

**Drumquin**

# Bethel U.C.W. members elect new executive

By Mrs. Cecil Patterson  
The December meeting of Bethel U.C.W. was held on Dec. 2 at the home of Mrs. Ralph Featherston with 17 adults and six children gathering for a noon meal at 12.30 p.m. served by Mrs. E. Ball and Mrs. L. Chamberlain. Mrs. W. Harris president was in charge of the meeting which followed. The theme "Christ come to us in our brothers" and showed how different people celebrate Christmas. First reader was Mrs. R. Featherston the story St. Nick flies the oil flare trail. This was followed by singing carol—Away in a Manger.

**Roll call**

Mrs. E. Ball, gave a reading Edna Eldorado. Mrs. J. Pickett contributed a reading Harrington Harbours and St. Anthony. Mrs. L. Lister read—Christmas at the Union Station. Carols were enjoyed between each reading. Roll call 8 A Christmas thought was well answered. A letter of thanks was read from Rev. and Mrs. Keith Hawkes for the gift presented on their leaving and a letter from Mrs. R. R. Ford for flowers, cards and kindness in her recent passing of her husband.

**Handle business**

A bale of used clothing and the white gifts were to be taken to Fred Victor Mission, Toronto. A donation of \$25. was to be sent to A.R.C. Hornby and the friendship committee were to look after sending cards and gifts at Christmas.

Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Lister were named to look after lunch for S.S. concert Dec. 13.

It was decided to apply for membership for film strips for use in Sunday School and U.C.W. meetings.

**Members busy**

The treasurer's report showed the members have been busy and they are to cater for weddings in February and March.

It was with regret the resignation of Mrs. W. Harris, president for the past year was accepted.

New executive for 1971 includes past president Mrs. Harris, president Mrs. Len Lister, treasurer Mrs. R. Featherston, secretary Mrs. S. McMullen, program secretary Mrs. C. Featherston, friendship Mrs. E. Ball, Mrs. L. Chamberlain, telephone convener Miss G. Featherston, cradle roll Mrs. R. Stewart, manse committee members are Mrs. S. Ralph and Mrs. C. Featherston.

Representatives to official Board are Mrs. A. Ball and Mrs. W. Harris, Sewing and supplies committee includes Mrs. W. Harris and Mrs. T. A. Leslie, others are Christian missionary education Mrs. P. Merry, Stewardship and vacations Mrs. A. Ball.

The meeting closed with the benediction. January meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. G. Ball.

A gift of crystal had been purchased and presented to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pickett.

Church worship and white gift service was held at Bethel on Dec. 13 at 10 a.m. Dr. Donald of Oakville was the guest minister. Following the service all adjourned to the basement. For the annual Christmas concert with each class contributing one or more numbers, children parents and congregation were welcomed by Ross Wark, assistant superintendent at 11.15 p.m. The kindergarten class with

their teacher Mrs. Don Wilson sang, Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer and Happy Birthday to Jesus and Jingle Bells. Wayne Bailey was the red nosed reindeer, Joanne McMillan was Santa in a sled and all wore antlers to represent reindeer.

The Junior primary class led by Mrs. W. Harris and Mary Lou Bailey, teachers sang "Twas the nite before Christmas."

The Senior primary teachers Mrs. N. Flemington Mrs. S. Millan led their children in playing Jingle Bells on a rhythm band.

The senior class taught by Mrs. E. Ball and Del Wood gave several readings; the Christmas story by Debbie McHugh and Danica Wood, while Michael Flemington and Douglas Hannah read the Shepherd's thoughts of Christmas. In the closing scene all carried candles and sang "It came upon the midnite clear." Many carols were enjoyed throughout the program. Santa arrived and distributed the gifts. A social time was observed with all enjoying hot dogs, ice cream, coffee and fruit juice. Nearly one hundred were present for the festivities.

