Ducks Unlimited" in technicolor. A social time was spent at the close. We look forward to these educational films being resumed early in the new year.

May we wish the editor and his staff the compliments of the season.

Canada's trade with China is important. In 1939, we imported a total of $2,775,861 and exported $2,636,386; these figures excluding gold.

CAMPBELLVILLE

Friends of Mrs. Howard Lush surprised her Saturday evening on the event of her birthday. Euchre was enjoyed by all.

No. 1 School Farm Forum visited Lowville Farm Forum last Monday evening.

LAC Ronald McPhail of Camp Borden visited with his parents over the week-end.

OAKVILLE

Ollie Johnson was elected president of the Oakville Post Canadian Legion at the annual meeting.

Three war brides were guests of the Angela Bruce Chapter, IODE, at the December meeting held with Mrs. Maurice Lunan presiding.

The Oakville Lions Club held a very successful ladies' night at the Crofton Villa, Cooksville, last Friday night, on the occasion of their Tenth Anniversary.

Surgeon-Commander Chesley M. Oake who was recently demobilized is taking a specialty course in Industrial Medicine at the University of Toronto, prior to resuming his practise next spring. Record-Star.

ROCKWOOD

Wednesday evening last week, members of the Presbyterian Church held a pre-Christmas congregational supper in the basement of the Church which was much enjoyed by those who were present. After full justice was done to the good things on the tables to satisfy the inner man, a brief period of recreation followed when community singing was conducted by Rev. Dr. McIvor with Mrs. J. Freeman at the organ. Christmas carols were to the fore, then games were indulged in, followed by a distribution of treats for the young folks as well as a gift for the minister and his help meet. All left for their homes after a pleasant evening spent together.

As a result of the cold spell over the week-end, church attendance was somewhat affected, only a few venturing out for services.

Miss Edith Royce, R.N., of Toronto was home for the week-end.

As mentioned in last week's news, in connection with the Continuation School Concert, Miss Frances Gibb's name as pianist, she is also in first year Continuation School.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to Editor and Staff of the Acton Free Press and all its readers.

GEORGETOWN

Heading the Georgetown Curling Club as president for 1946 is Fred Thompson.

Home from England where she has served for a year with the British Civil Nursing Reserve, Mrs. Maurice Dixon has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Graham, R.R. No. 2, Georgetown.

Every kiddie in the district is invited to be on Main Street on Saturday, December 22nd, to receive a package of nuts and oranges. Santa Claus is making no promises this year about candy, for even he has his troubles with sugar rationing but if any is available, he'll have it.

Fire, believed to be started by defective wiring, gutted the B. A. Service Station on the Highway early Monday evening. The service station operated by Harry Graham, was badly damaged inside and Mr. Graham lost goods and equipment valued at $1400. The loss is partially covered by insurance. The fire was first noted by a group of girls, who told Mr. A. Speight, a neighboring garageman, who turned in the alarm. The fire brigade had the fire under control in a matter of minutes after arriving on the scene. Herald.

OFFICERS OF W.M.S. OF KNOX CHURCH ELECTED FOR 1946

Knox Church W.M.S. held their monthly meeting at the manse on December 13th. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. F. Blow, who addressed the Society, thanking the members for electing her president for another year.

The devotional period was opened by Mrs. E. J. Hassard. The remainder of the period was interspersed with readings, sentence prayers, and the singing of several Christmas carols. The secretary and treasurer's reports were given.

Mrs. Buchanan and Mrs. E. Barr were appointed a nominating committee at the last meeting. The report on the election of W.M.S. officers for 1946 was submitted by Mrs. Buchanan, as follows: President, Mrs. F. Blow; 1st Vice-president, Mrs. E. J. Hassard; 2nd Vice-president, Mrs. Geo. Murray; secretary, Mrs. H. Montgraze; treasurer, Mrs. R. M. McDonald; mission band leader, Mrs. N. McEachern; assistants 1st, Mrs. Jas. Massey, 2nd, Miss Bella Rozell.

