

## EMANCIPATION HAS DRAWBACKS LADIES MUST TELL THEIR AGE

Ladies in town will think that assessment commissioner Joseph Gibbons is getting nosier and nosier when he makes his rounds this year.

Heretofore, Mr. Gibbons has confined questions about the delicate matter of age to generalities . . . between 20 and 35, 35 and over, etc. which satisfied him for his record purpose and did not cause too many little white lies among the female population.

Now the lid has blown off! Instead of these vagaries, next year he will come right out with it and ask the specific age of every female in town.

But ladies, don't blame it on Mr. Gibbons. Don't even blame it on the county assessor or the Dept. of Municipal Affairs from whom this order springs. Blame it, if you must, on the emancipation of women. Wearing slacks, smoking in public, political office, equal pay have all come your way, and the crowning achievement came last year when the government decided to let you serve on juries.

You thought it was a great idea at the time. But little did you realize that there was a hidden hurdle. In order to prepare the proper information, you must tell your age.

Jurors, you see, must be of voting age, 21 or over, and cannot be over the age of seventy. So there it is, ladies. You asked for it and you got it.

On the subject of jurors, it might be interesting to outline the procedure which is followed. In the town voters list, the letter "J" should appear opposite every man who is qualified for duty. (And commencing next year, every woman.)

The town clerk selects a given number of names prior to a court session, these are forwarded to the court, and groups of names from all municipalities are put in a hat and the required number chosen. Only one excuse is allowed for not turning up when called as a juror -- a doctor's certificate that the man is unable to appear.

There are some classifications of occupation which are exempted from duty. The main ones include ministers, lawyers, doctors, dentists, druggists, veterinarians, firemen, hydro and telephone employees and newspapermen. Also exempted are senators and members of parliament, sheriffs, policemen, the head of a municipal council, people under subpoena and members of the armed forces.

### SILVER-WOOD

#### Institute Members Host To Family and Friends

On Tuesday evening the members of the Silver-Wood W.I. met in the Stone School for their first Christmas party. Their families and friends were guests on this occasion which promises to be an annual event.

We are pleased to report that Harold Campbell returned home from Guelph General Hospital on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter of Toronto spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Corbett of Skole.

We are glad to see Mrs. Alex McKay home again from Guelph Hospital where she underwent a leg operation.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Miller visited friends in Rockwood on Sunday. Congratulations and best wishes to Mr. Bob Marchington and his bride, the former Helen Blackburn who were married last week.

Give 'The Herald' for Xmas.

### LIMEHOUSE

#### Christmas Meeting for Limehouse Institute

The annual Christmas meeting of the Limehouse Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. A. W. Benton on Thursday evening with seventeen members and seven visitors attending. The meeting opened with singing "Home On The Range" and repeating the "Mary Stewart Collect."

Library cupboards in the Hall were reported completed at a cost of over \$75 and considerable work done on books for the same. Donations of \$10 each were made to the Scott Mission, The Hospital for Sick Children and the Halton Children Aid Society and a Baby Bank Book was opened for \$1. Kirkpatrick reported that over \$63 was cleared from the bazaar, and Mrs. Noble reported a twenty pound food parcel sent an unfortunate family in England.

A committee was appointed to look after a community Christmas party with games and lunch.

Mrs. Frank Brown, convener of Home Economics was chairman for the program with vocal solos by Anna Spitzer and piano numbers by Neil Benton. Mrs. Ellerby enlarged on the motto "Home is the Anchor of Our National Life."

Speaker for the evening was Mrs. Batkin, district convener of Home Economics & Health, who reviewed the Chapter "Efficiency Kitchen", from "Bells on Their Toes."

Miss Ruth Brown told of her recent trip to Chicago as a member of a group of Junior Farmers and Institute girls and showed some souvenirs.

Miss Jean Ruddell gave the courtesies report. God Save the King and lunch finished off the evening after an exchange of 50c gift parcels.

We are sorry that Mrs. Fred Brown, Sr. is under the doctor's care. She has just returned from hospital in Toronto.

We are glad to see Mr. Sam Gisby able to be home after nine months in Sunnybrook Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Thompson attended the funeral of the late E. J. Henderson at Orangeville on Monday.

The James O'Rourke has arrived in Germany according to a letter received by his parents recently. Recent visitors include:

Mrs. Batman and Miss Ruth Batman of Manitoulin Island and Provincial Constable and Mrs. Van Zant of Cookville with the James Nobles.

Mrs. Box of Shanghai China, and Toronto and Mr. A. C. Bourne of Toronto with the Bournes.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Grieg and daughter and Mr. Wm. Grieg of Brantford at Miss Ivens on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cox of Hillsburgh with the Shelbournes.

Mr. Frank Miller with the Brock Millers.

#### Anglers & Hunters Have Banquet, Turkey Roll

Some forty members of the Anglers and Hunters Association met at the Oddfellows Hall last Friday to enjoy a mulligatawny stew prepared by Sam Tennant.

After the informal dinner, which was enjoyed to the full, the lucky draw was made for a rifle on which tickets had been sold for several weeks. Winner was James Timlock, Normandy Boulevard.

The latter part of the evening was spent in a turkey roll

### NORVAL

#### Friends Gather For 93rd Birthday Wishes

Belated, but none the less sincere birthday congratulations were extended this week to Mrs. I. Webster of Norval who on Sunday, November 25th celebrated her 93rd birthday.

For many years it has been Mrs. Webster's custom to hold "open house" on the day and many have been the good times enjoyed, highlighted by dance steps of long ago executed by Mrs. Webster and her younger brother, George Gollop who himself has just passed his 91st milestone.

