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ST. ANDREW'S JUNIOR - INTERMEDIATE CHOIR

St. Andrew's United Church held their anniversary service recently at which the dedication of the Junior - Intermediate choir gowns took place. The gowns are royal blue with white rounded shoulder width collars, tapering to a point at the back. Each collar has three pearlized royal blue buttons. The hats and bow ties were of royal blue also.

Middle row: Ann Gillis, Janet Stonehouse, Sarah King, Lynda Turner, Patricia Higgs, Eleanor Mitchell, Sherry McConkey, Eleanor Brown, Glenda Emerson, Lynda Findlay, Jane Ryder, Maureen Higgs, Marilyn Zorge, Dianne Ferguson. Front row: Sharon Bilton, Linda Higgs, Roxanne King, Carolyn Macklen, Susan Carwell, Patty Zorge, Sandra Armstrong, Karen Bridger. Absent: Jamie Flaud, Bronwen McKnight, Pamela Mayberry.

Board Honours Secretary, Retiring Member at Party

Lt. Col. Gordon Brown who retired this year as secretary of the Georgetown and District High School Board was the guest of the Board at their annual Christmas dinner December 14th at Spot on 7. The dinner also served as a man Fred Masterman, vice-bon voyage for the long time North Halton board secretary, Tom Niven, Jim Goodlet, Doug who will be leaving in a few days for a three months cruise.

Cheltenham Church Ladies Have Candlelight Service

A candle-lighting service was conducted in the home of Mrs. Dave Andrews by the women of Cheltenham United W.M.S. Mrs. H. Taylor opened the service and Mrs. Henry Carnwell read the Christmas story. The candle representing joy was lit by Mrs. George Frater; the one for love by Mrs. Roy Lyons. Mrs. Garner Wilkinson lit the candle of light and Mrs. George Wilkinson the one representing peace.

with the church, over Christmas.

A verse including the word "light" was recited by each member as she answered the roll call and Mrs. Roy Lyons read a paper entitled "Forgive us our Christmas". A report was given by Mrs. Russell Duke for the nominating committee and Mrs. Garner Wilkinson installed the officers for 1961, as follows: past president, Mrs. J. Modison; president, Mrs. F. Sharpe; first vice-president, Mrs. D. Andrews; secretary, Mrs. E. Strong; assistant secretary, Mrs. R. Duke; treasurer, Mrs. N. House; expenses treasurer, Mrs. W. M. Wilkinson.

Christian stewardship, Mrs. Gordon Catton; Christian citizenship, Mrs. Garner Wilkinson; literature secretary, Mrs. George Wilkinson; community friendship, Mrs. Frank Lyons; press secretary, Mrs. W. Martin; supply secretary, Mrs. M. Hayes; baby hand secretary, Mrs. B. La Rose; pianist, Mrs. N. House; nominating committee, Mrs. George Townsend and Mrs. Roy Lyons.

The rarest Canadian coins are \$10 and \$20 gold pieces minted without official authority, in British Columbia during the Fraser River gold rush.

Midnight Service Has Capacity Congregation

The Anglican Church of St. George's was decorated this year for the Feast of the Nativity, with two splendid Scotch Pines, laurel wreaths of holly and golden pine cones.

The church was crowded to capacity for the Christmas Eve service which took place in candlelight. The choir rendered the anthem from the Christmas Oratorio by J. S. Bach, "Break Forth, O Beautiful Heavenly Light" and a 15th Century Carol "This Endless Night". The organist George De Kleer rendered "Jesu Joy of Men" by J. S. Bach and "Priest" by M. Boellmann. During the offertory the Rectory dedicated two tapers made by Robert Evis and given in memory of the late Mrs. Francis, Elizabeth, Evis. Servers at the mid-night celebration were R. Evis, R. Barry, S. Arthur, M. Payne, P. Hodgman and R. Guyett. Sidesmen were T. Eason, G. Spencer, S. Ivancic, K. Robertson.

HAMILTON RED WINGS IN EXHIBITION FRIDAY

A Raider 'Hockey Special' For All Holiday Fans

Hamilton's Red Hot Wings will be a team with a purpose when they tackle the local Raiders in the Junior A Intermediate A exhibition clash here on Friday night. The Wings, formerly the Tiger Cubs, are turning up the top OHA Junior circuit with a current nine game unbeaten streak which they will be attempting to extend when they collided head on with the other sizzling club in their league, the Gueph Royals, in Hamilton to night.

Three Banks Combine For Christmas Party

A new precedent in friendly relations among competitors was set last Thursday when the staffs of three local banks joined for a Christmas party at the Delrex Restaurant banquet hall.

The downtown branches of the Bank of Commerce and Royal Bank, under managers Don Wingrove and Bill Haseel, and the Mountainview branch of the Commerce, under manager Boyd Garland were participants in the party which featured turkey dinner followed by an evening of dancing. Husbands and wives of employees attended also.

Door prizes were won by Roland Awey and Mrs. John Boyd while two spot dance prizes were awarded during the dancing. These were won by Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Al Turner.

So successful was the party that it may become an annual affair.

Carollers Cheer Shut-ins

First Baptist Church Choir formed the nucleus of a carolling group which sang Christmas carols to local shut-ins Sunday night.

The group met at the church at 7 p.m. and returned at 8:30. Members of the congregation and young people added their voices to the outdoor service.

for defensive foursome in Bob Wall, Larry Zilio, Ron Harris and John Mizuk.

