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FORTY YEARS AGO

From our Issue of December 30, 1897
Two of our popular young citizens were united in marriage last evening in the persons of John Pugsley Glass of the firm of Glass Brothers and Miss Emma Florence Lauder, niece of ex-councillor J. Mortson. The marriage was solemnized at the residence of her uncle who gave the bride away in the presence of a large number of relations and a few intimate friends, and the ceremony was performed by Rev. George McCulloch.

The Dominion Government has decided to adopt the postal note system in vogue in the United Kingdom, on July 1st, 1898. Paper notes about the size of a bank bill will be printed on thin linen paper of the following denominations: Twenty, 25, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80 and 90 cents, \$1, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00. The cost of obtaining these notes will be one cent each up to 40 cents, two cents between that figure and \$2.50, and three cents each for all above that. These postal notes will replace the post office money order for the transmission of small sums through the post. The present money order system will be continued, however, with some improvements, for the transmission of sums up to \$100. These postal notes will serve a great public convenience, doing away with the payment of accounts in postage stamps, the postal notes being payable at any order office without the identification of the payee or any condition other than the presentation of the note. It is expected that the rates, low as they are fixed, will give a small profit.

Municipal Nominations Richmond Hill

Reeve, P. G. Savage; councillors, Wm. Innes, W. A. Wright, D. Hill, H. F. Hopper, all elected by acclamation. For school trustees, J. N. Boyle, W. T. Storey, M. McNair, J. H. Sanderson, elected by acclamation.

Vaughan
Alex Bryson, reeve, (acclamation), J. H. Kirby, 1st Deputy Reeve (acclamation), Wm. Watson, 2nd Deputy reeve (acclamation), Isaac Devins, Albert Hicks (resigned). Councillors J. N. Boyle, Isaac Devins, S. McClure (resigned), Wm. Thomas (resigned) R. M. Taylor (resigned).

Markham
J. Lawrie, reeve, (acclamation); Mr. Dimma, 1st Deputy Reeve, (acclamation); A. Quantz, 2nd Deputy Reeve, (acclamation); John Eckardt, 3rd Deputy Reeve, (acclamation); councillor, D. C. Steele.

Woodbridge
Councillors, John Reaman, Michael Brown, Henry Bates and John E. Harris, by acclamation. Reeve, Thos. F. Wallace, by acclamation.

King Township
Reeve, James Cherry; 1st Deputy reeve, Robert McCutcheon; 2nd Deputy reeve, S. W. Armitage; 3rd Deputy reeve, John Hambly; Councillor, Thomas H. Legge. All elected by acclamation.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

From our Issue of December 26, 1907
The curlers have engaged Mr. J. Andrews to keep the ice in good condition during the present curling season.

Mr. H. A. Nicholls has announced himself a candidate for the reeveship. The contest will therefore be between Mr. Pugsley, the present reeve, and Mr. Nicholls, a member of the present council.

At a meeting of the Curling Club held in McDonald's shop Thursday evening the following members were elected skips to select their rinks for the Smith medal: T. A. Lamon, A. G. Savage, J. Michael, G. Cowie, G. McDonald, C. P. Wiley, F. E. Sims, J. H. Sanderson.

Nicol Bros. while tearing down the old house in the Williamson property at Elgin Mills, which is being replaced by a new one, found an old relic in the shape of a school book to teach young children to spell and read. The book was printed and published by Eastwood and Skinner, Toronto, and bears the date 1838. The book contains a number of maxims of which the following is a sample: "The drunkard looks like a man, but acts like a beast." The book though nearly 70 years old is in a fair state of preservation.

A very pretty wedding took place at Headford on Wednesday, the 18th inst. at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brodie, when Corabel, their eldest daughter, was united to Mr. Albert F. L. Leek, by Rev. A. P. Brace of Richmond



CHARLES HOOPER
Returned as Deputy-Reeve of Markham Township for a second term by acclamation.



W. L. CLARK
Returned by acclamation as councillor in Markham Township for the year 1938.

TESTON

And now for the New Year. We wish every reader of The Liberal and its staff a very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Young People's Union met as usual last Sunday evening with a very good attendance, Charles Robson presiding. There was responsive scripture reading followed by a poem by Charles Robson. The topic was presented by Miss Jean Robson and the subject "Hitch-hiking" which was very interesting and enjoyed by all.

Miss Alma McCluskey paid a short visit to Teston one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ireland had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ireland, Woodbridge, and later in the day visited Mr. and Mrs. Watts at Thistleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson, Beth and Billy, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. William Walker, Toronto.

Master William Hall who has been in Grey County for a time has returned home.

The annual church meeting will be held on the 10th of January.

Friends are sorry to hear that Mr. J. McLaughlin is seriously ill and hope he will soon be feeling better.

HEADFORD

To All "A Happy New Year".

The Christmas season passed pleasantly. The pupils of S. S. No. 3 presented a very fine program at their concert on Tuesday afternoon which reflects great credit on the teacher, Miss Love. Santa Claus arrived, much to the delight of the children, and presented the gifts.

On Wednesday evening, 22nd, the Sunday School held their Christmas entertainment in the church. There was a beautiful Christmas tree tastefully decorated and illuminated. The program of recitations and choruses by the school was well received and also the features of the older pupils including a drill, English speaking Nations, and a short play "Christmas at the Stebbins" was climaxed by the arrival of Santa Claus to distribute the presents.

White Gift Sunday on the 19th brought many presents wrapped in white and laid under a Christmas Tree very tastefully trimmed and illuminated.

Next Sunday, January 2nd, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed in the church.

On Wednesday evening the Executive of the Y.P.U. for 1938 met at the home of the President, Edgar James, to plan a program for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Clark and Ruth spent Christmas with Mrs. Clark's parents at Drayton.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Smith on Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wright, Richmond Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Page, Barrie, and Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Hill, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Stephenson and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thomson, Maple.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hayman of Toronto spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Boynton at Dollar.

Mr. Fred Lee's father and sister of Toronto spent Christmas Day at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Curtis of Headford, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Quantz and family of Aurora spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. N. Brodie.

Hill. Miss Laura Leek played the wedding march and the attendants were Miss Mary Chamberlain as bridesmaid and Mr. Cline Burr as groomsmen.

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