

# 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 Oak Ridges - Lake Wilcox is Mrs. Lillian Atcheson, Wildwood Avenue, 773-5479, in King City Mary Dawson, 884-1105.



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## YCHA Branch Members Feast Before Work

Preceding a work meeting at the home of Mrs. Jill Metcalfe October 23 these members of the Oak Ridges - Lake Wilcox Branch of YCHA enjoyed a bountiful and delicious pot luck luncheon. Gathered around the table are: Trudy Kinzler, Gerda Kramer, Vena Porter, Gloria Tupper, Bernice Haanpaa, Hostess Doris Smith, Jean Fildey, Amy Currie, Lil Atcheson, Shirley Day, Frances Warner, and Elsa Deller. They made and decorated 10 stockings for young patients in York Central Hospital at Christmas time. Stencils were displayed for the coloring books the branch members make and supply for the young hospital patients throughout the year.

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### Scouting

The Ladies Auxiliary for Scouting met at the home of Mrs. Isobel Plews Wednesday of last week. Ten mothers attended and made a unanimous decision to continue the auxiliary. Mrs. Bunty Hopkins was elected president with Mrs. M. Beynon as secretary, Mrs. R. F. MacLeod as treasurer, Mrs. L. Mennen as sewing convenor, Mrs. Vena Porter as public convenor, Mrs. Plews as public relations and Mrs. Lorna Sayers as convenor of the visiting committee.

They arranged for serving hot drinks and cookies on apple days, October 25 and 26 and for necessary sewing. The next meeting is scheduled for November 20, at 1 pm at the home of the new president. Cub meetings are held each Thursday evening at 6:30 pm at Our Lady of the Annunciation School, Bond Avenue, with Cubmaster Art Little in charge. He is assisted by Mrs. Cathy O'Flaherty and Steve Parker.

At last Thursday's meeting of the local group committee, it was decided that group would donate a prize for the best all-round Scout on apple day. The ladies' auxiliary provided the prize for the best all-round Cub. **Hospital Auxiliary** A work meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Jill Metcalfe, Wednesday of last week, with Barbara Dion, Joan Campbell, Audrey James, Wendy Van der Voort in attendance. They are members of the Oak Ridges-Lake Wilcox branch of York Central Hospital Auxiliary.

The group is making and decorating felt stockings for the young patients confined to the hospital at Christmas. Ten stockings were completed. Stencils were shown for the coloring books the auxiliary branch made for the children's section. **Cancer Society** Oak Ridges - Lake Wilcox branch of the Cancer Society held a pot luck lunch October 22, with 11 ladies present. It was held at the home of Mrs. Doris Smith with guests including Bernice Haanpaa, Shirley Day, Elsa Deller, Vena Porter, Frances Warner, Gerda Kramer, Trudy Kinzler, Jean Fildey, Gloria Tupper, Lillian Atcheson and little Amy Currie enjoying the delicacies. Mrs. Charlotte Brockton and son Alex arrived shortly after lunch and the ladies bustled themselves sorting buttons and sewing them on 125 large section bibs to be sent to Princess Margaret Hospital.

A number of ideas for Christmas gifts for patients in that hospital were discussed. The next meeting is scheduled for November 19 unless a work meeting is called beforehand. **Snowflake Bazaar** This year's UCW Christmas bazaar and tea has been named the "Snowflake Bazaar" and will be held at St. Paul's United Church, South Road, November 2 at 2 to 4 pm. Available for Christmas gifts will be knitted goods, aprons, candy, dolls and clothes. If other years are an indication of what to expect the bake table will be laden with an infinite variety of good things to eat.

Churches are extended to Mrs. Ida Arlt on the loss of her mother. Mrs. Arlt flew to Switzerland on learning of her mother's sudden death and returned home last week. **Bowling** Team standings for the Thursday Afternoon Ladies' Bowling League are: Daisies 26 points, Flower Children 21, Bleeding Hearts 16 and Buttercups 7. Marion Richardson bowled a 699 triple with singles of 222, 231 and 246. Other good scores were: Merle Therien 693 (233, 217, 243), Vera Simmons 673 (258, 181, 234), Diane Foster 634 (237, 181, 196), Lydia Finden single 190 and 182, Rose Hills 182, Fran Warner 211, Isobel Plews 228 and Vena Porter 206.

**Lions' Auction** The 12th annual King City Lions auction sale, held October 19, was bigger and better than ever, raising a record - breaking \$2,750. Lion Stan Roots was this year's convenor and Lion Gordon Orr was chief auctioneer. Not to be outdone by her husband, Mrs. Stan Roots convened the ladies' bake sale and raised \$123 in only 12 minutes. A cider stand was a popular concession as was the Halloween pumpkin sale by a Cub pack. Proceeds will be used for welfare and youth projects and development of the new township park in the village. A picnic pavilion is being completed there by the 40 Lions who were all actively engaged in conducting the auction.

