

# King City News Items

Miss Alice Ferguson had the misfortune to fall on ice on Thursday last, crashing down in a split second on her right elbow. No bones were broken but she sustained bruises in the ligaments and is unable to carry on with her usual vigor.

The school buses were not able to make the trips on Monday due to dangerously slippery roads. Many have remained away from Toronto due to bad city streets. Rural areas are better situated than the city as far as safe and passable roads are concerned. But it all goes to make for a longer winter.

Eversley school and church concert held in the church on Dec. 12 was well attended, and was a decided success. Each number was enacted with unusual spirit and natural acting. It was a "real pretend" all through and how they did enjoy doing it. The choruses were well chosen and sung with taste and ability. Both schools and Sunday schools and church junior choirs throughout the township profit from good music being taught in the schools.

Eversley Young People contributed a novel act and Santa Claus was all that a benevolent "Santy" could be. He radiated the spirit of Christmas and good will to all.

A very interesting program in the Women's Institute was held at Mrs. Stone's, Sr., last week. Mrs. P. Armstrong gave a paper on "The Home as a Community Centre". There was an interesting display of home-made Christmas gifts. Articles for refugee sewing were given to the members.

Rev. E. W. G. Worrall, Miss Helen Whitten and Miss Dorothy Armstrong attended the organ recital at Eaton's Auditorium on Saturday afternoon. The French organist, Mr. Joseph Bonnet, was the teacher of Dr. R. Jacques, whom we heard in King a short time ago.

Rev. Mr. Galloway spoke to the Schomberg Institute last week on the subject of Books. Mr. Claridge and pupils from the public school gave Christmas choruses numbers. A display of sewing etc. from the Red Cross rooms will be given early in January.

Nobleton Red Cross unit in the W.I. sponsored a successful dance last week, realizing \$40 towards buying sweaters for refugee supplies.

The funeral of the late Kustaa Jaskari, the Canadian name being Jackson, of the 4th of King was

held on Saturday from Thompson's Parlours, Aurora, interment in King City Cemetery. Rev. M. E. Burch officiated. Mr. Jackson was 62 years of age and has been in poor health for some time. He was born in Finland and has lived in Canada for 25 years or more. The family have been successful and are excellent citizens. It is just over a year since his son passed away.

Surviving are his wife and three sons, Harvey of Vaughan, William of Toronto and Ernest of Toronto; one daughter Mrs. Russell Graham of Whitechurch. Sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

Mr. Albert Hollingshead is slightly improved from sciatica. The death of Mrs. Alfred Hollingshead of Sherwood occurred on December 11th. Mr. Hollingshead passed away about four months ago.

S.S. anniversary services at Laskay on December 15th was very well attended. Rev. L. E. Atkinson of Stouffville delivered a splendid sermon on "God and the Church". It has been pointed out by some that the church has failed. The church will not fail; it will always have a measure of success, the speaker stated. The church puts forth the philosophy of life by way of truth and faith. It gives power for achievement, and is the medium between God and the world.

Eversley W.M.S. annual meeting and election of officers was held at Mrs. S. W. Armitage's last week. \$93 was raised for missionary purposes. Officers are: Pres., Miss Alice Ferguson; 1st Vice-Pres., Mrs. D. M. Ross; 2nd Vice-Pres., Mrs. A. B. Bovair; Sec., Annie Ferguson; Treas., Mrs. R. Gellatly; Press Sec., Mrs. W. Rolling; Glad Tidings, Mrs. A. Bovair; Supply, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Wade; Sick and Shut-in Sec., Mrs. Gellatly; Lunch convener, Mrs. C. Cohen; Visiting Com., Mrs. J. Walsh, Mrs. C. Egan, Marie Ball; Programme Com., Hilda Cairns, Laura E. Rolling, Mrs. C. Egan, Marie Ball; Pianist, L. E. Rolling, Frances Ross; Expense Treas., Mrs. S. W. Armitage.

King United W.M.S. heard annual reports and elected officers. \$160 allocation will be more than covered. Hon. Pres., Mrs. Winter, Mrs. Davis; Pres., Mrs. J. Patton; Vice-Pres., Mrs. W. Carson; Secretary, Mrs. Campbell; Treasurer, Mrs. J. Dew Sr.; Corresponding Sec., Mrs. Norris; Stewardship, Mrs. F. Willis; Temperance, Mrs. Hamby; Missionary Monthly, Mrs. McCallum; Supply, Mrs. Winter; Community Friendship and Associate Sec., Annie McBride; Quilt Convener, Mrs. McCallum, Mrs. Winter.

All Saints W. A. elected officers last week. Hon. Pres., Mrs. E. W. G. Worrall; Pres., Mrs. H. Finch; Vice-Pres., Mrs. Harold Hollingshead; 2nd Vice-Pres., Mrs. C. J. Baulecker; Sec., Lily Anderson; Doreas Sec., Mrs. Harry Edwards; Living Message Sec., Mrs. Clifton Pitt. The pledge has been met and a balance on hand.

