Personals

Friends will regret to learn that Mrs. Pentland, mother of Mrs. J. K. Gardiner, suffered a fractured hip and is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph.

Mr. W. J. Clayton, Jr., together with Dr. S. J. Hopkins and Dr. J. B. Hinch of Toronto, were guests of the Medical and Dental Centre, 11.00 am. Subject, The Man and Washington, D.C., last week.

Mrs. Theron Jones entertained at Tee on Thursday afternoon last for the wives of the 1949 Council. Also included were Mrs. Chas. Leatherland, Mrs. Arlof Dills, Mrs. John McGeachie, Miss Jessie Walker and Miss Vtola Waller, Mrs. Jones was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Gillard and Mrs. Albert VanGils.

Engagements

The engagement is announced of Verna Irene Coxe, daughter of the tate Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Coxe, Campbellville, to Henry Kron, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Kron, of Arkell. The wedding to take place December 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. William D. Mac-Gregor, Guelph, announce the engazement of their elder daughter, Marjory Elizabeth to Clifford Lyman Young, D.V.M., only son of Dr. and Mrd. Benjamin D. Young of Campbellville. The marriage to take place January 7th in St. Andrew's Presbytetian Church, Guelph, at 3 o'clock.

CHRISTMAS SOCIAL AT KNOX CHURCH SO-ED CLUB MEETING

On Wednesday evening of last week the So-Ed Group of Knox Church held a Christmas social in the classroom when the tastefully decorated tables made a festive background for the program. Rev. R. H. Armstrong and Russell Patterson conducted devotional exer-

clacs and carol singing was enjoyed. The spirit of Christmas was awakened by the following stories: "The Legend of the Christmas Rose" and "The First Christmas Tree" read by Marguerite Roazell; Van Dyke's "The Other Wise Man" by Inez McLellan and "Scrooge's Christmas" from Dickens "Christmas Carol" by Bill Mainprize.

Musical numbers included vocal solos "There Came a Little Child to Earth" by Bella Roszell Martin Luther's "Cradle Song" by Crawford Douglas; "No Room in the Inn" by Kathleen Finlay; "O Night of Peace by Clarence Coles and "The Three Kings", a trio by Night of Peace" by Clarence Coles and Albert Robinson harp selections "Silent Night" and "Joy to the World by Mrs Wm Hall and a piano solo. Padrewski's "Minuel"

by Mrs Wm. Gowdy. First prize for a contest entitled "Christmas" went to Rev. R. H. Armstrong while Olive Musselle and Bella Roszell tied for second The prize poem entitled "The Night Before Christmas" was written by Mrs. Fred Anderson Mrs Wm. Hall, Mrs. E. J. Hassard and Mr. George Musselle while the cleverest line was supplied by Miss B. Rudolph.

A generous lunch of Yuletide fare brought the evening to a

OFFICERS NAMED FOR UNITED CHURCH WOMAN'S ASSOCIATION

The regular monthly business meeting of the Woman's Association of the United Church was held at the home of Mrs. C. Pickett on Tuesday. The president, Mrs. Moore presided and was also in charge of the devotional "The Savtor's Birth Foretold." Roll call was answered by a verse of Scripture.

A donation was given to the Sunday School and cards will be sent to the sick and shut-ins during the holiday season. The Association also purchasing a glass top for the new communion table. Several Christmas carols were sung and Mrs. B. Veldhuis and Miss D. Simmons favored with a duet. Mrs. A. Fryer gave a reading and Mrs. D. Lindsay conducted a contest. One new member, Mrs. O. Robbins

was welcomed to the Association The meeting closed with the Mizpah Benediction. Mrs. Pickett, assisted by Mrs. Moore, Miss Ben-- nell and Miss Simmons served a Christmas lunch and a social time

was enjoyed. Officers for 1950 are as follows: past president, Mrs. James Moore: president, Mrs. Wilderspin; 1st vice-president, Mrs. H. Burns; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. D. Drysdale; secretary and press secretary. Miss E. Hawthorne; treasurer. Mrs. E. - Jennings: corresponding secretary, Miss E. Hawthorne: church housekeepers, 'Mrs. J. Ralston, Mrs. Mc-Auley; visiting, appointed each month; parsonage, Mrs. J. Moore, Mrs. L. Agar, Mrs. N. Lambert, Mrs. B. Veldhuis: pianist. Mrs. A Fryer; assistant planist, Mrs C. Pickett; quarterly board representative, Mrs. J. Moore.

