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Dear Friends:
North Pole,
Sept. 26, 1957

Christmas used to be fun for everyone, but the last few years, I've heard too many groans about the high cost. Most of the letters I get from you good people ask if there's something I can't do about it. So I've recruited the staff at Cotton Brothers as "Santa's Special Helpers" . . . and they've come up with a plan that will give everybody a real old-fashioned debt-free

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3. Balance shown in the account in the balance column may be withdrawn in merchandise or cash at member's convenience.
4. Christmas Club Accounts cannot be overdrawn.
5. Discount of 5% on all Gift Certificates purchased through Christmas Club funds.
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7. Above rules and regulations are subject to change without notice in writing.

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Veteran Newspaperman Johnston Started Career at Hillsburgh

Three veteran members of the weekly newspaper industry were recently named honorary life members of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association. The honorary memberships were presented at the CFNA's 38th annual convention at the Banff Springs Hotel.

Recipients of the CWNA's highest honor were Edward Westwood Johnston of the Fort Erie (Ont.) Times-Review, John A. Vopni of the Davidson (Sask.) Leader and Robert A. Giles of the Lachute (Que.) Watchman.

Born in Winnipeg in 1898, educated in public and high schools there, John Vopni apprenticed himself to the printing trade with "Lagberg," an Icelandic weekly, and was the means of starting his four brothers in the trade.

From 1921 to 1931 he operated a commercial printing business in Winnipeg.

In the spring of 1931 he purchased the Davidson Leader, which, under his management, showed speedy progress through Saskatchewan's depression years.

His community work has been notable through the intervening years. Included are: several terms of office as town councillor, mayor for 16 years, chairman of the hospital board, then secretary-manager of the hospital, secretary and then president of the Board of Trade; a director of the Saskatchewan Golden Jubilee Provincial Committee, and the Davidson Jubilee committee and various executive positions in other organizations. He is a past master of the Masonic Lodge.

John Vopni's efforts have always been directed to the activities of the weekly newspaper association, both national and provincial. He is a past president of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association and the Saskatchewan Weekly Newspaper association, as well as being manager of Prairie Publishers Co-

operative Limited.

His hobby is photography, and he is engaged in other business interests in Davidson.

R. A. "Bob" Giles was born in Montreal in 1893 and went to Lachute at the age of one where his father, J. S. Giles, worked for the Watchman.

Later the elder Giles purchased the paper and at 88 is still quite active and anxious to do his share. Bob started early and had his fingers in printing ink as a youngster in stove-pipe pants in the then small-Giles plant—working messenger boy, firing the old steam boiler and making himself generally useful during out-of-school hours. He officially became member of the firm in 1911 after graduating from Lachute Academy. Two sons John and Bob Jr. are now in the business with him.

Having spent more than 50 years in the trade, with the exception of three years service overseas during World War 1, Bob and the Lachute Watchman have been strong members of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association since it was formed. He was a director of the association for many years and was president in 1947-48. He is a past president of the former Ontario-Quebec division of CWNA and was secretary of the division for seven-teen years.

In 1955 he was awarded an honorary life membership in the Ontario Division of CWNA and is currently first vice president of the Quebec Division, having served as secretary of that branch.

Bob has always been active in community activities, some of which have been: president of the Lachute Chamber of Commerce; member of Boy Scout Association committees, master of the local Masonic Lodge, Grand Officer of the Oddfellows, president and secretary of the Lake Louise Fish and Game Club, president and secretary of the Lachute Curling Club, president of Branch No. 70 of the Canadian Legion which honoured him recently when he was presented with the Legion's Meritorious Service Medal.

The Giles (Bob married Peggy Gorman of Brighton, England, in 1923) have three children, Lorna, 32, John 28 and Bob Jr. 22.

Hobbies are curling in winter and in summer enjoying the island camps at Lake Louise, 12 miles north of Lachute.

The Giles family now comprises four generations, John Jr.'s son, Richard, being 14 months old.

Business in the Giles Publishing House Limited continues to flourish, with a French and English edition weekly and plenty of commercial printing to keep its 15 employees quite busy in the new and up-to-date plant erected a few years ago.

Born in Toronto in 1892, "Eddie" Johnston's first acquaintance with the art of printing began with his apprenticeship with the long since defunct Hillsburgh Beaver. From this point he moved to Fergus and continued his education in printing with the Fergus Canadian. When that paper was sold and absorbed into another local paper, Eddie moved with his family to Bridgeburg, now known as Fort Erie, where his father took over the Time-Review.

In 1902 Eddie took over the Times-Review from his father and in the years following built a newspaper publishing and commercial printing business which for quality is rated one of the best in Canada. His entries in the CWNA competition for commercial printing were consistent prize winners and he won the Leggo Trophy so often that the original trophy was eventually given to him for permanent possession.