Secretaries home helpers, Mrs. C. Hansen and Mrs. McLellan; welcome and welfare, Mrs. F. Anderson; literature, Mrs. A. B. McLean; supply, Mrs. W. Masales; press, Mrs. Corlett; corresponding, Mrs. F. Wright; library, Mrs. R. P. Watson and Mrs. A. Robinson; glad tidings, Miss H. Wallace; life membership, Miss A. Stalker; pianist, Mrs. R. F. Thomson and Miss Wallace; program committee, Mrs. H. Allison.

Season's Greetings

May this holiday season bring happiness to all your homes. We thank all for past kindnesses and for the future we pledge to continue to serve you in the best possible way.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

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GENERAL INSURANCE and REALTOR

Christmas Greetings
and
Best Wishes
for the New Year

TALBOT'S HARDWARE
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Rogers, Majestic and Edison Radios
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Most lines of merchandise are in short supply but we have a large assortment of available lines on display. Shop early for best selections.

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Still Doing Business In the Old Stand

Although our garage building and equipment suffered considerably in the fire on Saturday morning, we are doing our best to maintain service to our many customers. We ask your consideration to meet these circumstances and hope to soon have our premises back into condition to give our normal service.

We wish to take this opportunity of thanking all who assisted during and after the fire on Saturday morning. Thanks a million.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL

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HOUSEWORK WANTED
Woman will do housework, pay by hour.
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NOTICE
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HAROLD SKILLING
Phone 234w Main St., Acton

FOR SALE
1 pair ladies' skates and boots size 6, practically new.
F. J. SALT,
Phone 170

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Water spaniels, ready to wean. A nice Christmas gift.
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ROOMS FOR RENT
Rooms for rent with separate cellar, house for rent. Acton Hydro.
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One pair ladies skates and boots, size 7. Apply
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Phone 37r22 R.R.1 Acton

CHRISTMAS TREES FOR SALE
A choice assortment of Christmas trees available at KINGSHOTT GROCERY, 75c and up.
KANIS AND SONS,
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NOTICE
For plumbing and furnace repairs see
R. O. STAPLETON
Phone 226 Church Street
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RADIO FOR SALE
Viking Radio (Mantel Model) in A1 condition operates from 6 volt battery, replaced by electric model.
WALLACE SWACKHAMER,
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NOTICE
Lot 26, Concession 2 Esquesing Twp. Owing to the cutting and theft of trees on this property, trespassers will be prosecuted.
JAMES BREEN
R.R. No. 4, Acton

LOST
2 hounds, somewhere in the vicinity between Georgetown and Acton. One white, black and tan, the other blue tick. Either communicate with RUSS McCLURE, Brampton or CLIFF McCLURE, Georgetown, Phone 395r2

FOR SALE
Farm, 3 miles from Acton, 75 acres (45 acres workable, balance bush and pasture). Rough-cast house. Good barn and buildings. Double garage and driving shed. Silo. 2 Chicken houses.
K. KOSKOWSKI,
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Solid brick house, 8 rooms, Georgetown. Hydro and furnace. Large lot 50 x 150. Close to schools. Taxes only $12.19. Wonderful bargain. Contact
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Phone 332 Georgetown

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Cockerels suitable for breeding in the following breeds, New Hampshires, White Leghorns, Barred Rocks, Light Sussex, White Rocks, Black Australorps. When writing please advise us where chicks were purchased. Apply
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Township of Esquesing
A meeting of the Municipal Electors of the Township of Esquesing will be held in the
Council Chambers, Stewartown
MONDAY, DECEMBER 31
1945, at 1:00 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices of Reeve, Deputy-Reeve, and Councillors for the year 1946. At the same time and place, nominations will be received for members of the school board of Township School Area No. 1.

In case more than the necessary number of candidates are proposed and seconded, and a poll is demanded, said poll will be open from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 5 o'clock in the afternoon on Monday, January 7th, 1946.

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