Thurch News

Antted Church of Canada Acton, Outside REV. LOUIS PRODUCKING Parsonage Bower Avenue Miss O. M. Lampard, A.T.O.M., Organist and Choir Leader

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19th, 1949 10 00 a m.—Sunday School.

7.00 p.m.-Candlelight Service. Program by the Sunday School. All are Cordially Invited

Presbyteriun Church in Сянири KNOX CHURCH, ACTON REV. ROBERT II. ARMSTRONG M.A., Minister

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18th, 1949 1100 am - Morning Service 1215 p.m. Sunday School 700 pm - Evening Service shall renew their strength."

Mautist Church ACTON

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18th, 1913 10.30 a.m.-Sunday School 11.30 am -Will Christ be You: Saviour or Judge

Friday, December 16 4.15 p.m. Mission Band; 800 pm, BYPt Monday, December 19th - Sunday School Christmas Tree and

St. Alban's Church (Anglican) Roctor—Rov. W. G. Luxton, R.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18th, 1949 Fourth Sunday In Advent 10 00 a m. - Sunday School. 11.00 am. Holy Communion, Beginners' Class 7(0) pm - Carol Service and

> Christmas music A Welcome Awaits You

Varied Docket At County Court Held in Milton

Pleading guilty to a charge of obstructing a police officer by making a statement he knew to be false in reporting his cer stolen. Arnold Switzer, Streetsville, was assessed \$50 and costs of \$34 or two months in jail when he appeared before Magistrate Kenneth M. Langdon in County Magintrate's Court here last week.

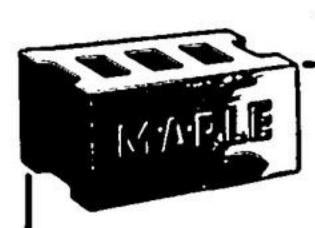
Provincial Constable J. A. Mc-Niven, told the court, accused reported his car to have been etolen Later information disclosed Switzer had planted the car for the purpose of collecting insurance, the officer testified, adding it was located on Five Bideroad east of Highway 25

"It is a serious matter to report cars stolen, and it puts the Ontario Provincial Police to considerable trouble. This is too serious to They that wait upon the Lord suspend sentence," the Court remarked as the fine was levied.

> Eugene Theriault, 21, of Oakville charged wih having carnal knowledge of a 15 year-old girl, was referred to Oakville court Bail was set at \$1,000 Clifford Lawrence. Bronte was also remanded to Oakville court when he appeared charged with rape against a Trafalgar Township woman. Bail; was set at \$1,000.

Floyd Barkwell paid a \$50 fine for causing a disturbance at an Acton Dance, a week ago. Corp. Ray Mason testified accused asked to be locked up after he warned him while kicking at a door in the Town Hall. Later he was found to be fighting" As a result of this disturbance a half a dozen fights broke out," the officer said.

Charles C. Horton, was assessed \$10 and costs of \$8.50 or ten days when he pleaded guilty to being drunk on December 3. Constable R. Forester testified he found accused in an intoxicated conditon at a local restaurant.



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Bishop Attends Confirmation at St. Alban's Church

The first visit to St Alban's of Niagara, Right Rev. W. E. Bagconfirmation service when twenty- ows: four candidates were presented. The Bishop was assisted in the service by Canon S. A. Kirk, of St.

George's Church, Guelph, Rev. M Robinson of St. James Church, Hamilton and the Rector, Rev. W. after motor trouble had developed. G. Luxton. The Junior choir sang during the offertory. Following the service a reception was held in the Parish Hall. Mr. T

> ed the Bishop to the parish on behalf of the parishioners. Mrs. George Chapman presided at the tea table and members of the Evening Guild served refreshments.

FAMILY NIGHT BY MISSION GROUPS AT KNOX CHURCH

The Senior Auxiliary of the W.M. S held a Family Night on Friday evening. December 9th, when members of the Children's Department -Explorers and Mission Bandwere present.

The children conducted the worship service, taking as their theme "The Christmas Story".

Awards were presented for regular attendance at Mission Band to the following: Ella Janey, Norma Sinclair, Anne Mapleaden, Fay Mc-Eachern, Rhona McEachern, Margaret Armstrong, Jill Hayden, John Maplesden, Ron Dolmer, and Colin Holmes. These were presented by Mrs. Mainprize, Senior Auxiliary President

As a gift from the Senior Auxillary, Mrs. R. M McDonald, the Treasurer presented to Betty Edna Sinclair, president of the Explorer's Group, a Junior Life Membership certificate and pin.

