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Christmas Shopping Edition

Santa's Headquarters



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GEORGETOWN—YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING CENTRE

This Christmas shopping issue finds the Herald pages filled with advertisements of Christmas merchandise offered for sale by your local merchants. It is good merchandise . . . it has to be good, because repeat purchases come only from satisfied customers and a small town merchant does not do a transient trade, but builds his business on the good will of the people of town and district. Check their values and compare them with those offered in larger centres. And remember too that when you shop at home, you not only keep local money in local circulation, but you save those wearying shopping trips to the city plus the cost of your trip.

For your added convenience most local stores will be open every evening next week until 10 p.m. and all day Thursday.

County Elections

Election in almost all of the Halton municipalities this year were keener than usual, with large numbers of candidates in the field and contests for the top offices, which always brings out more voters.

Amos Mason won the honour of being Acton's first mayor, Acton having incorporated as a town. He defeated F. J. McCutcheon. Both men were former Acton reeves and Mr. Mason is a Halton Ex-Warden. Reeve E. Tyler and Deputy-reeve William McLeod were both accorded acclamations and council members are John Greer, Raymond Thompson, John Hargrave, Thomas Nicol, L. Hotchen and William Roszell.

In Milton Dr. C. H. Heslop was given an acclamation as mayor and K. C. Holdsworth as deputy-reeve. Last year's reeve, Kenneth Dick defeated Carl Martin, a member of North Halton High School district board in the election for reeve. Councillors elected were Harold Whewell, Victor J. Norris, Frank Thompson, Mervin Ezeard, Bruce C. McNab, and Charles R. Anderson.

James R. Black is Oakville's mayor by acclamation and E. R. Lauder deputy-reeve. The election for reeve, with the town's two newspapers each supporting a candidate drew much interest and last year's deputy, H. S. Litchfield defeated veteran reeve Phil Chambers. Councillors are Jack Isard, Fred Turner, L. McArthur, James Cooke, Robert Freeman and Robert Edwards.

Nelson voters, apparently objecting to the erection of a new school at Lowville, ousted the whole 1948 council with the exception of John McNiven who was elected reeve, defeating deputy-reeve Elmer Foster. Edgar Eaton is the new deputy-reeve and councillors are George Thorpe, Fred Walker and C. L. S. Palmer.

Burlington's vote was light, with nine men seeking the six council seats and all other offices filled by acclamation. Winning councillors were George Haswell, Mel Howden, John Stott, Mel Hartman, Cassidy and Ferguson.

The two northern townships, Esqueping and Nainagaways hold their elections later in the year.

Erin Township also voted last week, Albert Wheeler being elected deputy reeve. Goldwin Burt is reeve by acclamation. Councillors

are Harold L. Griffin, Arthur Swackhamer and George C. Wallace.

Trustees elected in Hillsburgh police village were Messrs. Awrey, McConnell and Rodgers.

Lions Have Ruhnke as Farmer Night Guest

Georgetown Lions Club was host to district farmers at their meeting last Tuesday, when a special Farmers' Night had been planned by the program committee. Several farm representatives were entertained at the dinner meeting in the McGibbon House and afterwards the meeting adjourned to the township hall at Stewarttown where an open invitation had been extended to everyone to hear Professor G. H. Ruhnke speak on conservation.

Guests at the dinner meeting were Reeve George Currie and Deputy-reeve George LeBlanc and the executive of Norval Junior Farmers, Fraser McNabb, president; John McClure, vice-president; Howson Ruddell, secretary, and Floyd Bridgen, treasurer.

Mr. Ruhnke's talk was preceded by a movie "The Life of the Soil". A well-known authority on conservation, he based his remarks on the theme that town and country must work together for sensible conservation of our natural resources. He was introduced by Alex. MacLaren, one of the leading conservation exponents in the county and thanked by Keith Barber, the club treasurer. Lion Chief, J. L. Lambert was chairman for the evening.

Jack Armstrong led a sing-song with Mr. MacLaren at the piano and coffee and sandwiches were served by wives of the club members.

At the dinner meeting Fred Schultz outlined final plans of the Christmas Tree committee. It was decided to entertain the ladies at the next meeting which will take the form of a Christmas party.