Congratulations are due to King Township pupils winning distinction at Aurora High School for the past year's work.

Pottageville Baptist Church will hold a special Christmas service at 2.30 p.m. Dec. 22nd when S.S. and congregation will join. Scholars will give choruses and Rev. Mr. Galloway will give a Christmas story.

The last council meeting of 1940 was held at Schomberg on December 16th. The budget set aside for expenses has been covered, with a deficit, between \$7000 and \$8000 the balance recorded. Already \$300 has been spent on snow and sand. This is a good start for winter.

### WITH THE BOY SCOUTS

The Troop wishes to thank the many friends who supported the Apple Day held recently. Total receipts were \$28.09 with expenses of \$3.75 of which \$2.25 was specially contributed by two friends. This active financial support is greatly appreciated and gives heart to the officers who are endeavouring to carry on under some difficulty.

It has been decided that under present conditions of meeting, that is the limited space available in the hall, the strength of the Troop must be cut down. The Court of Honour discussed this situation and it was ruled that until larger quarters can be obtained the strength of the Troop shall be 21, four patrols of five with Troop Leader. It was the hope that the Troop should be built to a full complement of 37, but it is impossible to carry on the work in a progressive manner with too large a group in the limited room.

Scout Bill Bowdery has been appointed Acting Second of the Wolf Patrol.

The Troop received a most welcome visit from Field Secretary Jones of Provincial Headquarters at the last meeting. He presented two Patrol Leaders' badges and spoke most encouraging words to the Troop.

### Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moore left on Tuesday of this week to spend the winter months with their daughter Mrs. R. F. Mitchell in Miami, Florida.

Gerald Cuttance of Richmond Hill reported for duty at Manning Pool Toronto this week as a member of the R.C.A.F.

At the Literary Society meeting at the High School Wednesday afternoon Miss Jean Smith was presented with a coffee table by students of the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, 20 Finch Ave., East, Northmount, Ont., will be at home to their friends on Tuesday, December 24th from 2 to 4 and from 7 to 10 p.m. on the occasion of their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

Music which was presented at the Candle-Light Service on Tuesday last will be repeated by the United Church choir at next Sunday evening's service, which will be largely musical. Special Christmas music will also be sung by the choir next Sunday morning.

### NEW YEAR'S DANCE AT MAPLE

A dance will be held in the Concert Hall, Maple, on New Year's Night, Wed., January 1. Olde Tyme and Modern Dancing to Gillam's Orchestra. Ernie Evans, floor manager. Under auspices of the Concert Hall Committee. Admission 25 cents.

### CHILDREN GUESTS OF LIONS

100 happy children left the L.T.B. & Orange Home Saturday morning last en route for the Strand Theatre Newmarket, guests of the Lions Club where a special show was put on for them, pictures not only kiddies could enjoy but a real treat for all. The children were so grateful to the Lions for this wonderful treat also to the management of the Strand Theatre.

### RAIL FARES FOR XMAS AND NEW YEAR'S

For Christmas fare and a quarter for the round trip on sale Dec. 23rd to Dec. 25th. Return limit Dec. 26. For New Years same rates, on sale Dec. 30 to Jan. 1st. Return limit Jan. 2nd.

Long limit for Christmas and New Years fare and a third for the round trip on sale Dec. 20 to Jan. 1st. Good to return until Jan. 7th.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Kerr and family desire to express their thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy in their recent bereavement.

### RICHMOND HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, Dec. 15th  
11 a.m.—Morning Service.  
2.45 p.m.—Sunday School.  
The annual Sunday School Christmas Tree will be held Monday evening, December 23rd.

### ST. MARY'S CHURCH

(Anglican)  
RICHMOND HILL  
Rector: Rev. W. F. Wrixon, L.Th.  
4 Markham Road  
Sunday, Dec. 22nd—Advent 4 Services at 11 and 7. Sunday School at 2.30.  
Christmas Carols and Christmas Messages at both services.  
All cordially invited.  
Wednesday, Christmas Day  
Holy Communion at 8 and 10.30 a.m.  
A Merry Christmas To You All

### RICHMOND HILL UNITED CHURCH

Rev. C. W. Follett, B.D. Pastor  
Dec. 22, Christmas Sunday  
11 a.m.—White Gift Service. Sunday School meets at 10.30 and at 11 will join the congregation in a White Gift Service. Parents and scholars will bring their gifts into the church where they will be received by the officers of the school and placed inside the altar rail; the scholars proceeding to the gallery and during the service will render two musical numbers. The choir will sing the Hallelujah Chorus.  
7 p.m.—Special musical program by the choir, Christmas carols and Christmas anthems. This will be an interesting and inspiring service. Christmas cheer will be distributed during the afternoon.  
This church extends a warm welcome to families and friends of the congregation, and the heartiest season's greetings to all.  
"To all earth's weary, struggling men,  
The world's sole hope is born again;  
When breaks the light of Christmas morn,  
Lo, unto us a child is born."