To Joan Hodge of the Explorers, Mrs. A. J. Buchanan presented an award for the best scrap book on China, the study topic for 1949.

Three short sound films were shown, "Teddy Bears Picnic". "Honey Land" and "Children of Japan" The latter gave the background information on the country showing children at school, church and play.

Mrs. Anderson, president of the Y.W.A. closed the meeting with prayer.

The committee in charge served refreshments taking the form of a Christmas party which was enjoyed by young and old.

Halton Police Honor W. I. Dick At Dinner

W. I. Dick, K. C., of Milton, retired Crown Attorney for Halton. was Wednesday night honoured by the Halton County Police Association at a dinner held at the

Estaminet, Burlington. During the evening Chief Constable liarvey liunt, of Nelson Township, president of the association, presented a gold mounted walking stick to the man who had; been Crown Attorney for over 45 years until his retirement at the beginning of this year. Engraved on the side were the words, "Presented to W. I. Dick with the compliments of the Halton County Police Association," also bearing the date Mr. Dick made a reply in which he expressed deep feeling at the gesture of the police with whom he had been associated so long. Chief Constable John Derry, of Dakville and Chief Constable Lee J. Smith, of Burlington, also made brief speeches.

Cellophane was first made in Germany and France.

As a new candidate in this field for Council, I was very disappointed the way the election was handled. Good voters coming to the Poll and finding they had to go to some other booth and others lining up in the cold and walking away in sheer disgust just | for the lack of room. Yet we have! ample floor space in the Town! Hall where it could be divided into four polling booths and with double signing tables so as to eliminate the waiting around for someone who may be just a bit

The time between nominations and election is too short. It does | not give a new candidate a chance to be known. It just semed to me that the old Council was in an swful big hurry to get the election over. I hope the new Council will put these things in order by the next election.

Georgetown Put in New Slate in Municipal Election

In one of the largest municipal parish of the newly-elected Bishop votes ever recorded in Georgetown, the electors of that town on Monnall, D.D., took place on Wednesday day returned all new municipal ofevening of last week. A large con- ficials except two of last year's gregation was present for the Councillors. Results were as foll-

Mayor: Harold Cleave, 912; Alex. MacLaren, 580.

Reeve William G. Marshall. .143; John Armstrong, 353. Deputy Reeve: Kenneth McDonald, 1016; James Goodlet, 493.

Council (two elected in each ward): G. McGilvray, 257, William Tuck, 185; Harry McCumber, 155; G. Jones, people's warden, welcom-A Herbert, 135; Mrs. Joseph Emerson, 41. Ward two: Harry Hale, 378; Norman IIIII, 343; Cedi Daviduin, 192; Charles Ladwidge, 85.

> Ward three, Frank Petch 209; Thomas Lyons, 198; E. R. Magloughlen, 193 Thomas Sykes, 182, Sydney Orr, 118; R W Whitmee,

Referendum on general voting or by wards: For general voting, 809;

Hydro commissioner (one elected): E. W. Binkley, 619; Bruce McKenzie, 498; Ernest Rawson 266; Alfred Delleaulieu, 53

THANK YOU!

To the electors of Erin Township for the loyal support accorded me, in electing me as a member of the 1950 counc.ly it is a confidence that I will do my best to merit.

Wishing one and all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

J. A. Swackhammer

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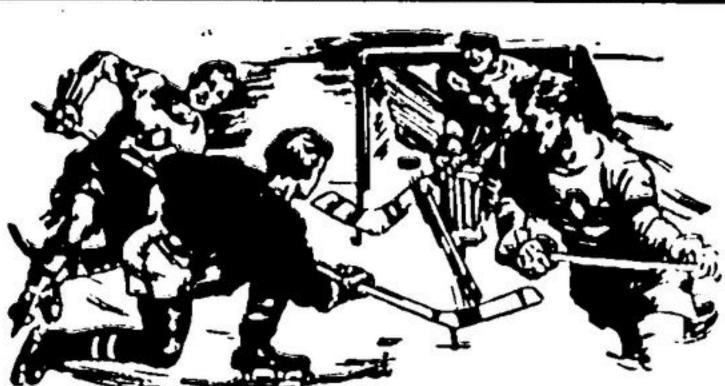
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