And it will be interesting to compare the Raider units with lines like Lyle Porter, Lowell Macdonald and Larry Jeffrey, and Neil Firth, Wayne Rivers, and Bob Dillibough. Hamilton star studded lineup will include Pat Martin, Dahmer, Henderson and Robant and goalie Bloos. A former Georgetown, Charlie Jewell was ineligible to play for the Hamilton club because his contract is in the hands of the Boston, Bruin organization. The Red Wings are of course a major link in the Detroit chain. Georgetown coach Elmer Lee will attempt to bottle the free wheeling Hamiltons with Blake Inglis, Fraser Dunn, Junior Beaumont, Ron Dixon, Doug Richardson, Bob Demerise, Joe Auger, Bill Chard, Wayne Thompson, Dave Irons, Jamie Cunningham, Gerry Inglis, Don Hunter, Don Kendall, George Grashy, Dave Voyce, Bud Vary, and Jack Rhodes or Terry Moore.

Ballinafad Farmer Dies Under Tractor

Mrs. A. Robson Heads Baptist Sunshine Club Tuesday Mishap Fatal For John Larkman, 80

The Christmas meeting of the Sunshine Club was held in the basement of the First Baptist Church with seventeen members present. Mrs. D. Peck presided for the opening of the meeting and conducted the business. The new slate of officers are: President, Mrs. A. Robson; 1st vice, Mrs. A. Norton; Secretary, Mrs. Emery Thompson; Treasurer, Mrs. R. Breen; Jr. congregation, Mrs. W. Cumpsty; Card and Gift Fund, Mrs. L. Whan; pianist, Miss N. Thompson; reporter, Mrs. F. Hayward. Group leaders: Mrs. J. Stopper, Mrs. H. Shortill, Miss H. Holmes, Mrs. D. Livingstone.

Mrs. D. Black was in charge of the program which included the singing of several familiar Christmas Carols. The Scripture, taken from St. Luke 2: 1-10 was read by Mrs. K. McCosh and was followed by two very appropriate readings by Mrs. A. Norton. Mrs. Black led in prayer.

The usual gift exchange followed a game conducted by Mrs. Black. Lunch was served by the group in charge; Mrs. Black, Mrs. A. Norton, Mrs. W. Cumpsty, Mrs. Emery Thompson, Mrs. K. McCosh and Mrs. E. Clements.

Mr. Larkman, who farmed on Peacock sideroad, just off the 7th Line, had been cutting wood in the bush and drawing it into his barn by tractor. His wife has been visiting with a daughter in Toronto. Miss Jane Given, who makes her home with the Larkmans returned to the house about 5 p.m. to get supper and became worried when she found Mr. Larkman was not in the house. She telephoned to a neighbour, Sam Snow at Smith's Store in the village where Mr. Larkman's daughter, Mrs. Albert Brooks also happened to be shopping, and they hurried to the farm.

Entering the barn Mr. Snow found a gaping hole in the rear of the barn and the overturned tractor pinning the accident victim to the ground some fifteen feet below. The accident is believed to have happened at least an hour earlier and caused instant death from a fractured skull and other injuries.

Funeral service will take place in Acton at the Rumley Shoemaker Funeral Home.

United Church Minister Was Masonic Chaplain

A retired minister of the United Church, Rev. John MacLean Fleming, 80, was buried in Minden Cemetery following funeral service on Saturday. He was the father of Rev. Ian Fleming, minister of St. John's United Church here.

Mr. Fleming, a native of Paisley, Scotland, came to Canada in 1927 and was minister of the United Church in Minden. He later served at Wilfred and Alexandria, and moved back to Minden when he retired. Prominent in Masonic circles, he was a past deputy grand chaplain of the Grand Lodge of Ontario. He was past moderator of Glengarry Presbytery.

He died in his sleep on December 22nd.

He leaves his wife, Agnes Kennedy, three sons and two daughters, Duncan K. Fleming, a student for the ministry at Emmanuel College, Gordon M. Fleming, who is organist and choir director at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Peterborough, (where Rev. Alex Calder will become minister in January); Rev. Ian Fleming of town, Mrs. C. A. Brown (Margaret) of Minden and Mrs. Reg Foster (Ena) of Scarborough. There are 14 grandchildren, and he also leaves a brother and two sisters in Scotland. Ministers of Lindsay Presbytery conducted the funeral service.

Limehouse Farmer Fred J. Brown Dies Aged 61 Years

A lifelong Limehouse district resident, Fred J. Brown, 61 died suddenly at his home on Tuesday morning, December 20th after a heart attack.

Born on the farm which he took over after his father's death, he was the son of the late John K. Brown and Margaret Wright. He attended Gibraltar public school, and during the first war served overseas with the Canadian army. He was a member of Limehouse Presbyterian Church.

He leaves his wife, Grace Herrington whom he married in 1924, one son Ted who farmed with his father, a brother Harry and three grandchildren Betty Anne, Mary Lou and Teddie.

Rev. Alex Calder conducted the funeral service on Saturday at the Harold C. McClure Funeral Home and pallbearers were Arthur Benton, Joe Ross, Jim and Harold Brown, Paul Barber and Corey Herrington, Jr. Flower bearers were Don Herrington, Jr., Bob Brown, Collin Cousins, Herb Reid, Bert Benton, Lloyd Fisher, Frank Brown, Jack Lawson, Harry Wright, William McNally and Lloyd McEnery. Internment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown.



DESTINATION UNKNOWN

A number of local schools collected white gifts to be distributed by Toronto missions at Christmas to deserving families. At Harrison Public School this group of junior grade students add the final few gifts to the pile inside the front entrance just before shipping. They are (l to r) Jimmy Colter, Brian Beaumont, Ricky Webster, Zingra Hiddleston, Christine Filler and Debbie Stewart.



GAY HOLIDAY PARTY

ONE OF THE FINEST times in town is the Senior Citizens dinner which the Rotary Club holds annually in Knox Church auditorium. A group of guests are being visited by Santa, far right, following dinner in this photo snapped by Gene Green.