

King City, Oak Ridges Lake Wilcox

The Liberal is always pleased to publish items of interest regarding people and events in the Oak Ridges-Lake Wilcox and King City districts. Our news correspondent in King City is Mr. Donald McCallum, telephone King 132M, and in Oak Ridges and Lake Wilcox, Mrs. J. Armstrong, telephone TU. 4-3312.

King City Notes

Approve Alterations
King City village trustees approved over the week-end alterations to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Boys, Paton Street. The house which is now 22' x 16' feet will be 12 feet longer to include a bathroom and a bedroom. Building Inspector Chas. Ross had approved the alterations subject to the trustees approval. Eight to 10 hydro poles were erected in King City on Monday, from the Bank of Commerce, on King St., to the home of J. Grew on Springhill Road.

Fire in Wheat Field
King City Firemen were called Wednesday when a field of wheat on the farm owned by Mrs. Len Glass, King-Nobleton sideroad and the 5th line of King caught fire. Nearly an acre of wheat was destroyed. Mrs. Glass' son Bob was taking a load to the barn when he noticed the grain on fire.

After telling his wife to notify the fire brigade he plowed a fire circle around the burning wheat. Men who were working on the road nearby ran to assist in fighting the fire. Mr. Glass said the wheat being swathed saved more of the grain from being burned.

The fire which began late in the afternoon was thought to have been caused by a spark from the tractor.

Grass Fire
A grass fire was started near the old rail fence in the old Methodist cemetery located on the farm of Wilbert Burns, R.

R. 2 King. Mr. Burns had been cutting the grass in the cemetery on the 5th line of King and was returning to his barn when the fire was noticed. Neighbours in Kinghorn rushed to aid in putting out the fire. Mr. Burns said the fire which was quickly controlled probably started from a spark from the tractor.

Teston W.A.
The monthly meeting of Teston W.A. was held July 22 at the Teston United Church. Mrs. Gordon Murray presided. In the worship service Mrs. Snider read the scripture. Mrs. G. Adams read the lesson thoughts. Mrs. Ed. Kyle of Maple gave a topic entitled "On Adventures with God." Miss Betty O'Brien rendered a piano selection and Miss Mary O'Brien sang a solo.

Presbyterian Picnic
Thirty-five members of Everstey Presbyterian church congregation had a wonderful time at a picnic at Woodland Park on July 19. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Boivar were in charge of the races. Mrs. Watson Ferguson and Mrs. Frank Armstrong assisted by looking after the prizes for the games.

King City Lions are planning a barn dance to be held on August 12, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. W. Burns, Kingfield Farms. The postponed King City Softball night will be held this Friday, July 29, in King City Memorial Park. Softball fans will find special enjoyment in the game between the top players of the Girls K.V.W. league and the Toronto Muirhead team. Don't miss the Peewee league games at 7 p.m. The Peewees play an energetic enthusiastic game of baseball which is fun to watch. King City Lions will also have a refreshment booth in the park.

Personals
Mr. and Mrs. Whatley Finch and family, townline King, attended the Wingfield Reunion at Stanley Park, Erin, on July 24.

Mr. James Dykes of Elbow, Sask., a relative of Mrs. Finch, is spending a few days with the family. Anna Lee Alexander of Welland is also spending two weeks with her uncle and aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Whatley Finch and family attended the wedding of their cousin, Frances Barnes, to Ellsworth Martin at Ashgrove on July 23.

Sympathy is extended to Dr. J. Barrie, 4th line King, whose mother, Mrs. Winifred Julia Macdonald Barrie, passed away on July 13 at her home in Toronto. Mrs. Barrie was the daughter of the late Senator John Macdonald and wife of the late Dr. H. G. Barrie.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McLeod, of King City, are getting a great deal of enjoyment out of their recently purchased canoe. Both Mr. and Mrs. McLeod are enthusiastic canoeists. They took the canoe out for a trial run last Thursday at Lake Wilcox. Mr. and Mrs. McLeod also had a wonderful time canoeing on Lake Simcoe on July 25.

Mrs. H. Lenhardt and her son, David are spending this week with Mrs. Lenhardt's daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Stauffer at Elora. Wendy Bennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett, of Kingsview subdivision, celebrated her fifth birthday on July 15 with a party. Among her young guests were Linda and Leonard Loughran, Marilyn Billings, Colleen and Peggy Trull and Heather Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Renison, Melrose Avenue, Kingsview Subdivision, are leaving on July 29 to visit Mr. Renison's parents in Lancaster, England. They are flying with employees of A. V. Roe who are chartering three planes for a two weeks holiday in England.

WOODBRIDGE: Grant Henderson was installed last week as the first president of the newly formed Rotary Club here. More than 700 Rotarians and their wives attended the ceremony at Circle M Ranch.

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2. Immediately after eating no one should go into the water.
3. Make sure that your milk and water supplies are safe. If you are not sure, pasteurize the milk and boil the water.
4. Remember sunburn is a real burn so take your sun in easy doses.
5. Over-exertion is most unwise especially if you are unaccustomed to strenuous exercise.
6. Guard against food contamination by flies and rodents.

CARL E. HILL, M.D., M.O.H.

Recreational Centre Seeks Aid To Continue Activities

Last month several of the public spirited residents of the Lake Wilcox area decided it was time that some active steps were taken to keep the youngsters off the streets and out of trouble, by providing them with recreational facilities close at hand. With this in mind the Lake Wilcox Recreational Centre was formally inaugurated at a public meeting open to all who live in the district.

