

Murray - Leavell vows reporters make news

In a double-ring ceremony in All Saints Anglican church, Collingwood, Helen Jane Leavell and Gordon B. Murray were married at 6.30 Friday, April 30. The Rev. William Simpson officiated and James Belcher played the organ for the candle light ceremony.

Both the bride and groom are 1974 graduates of Sheridan College journalism program. They are employed as reporters and photographers on the staffs of sister newspapers, the bride with the Acton Free Press and the groom with the Georgetown Independent.

The bride's parents are Ben and Florence Leavell of Collingwood; the groom's parents are Jack Murray of Vancouver B.C. and Joan Murray of Mississauga.

Special bouquets For her marriage the bride wore a floor-length white gown of sheer over satin with

lace accents and seed pearl trim. A matching headpiece held her finger tip length veil. Her bouquet of silk roses and daisies with dried baby's breath remains as a treasured table centerpiece. For the ceremony, long white ribbon streamers came for the traditional throwing of the bouquet, she threw one long-stemmed red silk rose.

Attendants Maid of honor was the bride's sister Susan Leavell of Collingwood, who wore a full-length blue gown with matching short jacket and wide brimmed hat. Her bouquet was of blue and white silk flowers with dried white baby's breath.

Bridesmaids were her sister Alice Roe, Collingwood, and Jewel Wright, a friend from Barrie. Their gowns and hats were pink and their bouquets of pink and white silk blossoms with baby's breath. Flowers girls were Melanie

Roe, niece of the bride, and Karen Scott, a friend, both of Collingwood. Melanie wore blue dotted Swiss and carried a tiny basket of silk daisies and dried flowers. Karen wore pink dotted Swiss and carried a larger basket of flowers.

A friend Kathy Scott made the flower girls' gowns. The bride was escorted down the aisle by her father.

Hartley Coles, Acton, a friend, was groomsmen and the ushers were Bob Leavell, brother of the bride, Collingwood, and David Murray, brother of the groom, Montreal.

At Legion After the wedding, a dinner and dance followed at Collingwood Legion hall. Master of ceremonies was John Moreau, Port McNichol, cousin of the bride. Guests were welcomed from Vancouver and Surrey B.C., Ottawa, Cornwall, Montreal, Port Hope, Acton, Milton, Georgetown, Hamilton, Oakville, Mississauga, Toronto, Fergus, Brampton, Meaford, Barrie, Duntroon, Nottawa, Stayner, Flesher-ton, Port McNichol, Kitchener and Collingwood.

The couple took a wedding trip to Toronto, Montreal and the United States.

Showers Before the marriage the bride was guest of honor at several special gatherings. There were three miscellaneous showers, with hostesses Jewel Wright and Heather Bowins of Collingwood; Mrs. Kay Dills in Acton; and Mrs. Mary Lockton and Mrs. Nan Plater in Collingwood.

A presentation was made by the members of the Acton Hydro Commission. They are making their home in Acton.



HELEN LEAVELL and Gordon Murray were married in All Saints Anglican church, Collingwood, April 30. They are reporters and photographers with the Acton Free Press and Georgetown Independent.

—Photo by Wm. Stuckey



MRS. TOM SWEET, who speaks no English, attended the Catholic Women's League rummage sale on Saturday to buy clothes to send home to Poland to her family.

Pat Nellis is Y's Menettes president

Acton Y's Menettes held their monthly meeting at the home of Mary Lea Ball with a pleasing attendance.

Several items of business were dealt with during the evening including the election of officers for 1976-77 season. Pat Nellis became new president with Shirley Broostad as vice president, secretary Nancy Aldridge, treasurer Sally Leatherland, bulletin editors are Anne Perry and Mary Lea Ball and press correspondent and friendship Carol Campbell.

Acton members will host the Kitchener Y's Menettes on Wednesday evening in the Y.

Donations Members agreed to send a donation to the Scholarship Fund in P.E.I. this year and

Newlyweds presentation

Last Saturday a social evening was spent when friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Milton and family to honour a recent bride and groom. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gates.

After a few games of euchre and visiting, Mrs. Jas. McCulloch and Miss E. Pearen asked Nan and Ken to accept a lovely china cabinet on behalf of the group.

A delicious lunch was served to end a most enjoyable evening.

Charges laid yard theft

Two men were charged in Limehouse. Taken were two tires, two chrome wheels and a radio.

also contribute to "Crisis and Concern" project in Bangladesh.

Each year the Y's Men and Menettes hold a giant auction and rummage sale together in the arena. Plans for this project were outlined and a committee set up to sell coffee, donuts and good used clothing.

Members agreed to hold their annual barbeque supper in June at the home of Shirley Broostad. This social evening is the highlight of the year as members resume their duties until September.