SANTA'S VISIT TO THE HILLS KIDDIES

Children from town and district gathered in force Saturday morning at Brill's for Santa Claus. Each child was given an Uncle Wiggily book by the merry old gentleman.

United Church Ministers Ask Temperance Course

Halton Presbytery of the United Church, at its meeting in the Orange Hall at Hornby on December 8th, decided to request the Ontario Department of Education to institute a course in scientific temperance into Ontario schools similar to that now in force in British Columbia as an obligatory part of the curriculum. The Presbytery supported a resolution of the Evangelism and Social Service committee deploring the commercial use of the Milton arena for pockey practice and other paid activities all day Sunday.

Church members were called upon to refuse to patronize raffles, draws and other games of chance, so matter for what worthy cause. Bingo is considered to be a kindergarten for gambling.

Rev. C. R. Albright was chairman for the meeting and Rev. J.

W. Stewart and Rev. A. O. W. Foreman conducted worship. An instructive address on home mission needs was given by Rev. Dr. R. T. Richards of London. Plans were made to serve unchurched areas, particularly near Burlington. Rev. Dr. Harold Young spoke on preparations for the 25th anniversary of church union. He reported some increase in the number of candidates for the ministry, but the supply is still far from adequate.

Christmas Party for Institute Ladies

The December meeting of Georgetown Women's Institute was held in the Oddfellows Hall last Wednesday evening, president Mrs. H. C. Bailey in charge. A donation of \$25 was made to the Sick Children's Hospital and \$5.00 to the Star Santa Claus Fund. A committee was appointed to arrange for a January euchre. The work of the

Florida Honeymoon For the Herbert Dolsons

booth committee during the summer netted a good sum of money and a vote of thanks was moved for their work. A number of Christmas hymns were sung and Mrs. Chester De Forest sang two Christmas solos and Mrs. Harold Cleave read a Christmas story. A penny sale of small articles brought by members was held, the money to be used for Christmas cheer for shut-ins. A social hour followed over a cup of tea.

The committee in charge of the evening was composed of Mrs. A. Livingstone, Mrs. E. Gowland, Mrs. Fred McNally, Mrs. Harold Cleave, and Mrs. Fred Sinclair.

Brampton Baptist Church was the setting for the wedding on Saturday, December 3rd of Ruth Annette Hutchinson, daughter of Mrs. Hutchinson and the late Dr. Frederick S. Hutchinson of Brampton and Herbert Francis Dolson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dolson of Georgetown. Rev. Earl Cameron performed the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her brother-in-law, John R. Funston, the bride wore a gown of white suede lace over satin, with fitted bodice, long sleeves and circular train. Her finger-tip veil of white net was held in place with a halo of lace which matched her dress. She carried a cascade of red roses and statice. Mrs. John Lyons of Cheltenham, and Miss Lois Groat of Brampton were bridesmaids and the bride's cousin, Miss Kathleen Frankum of Harrison was maid of honour. They were gowned alike in pale green taffeta with fitted bodices and full skirts, matching headdress and gloves. They carried similar bouquets of yellow, Hibbert and Tallman roses.

The groom was attended by John Lyons and ushers were Howard Dolson, brother of the groom and Arthur Hutchinson, cousin of the bride. Mrs. Hull of Erin was soloist.