The Committee has arranged for instructors on a volunteer basis — for swimming, baseball, crafts, track and field events, firearms use and boxing. The first two of these activities are already well under way. Swimming classes average an attendance of nearly 130, and there is the nucleus of four softball teams. The group is taking next firearms instruction and P.T. The advance program optimistically includes gardening, square dancing, smoking and embroidery, mechanical and automotive instruction, first aid and archery.

Now, this very ambitious program cannot be carried out unaided — or without funds and equipment. For legal security and guidance, the Recreational Centre is affiliated with the Recreational Centres Board at Van-dorf, which is under the auspices of the Government. For funds and equipment, an all-out campaign is planned. In the past three weeks, a few of the more enterprising members have raised rather more than \$300.00. But this is a drop in the ocean compared with what will be needed, and in a small community like this, the initial impetus cannot be kept up indefinitely.

The immediate needs of the centre are as follows:
Equipment — not necessarily new — for every type of sporting and recreational activities; donations or offers of material towards the building of a recreational hall on land which is already available; cash donations of any size (may be deposited at the Oak Ridges Branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia).

Alma Marie Ball United In Marriage To William Rattray

A lovely wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Ball 3rd Concession King on Saturday afternoon, July 23, when their daughter Alma Marie Ball became the bride of William Rattray, son of Alexander G. Rattray and the late Mrs. Rattray. Beautiful bouquets of summer flowers, phlox and delphiniums provided the background for the service at which Rev. Dr. Bruce Hunter of Presteign United Church, Toronto, presided. The wedding music was played by Miss Virginia Chapman.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a powder blue ballerina length gown of nylon sheer with net over taffeta featuring a short sleeved shirred bodice. The neckline, scooped in front, was trimmed with pearls and beads. Her hair was styled in waves and she carried a bouquet of white rosebuds and baby's breath.

Miss Nancy Margaret Ball, sister of the bride, was her only attendant. She wore a gown of blue and white featuring a scooped neckline, pleated yoke and shirred bodice and a bouffant skirt. Her matching headdress was trimmed with lily of the valley. She carried a bouquet of pink rosebuds and baby's breath. The groomsmen were Dennis Daek of Toronto.

Receiving members of the family at the reception held at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. James Ball were a gown of lilac sheer with white accessories and a corsage of pink roses and baby's breath.

For their wedding trip to the Haliburton Highlands, the bride wore a navy linen dress with white accessories. Upon their return the happy couple will reside in Toronto.

Youth Dies After L. Wilcox Rescue

Peter Haubold, 22, of Pharmacy Ave., Scarborough, died in York County Hospital, Newmarket, Sunday, July 24, after being rescued from drowning at Lake Wilcox. He was about 25 yards from shore and had gone down for the second time when his chum, Bill Demmay, saw he was in trouble. He pulled him to shore. Dr. G. W. Williams was called and rushed the boy to the hospital, where he died five hours later. His death was attributed to pulmonary oedema, a combination of shock and water in the lungs.

Peter is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Haubold and three brothers, Carl, Daniel and Timothy.

O. R. Store Robbed

Purse Yields \$180

A thief or thieves entered the store owned by Mrs. Annie McKinley, Yonge Street, Oak Ridges, Monday night, and escaped with approximately \$180, taken from Mrs. McKinley's purse.

Mrs. McKinley stated she had served a customer at 7:30 and had made change from her purse which was on the dressing table in her bedroom. The robbery was discovered about an hour later. Left in the purse were three cheques, a \$10 bill and a \$1 bill. A sum of money in the cash drawer was not touched. The O.P.P. are investigating.

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Lost in the blaze were a two year old registered bull, Edgell Pickwick Boy, belonging to the Ragapple family, a few chickens, 150 tons of hay and 1,600 bushels of grain. Fifty-seven acres of the hay had been stored in the barn three weeks ago.

Mr. Hoile's herd of prize cattle was in pasture at the time of the fire. William Mitchell of Kleinburg was returning home and discovered the fire about 2 a.m. He awakened the Hoiles, then called King City fire brigade.

Oak Ridges Lake Wilcox Socials

Mrs. Edith Leadbetter of Toronto spent a week of her vacation visiting Mrs. J. Smith, South Road, Oak Ridges.

Raymond Zimmerman, Benson Ave., celebrated his 10th birthday on Monday, July 25, with a party and many little playmates.

Mrs. Leonard Kraglin, Oak Ridges is spending a three week vacation motoring to Winnipeg, Man. Mrs. Kraglin is being accompanied by two sisters from the U.S.A. and Willowdale. On arrival in Winnipeg they will be joined by two more sisters for a family re-union, the first in 15 years.

Mrs. Jenny Wilkins, the first donor to the Oak Ridges Community Centre, while visiting relatives in Victoria, B.C., suffered two bad accidents.

Mrs. Wilkins visited her granddaughter and great granddaughter in hospital. While in an automatic elevator, her arm was severely bruised. After this had healed somewhat, she slipped and broke her ankle. Mrs. Wilkins, quite active in many groups is being wished a speedy recovery by her many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Saul Adams and family, Aubrey Ave., returned home Sunday evening, July 24, after spending their vacation motoring to Haliburton and Algonquin Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonar McKenzie and family left on Monday, July 25 for their vacation at their cottage in Muskoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Fern Baron, Gloria and Mrs. J. Armstrong, Aubrey Ave., spent a pleasant time visiting the many interesting sights at Niagara Falls and Buffalo over the week-end.

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THE CONTINUED SUCCESS OF THE RECREATIONAL CENTRE DEPENDS ON SECURING THE FOLLOWING THINGS:

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