

# 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. William J. Houston, telephone TEmple 3-5457; and in Oak Ridges-Lake Wilcox, Mrs. Lillian Atcheson, Wildwood Ave., PR. 3-5479.

## King City Notes

**4th Brownie Pack**  
Enrollment night was a big event for King City's new fourth Brownie pack. Parents and relatives had been invited. About sixty were present as 18 of the 19 Brownies took part in the solemn enrollment ceremony at All Saints' Church.

Susan Dawson, who had been enrolled last year, introduced the "Teenies" to District Commissioner Mrs. Alex Knight, who heard the girls' pledges.

Appropriate decorations marked the way as the girls left "Twencieland" and passed through a path of footprints to the District Commissioner, who stood beside a pond and traditional toadstool.

Making their promises and receiving their pins and emblems were Joanne Lutes, Anna Houston, Laurel Sutherland, Terry Smollet, Cathy Sanderson, Lois Hayward, Jane Phorson, Ruby Church, Beverly Clubine, Adele Jenns, Charlotte McWilliam, Judy Pawliw, Sandra Henshall, Janet Loney, Holly Reynolds, Susan Morgan, Deborah Munisso and Sherrilyn Greenwood.

The newly-enrolled Brownies were assigned to groups of six, each with a different standard, to match their emblems.

Brown Owl Mrs. Arthur Munisso, Tawny Owl Mrs. Ralph Church and assistant Mrs. Howard Hayward took part in the ceremony. The program concluded with refreshments.

The Fourth Pack, which was formed in September, meets Thursdays after school at All Saints.

**St. Andrew's WMS**  
Rev. I. Ammili of Humber Summit Church spoke on, "Our Responsibilities To Others, As Well As Ourselves", at the thank-offering meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church WMS.

Miss Ruth Agar sang, "Be Thou My Vision". Duets were played by Mrs. Albert Holman at the organ and Mrs. Fred Gray, the piano.

Mrs. Donald McCallum presided. The Scripture reading was given by Mrs. Charles Black and prayer led by Mrs. Robert Arbuckle.

Mrs. W. H. Wood gave the offertory prayer and Mrs. McCallum, the meditation.

**Hallowe'en at Dennis School**  
The two classrooms of Grades 7 and 8 at Eva L. Dennis School celebrated Hallowe'en with an early evening masquerade October 30.

The costume parade resulted in prizes going to Marilyn Rutledge and Linda Hunt, who shared a large pair of overalls as "Homer and Claude"; Joan Pawliw, dressed as a flapper of the "roaring twenties"; and Murray Gordon, clad as a clown.

There was little resemblance to daytime routine as the two schoolrooms echoed with lively dance music and the fun and laughter of group games.

About 75 attended and were greeted by the teachers, Mrs. Whatley Finch, Mrs. Lorne Scott and Mr. Tom Cober. Refreshments were fish and chips and soft drinks.

**Sympathy**  
A funeral service was held at Thompson parlors in Aurora for Mrs. Amelia Whalley of Kipling Acres, Rexdale, widow of John Whalley.

Mrs. Whalley leaves two sons, John, of King Township, and Roy, of Scarborough. Interment was in King City Cemetery last Thursday.

**With the office of reeve left open by the retirement of seven-year Reeve William Hodgson, increased interest in this year's township election is anticipated. Nominations night has been set for November 20, at Nobleton Community**

**Hall. If there are more candidates than one for reeve, one for deputy-reeve, and three for council, an election will be held December 1. Sixteen polls are arranged for voting.**

**King City Village Trustees decided on Wednesday evening, November 21, for nominations at the fire hall office.**

**Hospital Hallowe'en Party**  
The Friday evening reading group from King City entertained more than 100 patients at the Ontario Hospital, Aurora, at a Hallowe'en program, after which candies were distributed.

Dressed in old-fashioned costume, Mrs. Al Rollinson played the piano for the sing-song. Dressed as a clown, Mrs. Verdun Gordon, played request numbers on the piano.

