

# NEWS OF DISTRICT

Interesting Items Concerning Other Centres and Communities in which Many of Our Readers are Interested

## LOWVILLE

A large congregation attended the re-opening and dedication service in St. George's Church on Thursday evening last. The service was in charge of the rector, Rev. J. H. Hodder, assisted by Rev. C. F. Heathcote of Burlington. The Bishop of Niagara, Rt. Rev. R. W. Broughall, M.A., read the dedication service and preached the sermon. The choir of Grace Church, Milton had charge of the music. The members of St. George's are to be congratulated on the beautifying of the church. After the service, lunch was served in the basement of the church.

The bazaar held under the auspices of St. George's was well attended and a good sum of money was added to the treasury.

The Farm Forum held their weekly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hume with a large attendance. The discussion on the subject, "Let's go to the movies" was led by Mrs. Maurice Readhead. It was decided that the entertainment films were better than they were but that there was room for improvement yet. They were educational to older folk and entertaining for some people but some of the pictures for children should be more strictly censored. The reason there are not more documentary films shown in the rural community was that there was not enough appreciation shown. This being program night a vocal duet was given by Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Coulson and a vocal duet by Karen Bullard and Arlene Powell. Mrs. Roy Ellenton read a letter on the address given by Mr. Watson in Milton last week.

The remainder of the evening was spent in a game of bingo. A lunch was served. A motion of appreciation to the host and hostess and to all taking part in the program was given by Mr. Maurice Readhead.

## NASSAGAWEYA

S. S. NO. 7

Nassagaweya Presbyterian church W.M.S. and Ladies Aid held their December meeting at the home of Mrs. David Henderson with a good attendance. The President, Mrs. Wilfrid Kennedy conducted the W.M.S. meeting and Mrs. David Henderson the Ladies Aid. Mrs. Verna Campbell gave the topic for W.M.S. Roll Call was answered by a Verse of Scripture containing the word Glory. Mrs. J. J. Kennedy read the Scripture and Mrs. Wilfrid Kennedy the Opening Prayer and Miss Charlotte Turner the Closing Prayer. The slate of officers was read by Mrs. Fraser which installed Mrs. Wilfrid Kennedy as President of W.M.S. and Mrs. E. Dredge as President of the Ladies Aid. In the reports given by the different leaders, all were good, it was shown that allocation had been met. The Ladies Aid are having cupboards and a sink installed in their kitchen to make social work at the church much easier and a social is planned for January with the husbands invited.

No. 7 is being nicely decorated and great excitement reigns among the children concerning their concert.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cole and David, Guelph, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Davenport on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Robinson motored to Mono Road to visit their aunt, Mrs. John Grey, last Sunday.

Last Monday's Farm Radio Forum of No. 7 met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Kennedy with the usual attendance. The topic "I hear by the radio" was discussed by two groups which was summarized to: that a variety of programs are enjoyed. The farm broadcast by the CBC at noon hour when most farmers are able to listen is enjoyed and appreciated. Less advertising on Sundays and more Sunday programs, more organ music and less murder stories and to sing the old songs as they were meant to be sung were some of the improvements or likes and dislikes of the groups.

Mrs. Irvin Little was hostess for the Busy Bees W.I. meeting with a good attendance. Ten dollars was donated to the Salvation Army Christmas fund and two Christmas cheer boxes were to be sent out. Mrs. Allen sang the "Serenade of the Bells," accompanied by Mrs. McLean which was enjoyed. Roll Call was answered by "My Best Christmas as a Child." Mrs. Little served a lovely lunch.

The late Mahomed Jinnah, Governor-General of Pakistan, was also chief of the Boy Scouts there.

## CAMPBELLVILLE

Mrs. C. A. Elsley was hostess to the Ladies' Aid of St. David's Church on Wednesday afternoon. The President, Mrs. J. K. Mahon, was in the chair. The Scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Gilmour. Prayer was offered by Mrs. A. T. Moore. It was decided to send Christmas baskets to the shut-ins.

