

**WEEKLY NEWS NOTES FROM THE UNIONVILLE DISTRICT**

**BETHLEHEM**  
Our Lord was born in Bethlehem,  
A town of lovely worth;  
Upon a slope, it looks beyond  
The scenes that crowned his birth.

Northeastward old Jerusalem  
Stands high for all to see,  
The Moab mountains to the south  
Are crowned with memory.

Our Lord was born at Bethlehem  
'Neath star and angel song,  
Yet just six miles away, the Cross  
Was waiting him e'erlong.

Oh lovely child! Oh ancient town!  
Oh city fraught with strife!  
Oh Lord of Love and Majesty,  
Who conquered death with life!

Live on, live on in Bethlehem!  
Live on in all the earth!  
When all the world relives again,  
That glad, great hour of birth!

—Lereine Ballantyne.

The members and their friends made merry at the first Christmas party held at the December meeting of the local branch of the Women's Institute. The home of Mrs. J. A. Gibson, Main Street, presented a festive appearance with its holiday decorations and was an attractive setting for this event. Miss E. B. Russell presided in absence of the President, Mrs. E. E. Braithwaite, whose serious illness in Wellesley Hospital is sincerely regretted by a large circle of friends. A popcorn demonstration by Mrs. G. Braithwaite the distribution of samples, a humorous reading by Mrs. R. J. Duffield, and reports on the annual W.I. convention held at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, by the delegates Mrs. Sabiston and Mrs. Perkins were a part of this interesting afternoon. The Christmas party included an amusing draw for gifts donated by the members and not exceeding 10 cents in value and was a real introduction into the holiday spirit. Following the program a delightful tea served from appropriately decorated small tables brought to a close this enjoyable afternoon. Hostesses for the afternoon included Mrs. J. A. Gibson, Mrs. T. Croft, Mrs. Wheatley, Mrs. G. Court and Miss Austin.

A cordial invitation is extended by the principal F. R. Perkins and the pupils of Hagerman Public School to attend the Christmas concert that will be held in the school on Wednesday evening next (Dec. 19th), commencing at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

The Y.P.S. of Brown's Corners United Church plan an interesting evening to which all are invited, when Rev. F. Smith of St. Andrew's United Church, Markham, will deliver a favorite illustrated address on Monday evening next (Dec. 17th), commencing at 8 o'clock.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at Central United Church Manse on Saturday afternoon last when Irene May Thurston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thurston, Toronto, became the bride of Mr. Carl Ramer, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Ramer, Cedar Grove. Rev. A. E. Owen officiated. The bride was unattended and wore a gown of white satin with matching turban and corsage of lilies-of-the-valley and sweetheart roses. Later the bride and groom left by motor for a trip to Western Ontario. On their return they will reside at Cedar Grove.

If this popular couple had the idea that they were going to cover this event without any additional frills, there were a few of the girl friends that had a different idea, for after all why shouldn't they ride in a gaily decorated coach. A few whispered plans executed with swiftness and

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dexterity and the transformation was complete even to the trailer that included articles too numerous to mention. Thus this happy couple set sail on the matrimonial sea amidst the very best wishes of their numerous young friends. Mrs. Ramer was actively connected with Central United Y.P.S. and will be greatly missed in that organization.

Euchres seem to be once again the order of events and are very successful, the Bowling Club recently putting on one in the Township Hall that brought a good attendance of players, the delicious lunch served has been favorably commented on. The prize winners for this evening were Janet Brown, Mrs. Risebrough, Mrs. Vernon Trunk, H. Barber, H. Snowball, R. Risebrough.

The Veterans held the opening event in the season's euchres last Thursday evening and as in the past continues to be popular. The winners of this event were Mrs. H. Perkin, Mrs. F. Roberts, Mrs. Kerr, Adam Hood, R. J. Cunningham, A. Summerfeldt.

These organizations anticipate putting on several of these events after January 1st.