Articles which found ready buyers, who vied for ownership, included a Cape Cod lighter, an antique leatherworker's vise, a Raymond treadle sewing machine, piles of mattresses, numerous hand-powered lawn mowers of all sizes and vintage and a generous supply of old car tires. An opportunity to get exactly the right Christmas gift will be yours at the annual fall bazaar at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church this Saturday at 2 pm. There will be sewing, baking, candy and touch and take booths and afternoon tea at 25 cents. The euchres will begin November 11 at 8 pm in the Masonic Hall and continue every other Monday evening until spring.

### Clergy Reserve Money Is Still In Existence

A reminder of the troubled days of 1837 in this area is King Township Council's recent decision, pending Ontario Municipal Board approval, to turn over to King Township School Board the \$45,000 "Permanent Common Fund."

This money contains, besides a \$2,000 contribution in 1913 by George S. Henry, who was Premier of Ontario from 1930 to 1934, the township's share of the monies realized from the sale of the "Clergy Reserve Lands". When this part of Ontario was allocated to settlers, every seventh lot was set aside for the support of the clergy, and this provision was one of the many causes for complaint which eventually led to the abortive rebellion led by William Lyon Mackenzie in 1837. Settlement duties which included clearing half the road allowance in front of the lot were not down, leaving the roads in a virtually impassable condition and only the clergy of the Church of England benefitted from these clergy reserves.

Following Lord Durham's report on the situation in the two Canadas, the reserves were sold and the money received from them was distributed amongst the affected municipalities in 1852, as an aid to education. Some municipalities, including Richmond Hill, spent the money in providing school buildings, but King Township invested the money, the annual interest being turned over to local school boards. Vaughan Township's clergy reserves monies are also intact, having been invested for well over a century, the annual interest being used for educational purposes by the local school boards.

George S. Henry was born in King Township in 1871, son of William Henry who operated a lumber mill west of Snowhall.

### UN A Barometer Of Opinion: Roberts

The real value of the United Nations is not to be found in the seven committees that carry out the effective work of the organization, but rather in the fact that the United Nations provides a forum for the exchange of ideas.

This is the conclusion that John Roberts MP York Simcoe, has come to after watching the UN in action as a parliamentary observer. Mr. Roberts comments in a despatch from the UN, "The day to day contact of the diplomats of 120 countries provides a real barometer to the international political scene. In their daily encounters - at committees, in the corridors, in the res-

taurant, in the bar - views are presented and exchanged." He remarks, "In some ways the hour before lunch in the delegates' lounge is the most important of the day." It is at the UN that it is easiest to gather quickly a consensus of views on what is happening in international affairs, Mr. Roberts adds. These views are communicated back to home governments, so that it is in this way that the UN has a real role in shaping the policy of member governments.

The UN Assembly starts each session in September with a general debate, which enables governments to present the principles of their foreign policies. With over 100 nations taking part, the debate inevitably becomes repetitious, the MP says. The real work of the world body is done in seven committees, dealing with such matters as economic aid, disarmament, human rights, colonialism, administration, legal problems and special political questions. An outsider, Mr. Roberts thinks, is likely to find the UN committee meetings a frustrating process. Each country's spokesman is allowed a wide latitude in discussion, and is also allowed to reply to the speeches of other delegates, a right that is frequently exercised. In spite of an extreme

### White - Jennings Nuptials Held Temperanceville United Church

Temperanceville United Church was decorated with white and pink gladioli for the early autumn wedding of Diana Rosemary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ewart B. Jennings, to Leonard Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard White of Snowball, Rev. Earle Stotesbury conducted the ceremony and Mrs. Fred Tare was organist. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a full-length traditional gown of sheer organza over taffeta, trimmed with a re-embroidered lace front panel and wrist length sleeves. Her veil was held by a crystal tiara, and she carried a cascade of pink roses. Nanci Jennings, sister of the bride, was maid of honor in a floor length gown of wine velvet cut on princess lines. Betty Cox, as bridesmaid, wore a similar gown of pink velvet. Junior bridesmaids, Karen White and Carol Jennings, wore ankle length pink velvet gowns. Lori Jennings was flower girl in wine velvet. They wore matching hair bows and carried white and wine chrysantheums with white streamers. Groomsman was Bruce Spragg, with Allan White and Robert Burns acting as ushers. The reception was held at the Honey Pot Ski-Valley Lodge. The bride's mother received her guests wearing a pale blue brocade ensemble with matching accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. She was assisted by the mother of

the groom wearing a raspberry red dress with an overlay of white lace, with matching red coat, and black accessories, and corsage of white carnations. Leaving on a honeymoon to Northern Ontario, the bride donned a red dress with matching coat and black accessories and gardenia corsage. On their return the happy young couple will make their home in Aurora. Special guests at the wedding were the grandparents of the bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jennings and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford White. Other guests attended from Aylmer, Quebec, Ottawa, Toronto, King City and Aurora.

