

"Gates of Christmas" Theme for Program

"The Gates of Christmas" was the theme of the program presented in the 1007 Hall last Sunday evening.

Approximately 75 children and young people presented a Christmas program to the congregation of the Maple Avenue Baptist Church. Over 150 persons enjoyed the program that portrayed the story of Christ from the manger to the cross. A play put on by the young people climaxed the evening and showed the relevance of Christ today. The program itself was written by a Canadian Mrs. Ellen Triemer of Waterloo, and was presented in three parts, "The Gates of Heaven," "The Gates of Earth," and "The Gates of Life."

A Junior choir provided the background music and singing. A duet was sung by Wesley Palmer and Marie Woods, of Prince Charles Drive. Ralph Tripp of John Street East, played the main role of the play. Other characters were played by Bert Tripp, David Smallwood, Ken Goulet, Michael Hunter, Dick Page, Molly Ganton, Linda Thompson, Jesse Kent, and Dorothy Page.

MEMORIALS

EMERSON — In loving memory of a dear father and grandfather William Emerson who passed away December 27th, 1957. We do not need a special day to bring you to our minds. For the days we do not think of you are very hard to find. If all the world were ours to give we'd give it — yes and more. To see the face of father dear. Come smiling at the door. — Lovingly remembered by daughter Lorraine, son-in-law Stuart and grandchildren Darlene and Diane.

EMERSON — In loving memory of William Emerson who passed away December 27th, 1957. We who loved you, sadly miss you as dawn another year. In our lonely hours of thinking thoughts of you are ever near. — Lovingly remembered by son Jim, daughter-in-law Janet and grandchildren Dennis and Jane Anne.

HILL — In loving memory of a dear son and brother, Robert James Hill and a dear husband and father, Chester Hill, who died December 18th, 1952. The years are quickly passing. But still we don't forget. For in the hearts that loved you your memory lingers yet. — Ever remembered by Mom, sisters and brothers.

CARDS OF THANKS

CONN — I wish to thank the many friends who remembered me while I was a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph. A special thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Olney and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arnold for their assistance to my wife. — Ray Conn.

RED CROSS — Mrs. J. Ferguson and Mrs. J. R. Mills, the committee in charge of the Blood Donor Clinic held in Knox Hall last Wednesday, would like to thank all those who were donors at the Clinic. Their attendance was greatly appreciated.



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of candy were given out to the children and adults at the close of the program.

SEES TWO DEER ON NO. 22 SIDEROAD

Mr. Earl Scott encountered two deer crossing 22 sideroad one evening last week. One brushed his car, but neither one seemed damaged.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Scott on the arrival of a little son in Guelph General Hospital on Monday morning.

The annual Sunday School entertainment was held in the church on Sunday evening with a short program of recitations by Tuddy and Harry Brown, flute solos by Peter Glynn, vocal duets by Betty Ann and Mary Lou Brown, accompanied by Mrs. Bevet Benton, and Scriptural numbers by Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Crochton and Audrey James' classes. Mrs. Roughley presided at the organ for choral singing. Two films, covered by recent lessons were shown, read and explained by Rev. A. Calder. Pat Patterson was the chairman. Santa Claus handed out treats and gifts for the children, assisted by the Sunday School teachers.

Sympathy is extended to the family of the late Mrs. Robert Patterson, whose funeral was in Acton on Saturday.

Services on Christmas and New Year's at Limehouse Presbyterian Church will be held at 9:30 a.m. Communion services last Sunday were well attended.

We express the sympathy of the community to the Brown family in the very sudden passing of Mr. Fred Brown on Tuesday morning.

We wish the editor and the staff at the Herald a very Merry Christmas.

WOMEN'S FEDERATION CHRISTMAS MEETING

The Christmas meeting of the Women's Federation of St. Andrew's United Church was held on Wednesday, December 14th at the home of Mrs. George Stevens, Herway Drive.

Mrs. Trev Moores opened the meeting and the carol, "The First Noel" was sung by the members. Mrs. Moores then led in a devotional period after which there was a short business meeting.

The minutes of the November meeting were read and adopted and reports were read by Mrs. Merle Bridgen for the nominating committee and Mrs. Milton Armstrong on the successful bazaar which raised \$207.

The federation are catering for the first supper of the Men's Club on January 25th and the conveners are Mrs. Bridgen, Mrs. Florence Baker, and Mrs. Joan Baker. The ladies then concluded the meeting with a Carol singing.

The hostesses were Mrs. George Stevens, Mrs. Forsythe, Mrs. White, Mrs. Garland, Mrs. Ron Brighton, Mrs. Ogilvie, and Mrs. de Bruyn Kops. The next meeting has been planned for the 11th of January.

WORDS OF THE WISE
No furniture is so charming as books, even if you never open them or read a single word. — Sidney Smith.

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THE MAIL BAG

A Small Village With a Big Heart

R. E. I.
Terra Cotta

Dear Mr. Editor:
Terra Cotta is a small village with a big heart.

