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# KING DISTRICT NEWS

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Nine hundred pheasants were placed in King township late in the summer months and in Whitchurch township 1000 birds have been distributed with a large number in Vaughan township. Pheasants appear to be fairly plentiful this fall, which, according to the Whitchurch Wild Life and Conservation Club, indicates fewer foxes. The fox cycle lasts for about eight years, the peak running out the eighth year. Open pheasant season starts November 5.

**Foxes Given Chase**

On the farm of Mr. J. S. D. Tory, King sideroad west, Toronto and North York Hunt Club held their week end hunt with more than 50 entering the field. Fences had been carefully panelled by Mr. Tory, Mr. Burton, Mr. Harris and others which facilitated the speed and safety of the chase. Mr. and Mrs. Tory were hosts to the large gathering afterward. The lovely pioneer stone house originally built by the Willis family was the scene of hospitality for the club. Ideal weather and the beauty of the countryside gave added zest to the affair.

**King and Vaughan Plowmen**

Tannery Hill, the farm of Henry Borden, west of Kinghorn, on King Sideroad will see the annual match sponsored by King and Vaughan Plowmen's Assoc. totalling one of the largest money prizes in the Province with an added class this year. Supper will be served in Laskay Church basement and awards presented in the Laskay W.I. hall. Chalmer Black of Kettleby is association president.

This week, October 19, North York Plowing Match will be held on the farm of Oliver Diceman, Queensville, a former resident of Vaughan township.

Mrs. Diceman is a sister of Mrs. Ernest Cummins of King. Catharine Diceman, a daughter has made several past wins in horse plowing contests. With her chestnut eam of horses. Catharine is a familiar figure at plowing matches throughout the province.

**Building Growth**

King township building inspector, Charles Ross, reports 63 new houses erected during the past year, and three commercial buildings which does not include construction of garages or repair shops. The erection of a new poultry plant on the Marshall premises, Kettleby, to augment the present set-up forms an outstanding commercial construction project. Expansion of the poultry industry here gives King township one of its most thriving and extensive industries.

First King Cubs of King district covered a wide area on October 15 in their sale of apples on Boy Scout Apple Day, the annual appeal for funds toward Scout organization. Jack Hambly was in charge of appointments for canvass.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Archibald and their young daughter, Carolyn, left on Monday for their home at Webb, Saskatchewan, after spending a month or so with parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Archibald, a brother and sister of the King-Nobleton district.

The engagement has been announced of Ruth Hoover of Nobleton by her parents Mr. and Mrs. Melville Hoover, to Lorne H. Sheardowne of Bolton. The marriage will be held in Nobleton United Church on November 5. Miss Hoover is employed as stenographer in King township municipal office under clerk-treasurer, H. G. Rose. She served as a WREN during the last war.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert B. White, Toronto, paid a visit to Mr. Peter Clark on Sunday.

Rev. M. R. Jenkinson preached at the 97th anniversary service of Thornhill United Church on Sunday.

Master "Rickey" Belknap of King, seriously hurt in a traffic accident recently is doing well and making satisfactory progress.

Several from King district attended Maple Presbyterian 120th anniversary services on Sunday and the hot turkey supper on October 19 served by the congregation.

Branch 438, King Legion, will hold a benefit bingo in McDonald and Wells' Hall, King, on Friday, October 21.

**New Canadians**

"To help new citizens become Canadians is a vital opportunity" declared Miss Lillian Oliver of King, psychiatric social worker with the provincial department of health, speaking on "New Canadians" to King Women's Institute branch celebrating their 10th anniversary of organization at Family Night held in the Masonic Hall, October 11.

"The British immigrant, we understand because he speaks our language and has our traditions. The Dutch immigrant comes to Canada with both possessions and money and is interested in buying land for agricultural purposes, but speaks little or no English. The displaced person, those from the Baltic States of Europe, know no English, nor have they wordly possessions. The name "D.P." bears a stigma in Europe. He has fled with millions of others of his people to seek a home in Canada. Germany did not want him; the Allies did not need him when war was over. The cream of the Baltic civilization is pouring into Canada, rich in traditon, professionals in every branch, skilled mechanics, tradesmen and craftsmen, educationists of high order, endowed with indomitable perserverance, and a will to give Canada the best they have. They are glad, the speaker said, to conform with Canadian government regulations in order to obtain their citizenship. But the English language they must speak before they can fully appreciate the position here and before they are recognized as citizens. "Let us give them an even break all along the line," said Miss Oliver. We are more interested in discussing these than in examining our own short comings. We profess to be Christians and Canadian citizens yet what in ten years will the new citizens think if we now fail to demonstrate and exemplify these principles."