### RED CROSS NOTES

The Red Cross room will remain closed until Wednesday, January 8, 1941.

Tickets are still available for the hand-made quilt on display in Mr. J. R. Herrington's window. These may be obtained at most Yonge St. stores. The lucky ticket will be drawn at the annual meeting on January 17th.

The W.A. of the Presbyterian Church has made and donated to the Richmond Hill Red Cross 4 quilts. These quilts are gratefully acknowledged by the Society, and will be packed and shipped to headquarters along with those made in the Red Cross room.

### DANCE AT SCHOMBERG

A Monster Dance in aid of the Greek Relief Fund will be held in Schomberg Hall on Friday, December 27th. Rus Creighton and his six piece orchestra will provide music for Olde Tyme and Modern dancing. Dancing from 8.15 standard time. Entertainment and other feature attractions. Admission 50c. Lunch provided.

### ANNUAL MEETING AFTERNOON AUXILIARY UNITED CHURCH W.M.S.

The annual meeting of the Afternoon Auxiliary of the United Church W.M.S. was held December 5 when Rev. C. W. Follett gave the address and installed the following officers for the coming year: Honorary presidents, Mrs. William Cook and Mrs. C. W. Follett; past president, Mrs. Geo. Gee; president, Mrs. David Hill; vice-presidents, Mrs. E. D. Cunningham, Mrs. W. A. Wright, Mrs. George Gee, Mrs. L. H. Clement; recording secretary, Miss M. Harrison; corresponding secretary, Mrs. F. Coulter; press secretary, Mrs. Walter Scott; secretary of Christian Stewardship and finance, Mrs. J. F. Burr; supply sec., Mrs. H. Thompson; Community Friendship sec., Mrs. A. E. Plewman; literature sec., Mrs. Ferguson; Temperance and Christian Fellowship sec., Mrs. Follett; Missionary Monthly sec., Mrs. Ness; pianist, Mrs. A. L. Phipps; assistant, Mrs. C. Harding; supt. of Mission Band, Miss F. Richardson.

### VETERANS DRAW

The Vaughan and Richmond Hill Veterans Draw will take place on December 23rd. Members are asked to have all stubbs handed in by that date.

### RICHVALE SOCIAL CLUB HOLD SUCCESSFUL EUCHRE

Over 200 attended the Poultry Euchre and Dance held by the Richvale Social Club in Richvale School Wednesday evening. Poultry prizes for euchre were won by ladies, Mrs. F. Harrison, Thornhill; Mrs. Morrison, Elgin Mills; Mr. Johnston, Richvale, playing as lady. Gentlemen, Mr. R. Kain, Garden Ave.; Arthur Woolcott, Joe Taylor. In the Lucky Draw, winners were: 1st, Mr. Broom, Spruce Ave., ticket 188; 2nd, Frank Harrison, Thornhill, No. 288; 3rd, Mr. Woolcott, No. 564.

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TODAY, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19  
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FRIDAY & SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20 - 21  
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A SPLENDID COMEDY DRAMA  
A laugh riot from start to finish

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY, DECEMBER 25 - 26  
WALLACE BEERY, MARJORIE MAIN, ANN RUTHERFORD in  
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There are exquisite gifts of fine silverware,  
Beautiful glass and chinaware;  
Gifts too innumerable to mention here,  
The rest I'll leave it to you my dear.

But, if you go in and browse around,  
First thing you'll know—that you have found  
Something that has caught your eye,  
You can't resist it—and so you buy.

**MRS. JERRY SMITH**  
30 Yonge St. Richmond Hill

**Notice to Creditors**  
In the Estate of John Franklin Snider, deceased, late of the Village of Edgeley, in the County of York, Contractor.

All persons having claims against the estate of John Franklin Snider, who died on or about the 20th day of July, 1938, are required to file proof of same with the undersigned solicitor before the 30th day of December, 1940, after which date the estate will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned shall then have notice.

DATED at Toronto this 6th day of December, 1940.  
ALBERT L. BRADY,  
8 Albany Avenue,  
Toronto, Ontario,  
Solicitor for the Administratrix.

**JUNIOR RED CROSS**  
**New Year's Eve Ball**  
RICHMOND HILL HIGH SCHOOL  
under the distinguished patronage of  
Honourable W. P. Mulock, Postmaster-General and  
Mrs. Mulock Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Hill

**PARKDALE COLLEGIATE ORCHESTRA** 12-piece Band  
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