This year Mrs. Webster did not feel quite up to the excitement at-

tendant on a full scale party and had planned to spend the day quietly. She did not reckon with the host of friends who remember the day, however, and so it was that more than fifty close family friends were present to wish her well.

The years have dimmed but little the enthusiasm for life which it has been Mrs. Webster's blessing to enjoy. Failing eyesight has somewhat restricted her activities, though she still has energy aplenty, and at a recent St. Paul's church bazaar her baking contributions arrived as they have always done. Her niece, Miss Prairie Maguire, makes her home with her in Norval.

She is truly a Norval pioneer, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Gollop being among the oldest settlers. Her husband, who died several years ago, was a skilled medical practi-

#### Robert W. Fox Prominent In School, Church Work

A brother-in-law of Mrs. Thomas Fisher, Charels Street, Robert Wellington Fox, 75, suffered a heart attack and died at his home in Milton Thursday morning.

Mr. Fox moved to Milton several years ago after retiring from farming on the 5th Line, Omagh. He had been prominent in church and school affairs in Milton, and served several terms as a public school trustee.

Mr. Fox is survived by his wife, Mary Elizabeth Wilson, who is a sister of Mrs. Fisher, and four children, Lillian, Mrs. D. Leach, Lon-

don; Ina, Mrs. J. N. Featherstone, Woodstock; Wilson and Marjion, Mrs. Bruce Berry, both of Toronto. He also leaves four sisters, Mrs. Flora Booth, Oakville, Mrs. Azalea Le Riche, Omagh, Mrs. Stanley Beatty, London and Miss Frances Fox, Hamilton.

The funeral service was held on Monday in Grace Church of England and interment was in St. Stephen's Church Cemetery, Bonyon.

—When purchasing that "special" Christmas gift, consult the Herald ad. You'll find better value for your money here in Georgetown.

tioner who was a doctor in Norval and Georgetown for many years.

Rings of style and beauty. My jeweler, L. A. Keuleman, Brampton.



## Santa says:

for easy shopping  
for the  
whole family

TRY...

## MacCORMACK'S FIRST

### for Her

BEAUTY KITS  
Elizabeth Arden  
DuBarry - Yardley  
\$5.00 - \$43.50

GIFT SETS  
Elizabeth Arden  
DuBarry - Yardley  
Max Factor - Bourjois  
Helena Rubinstein  
\$1.15 - \$15.00

PERFUMES  
Blue Grass - Tweed  
White Magnolia  
Shandra - Lotus  
Evening in Paris  
\$1.00 - \$18.00

COLOGNES  
Blue Grass - Tweed  
White Magnolia  
Yardley - Shandra  
Evening in Paris  
\$1.00 - \$4.00

BATH REQUISITES  
Talcum - Dusting Powder  
Bath Salts - Bubble Bath  
Yardley Lavendomeal  
Boxed Soaps  
A complete price range

DRESSER SETS  
\$6.95 - \$14.95

HAIR BRUSHES  
by Prophylactic  
\$1.95 - \$3.95

### PEN AND PENCIL SETS

BOXED CHOCOLATES  
Smiles 'N Chuckles  
Moir's - Neilson's  
55c - \$5.00

### for the Family

HEATING PADS  
\$7.95 - \$10.95

BORG  
BATHROOM SCALES  
\$10.95

BOXED STATIONERY  
50c - \$2.50

CAMERAS  
\$3.35 - \$27.75

KODAK CAMERA  
OUTFITS  
\$34.50 - \$64.50

PHOTO ALBUMS  
\$1.00 - \$3.35

### for the Children

BOOKS  
Many Old Favourites  
59c - \$1.49

STORY BOOKS

COLOURING BOOKS

PUZZLES

### for Baby

PULL TOYS  
BRUSH AND COMB SETS  
RUBBER TOYS  
BOTTLE WARMERS

PARKER - WATERMAN'S  
ECLIPSE - PARKER '51

### for Him

ELECTRIC RAZORS  
Sunbeam - Schick  
Remington

GIFT SETS  
Yardley - Lenthic  
Courtley - Astor  
Gillette Razor Sets  
\$1.25 - \$12.50

MEN'S FITTED CASES  
\$7.25 - \$9.75

SHAVING BRUSHES  
Simms - Rubberset  
75c - \$10.00

BILLFOLDS  
\$1.39 - \$9.50

CIGARETTE LIGHTERS  
Ronson - Presto  
\$6.50 - \$9.60

GENT'S HAIR BRUSHES  
Military or Club style  
\$1.49 - \$5.95

PIPES  
Dr. Plumb - Kaywoodie  
Yello-Bole - Rollit  
\$1.00 - \$6.00

TOBACCO POUCHES  
\$1.50 - \$2.75

CIGARS - CIGARETTES -  
TOBACCOS  
in tins and jars.

\$1.98 - \$26.50

XMAS WRAPPINGS  
Seals - Fancy Paper  
Tags - Tissue Paper  
Ribbon - Scotch Tape

## THIS WEEK . . . at Georgetown Arena

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON AND EVENING  
MEN'S CURLING

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13th  
Afternoon - LADIES' CURLING  
Evening - MEN'S CURLING

Friday, December 14th

### Hespeler at Georgetown

INTERMEDIATE HOCKEY - The Raiders gave Bridgeport a great game Saturday. Cheer them on to a win against Hespeler. 8:30 P.M. ADMISSION: 50c and 25c

TURKEY AND CHICKEN ROLL  
In the Rose Room after the game.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15th  
MORNING - "KID" HOCKEY  
PUBLIC SKATING AFTERNOON & EVENING

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17th  
Industrial Hockey - 3 Games for 35c

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18th  
KIDS' FREE SKATING AFTER 4  
EVENING - PUBLIC SKATING

COMING: FRIDAY, DEC. 21st - Walkerton at Georgetown

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