



VISITING MUSICIANS LIKED SANTA'S RECEPTION

Next to St. Nick himself, bands triggered the most excitement in toddlers who watched the Lions Santa Claus parade here Saturday, and this year Georgetown's two aggregations got assistance from a pair of alert out of town groups, the Acton Citizen's Band, which immediately preceded the Santa Claus float, and the St. Lawrence Starch Co. sponsored All Saints. Bandsmen in both outfits had nothing but glowing words for Georgetown's procession. At left, an Acton band member and Sousaphone, and at right a group of Saintly trumpeters.



PLAN SCHEDULE FOR HAPPY HOLIDAY

With visions of dancing sugar plums it's almost impossible to keep children out of the kitchen during the holiday season — a time when the average homemaker is busiest of all. Amid all the confusion, the family sometimes get on an irregular eating and sleeping schedule, with the result that tempers get short and the family misses the full enjoyment of the season. A wisely planned schedule will prevent this unhappy set of circumstances. Reserve a small space in one corner of the kitchen for the children. Let them entertain themselves with a small amount of dough and a rolling pin. Wait until the children have gone to bed to make cookies and can plan hearty evening meals with enough leftover for a child's lunch the following day. Leftover roast is ideal for time sandwiches — served hot or cold. Prepared foods, that need only be heated and served, will cut down on preparation and clean-up time in the kitchen. If cookies and sweets are made available to youngsters, alongside the cookie plate, place an assortment of small sandwiches, carrot sticks and fruit slices.

FIND TRUE MEANING FOR HAPPY CHRISTMAS
"I am come that you might have life and have it more abundantly."
In these words are the true meaning of Christmas. Jesus himself said it: "For the Son of man is come to seek and save that which was lost."
The birth of the Infant Saviour is more than the birth of a child; it is the fulfillment of the promise of God. The happiest Christmas of all will belong to those who reach out with their heart for the true spirit of Christmas.

Brampton Businessman Hospital Chorales Founded Peel Gazette Music for Patients

A former weekly newspaper publisher and owner of a Brampton printing business, Edward Frederick Furness, 59, died at his home in Brampton on December 11th.

Printing Business
With four partners, Mr. Furness started the Peel Gazette in 1932. The paper was purchased by the Brampton Times & Courier in 1957, with Mr. Furness and his brother retaining the printing business.

He was an active Legion member and served as president of Brampton branch for five years. He was with the Lorne Scots for 25 years, serving overseas as a sergeant in World War 2. He was a member of Brampton band for 25 years and served the town as councillor in 1952 and 1953.

Born in England
Born in Yorkshire, England, he went to Brampton as a boy in 1914.

His wife, Kathleen Harrison is a sister of Georgetown councillor-elect Fred Harrison. He also leaves a daughter, Mrs. Doug Reid, Brampton; three grandchildren and two brothers, George, Brampton; and Albert, Toronto.

Carols and modern Christmas songs are beamed to patients in Georgetown Hospital this week over an amplifying system which helps give patients the feeling of Christmas.

Fifteen members of the staff participated in recording an hour of music and the program has been split into two half-hour presentations, one each afternoon and one each evening.

The recording was made at St. John's United Church, with Kenneth R. Harrison playing organ accompaniment. The program includes two solos, O Holy Night and Bless This House by Mrs. Nadine Rupert. Other members of the chorals are Miss Z. Hopwood, Miss Margaret McLennan, Mr. and Mrs. Len Lewis, Mrs. Herb Roshier, Mr. John Schenk, Mr. and Mrs. K. Thomson, Mrs. A. Landry, Mrs. Chris Wilson, Mrs. George Sandifer, Mr. Wheldon (Steamer) Emmerson, Mrs. Eric Ming and Mrs. A. Peters.

Be Certain You— Display a Safe Tree

What kind of a tree is best for you this Christmas. A SAFE TREE, of course. Whatever variety of tree you choose this year, be sure that it is freshly cut, well firmly attached needles. When you select the tree strike the ground with the thick end. If a shower of needles fall, the tree has been cut too long and will not last for long.

Use Tree Holder
A tree holder is a good investment if it has a bucket of water in which the trunk can rest. The ability of the tree to absorb water will surprise you, so be sure to check the bucket often.

Do not use any kind of paper decorations on your tree. Use decorations made of glass, metal, or fire-resistant materials.

Use only electric lights on your tree — and check them thoroughly, particularly if they have been stored since last Christmas. Sets with frayed wiring invite disaster.

Provide Switch
Provide a switch some distance from the tree for turning the tree lights on or off. If connection is located behind the tree, you may not be able to reach it in an emergency. Inspect the tree frequently. If needles near lights begin to fall, it's time to discard the tree.

Keep It Fresh
Do not buy your tree until you are ready to decorate it. If you do buy it early, keep it outside. It will stay fresher and will remain green longer after you have put it up. Keep it standing in water at all times.

Select the setting for your tree with safety in mind. Locate it in the coolest part of the room, well away from radiators, heaters and the fireplace. This not only reduces the chances of fire, but as well assumes longer life for the tree, as heat dries the tree quickly.

Merry Christmas!
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CLUB MIDTOWN
by STEVE

Like Season's Greetings and stunts, So 1961 (the upside-down year of the 20th century) is almost over. 1961 has been a lovely year for Midtown and Midtowners alike. In a year our Club has seen that top entertainment has been brought in, including Freddy Cannon and Dol Shannon and new-comer Bobby Curtola.

Some of the best bands (and a few bad ones) have also appeared here. All this has costed and the cost has been costly to the "Midtown Bank Roll". Without exception ours is one of the only town dances around to try and survive on a 50 cent admission charge. Well, people, those days of fun and games are over!

Last Saturday the Twilights made their second big appearance here and were rewarded with success by a good crowd. The Twilights are a great band and should do very well in '62.

Top records of 1961 that will be played on the radio stations near the end will have to include "Runaway" by Mike W. King, "Quarter to Three" by U.S. Bonds, "Where the Boys Are" by Dionne Warwick, "Love's Train" by The Troggs, and many more.

This Saturday night is our Christmas Dance, great music by the Consuls with Little Caesar, too. It's a once-a-year, so please dress up, O.K.?

My pick for Christmas is "Brampton's Best" (from Santa and Johnny). I can't help falling for Elvis' latest and I don't mean that Rock 'n' Roll. It's a special thing whatever it is.

Pick up your Herald again in a couple of weeks and I'll clue you on the new membership deal and price, etc. Have a good Holiday. Drive carefully, (not slowly). Sleep in full moon and don't go to bed till you're tired and it could be your last Christmas!

S.P.: No dance on Dec. 22 or 23

HAPPY HOLIDAY

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