Mr. Johnston was recently honoured by the Ontario Weekly Newspapers' Association as "Mr. Weekly Newspaperman of 1957." It was a disappointment to everyone in attendance at the O.W.N.A. convention that he was unable to attend due to illness.

FALL FAIR PRIZES

LADIES' WORK

Household Linens and Cottons:
Bridge set, Mrs. Oscar Locker, Rockwood, Ashgrove W.I. Luncheon cloth, Mrs. Sam Mileham, Ashgrove W.I., Mrs. Harold Faulkner. Initialled pillow cases, Ashgrove W.I. Crocheted pillow cases, Mrs. Wellington Wilson, Ashgrove W.I. Cross-stitch pillow cases, Mrs. A. Cole, Guelph, Ashgrove W.I. Dresser scarf, Ashgrove W.I. Vanity set, Silver-Wood W.I., Ashgrove W.I. Embroidered tea towels, Mrs. Wellington Wilson, Ashgrove W.I.

Crocheted Work:
Pot holders, Mrs. Wellington Wilson, Mrs. Sam Mileham, Ashgrove W.I. Chestfield set, Limehouse W.A.; Ashgrove W.I. Buffet or vanity set, Ashgrove W.I. Baby jacket set, Mrs. A. Cole, Guelph; Mrs. Oscar Locker, Rockwood. Handkerchiefs, Ashgrove W.I.; Limehouse W.A. Centrepiece, Mrs. Doug Ismond, Ashgrove W.I. Dolly, Mrs. Oscar Locker, Ruth Ismond, Mrs. Doug Ismond, Bedspring, Mrs. Irene Trimble, Mrs. W. R. Lawson.

Knitting:
Men's fancy sox, Mrs. E. Miller, Ashgrove W.I. Men's solid color sox, Ashgrove W.I. Mrs. A. Cole. Child's cardigan, Silver-Wood W.I., Mrs. E. Miller, Mrs. Dennis Brown. Child's pullover, Mrs. A. Cole, Mrs. E. Miller, Ashgrove W.I. Child's knitted suit, Mrs. Frank Smith. Baby jacket set, Mrs. A. Cole, Mrs. W. R. Lawson, Silver-Wood W.I. Fancy mitts, Ashgrove W.I. Mrs. Wellington Wilson. Knitted lace article, Ashgrove W.I. Child's mitts, Ashgrove W.I. Child's socks, Mrs. A. Cole and Ashgrove W.I. Child's cardigan special, Mrs. A. Cole, Mrs. E. Miller, Mrs. Dennis Brown.

Wearing Apparel
Ladies' pajamas, Ashgrove W.I. Afternoon dress, Ashgrove W.I. Practical apron, Mrs. A. Cole. Silver-Wood W.I., Ashgrove W.I. Fancy apron, Mrs. A. Cole, Limehouse W.A., Ashgrove W.I. Men's pajamas, Ashgrove W.I. Smocked dress, 3-4 years, Mrs. Wellington Wilson. Smocked dress 5 years and over, Mrs. Wellington Wilson, Mrs. A. Cole. Girl's skirt, Ashgrove W.I. Child's sleepers, Ashgrove W.I. Child's cotton blouse, Silver-Wood W.I. and Ashgrove W.I. Lady's hat Norval W.I.

Quilts and Rugs
Pieced quilt, Mrs. Oscar Locker, Mrs. A. Cole. Appliqued quilt, Mrs. A. Cole. Fancy quilt, Mrs. Oscar Locker. Pieced and appliqued quilt, Mrs. A. Cole, Ashgrove W.I. Hooked rag rug, Ashgrove W.I. Hooked yarn rug, Mrs. Oscar Locker, Ashgrove W.I. Braided rag rug, Ashgrove W.I.

Miscellaneous
Chesterfield cushion, Ashgrove W.I., Norval W.I. Mrs. F. J. Murray. Articles made from 1 square yard of material, Mrs. Doug Ismond. Sampler, Mrs. W. R. Lawson, Limehouse W.A., Ashgrove W.I. Quilt blocks, Mrs. A. Cole. Needlepoint, Ashgrove W.I., Mrs. A. Cole. Swedish weaving, Ashgrove W.I., Mrs. Sara Wright. Best collection, Mrs. Oscar Locker, Ashgrove W.I.

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Although forced to ease up following a heart attack about two years ago, Eddie is still very much on the job, editing the Times-Review and supervising the production of the high-grade printing for which his company is noted.

Interviewed earlier this year at the time of his recognition by the Ontario association, Eddie had some words of advice for the student-reporter who conducted the interview: "A young reporter should work on a weekly to get to know people and spend some time on a daily to learn to meet deadlines." Of weeklies, he said: "Don't mimic the dailies. Publish a hometown paper with its own personality." Edward Westwood Johnston, has followed this precept with well-recognized success.

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