Mrs. E. J. Kyle, W.I. president, was chairman. The speaker was introduced by vice president, Mrs. A. E. Jarvis. Mrs. Ross Walker, the first president of the organization cut the decorated birthday cake made by King City Bakery. Mrs. Colin Stewart and Mrs. D. Rawlings succeeded Mrs. Walker as president.

As entertainment a group of charades in costume was effectively carried out down to a scene from "Macbeth". They were actually dramatic playlets and were enacted by a group of W.I. members.

**Describes Parts Of Europe**

Laskay W. I. heard Mrs. Rex Hilton give a graphic description of European countries at the regular meeting of this branch held at the home of Mrs. Fred O'Brien attended by a large number. Mrs. Bob Riddell gave a vocal solo, and Mrs. Norman Etheridge, a reading.

Mrs. Hilton with her husband Dr. Hilton and their children, spent three months during the past summer in Europe. Born in Finland, Mrs. Hilton found special interest there. In that country great plans are being made for the 1952 Olympic games. Communistic element is not prominent there and democratic principles are strong. To Denmark, many Western Canadians were returning for visits, taking with them their Canadian-born children. In the British-American Zone in Germany reconstruction is slow. In France they have no milk, little butter and mostly brown bread. In Holland clothes are rationed, cheese is short for home consumption. It is mainly exported.

**Former Missionary Speaks**

Mrs. Duncan McLeod, wife of Rev. Dr. McLeod, former missionaries on the Island of Formosa, addressed 100 women at King United Church on October 13, at the annual thank-offering meeting of the W.M.S. when local church groups from Maple, Teston, Laskay, Richmond Hill, Thornhill joined to hear the message. Mrs. McLeod served missions for 19 years and her husband for 43 years until 1945. Their daughter is now in South Formosa.

"The Christian cause in this noted island is strongly entrenched through the 60,000 resident Christians, and will continue to prosper among the 8 million inhabitants, were communist forces to exit all missionaries," the speaker pointed out. Wherever one looks in the east there is opportunity; the doors are open to Christianity, despite troubles and precarious nature of existing political situations. Mrs. McLeod has confidence the work of missions will not diminish, and while it has been curtailed during the last war, the motto of the United to "Advance" is impetus toward strength and advancement.

Mrs. Burke of Thornhill sang a solo, and a ladies' quartette from Maple sang. Rev. M. R. Jenkinson welcomed the gathering, and Mrs. Colin Stewart, president, was chairman. Mrs. W. Carson took the devotions, and her daughter, Mrs. Ewart Patton presided at the organ for the afternoon. The offering amounted to $43.

Eversley Presbyterian W. A. will hold a bazaar and tea in King United church basement on Friday, November 4.

All Saints congregation is planning a big supper and concert for November 10. A special improvement project will take care of profits from the event. The annual bazaar given by All Saints W.A. will come off on Saturday, December 3.

In King, October 28, King Athletic Association will sponsor a dance in McDonald and Wells hall. This is an autumn booster toward the hall fund being built up.

**William Douglas**

The death of Mr. William (Bill) Douglas, of New Scotland, son of Mrs. Douglas and the late Frederick Douglas occurred at Toronto General Hospital on Monday morning. In ill health for some time, he had been in hospital for about a month and despite skilled medical care failed to respond.

**Mrs. Alex MacMurchy**

Mrs. Agnes McCallum MacMurchy, aged 84, descendant of a King township pioneer family of the sixth concession, passed away early Saturday morning, October 15, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Hill of Nobleton. The wife of the late Alexander MacMurchy, mother of Norman D. MacMurchy, Deputy Reeve for King township, Mrs. Hill (Ouida) and Mrs. Ross Lymburner (Margaret) of Hamilton, she had been in frail health for some years and had been confined to bed for approximately five months. A life long resident at Strange, she was the daughter of the late Peter McCallum, and more than 60 years ago she married, settling on her late farm residence near her father's farm place. Mr. MacMurchy died 10 years ago after having played a prominent part in municipal life as a member of council, reeve for some years and the warden of York County.

Deceased was highly esteemed and widely known. She was a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Strange; a member of the Women's Missionary Society of the church and a life member of Laskay Women's Institute branch. As a hostess, her hospitality knew no bounds.

The funeral was held on Monday, October 17, from the farm residence, with the Rev. M. E. Burch, Mimico officiating, assisted by Rev. W. A. Westcott of Kleinburg. Interment was made in King cemetery and the large number of floral tributes expressed sympathy from a wide circle of friends. Besides her children, Mrs. MacMurchy is survived by a half sister, Mrs. Archie Brownlee of Nashville.

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