**Get well**

Get well wishes to Darlene Wood who is in Port Credit Hospital following a car accident and to her sister Denise Wood a patient in Brampton hospital.

Carolyn Bonar celebrated her seventh birthday recently by entertaining about 14 young friends at a birthday luncheon at noon and later all had fun at the bowling alley at Streetsville plaza.

**W. I. meeting**

The regular meeting of Drumquin W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. Wyllie on Tuesday, Dec. 8 with nine members present. Mrs. Ralph Featherston president welcomed all and presided. The roll call was answered by "What Christmas means to me. Cash donations were given to the Canadian Mental Health Association and to the Oakville Christmas bazaar to aid in bringing cheer to the needy. Cards are to be sent to all past members who are not in this district and to the sick. Mrs. William Alderson and Mrs. Tom Alderson members who are residing near Brantford were welcomed guests for this special meeting. Christmas carols were enjoyed and each gave a poem or reading with the Christmas theme.

A delicious lunch of all kinds of goodies was served by the hostess. The January meeting will be held at the home of the president.

**Sympathy extended**

Sympathy is extended to Miss Gladys Featherston on the passing of her only brother Wilfred of Toronto. Mr. Featherston farmed on the Sixth Line before going to the city. He is survived by his wife and sisters, Mrs. George Dixon, and Mrs. Bertie Heatley of Kitchener. Interment was in Bethel cemetery.

Sympathy is extended to those

who mourn the passing of Ernest Winzor of Oakville, he is survived by his wife and three daughters Mrs. Ralph Featherston, Mrs. Margaret

Morcom, Ethel and Jack at home and grandchildren.

**Choir concert**

The annual Christmas Carol service at Percy W. Merry school was enjoyed by an overflow attendance of parents and friends on Thursday Dec. 10.

Carols and numbers by the choirs with the reading of the story by principal Mr. Kobzey. All students participating were treated to pop and a cookie by the Home and School Association.

Happy birthdays go to Stuart McMillan, Cathy Course, Gwen Bailey, Kathleen Jones and Raymond King.



AT AGE FOUR AND A HALF, the fine points of skiing are still a little hard to grasp. Cameron McFarlane of Oakville found this out when he visited Glen Eden Ski Area this weekend.—(Staff Photo)

FOR THE FIRST TIME on skis young Cameron McFarlane of Oakville did well. But even then he had his ups and downs. Cameron was among the early visitors to Glen Eden Ski Club at Kelso this weekend. The area plans to be open in full swing Dec. 19.—(Staff Photo)

