

Notice to Creditors AND OTHERS

In the estate of Duncan Neil McTavish, late of the Township of Erin, in the County of Wellington, Gentleman, deceased.

All persons having claims against the Estate of Duncan Neil McTavish, late of the Township of Erin, in the County of Wellington, Gentleman, who died on or about the Eighth day of October, 1952, are required to send particulars and proofs thereof to the undersigned before the Third day of January, 1953, when the assets will be distributed among the parties legally entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims which shall have been filed.

DATED at Acton, Ontario, this Fifteenth day of December, 1952. C. F. Leatherland, Acton, Ont., a-24-3 Solicitor for the Executor.

Notice to Creditors AND OTHERS

In the Estate of Eleanor Agatha Arnold.

All persons having claims against Eleanor Agatha Arnold, late of the town of Acton, in the County of Halton, Widow, deceased, who died on or about the Seventeenth day of October, 1952, are required to send particulars and proofs thereof to the undersigned before the Seventeenth day of January, 1953, when the assets will be distributed among the parties legally entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims which shall have been filed.

Dated at Acton, Ontario, this Twenty-fourth day of December, 1952. C. F. Leatherland, Acton, Ont., Solicitor for the Executrices. a-26-3

11,836 motor vehicles and 18,640 bicycles were stole in Canada in 1950, and 11,600 motor vehicles and 15,244 bicycles recovered that year.

EVERTON Many Visit During Christmas Season

Mr. and Mrs. John Alton spent Christmas in Guelph with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patten and Diane.

Holiday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fountain and family were Mr. Jim Fountain, Ottawa; Mr. Ted Fountain, Guelph; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Grill and family, Alliston.

Christmas Day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. T. D. McCutcheon were Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCutcheon, Kitchener and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jestin and Bobby.

Mrs. McAllister spent Christmas Day at the home of her brother and family, Mr. Archie Malloy, Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gilbank and Wendy spent Christmas holidays with Rev. and Mrs. Andy Lawson and family, Toronto.

Mr. Duane Robertson, London, spent Christmas with Mrs. Suter and Mr. Hugh Black.

Boxing Day visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jestin and Bobby were Mr. and Mrs. Tudor Beaumont, Georgetown; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McKay and Mr. Allen Thompson, Guelph; Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCutcheon, Kitchener and Mr. and Mrs. T. D. McCutcheon.

Christmas Day visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Horstopp and family were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Horstopp, Rockwood; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Patterson, London; Walter Fisher, Mount Pleasant.

Boxing Day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Alton were Mr. and Mrs. Bev Hepburn and family, Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Murray, Guelph, were Christmas Day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Head.

Christmas Day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Wes Lillie were Mr. and Mrs. Ken Smith and family, Guelph and Mr. and Mrs. E. Small.

ROCKWOOD Service Candlelit On Christmas Eve

Wednesday evening, the candlelight service at St. John's Church was well attended despite unfavorable weather.

The processional hymn commenced with "O Come All Ye Faithful," followed by the congregation standing during the service, Christmas hymns and carols were sung with different ones in the congregation reading portions of scripture relative to the birth of Christ, in between numbers.

Rev. Ralph E. Price gave a short address previous to communion service followed by junior members of the choir singing, "Away in a Manger" and the service concluding with the recessional hymn, "Hark the Herald Angels Sing."

The interior of the church was nicely decorated with red ribbons and evergreen. Candles were in the windows along with those in the five chandeliers overhead.

Christmas morning at 10 a.m., Rev. E. Price conducted a brief communion service.

Two funerals A cloud of gloom was cast over the community last Sunday due to the fatal accident that befell two of our young men returning home from Toronto.

The funeral of Farr W. Trimble took place last Monday in Guelph, Rev. John W. Oliver conducting the services and interment was at Woodlawn cemetery.

The funeral of John Bacon was held Tuesday morning at Sacred Heart church and was largely attended. Rev. A. S. Callaghan conducted the service. Pallbearers were Ivan Kelly, Fred Leung, Fred Hanson, Kenneth Milne, Kenneth Hunt and Allan Dodd. Interment took place in Oustic cemetery.

Christmas Day passed off quietly in town. Family reunions took place here and there.

Holiday visitors in town: Mr. Ralph Ewers from the west; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Guthrie and daughter of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Milne and babe of Acton; Miss Elizabeth McPhedran of Orangeville; Miss Frances Jolliffe, R. N. Welland; Miss Joan Stout, Toronto; Mrs. Ahmie McKinnon, Guelph; Mr. and Mrs. Cuthbert Carson of London, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Greer and family, Aldershot; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Day and family, Hamilton; Mr. Roy Day, Brantford; Miss Veronica Franck, R.N., home till after New Year's; Mr. Paul Franck is spending some time with his mother, Mrs. G. Franck; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Patterson, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kirvan and babe, Hamilton; Mr. George Waller, Queen's University, Kingston; Mr. and Mrs. John Wylie and daughters of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Laing and sons of Guelph; Mr. and Mrs. Wynne Dunbar and family, Guelph road.

Congratulations to Rev. and Mrs. Charles Green (nee Joyce Waller) on the birth of a son, Stephen Charles, at City Hospital, Saskatoon, Sask.

Congratulations to Rev. James Neave and Mr. George H. Pearson, who celebrated their birthdays during the holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Young spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. August Young in Guelph.