Friday night in the village hall a small group of people gathered with help of the Girl Guides and Brownies of the village, and in a few short hours they revived faith and hope in the heart of an 18-year-old boy which he, his parents, thought he had lost forever. They helped put a smile on John's face that had been missing for two-and-a-half years since his accident.

The presents he received were of little value compared to the warmth of friendship given to a boy whom they had never met before. Although he was unable to speak for himself, please accept his heartfelt thanks from this letter. I might add that the wonderful gift he received was given to him by the guides and brownies — an electric razor.

With the collection from these wonderful villagers they are buying John a transistor radio to fit on his wheelchair. So if you ever hear someone say that Terra Cotta is a small village — I repeat, it may be small but it has a big heart. Thanks to Mrs. M. Freeman (Brown Owl) and Guide Captain Mrs. McDonald for all their good work.

Mr. and Mrs. Rippon and family.

Forty Prizewinners "One-in-26" Draw

Some 38 prize winners were named when tickets were drawn Monday night in the Old Fellows Annual "1 in 26" Draw for a variety of prizes, the proceeds from which went into a fund for the Georgetown Hospital. George Glassford, Miles Budnack and Dorothy Shields won turkeys, John Doherty, Mrs. Sid Hulme, Joe Fry and Jim Fallow won chickens, Fred McNally, H. Johnson, Mrs. J. Russell and H. Chaplin won big checks, Mildred Allen, Jim Fallow, Mrs. P. M. Harber, J. Laymen, Robert Tost, P. Koopman, H. Palmer, Bill Chaplin, Doris Presswood, and C. Stevens won little checks.

Surprises (chocolates, cigarettes, etc.) went to H. Palmer, Doug Gallop, T. McDowell, Bob Fitzgerald, Joe Fry, E. Hax, Louise Ashley, Bill Hunter, Bob Lockhurst, Alf Collins, Doug Richardson, Bert Jones, Elda Briggs, Bud Gibbs and Roy Wiggins.

WORDS OF THE WISE
The wife of a carelessly man is almost a widow. — Hungarian proverb.



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Writes Score, Directs Operetta in Guelph

Dr. C. M. Wilson of Guelph, who is music director at Georgetown High School, received high praise from critics for an ambitious musical comedy which was presented for three performances last week.

This Happy Land was written by D. C. Jones and Dr. Wilson composed all the musical score as well as directing the show. A group of high school students were taken by bus one evening to witness a performance in the War Memorial Hall at the Ontario Agricultural College.

The operetta was praised by radio and newspaper reviewers, both for the musical score and libretto and for its performance by the Guelph Light Opera Company. Local people will hear some of the compositions at Talent Night at the high school which is planned in January.

Ladies Plan Lunch For Buffalo Visitors

The Ladies All Star Group is a busy group these days. The organization is an auxiliary to the men who sponsor competitive hockey for a number of young teams. At a meeting at the home of Mrs. Jack Presswood on December 14th, arrangements were made for serving lunch at Young Buffalo night on December 27th, also for tickets and a lucky draw for Weston Night in January.

The ladies have taken on the job of providing billets for visiting teams during the bantam hockey tournament Easter week, and so far 19 homes have volunteered.

More members would be welcomed by the group which meets next on January 9th at the home of Mrs. George Dickson, 20 Windsor Road.

Reeve Draws Prizes

Reeve Cam Sinclair made the draw for three transistor radios, prizes in a lucky draw sponsored by the North Halton Kart Club. The lucky winners were Allan Walker, Norman Shea, Norval, and Mrs. A. E. Watson of Hill 1, Caledon. Tickets were drawn at the club's regular meeting on Monday evening.

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Candlelight and Carol Service at Knox Church

On Sunday evening the CGIT and Explorer group of Knox Presbyterian Church assisted by the organist, Mrs. E. Gowland, and the choir presented a Candlelight and Carol vespers service.

The CGIT leader, Mrs. E. Fanning, led in the service of worship. The two scripture lessons were read by Darlene Walker and Karen Heave, and prayers were offered by Christine McArthur, Shirley Bludd and Philippine MacDonald.

The Christmas story, the Black Madonna, written by Margaret Applegarth, was read by the CGIT leader, Mrs. W. M. Fiegler. The choir sang the Anthem "Bethlehem" by Siskels, and the offertory solo "The Holy City" was sung by Mr. H. Ingram. The male quartet consisting of Messrs. D. Parker, H. Ingram, E. Kern and E. Gowland sang "We Three Kings."

The four candlelighters for the service of dedication were Julia McMillan, May McNiven, Diane Hutchison, Shirley Yaggart, Heather Hayes, Monica Andrea, Carolyn Cope, and Linda Outhbert ushered and took up the offering.

