

# Candle-Lighting Ceremony Christmas Party Highlight

Eden Crest and Eden Mills Institutes joined together for their annual Christmas party Monday evening in the education room of the United Church. With Mrs. W. Lauby at the piano, Christmas Carols were sung followed by a skit by Mrs. B. Roy and Mrs. H. Gilbertson entitled Age of Woodens. Two teams were formed and charades were the next number.

Mrs. J. Hamer in her capable way entertained the ladies with two comic readings. A candle lighting ceremony followed with these taking part: leader, Mrs. W. Lauby, Mrs. R. Roy, Mrs. E. Perry, Mrs. F. Cowell, Mrs. J. Gilbertson, Mrs. E. Woodhouse, and Mrs. T. Barden lighting the Candles of Love, Faith, Confidence, Understanding, Forgiveness and Humility.

A candle's but a simple thing It starts with just a bit of string. Yet dipped and dipped by patient hand, It gathers wax upon the strand, Until complete and snow white, It gives at last a lovely light. Life seems so like a bit of string— Each deed we do a simple thing. Yet day by day if on life's strand We work with patient heart and hand, It gathers joy, makes dark days bright, And gives at last a lovely light.

Santa Claus and Yogi Bear's arrival portrayed by Mrs. Alicia Martin and Mrs. Betty Marshall brought rounds of applause. After the exchange of gifts, a delicious buffet supper was enjoyed. Mrs. D. Beatty thanked the Committees for a wonderful evening. Lucky Cup was won by Carol Powell; Birthday, Betty McLean.

Mrs. Dr. Kingscott and Mrs. Cliff Abram left for a two weeks' vacation in Bermuda.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McLean were in London for a few days, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Francis.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Wright were Mr. and Mrs. M. Vincent and son, Mimico and Mr. Jack Greenlaw and daughter Janice, Whitby.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Barnes and daughter Barbara, Brooklyn, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Milno.

Mr. Ogg McLean, Brantford, spent the weekend with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. William McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. H. MacPherson and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. MacPherson, Acton, were in St. Thomas, Wednesday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. John MacPherson.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Wilson were in Kitchener Sunday, guests of Mrs. Tilton.

## OSPRINGE

### Arm Caught in Gravel Crusher George Lang is in Hospital

George Lang met with a nasty accident early Thursday morning when his right arm was caught in a gravel crusher. He and other workmen were getting the crusher ready for the day's work and he tried to brush some frost off, when his arm became caught.

He was rushed to Guelph hospital, where surgery was performed. His condition is reported as good as can be expected but he suffers considerable pain and weakness from loss of blood.

**Friday Euchre**  
Ten tables were in play at the euchre on Friday evening, sponsored by the Women's Institute. Prizes for high scores were won by Mrs. E. Archibald and Mr. Colin Parker. Lucky cup was won by Mrs. Ed Stewart. Person coming the farthest was Mr. Donaldson from Orton.

Miss Joanne Smith of Dunnville spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Smith.

Little Julie Archibald, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Archibald, was able to leave the Guelph hospital on Sunday, following a 10 day stay with a severe bronchial cough.

**Successful Sale**  
Mr. and Mrs. Carman Griffin held a successful furniture sale on Saturday. They have sold their house on the Second Line to Mr. and Mrs. Dakin of Toronto, who gets possession this week. The Griffins are returning to Mishawaka, Indiana.

Mrs. Roy Parker and son Douglas of Campbellville visited on Sunday with D. G. and Mrs. Robertson.

**Awards Night**  
Several members of the Girls' 4-H Homemaking Club and leader Miss Doris Fines attended the 4-H club banquet and awards night at Guelph on Thursday evening.

Election returns for Eden Mills Village Trustees were Peter Ortleb, Herbert Gilbertson and Harvey Tuffin.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gilbertson, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Gilbertson spent Sunday at Paisley, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Muir.

### EVERTON

#### Weekend Visitors Of Local Interest

Misses Patsy and Nancy Jestin spent the weekend at Brantford with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hunter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hancock of Terra Cotta are spending the winter with the latter's brother, Mr. Charles Hamilton. Mr. and Mrs. Alf Couling visited on Sunday in the same home.

Mr. Roy Hindley spent the weekend with his son Dan and family, Hillsburgh.

Mrs. Harry Hortop, Elizabeth and Nancy and Miss Donna Bruce spent Saturday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dolmer and Evelyn spent the weekend in London with Ronnie Dolmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hortop, Elizabeth and Nancy visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Palfraiman and Mrs. W. H. Hortop, Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jestin visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McKay and Mrs. E. McCuen, Guelph.