Shoot Matches come in for a share of the patronage too. One is scheduled for Saturday next (Dec. 15th), at the farm of Mr. J. Bond, when the trophies will be geese.

Unionville boasts on several good marksmen that usually bring home a goodly share of the spoils.

Miss Lois Coryell of Toronto was the guest of Mrs. W. J. Russell on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gibson were Toronto visitors on Tuesday.

Mrs. Earl Parkinson and children were guests of Mrs. J. R. Hood on Thursday.

Mrs. J. Brodie and Miss Janet Brodie of Stouffville visited Mrs. M. C. Sommerville on Sunday.

Dr. Harold Braithwaite of Chicago was called home on Saturday last on account of the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. E. E. Braithwaite.

We regret to report Miss Vera Weighill on the sick list this week.

Mr. G. A. M. Davison made a fine showing with his ponies at Guelph Fair, bringing home some several prizes.

Announcement is made of the change of date of the Christmas entertainment of Central United Sunday School from Dec. 24th to Friday evening, Dec. 21st. Kindly make note of the change.

Misses Kathleen Walker and Gladys Stonehouse of Toronto were guests of Miss Mae Stonehouse on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hood and Mrs. J. R. Hood visited Mrs. Susan Gibson, Milliken, one day last week.

**A FAVORITE TESTED RECIPE**

— Jellied Vegetable Soup —  
1 tin vegetable soup, 1 package lemon jelly powder, ¼ cup boiling water, 2 tablespoons vinegar, ½ teaspoon salt, ½ teaspoon pepper.

Dissolve jelly powder in boiling water, stir in soup, add vinegar, salt and pepper. Chill and serve in slices as an accompaniment to cold meats.

**VERSE FOR THE KIDDIES**

— Comin' Christmas Morn —  
I'm goin' to start next Saturday,  
I'm startin' on my way,  
To visit all the boys and girls  
In my new toboggan sleigh.  
I've sent Jack Frost ahead of me,  
To sort of find the road,  
So my deers'll find it easy  
'Cause I've got an awful load.

I wish't you all could see my house,  
Built out o' cakes of ice  
I guess you think it cold inside  
But no, it's awful nice,  
From where I live I'd have you know,  
It's truth upon my soul,  
I don't have very far to go,  
To see the big North Pole.

I'm coming, coming Children, yes  
You ought to see my sleigh,  
And hear the tinkle, tinkle, as  
I speed upon my way.  
Through forests bare, o'er snowy plains,  
As sure as you are born,  
Old Santa Claus is coming, and  
Will be here on Christmas morn.  
—Ben King's Verse.

**St. Philip's Anglican Church**  
Rev. J. J. Robbins  
10 a.m.—Church School.  
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer.

**BETHESDA LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Rev. E. Huenergard  
10 a.m.—Church School.  
11 a.m.—Public Worship.

**CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH UNIONVILLE**  
Pastor—Rev. A. E. Owen  
10 a.m.—Church School.  
11 a.m.—"The Conclusions of a Church Council."  
7 p.m.—"How do you become a leader of men? or would you rather be a rabbit?"

**EBENEZER UNITED CHURCH**  
1.30 p.m.—Church School.  
2.30 p.m.—"The Conclusions of a Church Council."

Another good intelligence test is to see whether he will monkey with intelligence tests.

**Social and Personal**

Reeve J. A. Greene was in Montreal on Wednesday attending the funeral of his sister, the late Mrs. Helen Mooney.

Richmond Hill Community Christmas Tree, Saturday afternoon, Dec. 22nd.

Davies Dry Goods Store, headquarters for gift shopping, will be open every evening until Christmas.

Members of Mr. Louis Sims' and Mr. Harold Atkinson's Sunday School Classes of the United Church enjoyed a banquet and entertainment in the Sunday School Room on Tuesday evening.

In this issue Mr. Aemilius Jarvis gives a striking and unsolicited testimonial as to the qualities of the Ford V-8. Read what Mr. Jarvis says of his trip south with a Ford.