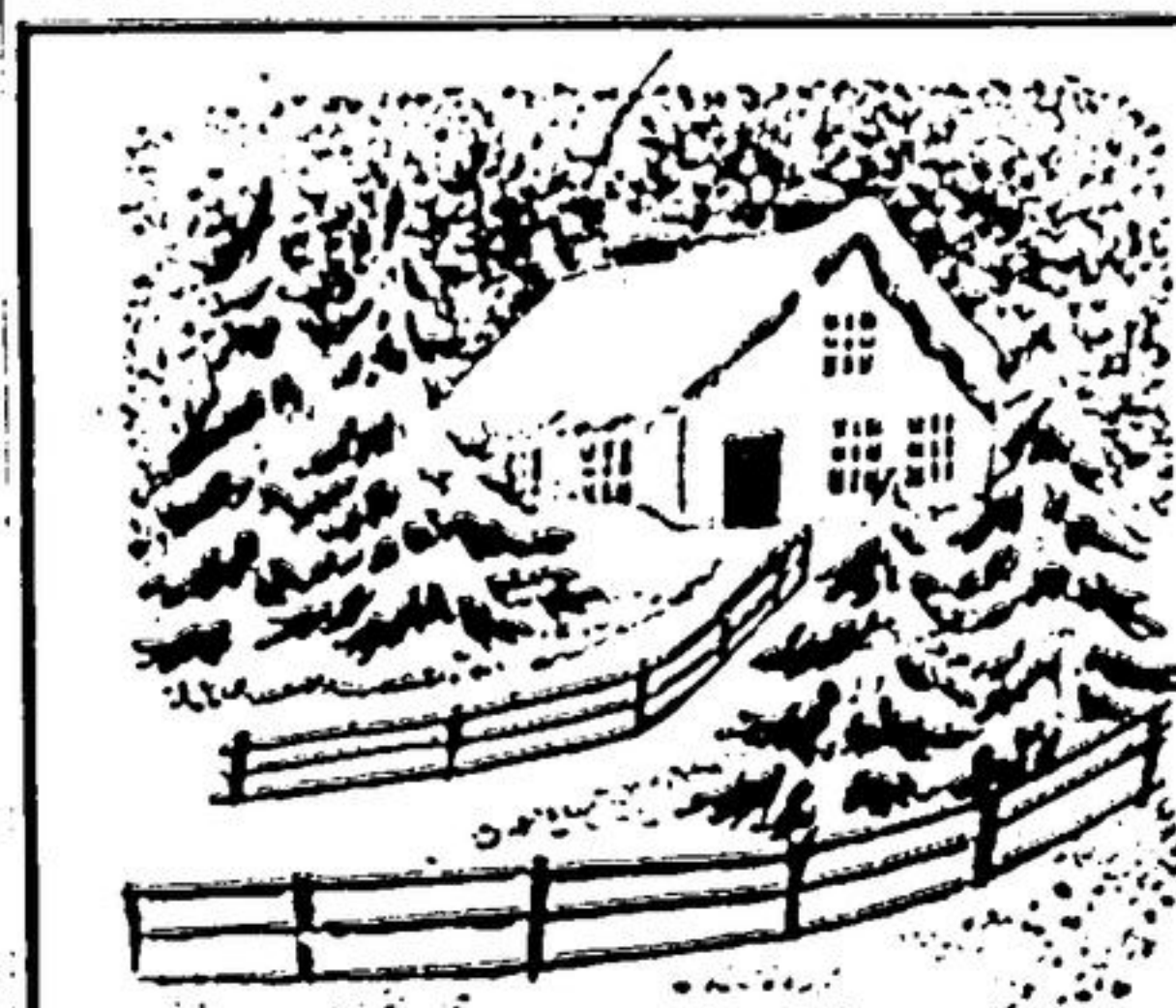


Greetings at this Holy Season... may it be a happy time for you.

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Midtown Dance Friday

Club Midtown is bringing in the popular Harvey Smith orchestra from Guelph for a Christmas dance on Friday, to which council, service club, parents and former club members are being invited. The club is expecting a good attendance in the River Room for a top evening of entertainment. There will be lucky dance prizes too.



It is our sincere wish that this Christmas season will bring health and happiness to your home!

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GEORGETOWN

CHRISTMAS EVE: SATURDAY, DEC. 24th
11.00 p.m.: Midnight Celebration of The Holy Eucharist

CHRISTMAS DAY, SUNDAY, DEC. 25th
11.00 a.m.: Holy Eucharist: Family Service
Boys, Girls Chorus — Meditation for Children



THE FEAST OF STEPHEN
MONDAY, DECEMBER 26th — THE FIRST MARTYR
11.00 a.m. — Holy Communion

THE FEAST OF ST. JOHN A. & E. — TUESDAY, DEC. 27th
10.00 a.m. — Holy Communion

HOLY INNOCENT'S DAY: WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 28th
6.30 a.m. — Holy Communion

THE FEAST OF THE CIRCUMCISION, NEW YEAR'S DAY
SUNDAY, JANUARY 1st, 1962
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