

# Heart Attack at Dance Village Merchant Dies

The community was shocked and deeply saddened over the weekend when they learned of the sudden death of Harry Shortill.

He took a severe heart attack while attending the dance in the Community Centre on Saturday night. He collapsed and died before medical aid arrived.

Sincere sympathy goes out to his wife and family, his parents, brother and sister and other relatives in the community.

We extend sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Drouillard and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Given in the loss of a sister and the Snow families in the loss of their aunt, Miss Janie Given who passed away at the Halton Centennial Manor, Dec. 10. She was laid to rest at Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown on Saturday.

Sympathy is extended also to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Marshall in the loss of her cousin Wallace Leitch who died suddenly in Erin on Saturday night.

The last of the Share the Wealth Euchres was held Tuesday night in the Community Centre, prizes for the evening were ladies 1st, Mrs. Dorothy Snider, 2nd, Betty Smith, Gents, 1st, Clare Wilson, 2nd, Gerald Teneycke. The high scores for the entire five games went to Mrs. Irene Watson and Bob Jepson. The euchres will continue January 12 but the euchre will not be kept and carried on till the final one.

There will be cash prizes at every euchre on a Share the Wealth basis.

The UCW invited friends and the Home Helpers to their Dec. meeting. The committee in charge set tables up in the basement of the church and decorated them with candles and the green and red of Christmas. At seven o'clock all sat down to a delicious meal. Rev. Kelvin Johnston was a special guest and was asked to say Grace. When the meal was over chairs were arranged in a semi circle

and Mrs. Sales president of the UCW welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Mrs. Johnston had charge of the devotional which was in the form of a discussion on the Meaning of Christmas, to us individually. She then read a letter from a Toronto paper about the hardships of a settlement in the far north who were in need of funds to finish building the community hall, so they would have a place for their gatherings, first of which would be a Christmas concert and a place for Santa to come to.

A special collection was taken up for these people and it was suggested that the contents of the birthday bank be added to it and sent along to let them know others cared. All agreed it was a wonderful idea.

When all the business had been dealt with, Christmas Carols were sung and two contests held. The highlight of the program was the handing of a gift to everyone by Mr. Johnston who acted as Santa. Santa was not forgotten as a hamper of goodies was presented to him by the UCW.

Twenty girls from the Ballinafad area took part in Achievement day held at Stewarttown School on Saturday. The girls put on a skit How to make a Wall Hanging.

About 75 girls from 6 clubs participated and there was a beautiful display of needlework. Mrs. Squire of Brampton was the visiting home economist and commented favourably on the girls' work. The local girls with their leaders Mrs. Jamieson and Mrs. Keir hope to have a bowling party this week.

On Sunday during the worship service white gifts were handed in. The Sunday school had extra gifts to be given to an Indian Reservation. The children also had a donation of money for the building fund of the far north raised from the project they had of making Christmas cards. Next Sunday is family Sunday when lunch will be served and a social time spent.

— Winnifred Smith

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# Retiring Reeve Draws Praise for Leadership

At the end of the last meeting of the year on Monday, as has been the custom in Esqueping council, Deputy Reeve Tom Hill took the chair, saying "now you've got your chance to say what you like."

Retiring Reeve George Currie spoke first, saying all things must end, and his association with council had now ended. He said it had been a great pleasure to work with the council and concluded "If you want old George's advice it's for free anytime."

Cr. Russell Miller thanked council and staff for their co-operation over the last two years, and wished them the compliments of the season.

Cr. Wilfrid Leslie said he had enjoyed sitting under the wise leadership of the reeve and he

appreciated the co-operation of the staff.

Cr. Ken Marshall, who was defeated in his bid for the deputy's chair, so won't be back on council, said the township was fortunate in its staff, and thanked council for their co-operation and particularly reeve George Currie for his help.

Deputy reeve Tom Hill, who is Reeve-Elect of the township, wished George Currie all the best in his retirement and promised to call on him for help. "I only hope in the years 71 and 72 the township can be led as well as it has been for the past three years" he concluded.

WRAP EARLY! SCATTER PRETTY PACKAGES ALL THROUGH THE HOUSE JUST TO GET EVERYONE IN THE MOOD.

## NORVAL

### Three Churches Combine for Carolling Service

The community carol service by the Junior choirs of the 3 Norval churches held in Norval Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening Dec. 13 was a very enjoyable evening. There was a good attendance of parents, grandparents, and friends, who enjoyed the singing and the happy faces of the children, who concentrated on doing their best in their well trained selections of Christmas music.

During the service which was conducted by Rev. Howard Smith, the congregation sang several carols. The United Church Junior choir led by Mrs. Glenn Laidlaw and Mrs. Rosie Laidlaw sang a group of 3 numbers. Once in a Lowly Manger, There's a Song in the Air, and Harken All, What Holy Singing. Rev. R. W. Ridley spoke briefly followed by the choir singing 3

more selections Little Drummer Boy, O Come, Little Children, and Little Donkey, and a solo by Mrs. Glenn Laidlaw.

While the collection was being received Mr. Andrew Dewhurst, organist of St. Paul's Anglican Church, played carol selections.

The combined choirs of the Anglican Church boys' choir and the Presbyterian Church Junior choir under the direction of Mr. Andrew Dewhurst and Mrs. Winnifred Mulder, sang 2 selections, See Amid the Winter Snow and The Seven Joys of Mary. Rev. R. Ruggie spoke briefly, followed by 3 more selections by the choir Come, Ye Shepherds, To Bethlehem, and Rise Up, Shepherds and Follow, after which all the children, about 50 voices, joined in singing Go, Tell it on the Mountain.

Following the service a social time was enjoyed in the basement where coffee and cookies were served.

This was a community service planned by the Inter-Church

Committee which should be in fostering a community spirit. We hope they will plan more of them.

It was White Gift Sunday. Norval United Church on Sunday, Dec. 13. A special service with children from the Sunday School taking part was held the usual church hour. Children and adults presented their gifts which will be delivered to a Toronto United Church for the outreach work in downtown Toronto.

Sunday School pupils taking part in the service were Julie Laidlaw, Gordon Holloway, Douglas Enman, Janet Johnson, Paul Laidlaw, Christine Poiry, Terry and Wayne Laidlaw and Sam Lagerquist.

The junior choir sang 4 selections, one of which was The Drummer Boy with Stephen Blair playing his drum.

Get well wishes are extended to Mrs. Stanley Fishburn who is a patient in Georgetown & District Memorial Hospital. — Mrs. Ed McLeod



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