Some of the patients entertained with guitar, recorder and vocal selections. Assisting in the program were Mrs. E. J. Munroe, costumed as a fairy godmother; Mrs. Lionel Facey as a black cat; Mrs. Allen Sneath, dressed as an artist; and Mrs. Harry Ballard, posing as a hunter with duck decoys.

**Lions Club**  
Carrying on the work of King City Lions Club are the various committees organized for the current term.

Under first vice-president Donald Hadwen, attendance is managed by George Bennet and Bill Widderick; membership, Fergus Lawson and Raymond Love; club photographers, John Loughran and "Wib" Jennings; finance, G. T. Thompson, George Armstrong, Howard Hayward and Bill Curran; protocols, James Wemyss, Stan Roots, John Dew and Joe Houlton.

Second vice-president Stan Kerr supervises the safety committee formed by Ross Farquhar, Bruce Shipley and John Langdon; boys' and girls' work,

baseball, Allan O'Brien, Robert Walker, Clifford Coutts and Jack Garbutt; hockey, Jack Jones, Joe Houlton, Howard Clegg, Gordon Orr and James Wemyss; skating, Jack McMinn, Jack Parsons and Frank Powell; swimming, Aubrey J. Gordon and John Dew; education, Ted Wallas, Irving L. Scott and Bert Lutes.

Third vice-president John Loughran is responsible for publicity and bulletins, supplied by Howard Clegg and "Wib" Jennings; civic improvement and community betterment, Bert Lutes, B. J. Langdon, G. T. Thompson and Harry Lacey; health, welfare and sight, Aubrey Gordon, Ray Love, Herbert Ross, Jack Wilkinson, Fergus Lawson, Dr. Quentin Hardy and Arnold Peter; agriculture, Stan Roots and Harry Goulding.

**Attend Graduate**  
The twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buddin coincided with their trip by train to Winnipeg for the "wings" graduation of their son, Flying Officer T. D. Buddin.

Miss Janet Buddin accompanied her parents to the official ceremony held at the RCAF Station at Gimli, Manitoba, for five young officers.

Danny Buddin started the officers training course two years ago, shortly after graduating from Aurora and District High School.

He is having three weeks' leave at his Laskay home before going to Clinton for three weeks' training. He will return to Gimli for a few days, to be posted as an instructor at Portage La Prairie. Flying jets is one of the accomplished am-gams of this popular air-minded youth.

**Bazaar**  
Mrs. Gordon Orr is general convener of the annual Christmas bazaar being held by King City United Church Women on December 1.



**Weds Air Force Officer**  
Flying Officer and Mrs. Eric Wells are shown following their recent wedding in All Saints Anglican Church, King. The bride is the former Betty Cunningham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cunningham, King City. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wells, King City. (Photo by Robt. L. Cornes)

## Will Re-enter Politics?

# Don Findlay Resigns Planning Bd.

King Township Planning Board has accepted the resignation of Donald M. Findlay, QC, as a member of the board for nearly three years and board chairman for the past six months. The resignation will become effective on November 12 at the close of a scheduled planning board meeting.

A King City lawyer, Mr. Findlay is completing his third year of his three-year term on the board. He was appointed board chairman following the resignation of Bruce P. Davis, who was chairman for nine years.

Reasons for retiring from office, given by Mr. Findlay are his desire to become freer to consider the implications of other aspects of public service. In his letter of resignation, Mr. Findlay points out in "recent months some matters have been completed which were commenced under the previous chairman and some other matters have been launched which are also an expression of the experience gained by the board over the years" When he was nominated to head the planning board some months ago, Mr. Findlay stated he observed at that time he is now serving in the third year of the three-year term on the board.

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## Oak Ridges And Lake Wilcox Socials

**Memo To Mothers**  
The hall-waby clinic will again be held on Tuesday, November 12, at St. Paul's United Church, on the South Lake Road. Doctors and nurses will be there to attend the babies.

**Guide and Brownie Notes**  
Mrs. June Carter, Maple Grove Ave., Oak Ridges, is the new commissioner for the district.

The Lake Wilcox Brownie group held a Hallowe'en party at their regular meeting. All the brownies arrived dressed in many different costumes. Two prizes were given, and for the funniest costume Anne Bursey, South Lake Rd. was chosen, and for the most original JoAnne Hull, South Rd., received the prize.

