

Maple, Kleinburg Concord & Edgeley News

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LOOKING AROUND

We would like to extend a warm Canadian-Maple welcome to Mrs. Mary Blair who is in Maple for the Christmas season, visiting with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alistair Sutherland, Sandra, David and Blair of Netherford Road. Mrs. Blair comes from Greenock, Scotland, and we do hope she enjoys her winter visit in Maple.

Congratulations to the lucky winners of the Lions Ski-doo draw, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Elson of Jackson Street, Maple. The whole family including parents, Cal and Jean Miller, were thrilled to hear that their efforts to support the Lions and to win that Ski-doo had actually paid off! We also congratulate Dick Taylor who sold the winning ticket.

We would like to take this opportunity to extend to all our readers, young and old, a safe, happy and very merry Christmas! It is our fervent wish that those who are travelling at Christmas time, be it overseas, to Florida or just here in our own district, will return safely after a happy holiday!

A wave of shocked disbelief followed by deep sadness swept through Maple with the news of the death of another of the young men of our community

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IN THE VILLAGE OF MAPLE

Last Wednesday evening in the storm. Wally Kucherawy was killed while on a service call with the tow truck from the Maple BP station, owned by members of his family.

Wally is survived by his mother, Mrs. Nellie Kucherawy from Siston, Manitoba, and brothers Mitro, John and Stan of Maple and Bill of Toronto.

Sympathy from the entire community goes out to this well-known and well-liked family in their bereavement, as well as to Miss Janice Lynn, also of Maple, with whom Wally was to become engaged.

Senior Citizens
The seniors have had a very busy month beginning with a shopping trip to Yorkdale December 7, when Mrs. Lee Hynd, Mrs. Edythe Birkett, Mrs. Edna Brian and Mrs. Det Palmer drove members for a morning of shopping. Several of the seniors went along as well in their own cars.

They enjoyed a lunch and returned for the afternoon meeting of games. They would like to take this opportunity to extend their thanks to the ladies who so kindly provided transportation and helped them with their shopping.

The next evening, December 8, the ladies of the UCW held their annual Christmas pot luck supper, and invited the seniors to join with them and to "sing for their supper!"

After enjoying an excellent meal, the seniors presented an excellent program of recitations, singing and music, including poetry written and recited by Mrs. Mary Errington, and a recitation by Mrs. Margaret Andrew. Ward Hall gave two Christmas numbers accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Flossie Bagg, Forrest Oliver and Earl Magee sang solos and a "double duet" of Paul Snider, Roland Keffer, Biff Andrew and Earl Magee sang. The entire assembly sang Christmas carols to round out the evening.

On December 14 the seniors enjoyed a delicious dinner of roast beef and home-made pies served by the ladies of the UCW. On the occasion of their second anniversary as a club, Mrs. Det Palmer and Mrs. Pearl Jarrett provided a huge birthday cake with trick candles that president Paul Snider just couldn't blow out.

As guests for the occasion, M.L.A. Donald Deacon, York Centre, and Mrs. Deacon were present. Mr. Deacon spoke on the "Home Plan" of the provincial government to provide help when needed for the shut-in, the ill and the elderly.

The government feels that help when needed will assist older people to continue in their own homes, independently, longer, and thus they will also contribute their talents and knowledge to their communities for much longer than those who feel the burdens of keeping a home too much to cope with.

The seniors found both Mr. and Mrs. Deacon charming, friendly people who were interested in the special activities of the group.

It was a special treat to have several members back with the gang for the dinner with Mrs. Mary Jones out from St. John's Convalescent Hospital in Willowdale, Mrs. Laura Wiltshire out from Toronto where she is now living, and Mrs. Bessie Wilson back from Richmond Hill, where she is now.

Mrs. Wiltshire came out from Toronto with Mrs. Norman Booger's mother, Mrs. Margaret Middleton, who was made welcome by our seniors.

Two special guests who entertained were Rita Moore at the piano and Mary Orr who sang beautifully, and led in the carol singing. The girls drew smiles when they were introduced as "The Keffer Sisters", daughters of their proud father, Roy Keffer, honorary president.