Mr. Ken Fountain spent the weekend at Alliston with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Grill.

—The Paulette shop had a very successful sale on the weekend. The store was jammed.

## Gifts Presented Show Directors

Black faced minstrels from Acton Lions Club played to capacity audiences during their three night stand at the Robert Little school auditorium last week and during their final night Friday, 100 patrons were turned away from the jam-packed auditorium.

The popular show, playing for the second year, drew plenty of applause from the excited audience. The minstrels, under the direction of Ruth and George Musuelle, reflected hours of practice and planning.

At the conclusion of the Friday show, the cast enjoyed coffee and sandwiches served by members' wives. Ruth and George Musuelle and pianist Dave Benham were presented with gifts. Phil Bebel, chairman of the show, expressed his appreciation to everyone taking part and assisting in the success of the event.

## Peter Dunham Has "Gigi" Lead

When Guelph Little Theatre's latest production, "Gigi" opens there next Wednesday, Acton's Peter Dunham will step on stage as the leading man, Mr. Dunham, who has 10 years' of theatrical experience in England behind him including Shakespeare, hasn't done anything on the stage for the past six years, living in Acton. Now he has been given the part of the wealthy philanthropist Gaston in the charming French comedy, adapted from a novel by Colette by Anita Loos. He has been practising three nights a week and Sundays with the Guelph group.

**Will be Judged**  
The play has a three night stand and on the final night, next Friday, an adjudicator will be there to judge it for the Ontario Drama Festival. If it places, it will be rejudged at a drama festival in London in March.

There's a cast of seven representing five nationalities. The part of Gigi is taken by former Montrealer Daphne Wynans, an ex-ballet dancer who was prevented by an injury from joining the famed Sadlers Wells ballet company in England. She lives in Guelph now with her husband and two children.

After several unsuccessful attempts to interest Actonians in a theatrical production, Mr. Dunham has joined the Guelph group which has its own workshop. The play will be given December 12, 13 and 14 in the O.A.G. War Memorial Hall. Mr. Dunham has tickets for sale.

## LIMHOUSE

### School Opening, Visits Illness, Death Reported

Visitors:  
Miss Karen Kehler of Guelph spent a few days with JoAnne Post a week ago.

Miss Marjory Hall of Acton with her aunt, Mrs. Lane one day last week.

Mr. Everett Shapland of Kemora and Messrs. Charles Lottman and Perry Webster of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. Ron Moore one evening last week.

Mr. Bill Sanford home from Sudbury over the weekend.

Those away include:  
Mr. and Mrs. Kirkpatrick and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Turner and Carol to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Donald, Elmwood on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Scott and children with the Wheelers at Hillsburgh on Sunday.

We extend sympathy to Mrs. John Glynn in the passing of her father, Mr. J. W. Dalziel, aged 87, at his home at Woodbridge on Wednesday.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Wm. Mitchell and Mrs. M. Bental are both hospitalized in Georgetown, but wish them return to health soon.

We are pleased that the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford McDonald was well enough to leave hospital in Georgetown on

**Libs in Fog**  
Halton's Liberals, like the rest of us, were "in a fog" Friday night. Their annual meeting, which was scheduled for Friday at the Milton Town Hall, had to be called off because Oakville and Burlington roads were completely fogbound. The meet has been rescheduled for this coming Friday night, December 7 at 8:30 p.m. — provided there is no more fog.

—The fog which blanketed Toronto for a week and smothered the Grey Cup game moved up here this week. Drivers were comparing stories of terrible conditions. Business trips were fouled up.

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## Eden Mills

Election results from Eden Mills show village trustees elected Peter Ortleb, Herbert Gilbertson and Harvey Tuffin.

## December 1

At dusk on the first day of December Christmas lights went on outside homes all over town. The balmy weather made the job of lacing evergreens and porches with colored bulbs a novel pleasure. The subdivisions scored highest in Christmas readiness, but the older sections of town were lit up, too.

Cue seems to come from the main streets, arched with the twinkling lights of the Chamber of Commerce display.

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Your vote on Monday, December 3rd, re-electing me for another term was most appreciated and I wish to thank you for your confidence in me.

Season's Greetings to All

**WALTER LINHAM**

**SINCERE THANKS**

TO THE RATEPAYERS OF ESQUISING TOWNSHIP FOR SUPPORTING ME AT THE POLLS IN THE RECENT ELECTION.

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