Guest soloist at the United Church on Sunday evening was Mr. Ben Davis from Broadview United Church Toronto. Mr. Davis is a Welsh tenor, and his two solos proved that his voice is no exception to the Welsh tradition.

The Primary Dept. of the United Church are holding their Christmas Tree on the afternoon of Thursday, Dec. 20th, 1934, starting at 4.15 p.m.

Afternoon tea will be served and a silver collection will be taken.

Parents and children of the Primary and Cradle Roll Depts. are cordially invited, also interested friends.

**CURLERS GETTING READY**

Ice making in the curling rink is progressing well and the curlers of the district are anxiously awaiting for the opening game. Ice is expected to be in shape in a couple of days.

**STATUTORY MEETINGS SATURDAY**

The final meetings of municipal councils of the district for the year 1934 will be held on Saturday, Dec. 15th.

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**DRESS UP FOR CHRISTMAS**

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**YOU MAY WIN ONE OF THESE HANDSOME PRIZES**

Everyone who makes a purchase at Davies Dry Goods Store has a chance to win one of the two handsome floor lamps now on exhibit in the store. This interesting Christmas feature of the Davies Store annually creates much interest in the homes of this district. You are invited to do your Christmas shopping at this store and you may be the lucky one to win one of these prizes.

**SANTA CLAUS RECEIVED HEARTY WELCOME**

Santa Claus was given a hearty welcome by the young folk of Richmond Hill last Saturday afternoon when he visited Davies Dry Goods Store. Every child was given the opportunity of talking with Santa and each one was given a souvenir toy. The people of the district are indebted to Davies Dry Goods Store for their generosity and public spirit in each year arranging this annual visit of Jolly Old Santa Claus. It is an event eagerly looked forward to and much appreciated by the youngsters.

**CHRISTMAS TREE AND ANNIVERSARY**

The annual Christmas Concert and Sixtieth Anniversary of German Mills Public School, Markham S. S. No. 2, will be held in the school on Thursday evening, Dec. 20th, at 8 o'clock. All ex-pupils are especially invited.

**EDGELEY**

The regular monthly meeting of the Edgeley Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Alf. Bagg on Thursday, Dec. 6th. The President opened the meeting with the "Institute Ode" followed by "The Lord's Prayer." The Roll Call "An Exchange of Cookies and their Recipes" was well responded to. The program for the afternoon consisted of a very interesting demonstration on tinting with colored paper by Mrs. J. Hoover; a vocal solo by Miss Gladys Smith; the report of the W. I. Convention by Miss Greta Stong; a very inspiring address on "Individual Stock Taking" by Mrs. Huenergard.

We also enjoyed a few words from the district officers, Mrs. Hicks and Miss McLelland.

The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

After the meeting lunch was served by the hostess and committee in charge.

**OBITUARY**

**LATE JAMES COSGROVE**

The late Mr. Cosgrove passed away peacefully on Tuesday, Dec. 4th, at his home on Bathurst St., Vaughan Township.

One of the few links with the early days of this district has been broken. He was the eldest son of a pioneer family which settled on the second concession of Markham, upwards of a century ago, and he was continuously engaged in farming within a mile of his birthplace, until he retired in 1933. Mr. Cosgrove, who was in his 90th year, enjoyed excellent health throughout his long life, and was active until about a week before his death.

Deceased was a member of St. Mary's Church, Richmond Hill. He was a well known and highly respected citizen. The funeral, which took place on Friday last, to St. Luke's cemetery, Thornhill, was largely attended. The pall bearers were: R. D. Campbell, R. J. Beatty, John Robinson, Frank Robinson, Wm. Espey and Albert Jones. His widow, three sons, John of Richmond Hill; James of Perth; Fred of Ethelton, Saskatchewan; and one brother, William of Toronto, survive.

**CARRVILLE**

The annual meeting of the Carrville W.A. was held last Wednesday afternoon in the church. The election of officers took place as follows: President, Mrs. Woolcott; Vice-President, Miss Eva Shepherd; Secretary, Mrs. Bert Middleton; Treasurer, Miss Olive Bovair; Devotional, Mrs. Vanderberg; Social, Mrs. J. Clement.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Adkins and children of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Vanderberg.

