

# 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 Mrs. Donald McCallum, telephone King 132M; and in Oak Ridges - Lake Wilcox, Mrs. C. M. Butt, telephone PR. 3-5575.

## King City Notes

King City firemen were called to a fire at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Stevens, Fisher St. on Thursday noon, November 29. Paint on the chimney inside the house had started to smoke so the fire brigade was summoned. Firemen climbed to the roof to make sure that the fire had not spread.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens had moved from their home in Taffy Hollow, Laskay, on November 24 to the five room house they have rented on Fisher Street.

### Scouts & Cubs

Alex Knight was elected chairman of 1st King Scouts and Cubs at a recent meeting held at the home of Archie MacNaughton, King Summit, King. First vice president is Arnold Peter. E. A. Flucker is secretary and A. Macnaughton treasurer.

Two committees were formed with all members given their duties for the coming year. Members are Edwin Wallas, Emerson Wallace, Donald Dixon, J. W. Parsons, J. Wilkins and F. Powell.

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Mrs. Alex McLennan is publicity convener and liaison officer between the group committee and the ladies auxiliary.

Miss Betty Monson of Toronto who is spending the winter with her mother, Mrs. Fred Monson, King St., King City, will be Cubmist of No. 2 Pack which meets Saturday mornings in the King City School.

Mrs. Donald Hadwin, Springhill Road, was the hostess for the monthly meeting of King City United Church W.A. Nov. 27.

Mrs. A. Gordon conducted the worship service A report was given on the Christmas bazaar held Nov. 22. Over \$250 was cleared. The bazaar was opened by Mrs. Gage Love, daughter of Sir Ellsworth and Lady Flavell. Mrs. Love congratulated the members for the hard work in preparing a bazaar with its many attractive booths.

Mrs. Don Hadwin convened the bazaar. Mrs. A. Doner was in charge of the sewing and knitting booth. Mrs. R. D. Cane and Mrs. P. M. Robertson were in charge of the candy and Christmas goods. The tea convener was Mrs. D. Anderson. Mrs. Don Hadwin was the baking convener. The candy that was not sold was taken to the Metropolitan Home.

Little gifts for the residents of York Manor are to be brought to the next meeting on Dec. 17.

Mrs. I. L. Scott, W.A. president and Mrs. Ted Wallas attended the luncheon at Markham United Church for Centre and East Presbytery on Nov. 27.

Mission Band King City United Church Mission Band held a Christmas party Nov. 29. There were 38 children present.

Doug Parsons, the president presided at the meeting. A fan-gram story was used for the worship service. Mrs. Verdun Gordon read the chapter in the story book. A nativity scene was made by the children.

Mrs. V. Doner, Mrs. V. Gordon, Mrs. Jock Thompson and Mrs. Austin Rumble served the children refreshments of sandwiches, hot cocoa, cookies and candy canes.

The Christmas party for the beginners and cradle roll of King City United Church will be this Saturday afternoon, Dec. 8. The senior church school will have their Christmas concert on Dec. 14.

The Firemen's W. A. will hold a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Victor Doner on Dec. 10.

Breaks Hip Mrs. Duncan Ross, Keele St north is in York County Hospital, Newmarket with a broken hip. Mrs. Ross fell in the upstairs of her home on Nov. 26. Mr. and Mrs. Ross will be married 52 years on December 7. Mr. Ross was the first person to vote on December 3 in the King City Village trustee election.

At the King W.I. Christmas party on Tuesday, December 11, in King City United Church to which all organizations in the village have been invited, a contribution will be taken up for Hungarian relief instead of the exchange of Christmas gifts.

## THANK YOU

I would like to thank all those who supported me in the Monday, December 3 elections.