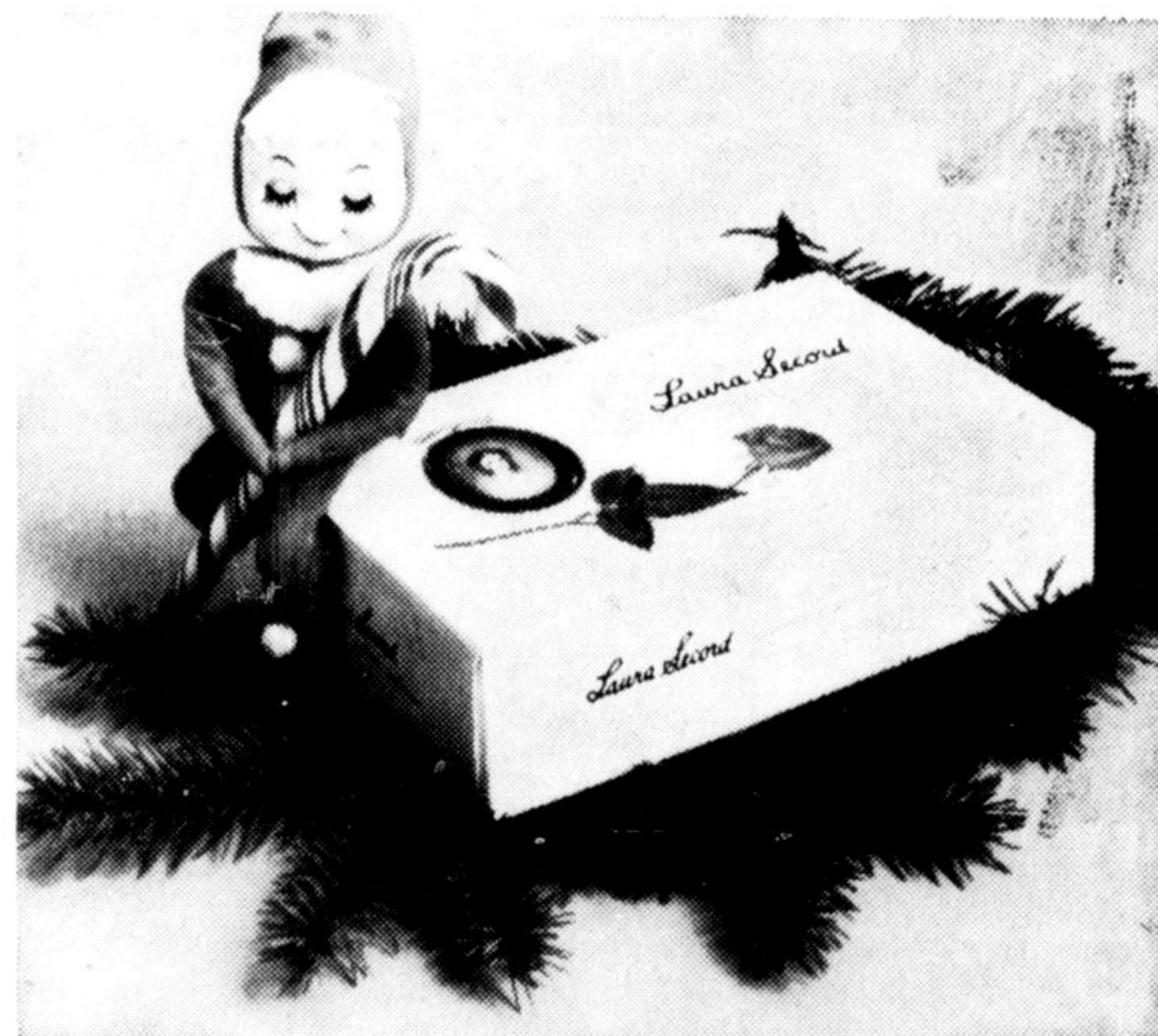
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## Wintry driving accidents

Driving conditions weren't the best over the weekend and three separate accidents in town resulted in a total of \$3,360 property damage.

On Friday a car driven by Doris Burke of Dundas careened off the road, struck a guide post and rolled over in a ditch. The driver was not injured and damage to the car was estimated at \$1,000; plus \$10 to the guide post. Milton Police Department investigated.

**Man injured**

Two cars were also involved in a collision at the corner of Bronte St. and Base Line Rd. on Sunday. Cars driven by Paul Job, 143 Town Line and Richard Morley of R.R. 1 Milton were involved in the accident. Mr. Morley was slightly injured but was not taken to hospital. Total damages were estimated at \$1,250.

Another two car collision was reported Sunday at Ontario St. and Campbell Ave. A car driven by Ken Elsley of Campbell Ave. sustained \$500 damage when it was involved in a collision with a vehicle driven by Mervin Bell of Hornby. No injuries were reported.

Four minor accidents were also reported this week.

**UNSAFE SHOULDERS**  
Snow-covered road shoulders are deceptive, warns the Hamilton Automobile Club. Use extreme caution when it is necessary to leave the highway for an emergency stop or to check maps. Snow may hide a culvert, ditch or other hazard. Best alternative is to look for an apparent turnout, as a country road, or a driveway that is cleared.

—Looking for Christmas cash? Try a Champion "for sale" ad to sell unwanted articles.

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