Misses Jessie and Margaret Mitchell and M. Stewart and James Wark took tea at Mrs. Reaman's on Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. Barton and Miss Beth Barton paid Santa Claus a visit on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Clement and little son visited Mr. and Mrs. J. Clement on Sunday.

Dr. Vernon Fisk, son Ross, and Mr. F. Fisk of Toronto visited at Mr. L. Burton's on Sunday.

There was no school on Monday or Wednesday afternoon on account of Mr. Pellow's illness.

The annual meeting of Carrville Young People's Society was held in the church on Monday evening. At the close of the regular program Rev. F. A. Gilbert took charge of the meeting. The report of the Secretary-Treasurer showed a prosperous year coming to a close with a balance of \$120.00 in the treasury. The election of officers for the coming year followed. Mr. Cyril Baker was re-elected President, and Mr. Lloyd Vanderburgh was re-elected Secretary-Treasurer. Other officers elected are: Hon. President, Rev. F. A. Gilbert; Vice-President, Miss Edna Reaman; Convenor of Christian Fellowship Committee, Miss Mary Reaman; Convenor of Missionary Committee, Lloyd Game; Convenor of Citizenship Committee, Miss Dorothy Hobday; Convenor Literary and Musical Committee, Mrs. W. Keffer; Convenor Recreation and Social, Mrs. Cyril Baker; Organist, Mrs. Cyril Baker; Auditors, Mr. and Mrs. W. Keffer. Plans were made for a social evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vanderburgh during the first week of the New Year.

**CARRVILLE UNITED CHURCH**  
3 p.m.—The Church School.  
7 p.m.—Service of Worship.  
Wed., 8 p.m.—Annual Christmas Concert.

**DIED**

**HORNER**—At her late residence, Headford, on Wednesday, Dec. 12th, 1934, Miss Emma Horner.

Funeral from the above address on Saturday, 15th inst., at 2 o'clock. Interment, Heise Hill Cemetery.

**IN MEMORIAM**

**GILLIES**—In most loving memory of James L. Gillies, King City, who left us Dec. 7th, 1932. Two years have gone! The Problem that so long he studied; That mystery of the world to come. Profound, Is solved. His Tree of Life Which had ripened, Bears now full harvest in Celestial Grounds. Oh God, what a weight of sorrow Must we, the lonely ones, bear; A lonely home, a silent voice And only his vacant chair. You left sweet memories to blossom Bearing fruit for the years to come, In the lives of those who loved you Precious memories of days that are gone. Ever remembered by Wife and Children.

**NOTICE**

Vaughan and Richmond Hill Veterans Association are having a special meeting at Council Chambers, Richmond Hill, Tuesday, 8 p.m., Dec. 18th.

**Royal Theatre, AURORA**

Two Shows Daily — 7.30 & 9.30 — Sat. Matinee 2.00 p.m.

TO-DAY — THURSDAY  
MYRNA LOY — GEORGE BRENT  
— in —

**STAMBOUL QUEST**  
— also —  
LAUREL AND HARDY COMEDY

FRI. AND SAT., DEC. 14-15  
TWO FEATURES  
WALTER HUSTON — FRANCES DEE  
— in —

**"KEEP EM ROLLING"**  
TED HEALY — MADGE EVANS — ROBT. YOUNG  
— in —

**"Death On The Diamond"**

MON. AND TUES., DEC. 17-18  
RICHARD DIX — DOROTHY WILSON  
— in —

**"His Greatest Gamble"**

WED. AND THUR., DEC. 19-20  
CLARA BOW — HERBERT MUNDEN  
— in —

**"HOOPLA"**

**CHRISTMAS CONCERT**

You are cordially invited to attend the  
**Patterson School Christmas Concert**  
TO BE HELD AT THE  
**School House, Thursday, Dec. 20th**  
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