At a flying-up ceremony held on Monday, October 29, the following brownies spread their wings and "flew": Oak Ridges group, Susan Towers, Anna Marie Beaton, Reneka Slykhuus, Lake group, Lenore Hurd, Barbara Haanpa, Lynda Ash, Agnes Good, Joanne Hull. All the tests have been passed by these girls.

Other girls who are going into guides, but will walk instead of fly are: Oak Ridges group, Doreen Neil, Gabrielle Myers, Ruth Staed and Valerie Carey walked from the Lake Wilcox group.

Following the ceremonies,

present and new guides enjoyed a Hallowe'en party.

**Hospital Auxiliary**  
A meeting for the Oak Ridges-Lake Wilcox branch of the York Central Auxiliary was held October 30 at the home of the president of the branch, Mrs. Terry Farquharson, Lakeland Ave.

Seven members were present and discussions were held about hospital projects. The main topic was joint canvassing for the addition to York County Hospital in Newmarket and Richmond Hill's new York Central Hospital.

Another project is the making of scrapbooks for the hospital. There will be a meeting of the different auxiliaries tonight, at the Richmond Hill United Church. All members will be welcome, as it will take the place of the Oak Ridges - Lake Wilcox regular meeting of the month.

**Teen Club Dances**  
The Sadie Hawkins' Dance held at Lake Wilcox School on October 27 was a huge success, both financially and socially. The Mark V band played for the dance.

Dances are being planned for the winter. Some will have a band and some of the dances are held with records being played. Prices vary according to whether there is a band or not.

Two members of the commit-

tee that were omitted previously are Pat and Barbara Talbot.

**Mainly About People**  
Still confined to hospital is Mrs. V. Cameron, North Road. Mrs. Cameron is recuperating after major surgery, but is getting along quite well.

Mr. Jimmy Carter, Gormley sideroad, is again at Sunnybrook after being involved in an accident on Yonge St. at St. John's Church. Mr. Carter's car was struck by another car from the rear, and was rolled over twice, coming to rest in a ditch on the opposite side of the road. The car was very badly damaged, but Mr. Carter's stay in hospital is mainly due to a previous ailment.

Belated birthday wishes to Mrs. Mary Crittenden and her daughter Bonnie, celebrated on October 19 and 20 respectively. As part of a birthday treat, the family visited Mrs. Crittenden's sister, Mrs. Bridgeman, Burlington, for the day.

Happy birthday is wished for Mrs. Josephine Comfort, who celebrated her birthday on Wednesday, October 31st.

Florence, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Orton, Aubrey Ave., will celebrate her fifth birthday on November 10. Three or four of her little friends will celebrate with her by having lunch at her home today.

Mr. John Esford of Toronto spent the week-end at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Marr, Maplegrove Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Margerum, Benson Ave., celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on the 22nd of October at their home. About 15 of their friends and relatives attended. Buffet lunch was served, complete with anniversary cake. The couple received many cards and gifts.

Carol, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Margerum celebrated her 18th birthday on Tuesday, November 6th.

A new business was opened at Cedar Beach recently. It was formerly the Trading Post at Oak Ridges. Mr. and Mrs. Hassan, proprietors and their family will also live at the Lake.

Happy birthday to Billy Good, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Good, North Road, who celebrated his 24th birthday on November 1st. Among his friends attending his party were Brian Hunter, Brian Shand, Petre Fenrich, and the Brock children.

Best of luck to Mr. Bill Good, who entered hospital on Sunday, November 4th.

Bonnie Crittenden has taken over her brother's paper route and will now be delivering "The Liberal" to its readers.

Sharon Newstead, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Newstead, Bayview Ave., celebrated her 17th birthday on October 28.

Rev. Gordon Winch joined in marriage Gary C. Babcock and Miss Eileen Biso.

Miss Sharon Storey attended the bride, who was gowned in white and given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Tom Biso, Bayview Ave.

The groom was attended by Charles Smiley. Ushers were Bert Wallace and Freddy Skaffe.

About sixty guests attended the reception which was held at the Legion Hall, Oak Ridges. The young couple will reside in the district.