During the meeting, Paul Snider announced that plans were underway for an evening at the Ice Capades January 26. The money, \$2.50 per person, must be in by January 16. Since a bus must be hired, and seats reserved, please contact members of the entertainment committee, Mrs. Margaret Penlington, Mrs. Hilda Allen or Mrs. Alice Hall or treasurer and secretary Mr. and Mrs. Ed Borrett.

Presbyterian Church
The ladies of St. Andrew's WA-WMS met for their Christmas meeting at the manse December 16.

The program began with Mrs. Ross Robson presiding and the Christmas entertainment, in place of the regular study, was presented by Mrs. Mary Cameron and Mrs. Louise Cooper with a story written by Minton C. Johnston, retired Baptist minister from Thornhill, "How The Littlest Cherub Was Late For Christmas".

The program had been beautifully prepared by Mrs. Vivian Grant who had done excellent illustrations to accompany the story.

Following the business portion of the meeting, a delicious lunch of Christmas goodies was served by Mrs. Ida McDonald and the hostess, Mrs. Margaret Andrew.

The annual Christmas congregation and Sunday school pot luck supper was held December 17 in the Maple Community Hall, with well over 100 members and children present.

With each pot luck supper we attend, we become even more convinced that there are some marvellous cooks in Maple. The children of the Sunday school, Explorers and the Bible classes provided the evening's entertainment with an old-fashioned Christmas concert.

The young people of the Bible classes circulated singing "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen" and Art Hills of Malaren Road led off the program with a short film he had taken at various church activities from family day services and Sunday school classes to the more amusing strip taken at the picnic in June of this year.

Brian Bromfield, Brian Hay, Robbie Hudson and Chris Plunket sang "Deck the Halls" with the rest of the Sunday school assisting and accompanied by Lisa Hudson at the piano.

The Explorer group, under the leadership of Mrs. Lee Hynd and assisted by Miss Rosemary Brice and Miss Gail Cooper presented a pantomime of "Scrooge's Christmas". These girls were Lisa and Kellie Hudson, Cheryl Cooper, Kim McCallum, Valerie Stephenson, Heather Lamont, Karen Ivens, Connie Ambros, Sandra Key, Lisa Malins, Nancy Fraser, Denise James and Roberta Sanderson with Barbara Feecheley as junior assistant. The group closed their play with the singing of "Joy to the World".

Donald Stephenson, Mark Fortin and Jamie Carter sang "We Three Kings" accompanied by Rosemary Brice at the piano.

Three angels, Valerie Stephenson, Kellie Hudson and Lindsey Creighton sang the Christmas lullaby "Away in a Manger" with Cheryl Cooper at the piano.

The children of the nursery and kindergarten presented "The Lonely Bell" with Kirk Ivens cast as the bell who was so sad because he could not contribute to the spirit of Christmas. Arun Bajaj as the star who shone and led the wise men to the manger, Scott Elson dressed as Santa, who participates in Christmas by giving, the angels Allison Creighton and Leslie Grosse who participate by singing, and Andrew Carter as a little Christmas tree who also shines and cheers at Christmas were the show stealers of the evening.

This skit was presented by the teachers of the class, Gail Cooper, Sandra Sutherland, assisted by Bill Wright and Gary Forrest.

Angels Michelle Fortin, Heather Lamont, Brenda Grosse, Lisa Hudson sang "O Come All Ye Faithful" with Rosemary Brice at the piano.

Kellie Hudson played a solo of "O Holy Night" on the piano, and those children who had not participated sang "Silent Night".

With the audience singing "Jingle Bells", Santa arrived with candy bags for the children and a waltz with Mrs. Jean Miller.

Mrs. Lee Hynd would like to remind the girls of her Explorer group that there will be no meetings over the holidays, with the first meeting in the new year on January 7.

Lutheran Church
Just a reminder of the Candlelight service at Zion Lutheran Church Christmas Eve at 7:30 pm with no service on Christmas Day.

