

Will Head New University In British Columbia

After a fourteen-year residence in Thornhill, Dr. and Mrs. Patrick McTaggart-Cowan of Colborne Street will leave next week to live in Burnaby, B.C. where Dr. McTaggart-Cowan has been appointed president of the new Simon Fraser University which is due to open in September of 1965.

Both the McTaggart-Cowans are from Vancouver, (although Pat was born in Edinburgh, Scotland) and so will not be moving into strange territory. After their marriage in the west they went to live first at Gander, Newfoundland; from there they moved to Montreal, then Toronto and Thornhill. For the past 27 years Pat has been with the meteorological service of Canada, part of the Federal Department of Transport.

Although his appointment to the presidency of the new university came as a complete surprise to him, Pat has not only taken it in his stride, but is tremendously excited about his new post. "We will have the most spectacular campus of any university anywhere," he stated. The 1,250 acre site is the whole of a mountain and the university itself will be built right on the top of it, "Mt. Burnaby, rising 1,200 feet, is like the Acropolis to Athens and with the large building on the top, it will be magnificent," he added. The university complex

has been designed by Geoffrey Massey (a son of Raymond Massey) of the firm of Erickson & Massey of Vancouver and is completely new in university design. It is to be all one big complex with a mall running the full length of the ridge. Off the mall, lecture rooms, laboratories, gymnasiums, etc. will open. The design will cut down on the endless running between buildings which is necessary in the usual university campus. "It will be compact, efficient and architecturally beautiful to boot," enthused Pat.

The McTaggart-Cowan's two children will remain in Toronto to complete their university training. Daughter Gillian is in her third year in Honors Physics and Geology; son James, in residence at Trinity College is in his first year of Honors Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry.



Night Life In Thornhill

Thornhill United Church took on the atmosphere of the Gay Nineties at a recent church dance livened by a floor show put on by the young people of the congregation featuring skits and dances by "Barney Google" (Bruce Clark) and his horsey friend "Sparkplug". About 100 people attended the pre New Year's dance. (Photo by Barbour)

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Community Happenings In Thornhill

It looks as if this column has turned into a series of good-byes this week. By the time you read this, Bob and Kay Shaw of 28 Highland Park Blvd. will be just about all packed up to leave our fair village. Bob left on Monday, in fact, to do some house hunting in Calgary where he has just been appointed office manager of the Office Specialty Company's branch. Kay expects to be ready to follow sometime before the end of this month.

Both Kay and Bob have been very active members of Holy Trinity Church. Kay was president of the Parish Guild for two years, while Bob was Akela for the 3rd Thornhill Cubs for several years. They both leave a host of friends behind them who are all sorry to see them go. A farewell party was held for the Shaws on January 3 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Graham Chase, Laureleaf Drive, Bay-

view Glens and some 22 of their friends gathered to bid them adieu and to present them with a silver dish as a token of their remembrance. A similar party was held for the Shaws last week by Mr. and Mrs. John Vernon of Richmond Hill.

Orlando in the school's production of "As You Like It," but unfortunately, broke his ankle at the dress rehearsal while doing the wrestling scene in the second act, and one of the teachers had to take over for him.

Sr. Citizens Open House

Some 150 senior citizens have been invited by letter and will gather for the organizational meeting of a new club at Holy Trinity Church, Brooke Street, Thornhill, at 2 p.m., January 15. As a result of many requests from the seniors themselves, this organization is being sponsored by the ministerial association and the Lions Club of Thornhill and district. Chairmen of the sponsoring committee are Rev. H. Reginald Howden and Mr. Ed Butlin. The active and successful Senior Citizens Club of Richmond Hill will be represented by President Ed Lomax, Mrs. Mona Robertson, past presidents and members of the executive committee. Thornhill civic authorities will welcome the new club. The blessings of the New Year are wished the senior citizens in this venture.

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It's back to normal once again, Christmas tree down and decorations packed away for another year; new year's resolutions fresh in our minds with the best intentions to carry them through the new year 1964.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wright and their family enjoyed Christmas at home.

With a tiny sigh of relief from mother the children are back to school this week. It is wonderful to have them home for the holidays but I imagine a quiet house is heaven for mother again.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wilson spent a happy Christmas and new year's day at home along with their family.