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## Record Number Of Voters At Whitchurch Election

A record number of voters set out for the polls at Oak Ridges and Lake Wilcox on Monday, December 3. For the first time in years there was a man from this district running for council in the Whitchurch election. Mr. Chester Butt, well known to most residents and a former school trustee was the unanimous choice of the Ratepayers' Association. The results proved a close race between Mr. Butt and Mr. Wylie of Musselman's Lake. The Lake Wilcox vote of 204 for Mr. Wylie was the deciding factor in returning him to office, and the Lake Wilcox candidate losing by a mere 18 votes. Mr. Butt was in the lead in the Oak Ridges and Lake Wilcox area where 352 votes were cast for him. At Musselman's Lake and Bethesda polling divisions 94 votes were cast for Wylie and 62 for Butt.

Many irate residents protested the last minute change of the polling booth from Ash's Booth to Cedar Beach shore. This caused a considerable amount of confusion. When the polls opened at 10 a.m. cars and baby sitters were available and called at almost every home in the Oak Ridges East and Lake Wilcox area. Many women anxious to vote couldn't have gone to the polls without this service. Much is to be said for this hard working group who organized and operated the system. Some of the workers on Mr. Butt's behalf were A. Ide, Geo. Clyde, Sid Cole, L. Hanson, Mrs. Carey, Walter Koponen, J. Knapp, Jim Smith, Mrs. Isabelle rounds, Mrs. Geo. Good and Mrs. S. Styrmo.

A large group of Lake residents drove to the Vandorf Hall to await the results of the election. Excitement ran high. A breakdown of results of the election are as follows: Frank Williams 750, Cliff Wallwork 730, John Wylie 477, Ches. Butt 460.

Approximately 50% of those eligible in Whitchurch township, voted, which nears a record high. Frank Williams, councillor, gave his thanks for the loyal support he received and said "I hope to be worthy of your confidence". Mr. Clifford Wallwork, councillor, or also thanked his supporters and congratulated the others. Road conditions were mentioned and the problem of gravel trucks and the extra burden of taxation. Mr. Wallwork stated that no more can be expected from the taxpayers for schools and Provincial financial help is needed.

## Parker - Roffey Nuptials In St. Paul's United Church

A wedding of interest took place on Saturday, November 17, at St. Paul's United Church when Alys Beane Roffey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Roffey of Oak Ridges was married to John Eric Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Parker, also of Oak Ridges. The ceremony was conducted by the Reverend Gordon Winch and organist was Mrs. Harman.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was lovely in a ballerina gown of white embroidered taffeta with an Elizabethan collar and long fitted sleeves. Her bouquet was of mixed flowers.

The maid of honour was Miss Harriet Joy Roffey, bridesmaid Miss Evelyn Violet Parker and flower-girl Valerie Jane Roffey. The attendants were gowned in pink and blue creations of nylon net over taffeta.

Attendants were James Roffey, best man, and Jack Roffey and Albert Stewart, ushers. Following the ceremony a buffet dinner was served to the guests at the home of the bride's parents.

## Garage Burns

King City Firemen were called to a fire in Taffy Hollow when a garage owned jointly by Kenneth Wesley and Stewart Newton caught fire on Monday afternoon, December 3.

The garage was used as a repair shop by the three brothers. Only spare parts of cars were in the garage at the time of the fire. The garage was completely destroyed. The fire brigade prevented the fire from spreading to a nearby house occupied by the family of one of the owners.

## Frank Williams Leads Polls

An energetic young farmer, Frank Williams led the polls in the Whitchurch election, December 3, with 750 votes. He was closely followed by Cliff Wallwork 730. The third successful candidate was John Wylie with 477 votes. Chester Butt of Lake Wilcox was unsuccessful in gaining a seat on the 1957 council. He received 460 votes.

Reeve Sid Legge and Deputy-Reeve George Richardson were both returned to office by acclamation at the nomination meeting.

There was an approximate 50 per cent turnout of voters, considered a near record.

## DEPT. OF HEALTH TWP. OF NORTH YORK

About Colds Rest in bed has stood the test of time as "a most sane and effective measure" for relief of colds, says a medical consultant in answer to a query in the Journal of the American Medical Association.