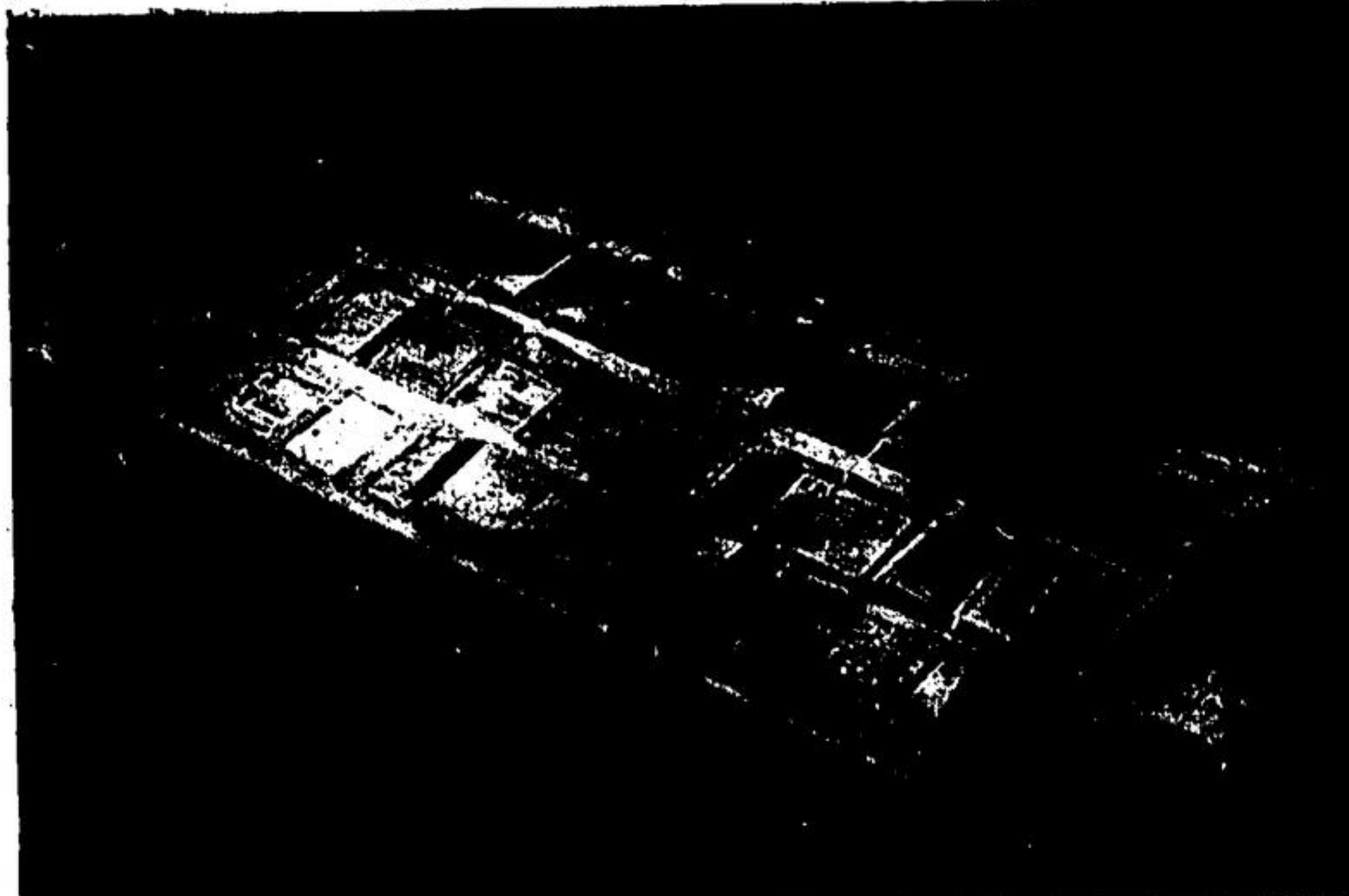
At a reception which followed in the church parlours, the bride's mother received wearing purple Chantilly lace over taffeta, grey accessories and a corsage of Hibbert roses. Mrs. Dolson, the groom's mother, assisted, wearing rust tissue faille with lace trim and matching accessories and a corsage of Hibbert roses.

The bride and groom left on a motor trip to Florida, the bride choosing for travelling a wine coloured ensemble and wearing the groom's gift, a grey squirrel neck-piece. They will reside on the groom's farm near Georgetown.

Motor Licence Store Locates on Mill Street

M. H. Moyer, who will operate the new motor licence agency here has rented premises on Mill Street from Freeman Karpay and will open the office for business on January 3rd.

U.N. Drafts Traffic Convention



Tackling world road traffic problems, a U.N. conference has agreed on an international road traffic convention which eventually would help motorists in all countries. The convention suggests the adoption of a simplified international

driving permit which would be honored everywhere. The above exhibit of driving permits issued by 48 countries shows the necessity of reaching some form of simplification and greater uniformity in driving permit requirements.