



### FIRST BABY ADORES THAT TREE

MIRRORING ALL THE wonder of Christmas, like other infants throughout the town seeing their first, is little Christine Moore, the first baby born in Georgetown District Memorial Hospital, as she beholds her tree. At left is Christine in the first picture taken of her a few hours after her birth on the morning of June 28th. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Moore, 96 McIntyre Cresc.

## Says Cervix Cancer Deaths Could End

District 12 of the Canadian Cancer Society was fortunate in having Mr. Maurice Grimes, Executive Director of Ontario Division, as guest speaker at the third annual Workshop held in Brampton recently. Mr. Grimes chose as his topic "The Where, Why and How of the Cancer Society."

Dealing with the "How" of the Cancer Society, Mr. Grimes had this to say: (Quote) "One of the most challenging programmes relating to the Canadian Cancer Society since its inception has now been given to us in the form of a film known as 'Time and Two Women.' This film concerns itself with the early diagnosis of cancer of the cervix and uterus. Before we attempt to embark on this programme it is essential that the following steps be taken.

**Preview Film**

First, we must obtain this film from Ontario Division, take it to our local Medical Association through our Medical Advisor or on the Women's Service Committee. He should ask them to preview the film, and give their approval for its showing in our communities. This is necessary because, first of all, we must have all of the doctors agreeing that they will take this cervical smear when a patient presents herself in their local office. Secondly, we must have the approval of the Medical Association that the local pathologist is equipped and sufficiently staffed to read these slides if they should occur in great numbers.

We should, through our Medical Advisor, be able to tell our local hospital that if they need some special piece of equipment or if a cytotechnician needs to be trained, the Cancer Society is prepared to take on both of these endeavours.

**Will Pay**

It should be remembered, however, that the Cancer Society does not pay for the read-

ing of the slides, nor will the Cancer Society undertake to engage the cyto-technicians. However, if the programme develops, the charge that will be made by the hospital would readily pay for the additional cyto-technician at the hospital and thus not be a liability to the hospital.

Our part, as a Society, can then come into being: that is the showing of this film, "Time and Two Women" with a doctor present, to every women's organization in your community.

**Can Be Increased**

We are told, that if this is done, and if we can establish the practise of regular periodic check-ups with this papano-cytology smear being done, it is entirely possible that the cure rate of this site of cancer (so prevalent among women) can be increased greatly. As a matter of fact, it has been said that if this programme could be developed over a period of ten years, where every woman in a community had this smear taken, it is likely that cancer of the cervix could be wiped out as a cause of death among women. (Unquote)

The above statement should provide food for thought among the volunteer workers of the Cancer Society. In the October issue of the National Newsletter of the Canadian Cancer Society there is an article describing the programme being carried out in the province of British Columbia and the Yukon along these lines.

#### KEEP IT SAFE

Don't let your happy holiday go up in smoke this year. Every fourth fire is caused by matches and smoking, so don't let carelessness spoil your holiday.

Keep plenty of ash trays about your house during the Yule Season. Empty ash trays frequently — after making sure that no burning cigarettes are left in the tray.

## Army Man and Bride Living in Pembroke

Mr. and Mrs. John Keith Bouskill will be living at 243 Catherine Street, Pembroke, following their marriage which took place on December 18th in Hamilton.

The groom, a former town resident, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bouskill of Port Credit, and is stationed at Petawawa army camp. His bride, Donna May Lee, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lee of Hamilton.

Rev. Dawson Harris officiated at the double ring ceremony in St. Alban's Anglican Church. Mrs. Alfred Kew was organist and Mr. Harold Ponting sang "O Perfect Love during the service.

#### Cascade Bouquet

The bride wore white french-chiffon velvet. Her gown had a sabrina neckline and was styled on princess lines with a chapel train. An elbow length bouffant veil was held by a crown of rhinestones and pearl flowers. She carried a cascade bouquet of white carnations and lily.

Bridal attendants were Mrs. Linda Robertson, Grandmother of the bride, Misses George and Lisa Lang, Hamilton, and Dawn Marie Lang, Sudbury, cousins of the bride as bridesmaids, and Wendy Bouskill, Port Credit, clearly state exactly what the bride of the groom as flower girl. They wore crimson velvet gowns, white fur crowns and carried white muffs on which were coronas of red carnations and holly.

Mr. Lee gave his daughter in marriage. Lawrence Bouskill, are known.

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Port Credit was his brother's groomsmen; Charles Walters, Hamilton and Keith Lang Sudbury, cousins of the groom and bride were ushers, and the bride's cousin Bruce Lang was ring bearer.

Mothers of the bride and groom assisted in receiving guests afterwards at the Skyway Club Restaurant at Stoney Creek.

For her honeymoon trip, the bride wore a brown suit, matching accessories and a corsage of yellow roses.

#### LOOK FOR 'GUARANTEE' ON CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Shoppers eyeing appliances as Christmas gifts should double check on the 'guarantee' or 'warranty' which accompany them.

Nearly 50 per cent of the total small appliances — frypans, can openers, steam irons, knife sharpeners, shavers, coffee makers, etc. — are purchased as Christmas gifts.