The candlelight service is a moving experience for everyone, when each worshipper is given a candle of his own which is to be lit from his neighbor's candle, symbolizing the passing on of the light God sent into the world in the form of a tiny Babe.

Gibson School
With the holidays coming up, several of the classes have been on outings including Mrs. Patricia Blake's class and Mrs. Irene West's class to the Burlington Outdoor Resources Centre, and Mrs. Blake's and Mrs. Corrine Severn's classes to City Hall to skate, with a look at the Christmas windows and a visit to Eaton's Toyland and Santa.

Mrs. Mohini Mehta and Mrs. Joan Bright planned to take their classes to City Hall to skate and to Union Station last Monday.

The staff of the Gibson School enjoyed Chinese food last Friday at noon for their Christmas party.

Mrs. Gallant Gondos was at the school last Friday to entertain the children with Christmas music. From our experience, Mr. Gondos leaves a great impression on the children, especially some who would be least expected to show any great interest in music.

Bailey School
With the last day of school

before the holidays fast approaching, each class in the senior school is busy rehearsing for a concert to be put on for the school on Tuesday afternoon, with a great variety of entertainment for the students.

We would like to wish all the teachers and staff in the schools a very merry Christmas and happy New Year and a happy and safe holiday from all the parents and children in the schools.

Bowling
The scores for the men's league were not readily available to us at press time, but we will hope to have them for our readers for the next issue of the Liberal.

Ladies' - On December 14, Gin bowled against Rye and took all 7 points, Rum took 5 points from Scotch, Sherry took 5 from Brandy and Vodka took 5 from Port.

This leaves Sherry on top with 26 points with only one game to go in the second series. Rye is a close second with 24, Brandy in third place with 23, Rum with 22, Gin with 20, Port with 19, Vodka with 19 and Scotch with 15.

Ellen Borneman took the high single for the evening with 271 and Ev Aubertin had a good night with a 672 high triple.

Det Palmer still holds high average with 210. Pioneers - December 17, Ed Borrett's team lost all 7 points to Jack Gooderham's and Orne Downey's team took 5 from Port Craibe's, leaving them with 2.

This leaves Gooderham on the top with 40 points, Borrett's in second place with 40 points, Downey's third place with 30 and Craibe's bring up the rear with 21.

Ed Borrett took the high triple for the night with 570 and Jim Craibe had the high single with 253.

Since this was the annual bowl night, Alex Bishop, Ed Harding, Norman Payne, Percy Putterbaugh, Ed Smart, Chief Myers, Len Weeks and Ed Borrett took home turkeys. These winners were chosen from hidden scores.

A lucky draw was also held, with one winner from each team taking home a Christmas cake. These were "Money" Blain, Barney Brian, Orne Downey and Pete Craibe.

Christmas Was Theme Vellore WI Meeting

The topic for the December meeting of Vellore WI was Christmas and the roll call was a gift exchange.

Mrs. Ray Phillips gave her report of the area convention held at the Royal York Hotel in Toronto.

Mrs. Alex Bishop reported on the successful bazaar held at York Manor, Newmarket.

Mrs. Lorne Waldick read the story, "My Father's Miracle Christmas," which showed how the festive season was brightened and enjoyed even though circumstances were difficult.

Mrs. Roy Bowen spoke about Christmas plants, telling how to care for them and their star rating. For example an African violet and a Christmas cactus each received three stars.

Mrs. Bruce Ella conducted a game called "Beetle". It was played progressively, and resembled bingo in that as soon as one had a beetle assembled by means of dice and numbers, "Beetle" was called out. The game was stopped and each person counted the points earned in that round.

At the close of the meeting a delicious Christmas lunch was served.

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Maple Presbyterians Get Into Christmas Spirit


Last Wednesday night's generous snow blanket put everyone in the proper Christmas mood for the annual pot luck supper of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Thursday evening. The supper held in the Maple Community Centre was attended by the children of the Sunday School as well as members of the congregation and everyone enjoyed the generous servings of seasonal good things to eat from the buffet table.

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