The Ladies' Aid have presented a life membership in the Women's Missionary Society every year for the last nineteen years. This year the presentation was made to Mrs. Thomas Allan, a faithful member of both the W.M.S. and the L.A. Mrs. Menzies presented the certificate.

Mrs. Mary Moore, convenor of the nominating committee then took the chair for the election of officers. The following ladies were appointed:

Mrs. Mary Moore, President; Mrs. R. Elliott, Vice-President; Mrs. Wm. Roberts, Secretary; Mrs. E. D. Mahon, Assistant Secretary; Mrs. A. T. Moore, Treasurer; Pianists, Mrs. E. D. Mahon and Mrs. S. Cairns; Cheer Secretary, Mrs. R. C. Menzies; Quilt Committee, Mrs. R. Inglis, Mrs. J. K. Mahon, Mrs. A. Moore, Mrs. Elsley.

Several other items of business were discussed. The hymn Holy Night was sung and the meeting was closed with prayer by the president. Seventeen ladies answered the roll call. The hostess, assisted by the social committee, served refreshments. Two quilts were quilted at the home of Mrs. J. K. Mahon.

Mrs. Robert Inglis entertained the Grace Mission Band on Saturday afternoon. The president, Miss Norma Brown was in the chair. The scripture reading was read by Ann Parker followed with prayer by Marian Greenlees. Others taking part on the program were, Audrey Hurren, Gloria Purdy, Audrey Early and Virginia Mitchell. As the program was all in keeping with the Christmas season, Mrs. Menzies gave a short talk on the Christmas customs in other lands. Junior certificates and pins were presented to four of the girls with best attendance at meetings during the year, Beverly Roberts, Marilyn Moore, Jane Smith and Joan Cramp. Assisting with the presentation were Anna Hurren, Audrey Hurren, Ruth Roberts and Marian Greenlees. Twenty-one girls answered the roll call with a Christmas verse. The Birthday song was sung for Marian Greenlees and Jane Smith. The following officers were then appointed for 1944:

President, Ann Parker; Vice-President, Marilyn Moore; Secretary, Ruth Roberts; Assistant Secretary, Anna Hurren; Treasurer, Mrs. Menzies; Pianists, Helen Agnew and Marilyn Moore; Membership Committee, Norma Brown and Marian Greenlees; Cheer, Anna Hurren.

Virginia Mitchell closed the meeting with prayer. Christmas gifts were exchanged among the members. The hostess served refreshments which were much enjoyed.

Mrs. Robert Elliot was hostess to the Campbellville Women's Institute ladies who numbered 33 when Mrs. Frank Quinlan presided.

The minutes and business were conducted and contents of two overseas boxes were read. \$10 was donated to the Children's Aid and \$10 to the Brampton Home. A sale of Christmas gifts was on display and the money, which amounted to \$13 will be used for fruit for shut-ins.

Mrs. McLaren reported on home economics; Mrs. J. K. Mahon on agriculture; Mrs. Geo. Inglis on publicity; Mrs. Walter Ferrier on citizenship; Mrs. Wm. Buck on Historical Research. The W.I. doll which the ladies are conducting a draw on, was on display. A short Christmas play entitled Christmas Memories was put on by Mesdames George Black, Howson Lush, Geo. Inglis and directed by Mrs. R. Elliot. Mrs. Lloyd Crawford accompanied Mrs. J. K. Mahon and Mrs. Hartley Anderson who sang Christmas Carols during the play.

The meeting closed with the National Anthem followed by a dainty lunch.

Friends of Mrs. Thomas Allan are sorry to hear she is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harris who are now residing in Brookville have purchased the home of the late Mrs. W. O. Morse and will move immediately.

Mr. Wallace King who fell last week and has a broken jaw, is progressing nicely, with a cast on his head and around his chin.