### Puppy Breeder Fined Heavily

The practice of a Gormley puppy ranch owner of using the noseprint of one dog on more than 75 pedigree papers to "save time" proved costly in Newmarket Magistrate's Court recently. Leo Zonnekeyn, owner of The Puppy Ranch on Don Mills Road, north of Gormley, was fined a total of \$600 on 12 charges of issuing false information under the livestock pedigree act. In sentencing Zonnekeyn, Magistrate O. S. Hollinrake described the practice as "lazy, illegal and unlawful."

### Honor Whitchurch Police Chief

Whitchurch Police Chief Fred Mason was presented on Saturday night with a long service medal issued by the Canadian Chiefs of Police Association. The presentation, for devotion to duty and a faithful service, was made at the annual Halloween Dance of the Whitchurch Police Association held at Cedar Beach, Musselman's Lake. The medal, resembling a silver dollar and suspended on a blue ribbon, was pinned on the chief by Deputy-reeve Lawrence Hennessey, chairman of the township police committee. Some 300 people were at the dance to see the award made. Chief Constable Mason has been chief of police in the township since the department was formed in 1964. He left his position as police chief of Southampton, Ontario, to set up the new department in Vandorf. Previously, Whitchurch was served by the OPP.

### King City Notes

King Branch of the Canadian Cancer Society will hold a work meeting November 4 at the home of Mrs. D. S. Head, Hollingsworth Drive, King City. The workers will be turning out "Christmas Tree Calendars" for the children's wing of Princess Margaret Hospital. These calendars proved very popular with the young patients last year. They are made of a green felt Christmas tree on a square red felt background containing 24 pockets. Hidden in each pocket is a tree decoration and on each day from December 1 to 24 one decoration is removed from a pocket and placed on the tree. In conjunction with the education chairman of the Aurora Unit, Mrs. W. McCutcheon, the King Branch will be planning for future educational activities in the area. An opportunity to get exactly the right Christmas gift will be yours at the annual fall bazaar at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church this Saturday at 2 pm. There will be sewing, baking, candy and touch and take booths and afternoon tea at 25 cents. The euchres will begin November 11 at 8 pm in the Masonic Hall and continue every other Monday evening until spring.

### United Breeders Inc. Formed From Merger

The Central Ontario, Waterloo and Lambton Cattle Breeding Associations have merged to form United Breeders Incorporated. A well is being drilled at a site three miles north of Guelph in preparation for the construction of a combined office and laboratory building, which is now in the final planning stages. Until the building is completed, the three breeding associations will continue to operate from their present offices at Maple, Waterloo and Wvoming, Ontario. They are expected to use their existing bull barns for some time. The proposal to merge was approved by the members of all three associations early in 1968. Preliminary steps towards the United Breeders merger were taken as far back as 1959, when the Waterloo and Central units pooled ownership of Jersey and Angus bulls. In 1963 they pooled sires of all breeds, along with sire analysis and information services. Lambton joined the sire pool early in 1967. The units have a provisional board of 15 breeders - one from each county to be serviced by the new organization - carrying out the planning for United Breeders. These men and various committees will assume full responsibility for the operation of the new unit after November 1. President of the board is H. Craig Reid of Milton, vice-president is Jack Gilchrist of Guelph.

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## TEMPERANCEVILLE NEWS

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Neighborhood Notes Friends will be sorry to hear that Mrs. John H. C. Durham has been hospitalized while visiting her sister in Hamilton. Our very best wishes for a speedy return to good health are extended to Mrs. Durham. Neighbors and friends in the Snowball-Kettleby district held a presentation party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard White of the York Pines United Church on October 18. The young couple was presented with an occasional chair. Mr. and Mrs. Ewart Jennings and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jennings were among those who enjoyed the evening of good fun and fellowship. Members of the King City Lions Club thank the Temperanceville residents who donated to their annual auction sale. Good weather and generous donations made this their biggest and best sale to date. The excellent weather of last week made the International Ploughing Match a popular event, and many of our folk attended. Wayne Paxton and Jim Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Phillips and John, Mr. and Mrs. Ewart Jennings, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard White were among those who enjoyed the event. On the return trip, the Jennings and Whites called on their cousins Mr. and Mrs. Bert Balshaw of Brantford. Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Lloyd of Delhi visited their parents, Norman Rumble and Wesley Lloyd on the weekend. WI members are reminded of the November meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Maurice Beynon, Aurora, on November 14, at 8 pm. The roll call is to be answered with a handmade Christmas gift. The annual bazaar and tea will be held at York Manor November 9, from 1.30-4.30. Crafts made by the residents will be on sale, as well as aprons, home-baking, and a penny draw. Everyone is welcome.

NEWMARKET: The question of downtown redevelopment was thoroughly explored recently before 350 taxpayers by John Bousfield of the engineering consultant firm of Proctor, Redfern, Bousfield and Bacon. Cost of the first would be about \$1,700,000.

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