More Holiday Activities
Mr. and Mrs. J. Melnic and their family spent Christmas at home and had as guests Mr. Gaston Hubert and Mr. Mitch Melnic enjoying Christmas dinner with them. They all enjoyed new year's day at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wark and David spent both Christmas day and new year's day with Mr. J. Hobday and Dorothy enjoying a happy time.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Walker enjoyed Christmas at home with their family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hudson and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. C. Stewart for Christmas day and then returned the visit to the Stewarts on new year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Middleton and family spent Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ash and family, Moorfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winger enjoyed new years day with their daughters Ruth and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stickley, Markham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Winger and family spent new year's day with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mashinter, Zephyr.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilmore and son Terry Wainfleet visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Winger on Thursday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barton had their family all at home for new year's dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Wilson and family stayed over until Thursday enjoying two days of holidays with them. Mrs. Sadie Oliver and Helen also enjoyed new year's day with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock Walker entertained Mrs. Walker's nieces and nephews for new year's at the Summit and then returned to their home for new year's night enjoying a very pleasant day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Broom and family enjoyed Christmas at home with the children's grandmother Mrs. Jean Broom.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Wood and his sister Mrs. Ann Clement enjoyed Christmas and new year's at home with the family all dropping in to see them.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Greenfield entertained the Greenfield family for Christmas day and on New Year's Day enjoyed dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Greenfield, Richmond Hill.

Mrs. Adam Read and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Read and boys had new year's dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Drewery and family Stouffville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Woods and children shared Christmas dinner with Mrs. William Collins, the children's grandmother, their grandfather suffering from pneumonia could not come but visited with them on Saturday of last week his first outing.

Mrs. A. Read received a telephone call from her son George and his family in St. Huberts, Quebec new year's night making the day complete.

Mrs. George Wood had every right to celebrate in double fashion Christmas day as it was her birthday as well.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Purves and children enjoyed Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. R. Purves in Willowdale.

Susan Purves spent a few days with her little friend Leon Kennedy in Don Mills; and also spent a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Purves in Willowdale.

Loretta and Larry Kennedy, Don Mills spent a few days with the Purves family during the holidays.

Mr. Albert Middleton had his family all at home for Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mid-

PICKERING: Nine years of continuous service in the council of Pickering Township came to an end when Reeve Sherman Scott attended the last council meeting of 1963. He was presented with a brief case.

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A film of Nassau in the Bahamas will be the feature attraction at the Doncaster Community Ladies Club meeting on January 13. It will be held at the home of Mrs. M. Malinski, Proctor Avenue and the film will be shown through the courtesy of Maria's Travel Service, Thornhill. The programme is open to all interested persons.

Birthdays greetings are extended to Corrine Lomas, Sprucewood Drive, who celebrated her seventh birthday on December 28.

Allan Cyr, 8, 106 Morgan Avenue, broke his right shoulder in a fall from his bicycle before Christmas.

NEWMARKET: About 39 families which included 160 children had a little happier Christmas this year due to the efforts of the Lions Club, who packed hampers costing approximately \$496.97.

LANGSTAFF NEWS

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On Friday Randy Evans held a birthday party at his home. On Saturday Janice Evans had one also.

Saturday evening Mrs. Norm Brodie had a surprise birthday party for Mrs. Gert Holt.

Monday Miss Ruth Lepkey celebrated her birthday at a dinner party for her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bryant and family visited Mrs. E. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hamlyn and family on new year's day.

Guests with Mr. and Mrs. Mel Holt on New Year's were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edney, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Edney, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Edney and Miss Phyllis Edney.

Mrs. E. Thompson won a turkey while bowling with the senior citizens.

Members are asked to bring a donation for the cancer cupboard and their favourite salad recipe to the meeting on January 9 at the home of Mrs. Mary Jones, 39 Garden Avenue.

NORTH RICHVALE NEWS

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Hi Neighbours!

A happy, healthy and prosperous new year to all!

Mr. and Mrs. Cy. Chevis of Weldrick Rd. held open house on Christmas Eve. A gay and "Christmasy" evening carried over into the wee small hours with dancing and bouncy singing. A hearty buffet supper was served and of course no Christmas party would be complete without a "bull fiddle" solo by Mr. Chevis. This is no ordinary "bull fiddle" and really must be seen and heard to be appreciated. Mr. Chevis designed and made this contraption himself and it certainly is an original. The Chevis family also had the pleasure of speaking over long distance with their daughter Virginia who is stationed with the armed forces in Fort Churchill, Manitoba. Although Virginia has been in this far north army post for some months and has had many new experiences, she has not as yet had the thrill of a sled ride pulled by a dog team. She has ridden in a "nodwell" which is a type of snow-mobile used by the army and which is no doubt a much better way to travel.