President Truman obviously had no intention of accepting the title of the world's most distinguished Displaced Person.

## KILBRIDE

The mission band met on Tuesday afternoon with the president, Shirley Small in charge. The Christmas Story was read by Isabel Murray and Dorothy Parchem led in prayer. Others taking part in the program were Elsie Papps, Sally Ann Burns, Gwen Longdo, Marion Brown, Margaret Ford and Antoinette Falotta. Following the program each child made a Christmas merry-go-round with paper dolls representing the different countries to help them think of Christmas as being the centre of celebrations for people the world around.

The Farm Forum met on Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sault. Ross Harbottle was appointed chairman for the evening and two groups discussed the subject, "I hear on the Radio". It was agreed that radio programs were generally good and varied to suit all people. Crime stories and singing commercials were disliked by most of the members.

Progressive euchre was played and prizes were won by Mrs. Jack Bennett and Ralph Gorter; Mrs. F. Greenlees and Lloyd Raspberry. Lunch was served by the luncheon committee for the evening.

Miss Clara Williamson of Hastings spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. H. R. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sherwood of Rockwood visited on Sunday with her mother, Mrs. William Small.

Mr. Verne Johnson spent the week-end in Oshawa.

## ROCKWOOD

Through the auspices of the Rockwood Community Club a good attendance greeted Guelph talent last Tuesday evening in the Town Hall, when the Guelph Male Choir under the direction of F. E. Horton, Mus. Mach., contributed several numbers which were much enjoyed by those present. During the program, Fred Owen, who was twice Trophy Winner at the recent Kiwanis Festival, contributed numbers which were well received. Also during the evening, a one-act comedy in four scenes was put on by Paisley Memorial Players, "Mother Goes on Strike" was presented and created much merriment to the audience. Miss L. Calvert directed the play. At the conclusion of the program, refreshments were served.

The young folks of the Sunday Schools are busy with preparations for Christmas entertainments.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Wynne Dunbar on the birth of a daughter at Guelph Hospital last week.

## AUCTION SALE

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## GEORGETOWN

The condition of Jack Gilbert, who was seriously injured in a motor cycle accident on Wednesday is reported to be somewhat improved. The accident occurred early in the evening when Mr. Gilbert was proceeding toward town from the Glen on his motorcycle on the Papermill Road, the machine hit a bump in the road and he lost control, crashing into a hydro pole. He suffered severe internal injuries to his leg and head.

Ken and Glad McMillan have returned from the Horse Show at the International Livestock Exposition, in Chicago, with an impressive list of prize ribbons, highlighted by a second place ribbon won in the Single Horse class by Halton Performer. Altogether they placed in the prize money thirteen times, winning seven thirds, three fourths one fifth and one seventh.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart have purchased the Barry Clarke home on Durham Street, while Mr. and Mrs. Clarke and their children, Barry, Jr., and Robert have moved to the Jack Beamish farm at Ospringe. Mr. and Mrs. Earl M. Trow of Toronto have purchased the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stewart at Wildwood, just outside Georgetown and moved in recently. The house which was purchased by the Stewarts about five years ago was formerly owned by Alex Greig — Herald.

Reparations in culture were made recently when Great Britain exchanged with the U.S.A. the Wright Brothers' first aeroplane for the manuscript, "Alice in Wonderland".

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Cartoon—"2 Jills and a Jack"

Friday and Saturday, December 17th and 18th  
John Emery and James Millican in "LET'S LIVE AGAIN"  
AND  
Charles Starrett and Smillie Burnett in "PHANTOM VALLEY"  
No Matinee This Saturday or Christmas Day

Monday and Tuesday, December 20th and 21st  
Paulette Goddard and Macdonald Carey in "HAZARD"  
Selected Short Subjects

Coming Next Thursday, December 23rd  
William Gargan and Beth Hughs in "Waterfront at Midnight"  
—and—  
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