A pretty wedding of local interest took place at 3:30 p.m. on October 27 at St. Paul's Anglican Church, Newmarket, when Donald Edward Clyde, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. George Clyde, Capelle Ave. took as his bride, Donna Loretta Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burton A. Smith, Newmarket.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a full-length lace gown with coronet headdress and a flowing white length veil, and carried white roses and stephanotis bouquet.

Mrs. M. Jacks, aunt of the groom, was matron of honour and was dressed in an ensemble of old gold with matching accessories, and carried bronze and yellow mums.

Pamela, younger sister of the bride, was junior bridesmaid, and was dressed in a gold colour gown, pill-box hat and gold accessories, carrying a nosegay of white and yellow mums. Ushers were Jack Clyde and William Price.

The bride's mother wore a brocaded taffeta gown in eggshell with matching accessories, and the groom's mother wore a sage green lace gown with peau-de-soie overdress, with black accessories. Both mothers wore a corsage of pink roses and carnations.

Best man was Burton Smith, brother of the bride.

The reception was held in the parish hall of St. Paul's Church, most of the guests being members of the two families. Out of town guests were the groom's maternal grandmother, Mrs. Henderson, London, Ontario, and his paternal grandmother and grandfather who now live in Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Senior.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and daughter Susan, friends of the groom's parents, attended from Scarborough.

After returning from their honeymoon spent in Ottawa, the young couple will live in an apartment on Don Mills and Lawrence Ave.

**Poppy Fund**  
Please remember remembrance day will be held November 10th. Legion members, scouts and cubs will be selling poppies.

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## Young Nigerian Lawyer Tells Of Many Problems Facing His Country

The importance of family life was stressed by a young lawyer, Mr. Alade Akesode, from Lagos, Nigeria, in his talk to King City United Church Women.

Mr. Akesode, who has spent the past nine years studying in Canada, described the history of his country, which he termed "a very poor country with a population of 40 million."

He said his people "are very warm, sincere, hospitable and flamboyant, with a love of music and dancing that is practically inbred. They all stick together and there is no such thing as telling any one to mind his own business."

The speaker described the family unit as "all important", with whole families, from great-grandparents down, living together in houses surrounding a compound. Any individual problems are solved in family conclaves.

He credited missionaries with developing the country, educating the people, building hospitals and schools. He said the United Church helped considerably in agricultural development.

Farms averaged the size of the church Sunday school room, he said, and were poor. Educa-

tional facilities were limited and one university with an enrollment of 300, served the country so that students had to seek an education in other countries.

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Notice is hereby given that I have complied with Section 9 of the Voters' Lists Act, and that I have posted up at my office at VANDORF, on the 30th day of October 1962, the list of all persons entitled to vote in the Municipality at Municipal elections and that such list remains there for inspection.

And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law, the last day for appeal being the 13th day of November, 1962.

Dated this 30th day of October, 1962,

Signed —  
John W. Crawford,  
Clerk,  
Township of Whitchurch

## Bowling Scores

**Lake Wilcox Bowling League**  
The Hunters led the field in bowling when both Ray and Marion bowled 805 flat triple.

Ray Hunter's singles were 266, 240, 299. Tom Biso bowled 675 flat, 219, 246, 210. Stan Forster bowled a 216, and 314; Charlie Ransom 692 with 248 and 254. John Shearer 724, 210, 251, 263, and Albert Stuart bowled a 262 flat.

Marion Hunter's singles were: 328, 238 and 239. Phyllis Stuart 650 with 200 and a 293. Mary Post tripled with a 709 flat, 226 and 299 singles. Lorraine Forster bowled 593 with a 203 and 205.

**Team Standings**  
Numbskulls, 32. Falcons, 26. Astronauts, 24. Peddle-pushers, 19. Astronauts, 18. Bottoms up, 18. Defenders, 16 and Harems with 15 points.

**Thursday Afternoon League**  
Flops, 29. Flips 34. Goofballs 18. Misfits, 22 points, team standings. High single flat for the day was Charlotte Brockton, 248. High triple flat was Fern Leslie with 590.

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