Get well wishes to Wayne Beunds, Yongehurst Rd. who has a very large dose of mumps. What a way to spend Christmas. Now a brighter note, Mrs. Mildred Duncan left hospital so as to spend Christmas at home. Welcome.

Mrs. Gwen Hill has recovered nicely from her sojourn in Branson Hospital and is ready to resume work again.

The young people of Weldrick Rd. Baptist Church held a carol sing-song at the Coghill home on Westwood Lane after the usual Sunday night service. Mr. Alan Lawrence of Toronto Bible College was presented

with a purse of money. Mr. Lawrence takes a very active part in leadership of the young people. Rev. and Mrs. McSpadden were presented with a gift from the church groups. As it is strictly voluntary work for the church on the part of the McSpadden family they certainly deserve a vote of thanks. Congratulations.

The engagement of Miss Virginia Chevis of Fort Churchill (formerly of Weldrick Rd.) to Mr. Ray McKay, of Windsor — also of the armed forces in Fort Churchill — has been announced. It will be a summer wedding but as yet no definite date has been set. Virginia has been stationed at Camp Borden, Kingston and for some time now at Fort Churchill but we all feel she's still our "Ginny" and wish her much happiness.

There will not be any home and school meeting for Ross Doan in January. The first Monday in February will start the new year's.

Roselawn School on Carrville Rd. held its January meeting on the first Monday of the month as usual. Anyone with children going to both schools finds it impossible to attend both meetings but this month the problem is solved.

Fire believed caused by a shorted extension wire in the basement of James E. Johnson's home, Pemberton Road, caused considerable excitement. Fortunately no one was injured. Two fire trucks were on the scene within minutes as were waterworks and hydro trucks and many private cars.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cumber of Yongehurst Road entertained friends from Toronto over New Year's.

The latest victim of mumps is David Jeffrey of Bathurst Street.

Jamie Lung of Yongehurst Road is returning to school on Monday. Jamie has been quite sick and missed many weeks of school but being a bright boy he'll no doubt soon catch up.

Rev. and Mrs. B. T. McSpadden of Weldrick Road spent Christmas in Mr. McSpadden's home town of Seaford, Ontario. Mrs. McSpadden Sr. is in hospital which of course dampened the holiday somewhat.

Judith K. Robinson Is Bride of Sherwood Eddy

In a charming double ring ceremony performed at Thornhill United Church on December 28, Judith Kathleen Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Robinson, Thornhill, became the bride of Sherwood Eddy, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Eddy of Hespeler. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. I. Higgins and by Dr. Eddy, a former minister at Thornhill United Church.

The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Beverley Eddy of Montreal, as best man. Ushers were Mr. Carl Dahmer of Galt and Mr. William Cooper of Thornhill. The wedding music was played on the organ by Mrs. D. A. Gunn of Thornhill and the bride walked down the aisle to the strains of "Praise My Soul, the King of Heaven."

Following the ceremony, some seventy guests were entertained at a light supper held at the home of the bride's parents.

The mother of the bride received wearing a sheath dress with draped skirt, in coral beige brocade, with matching hat and brown shoes. She wore a corsage of Johanna Hill roses. The groom's mother wore a jacketed sheath dress of blue brocade. With this she wore an egg-shell coloured hat and a corsage of blue and white carnations.

Out of town guests were from Kitchener, Erindale, Oakville, Paris, Ontario, Ottawa, Brantford, London, Ontario and many other points. Among the guests was the bride's grandmother, Mrs. W. J. Robinson, formerly of Ottawa.

Both the bride and the groom attended Thornhill High School together and they are this year completing courses at the University of Western Ontario.

Following their wedding trip to Ottawa, they will reside in London Ontario, until the end of the school year.

The colour scheme of red, white and green was carried out also in the church which was decorated with standards of red carnations, white gladioli and mums and green spruce boughs.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. For her wedding gown she chose a creation of white peau de soie, floor length, with a full skirt, a lace jacket with long sleeves and a cathedral length train of Venetian lace. Her elbow length veil, also of lace, fell from a pouffe on her head. She carried a cascade of red and white carnations with green and white holly leaves.

Attending the bride were a maid of honour, Miss Cathy Baker of London, Ontario, bridesmaid, Miss Sue Moore, of Port Stanley, and a niece of the groom, Miss Linda Oughtred of Erindale, as junior bridesmaid. The three attendants were gowned alike in ballerina length dresses of white brocade, princess style, with three quarter length sleeves and bateau necklines. They carried bouquets of red and white carnations, also with holly, and wore holly on their hair.

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