The greatest consumers — the Federal Trade Commission requests that advertising men using the word 'guarantee' clearly state exactly what the guarantee means. Industry also works for honest advertising, set misleading or incomplete statements, creep into claims to the extent that what appears a 'bargain' may not really be one when all the facts are known.

## Free Telephone Service Links Town and Acton

### Neighbours Get New Dial Phones

Long distance charges between Georgetown and Acton were eliminated Sunday coinciding with the introduction of dial telephones in Acton. As a result of the change Acton and Georgetown exchanges are now local ones and each may be dialed direct from the other by Bell customers.

**Part of Extended Area Service**

Removal of long distance charges for calls between these neighbouring exchanges is part of the Bell Telephone Company's Extended Area Service (EAS) plan, according to the company's manager for this territory. He explained that studies are maintained of the long distance calls between each pair of exchanges, and when the studies indicate that the majority of customers would be better served by replacing the long distance calls with local calls, steps are taken to make the change.

Although the dial system in Acton didn't go into effect until 2 a.m. Sunday Mayor, John Goy dialed 853-1000 Thursday afternoon to make the first call. The man who answered the call was C. S. Keith, Bell superintendent for that area who was waiting for it in the gleaming new dialing exchange building on Church St. Acton, Special arrangements were made to make the call from the platform of the high school gymnasium and for all the students to hear it so they might all, years later, recall the moment which made communications history in Acton.

### Baby Sitter Tips As Holiday Nears

Christmas is a busy time for parents and a busy time for baby sitters, since parents are constantly on the go as the holiday approaches. Thus, a word to parents:

- Know your sitter personally, or be certain of her recommendations.
- Be sure that she is old enough to know what to do in case of an emergency, and young enough to be able to do it.

- Leave memo beside the telephone, telling her exactly where you are going and how you may be reached if needed.

- Leave telephone number of fire department and police in conspicuous place.

- Instruct sitter to keep children out of kitchen, if possible, and be sure she realizes that matches, electric cords and appliances are not playthings.

- Turn off Christmas tree lights when you leave, or instruct sitter to be certain that children stay away from the tree.

- Be sure that sitter knows what to do in case of fire, let children out of house; notify fire department; notify parents, in that order.

- Come home at the hour agreed upon, or telephone sitter if unavoidably delayed.
- Have a safe, happy holiday.

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Season's Greetings

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EVERYBODY'S HAPPY

OUR HAPPY PHILOSOPHER SAYS  
MERRY CHRISTMAS EVERYBODY

TO OUR MANY FRIENDS,  
OUR WARMEST WISHES!

A word of appreciation for your patronage. We're looking forward to serving you in the New Year.

**The SNACKETTE**  
HAROLD and MAY HUTCHINSON

## To My Dear Friends in Georgetown GREETINGS

May I once again enlist the services of the Herald to convey to you my sincere and cordial greetings for Christmas and the New Year? It is more than forty-five years that the Georgetown paper has been a weekly visitor in the Dayfoot home.

As I scan its pages each week, I usually find the name or names of some of my old and memories of my resident days come flooding back.

I would like to share with you this Christmas story which, I, at least, had not come across before in my reading. It is copied from a communication received from the United Church offices in Toronto recently.

"The messages of Christmas are perhaps best expressed in songs and stories. Such a story is the centuries-old legend of Eager-Heart, a poor, devout widow who lived in a little village in central Europe. It seems that a hermit had foretold that the Christ was to visit her village on Christmas eve and that He might seek the hospitality of someone's home. Eager-Heart, like all others, tidied her house, prepared food, placed on a bed her best blankets and set a candle in the window. Early in the evening there came a knock at her door and her heart beat fast, thinking that perhaps the Christ had come to her humble home. She opened the door quickly and then gasped in disappointment, for there stood a tired,

wood-cutter with his wife and shivering boys. They asked for shelter for the night. "Oh, not tonight," said Eager-Heart. "If it were any other night, yes, but tonight I am expecting my best friend." "That is what everyone says," the man replied. "No one will let us in." Eager-Heart was about to turn away when her eyes fell again on the nearly frozen boy, and the next moment the three travellers were in her warm home.

As soon as they were fed and the boy tucked into bed, Eager-Heart excused herself and hastened to join the villagers, who, torch in hand, were following the hermit. He had promised to lead them to the home where Christ would stay. She joined them far down the village and the hermit led the procession from lane to lane until at last he stopped right in front of Eager-Heart's home. "Not here," she cried. "I have no room. But everyone could see that the little home was ablaze with light, and when the door opened, there was the Holy Family and, on the snow-white bed, the infant King."

May the joy of His coming and the joy of fellowship with Him in service be in our hearts at this Christmas season and throughout the New Year.

Sincerely,  
(Mrs. C. B.) Catherine Dayfoot  
2540 Shelbourne Street  
Victoria, B. C.



**TWINS AND TRAINS**... Two sets of twin boys peek over table edge at train display in Topeka department store, presenting a scene that is repeated thousands of times over from one end of the country to the other. Yungsters find Xmas shopping an exciting adventure.

Season's Greetings

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Merry Christmas to All

**JIM BELL**  
**GLEN TAXI**

Merry Christmas

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