No saline, nose drops, gargle, vaccine, or other preparation is known to be reliable in preventing or curing this familiar malady, he states, adding that "authoritative medical opinion supports the view that there is no known substance or combination of substances which can be relied on to prevent or cure the common cold."

Meanwhile, if you catch a cold — be thoughtful, stay at home to protect others as well as yourself — cover coughs and sneezes, then destroy tissues or sterilize handkerchiefs contaminated with nose and throat discharges. Consult a physician if fever, body-aches or weakness occur, or if coughing of mucous from the chest occurs. CARL E. HILL, M.D., M.O.H.

## Kingscrafts Exec. Returned to Office

The nominating committee convener Mrs. A. E. Travis presented the slate of officers at the annual meeting of Kingscrafts at Kingscrafts House on November 28.

The present executive is remaining in office for another year. The officers are: Honorary President Lady Ellsworth Flavell, president Mrs. Barrett Partridge, 1st vice president Mrs. Jas. Baxter, 2nd vice president Mrs. Henry Borden, recording secretary Mrs. George Harvey, assistant recording secretary Miss Helen Hunter, corresponding secretary Mrs. Keith Tuck, treasurer Mrs. George Miller, building fund treasurer Mrs. Hilliard Bryant.

Mrs. H. Borden gave a resume on the progress of Kingscraft House. Mrs. Bryson gave the building financial report. Mrs. B. Partridge gave a general report. Mrs. B. Partridge gave a general report. Mrs. Laura Rolling gave the convenors' report.

Mrs. Gordon Phippen assisted by Mrs. John McArthur gave a demonstrative talk on Christmas decorations. Very effectively swags of evergreen, corn tassels were entwined and painted with gilt and silver paint to make attractive Christmas decorations. The members were shown how to make a bow with weatherproof ribbon. Mrs. Phippen and Mrs. McArthur had also on display some very attractive dried arrangements that could be used for table decoration during the winter months.

Mrs. Baxter presented Mrs. Phippen and Mrs. McArthur with small gifts in appreciation of their interesting and informative demonstrative talk.

## Laskay News

Winners among the ladies at the Laskay W.I. euchre November 30 were Mrs. Isobel Forrester, Mrs. Herb Ross and Mrs. T. Walker. Winners among the men were Mrs. George Williams, George Forrester and Charles Black. Travelling prizes were won by Mrs. Herb Ross and Geo. Forrester.

Laskay United Church Sunday School will hold a Christmas treat of a potluck supper followed by a concert on Dec. 17. White Gift Sunday will be Dec. 16.

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## Ernest Smith Re-Elected

Ernest R. Smith, chairman of the King City Trustees was re-elected on December 3. The two present trustees Harry Edwards and William Barker were defeated by Donald Findlay, lawyer, former trustee, and Ronald Bolton, a new resident of one year. Mr. Bolton is a professional engineer working for the Ontario Hydro and lives in Kingsview subdivision. The other remaining candidate for office, George Scott was defeated. Voting was light as only 47% of the ratepayers turned out to vote. A total of 574 votes were cast.

Voting was as follows: — E. R. Smith 164, R. Bolton 157, Donald Findlay 156, W. Barker 112, G. Scott 82, H. Edwards 64.

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JOHN PERRY, Reeve-Elect

## NOTICE TO CATTLE OWNERS IN YORK COUNTY

As York County is a Supervised Area for Brucellosis, cattle owners are reminded of the following regulations under the Brucellosis Act, 1956.

- Every heifer calf must be vaccinated after it attains the age of four months but before it reaches the age of nine months.
- Every cattle owner must arrange with his Veterinarian for the vaccination of his heifer calves.
- If the Veterinarian has an agreement with the Minister — and most Veterinarians in supervised areas have such agreement — the cost of the vaccinations will be paid by the Ontario Department of Agriculture.
- No female cattle over 36 months of age may be taken into a supervised area from a non-supervised area unless accompanied by a permit. For particulars with regard to the regulations governing imports, contact your Veterinarian.

W. M. COCKBURN HON. W. A. GOODFELLOW  
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