

Bit of Switzerland in the Country

The three-storey Swiss chalet owned by Ross E. Duncan on the 9th Line north, is the only one of its kind in the area. The cedar and brick house was built by McNally Construction from a California plan selected by the Duncans. It sits in one and a half acres of wooded land. The Duncans cut some of the fancy railings on the many balconies themselves, a plan to finish the ground floor consisting of recreation room, garage and laundry, themselves.



CHALET IN THE HILLS

Establish Scholarship In Memory of Teacher

With many of his school pupils attending, funeral service took place on November 26th at the Ridley Funeral Home, Toronto for Forrest Young, a department head at Westway Collegiate, Etobicoke.

Later that afternoon, Westway students held a memorial service at the school with a minister as speaker.

Mr. Young, who lived at 8 Baylor Crescent, Georgetown, lost his life in an automobile accident on Mississauga Road the previous Friday night.

Born in London on January 7, 1938, he was the son of the late Donald Forrest Young and Elsie Isabella Skinner.

Was Prominent as Member of Christian Reformed Church

Employed with the family firm, Halton Peel Buildings Maintenance, John Fokkens, 66, succumbed to a heart attack while working at Georgetown district high school on October 31. The firm has the caretaking contract for the school.

He was a prominent member of the Christian Reformed Church where he had served as an elder and church treasurer for ten years.

A native of Odoorn, the Netherlands, he was the son of Jakob Fokkens and Helena de Jonge and lived there until 1923, then at Tek-Apel until he came to Canada in 1952. He had his own cartage company in Holland. He served with underground resistance forces during World War II.

In Canada he first lived at Cedarville, then in Acton where he worked at the Beardmore Tannery, and in Glen Williams where he was employed with Oriole Block, Apple Products and Sheridan Nursery.

He leaves his wife, Janet Major, two sons Jack of 19 McIntyre Crescent and Bob, 23 Pennington Crescent; ten grand children, and two sisters in the Netherlands.

Funeral service at the Christian Reformed Church was conducted by Rev. Al J. Vandenberg, with interment in Greenwood Cemetery. Pallbearers were John Biekkenhorst, John Hofman, Harry Roffel, Henk Westerveld, Joe Urkes, Brampton and Dick Broekema, Brampton.

GO GO GO FOR JOLLY HO HO HO

The following resolution was passed at a Georgetown council meeting two weeks ago clearing the way for St. Nick's visit Saturday.

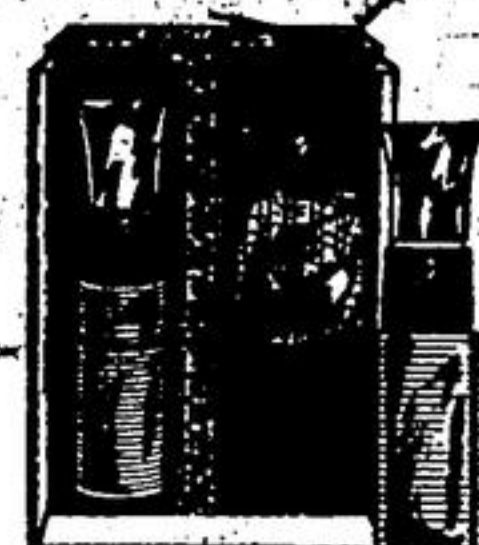
"Whereas a certain gentleman from northern lands wishes to take up temporary residence in this fair town."

"And whereas he wishes to have accompany him on his arrival at least eight if not nine, animals of rare breed. And whereas it is deemed necessary to allow him right of passage through the skies above and the streets below.

"Therefore be it resolved that the Santa Claus parade be held on Saturday, December 6 to be accompanied by suitable expressions of good cheer."

"Ho Ho Ho."

The resolution was moved by Cr. Donna Denison, seconded by deputy reeve Art Speight and signed by the mayor.



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LET'S PLAY BRIDGE

BY BILL COATS

I haven't played too much bridge lately. Seems that I direct more games than I get to play in and when I direct, I don't see too many of the hands. There is one that I watched a few times at the Bell Telephone Duplicate Club in Toronto.

Some people don't get a heart for double dummy problems but others enjoy them very much. Try your hand at this hand and see if you could make six no trump on any lead except a heart lead.

South dealt with North-South vulnerable.

NORTH
S-9 4
H-A K J 10
D-K J 3
C-K 10 6 2

WEST EAST
S-7 5 S-Q J 10 8 2
H-8 6 5 3 2 H-Q 9 4
D-Q 9 5 D-7
C-9 8 5 C-A J 7 4

SOUTH
S-A K 9 3
H-7
D-A 10 8 6 4 2
C-Q 3

Usual bidding

South West North East
1 D Pass H 2 S
2 D Pass 4 C Pass
4 D Pass 5 D All Pass

Opening lead — seven of spades.

There are several variations that took place in the bidding. South could pass over East's preemptive jump overcall. This would allow North to bid clubs or support diamonds at the three level. South could then try an easy three no trump. One pair ended up in six diamonds and made the contract. Another pair reached six no trump. Can this be made on a spade lead. Try your skill before you read any further.

Declarer wins the spade lead and takes a diamond finesse in dummy. The key play is to lead a low club from dummy. If East raises with the ace, declarer's problems are over. He has six diamonds tricks and two tricks in every other suit for a total of 12 tricks.

So let's assume that East ducks. Declarer's queen wins the trick. If the contract is in diamonds, declarer can now pitch the club three on dummy's hearts, ruff one spade in dummy and make six diamonds. At no trump, declarer must now ruff all his diamond tricks. He keeps one spade, three hearts and the club king in dummy. In his hand, declarer will have three spades, one heart and one club.

What five cards should East hang on to? He must keep two spades, three hearts and the club ace. That's one card too many. Which ever East unguards, declarer will cash tricks in that suit and continue to apply pressure to East.

It's a strange game. If East takes his ace of clubs earlier,

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