A delicious dessert and coffee-time concluded a pleasant, interesting evening.

Friends-In-Deed

Bowling enjoyed in Stoney Creek

by Mrs. Emily Price Several of our group spent an enjoyable afternoon at the Lucky Strike Bowling Lanes in Stoney Creek, where we were in competition with other handicapped groups. Although we didn't win anything, we enjoyed the fellowship of the other organizations and the friendly competition. We would like to thank all the drivers for taking the time to take us down. We appreciated it very much.

Anniversary Our next meeting will be our first anniversary of the forming of our organization. A warm welcome is extended to all who were at our first meeting, as they were part of getting something going to help the disabled in our district. We will be having a social evening following a short business meeting. We hope as many as possible will come out and enjoy the evening with us and get re-acquainted.

Mrs. Judy McLin of the Acton Community Services Centre will be a guest. We are hoping a couple of other guests will be able to come to this special meeting. We are always pleased and happy to see new members come out and enjoy an evening among friends. This meeting is May 25 at the firehall.

Our next outing will be the trip to the Metro Zoo on Sunday, May 30, when there will be a busload going.

Swimming will be at 9 a.m. that Sunday. We will be leaving from Tyler's Transport approximately 10:30 a.m.

On June 5, the area clubs' picnic will be held at Eden Mills. About 150 people from different groups are expected to attend. Our group is in charge of the afternoon activities. Following a catered dinner, there will be dancing in the hall. It should be an active day for everyone. In case of rain, there will be activities in the hall, but let us hope for a nice warm sunny day for the event for if this outing proves to be successful, there will be more like it in the future.

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Open house for the Kammingas

Open house was held Monday for the 35th wedding anniversary of Klaas and Trientje Kamminga at their home.

More than 80 people dropped in to give the couple best wishes and to just pay a visit.

Saturday, the actual anniversary date, the Kammingas' five children and 10 grandchildren enjoyed an afternoon of pony riding and games. Later in the evening their daughters and sons, Mrs. Marta Oosterhof, Ospringe, Mrs. Annie Hofstede, Georgetown; Mrs. Grace Freant, Hespeler;

Webb, R.R. 1, Acton and Stan, at home and Mr. and Mrs. Kamminga enjoyed a dinner in Milton.

From Holland The couple were married in Holland and came over to Canada on May 15, 24 years ago, their 11th wedding anniversary. They first moved to Claremont where they farmed for four months before going to Milton. There they lived for one year while Mr. Kamminga was a butcher. They have farmed outside of Acton ever since.

Mr. and Mrs. Kamminga are members of the Acton Christian Reformed church.

Ontario president to be guest speaker



Don Inley, president of the Ontario Division of the Canadian Cancer Society, will be guest speaker at the local branch's pot luck dinner Thursday, May 27. It will be at Knox church this year and a large crowd is expected, as usual.

All the canvassers and branch workers bring their own supper and spend a pleasant evening together after the campaign is over. (No money donated to the Society is used for the dinner.)

W.I. meeting

Oops... a goof. The account of the meeting of the A.C.W. in last week's paper was actually the Women's Institute. Sorry, ladies.

GUEST SPEAKER at the annual pot luck dinner of the Cancer Society will be Don Inley of Don Mills.

U.C.W. enjoy birthday cake

Trinity U.C.W. met in the church parlors with Mrs. Lidka in the chair welcoming everyone. Members were very pleased to have Mrs. Eaton back with them again.

Mrs. Shoemaker had charge of the devotional opening with All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name. Mrs. Brook read Scripture and led in prayer. Mrs. Shoemaker spoke on the importance of missions and Mrs. Veldhuis read The Peace of Meditation.

The new hymn and psalm books were on display; they were to be dedicated the following Sunday.

Reports were given by Mrs. Little, Mrs. Lambert and Mrs. Force.

Mrs. Force reported she had ordered new curtains for several more rooms in the basement, and the others will be cleaned.

The C.G.I.T. banquet will be June 10.

Plenit The U.C.W. is invited to

Mrs. Freemans for a picnic on June 8. They will meet at the church at 1.30 p.m.

Dorothy Simmons gave her quilt and card report.

Alan Lauder sent a letter of thanks for a bale which was very acceptable. Members were reminded to save stamps, leaving some of the envelope around them.

Mrs. Force read a letter from the foster child.

Birthday Mrs. Shoemaker gave her report on birthdays, shut-ins and sick. Special birthday wishes were for Mrs. Nelson Lambert who will be 91 on May 12. Annie Akins was also honored.

Nineteen members answered the roll call with 23 home and 12 hospital calls.

Helen Little showed pictures of their trip to Florida which were much enjoyed.

A social time was spent over the tea cups with the highlight, a birthday cake for Mrs. Lambert and Annie Akins.

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