Christmas Vespers - Sunday evening, the C. G. I. T. class of girls of the United church and leaders, Misses Pearl Hamilton and Gladys Hanna, held a national Christmas vesper service, which was well attended. Dorothy Pringle had charge of proceedings, with Miss P. Hamilton and Rev. J. W. Oliver on the platform. In between numbers, readings of scripture by members of the class and also vocal selections by a trio, were enjoyed. Also during the service, a candle lighting ceremony took place with members of the class on the platform.

Rev. J. W. Oliver also gave a brief address during the service. Two members of the class took up the offering with D. Pinder offering the prayer of dedication. The service closed with another Christmas hymn and benediction by Rev. J. W. Oliver.

Mrs. Mary McLain and sons spent Christmas with her parents out of town.

POUNDRING THE SPORTS BEAT with A. Vengeance

WITH ICE in the arena and the cold weather acting as if it might linger awhile in these parts, the minor hockey program should be off to a good start sometime next week. Acton has entries in O.M.H.A. Juvenile, Midget and Bantam. Also operating will be the town league, an eight team circuit that took 150 odd boys under its banner last year.

Baxter Labs, at present heading the Georgetown Industrial League, will also play games in Acton this season. Include skating and the arena should be a pretty busy place in the next few weeks although the lack of any major hockey is standing out like a sore thumb.

Good things are expected of the Juvenile entry in the O.M.H.A. this semester. Some of the lads who have been playing junior hockey in Georgetown and still of juvenile age are expected to sign with Acton since the Junior Raiders disbanded. That includes Red Anderson who's been playing goal and Bob Rumley, presently on the shelf with injuries.

Four lads from Milton are expected to make the team and with the addition of the home town boys who have been playing in the town league the past two years, Vic Masters, who's handling the coaching reins, could have a winning club to attempt, but their success in the league ladder since most of the kids have had experience playing in the town league and some very good prospects are shaping up.

It's quite an extensive undertaking for the Minor Sports Club to attempt, but their success in other years should supply the incentive. Few towns have the services of such a club to keep minor sports active and the citizens of Acton would not be remiss if they handed out a few verbal messages to encourage them in their work.

Notice to Creditors AND OTHERS

In the Estate of John Given.

All persons having claims against the Estate of John Given, late of the Township of Erin, in the County of Wellington, Retired Farmer, deceased, who died on or about the Twenty-eighth day of November, 1952, are required to send particulars and proofs thereof to the undersigned before the Seventeenth day of January, 1953, when the assets will be distributed among the parties legally entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims which shall have been filed.

Dated at Acton, Ontario, this Twenty-fourth day of December, 1952. C. F. Leatherland, Acton, Ont., a-26-3 Solicitor for the Executrix.

OSPRINGE Christmas Visits Reunites Families

Mr. Wm. Stubbington is spending the holidays with his daughter, son-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Storey at Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fines and Doris had their family home for Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henderson and daughter of Belwood; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Ferguson and children, second line.

Mr. and Mrs. Muriel McCutcheon and Muriel spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Elias Hall and sons, Cedar Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson had as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. I. Jackson, Everton; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson, Acton; Mr. and Mrs. Angus Jackson and children of Guelph; Mr. and Mrs. Ken Stubbington and children, first line.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Archibald and family spent the day with relatives at Oakville.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Young and Marilyn had as their guests: Mr. and Mrs. Norman Robertson and Glenice; Mr. and Mrs. Vic Patrick, Acton; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Robertson and Alan, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Robertson, Guelph; Mr. and Mrs. Ken Robertson and Lynda of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Robertson and Brian.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McKenzie had Christmas dinner with the former's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Griever, Guelph township, and supper with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glassford, Hillsburgh.

Mr. Errett, and Miss Ada Currie attended the wedding of Warren McMillan to Ruth Podallock at Whitby on Saturday.

Miss Jean Howard of Ryerson Institute, Toronto, is holidaying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard. On Christmas Day they motored to Brantford and spent the day with relatives.

Mrs. Calvin Evans and girls of Campbellville visited on Friday with friends in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bapiste spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith at Mr. and Mrs. Earl Van Norman's in Acton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McKinney and Warren were guests of friends in Toronto for Christmas.

Miss Elveng Winter of Oustic spent a few days with Mrs. W. J. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leitch, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Leitch and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Leitch visited their father, Mr. John Leitch at Mrs. Wm. Miller's, Erin, on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Awrey had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Albert Awrey, Roy and Bert of Mimosa; Mr. and Mrs. John Awrey and Ruth of Orton.

Christmas and week-end guests with Mr. and Mrs. J. Struthers included Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Struthers, Acton; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Struthers and Terry, Preston; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Struthers, Erin; Mr. Bob Barbour, Mrs. Robert McCutcheon, Erin; Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Aitken, Harriston.

Mr. and Mrs. David Stewart had as their Christmas guests, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Tovell, Owen Sound; Mrs. Don Tovell and Peggy, Durham; Mr. George and Miss Marion Rennick of Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Craig and Joan of Georgetown spent Christmas with the latter's father and brother, Messrs. R. and J. Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Klooster and family had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klooster and family, Guelph township; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Klooster and family, Orangeville; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Klooster and family, Mr. S. van Klooster, Erin; Mr. Clarence Spikfan; Mr. Joe Boarsma, Hillsburgh; Miss Trudy Bodegom, Orangeville; Miss Tini Klooster, Acton.

Annual value of the tourist industry in Huronia is estimated at \$15 million and it is the district's second biggest industry, being surpassed only by farming.

As the bells ring in the New Year... our wishes ring out for a happy 1953 to one and all. JOHN CALDER CHURCH ST. ACTON

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