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Convict Three Men Of Dumping Garbage Illegally on Road

NEWCASTLE—Fines of dollars and costs of three men were meted out in Court in Bowmanville on Sunday morning by Magistrate Baxter to two local men and a resident of Clarke Township for illegally dumping garbage on the road allowance of what is known as the Morgan's side-road east of the village in Clarke Township.

O.P.P. Constable Jack Ricard testified that while patrolling the road on February 3rd he noticed a large heap of garbage on the side of the road between two well constructed and painted No Dumping signs and on investigating found evidence leading to the three men

"Light of the World" Theme of WA Meeting

Newcastle — The North Group were in charge of the devotional service of the February meeting of the Women's Association of the United Church held in the Sunday School hall on Thursday the 11th when Mrs. Fisk opened the meeting with a call to worship followed by the singing of the hymn, "The Light of the World is Jesus".

The Scripture lesson was read by Mrs. John Rickard and Mrs. Malley gave a nice reading, "The Light of the World", based on the painting of the same name by John Ruskin, the original of which is hanging in St. Paul's Cathedral in London, England, and bears the inscription, "Behold I stand at the door and knock".

Mrs. Fisk led in prayer and the devotional service was brought to a close with the singing of a hymn.

Following the devotional service the President, Mrs. Garnet Rickard took charge of the meeting and gave a talk based on a sermon delivered by the Rev. Roy Rickard recently at St. Paul's church in Bowmanville on the subject of the Light of the World.

After the reading of the minutes of the last meeting and the treasurer's report, Mrs. Rickard suggested to the groups one idea that might be followed this year might be to use the Bible as their study book. Mrs. M. C. Fisher reminded the association of the World Day of Prayer service being held in the United Church this year on March 4th at 3 p.m. and also announced the school for leaders being held at Five Oaks, Paris, Ont., March 2nd to 4th and the group decided to send their President, Mrs. Rickard, to the school.

OBITUARY

W. HARLAND MERRY

W. Harland (Tiny) Merry, 53, internationally known Shorthorn cattle breeder, died after a heart attack Wednesday night, Feb. 10, at his Merry Brook farm home near Milton.

Born in Toronto, he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Merry, formerly of Oakville. He moved to Oakville as a boy and attended Munn's public school, Appleton college, and Ontario Agricultural college.

He entered his father's business with Charles Bush Ltd. in 1927 and became firm president in 1944.

A former member of St. John's United church, Oakville, he was a member of St. Paul's United church, Milton. He was a director of the Royal Winter Fair and of the Canadian Shorthorn Association.

As a boy he won many trophies for his horsemanship at the former Elgin Hunt club. He was a well known homing pigeon fancier and dog breeder. During the last 15 years he has raised prize Shorthorns and three months ago won the championship at the Chicago International Cattle Show.

He is survived by his widow, the former Eileen Jarvis; one son, Robert, at home; and three daughters, Mrs. Richard (Betty) Farley, Edmont, Mrs. Ralph (Judy) Hills of Enniskillen, Ont.; Katherine, at home; and five grandchildren. Also surviving are two brothers, Richard of Caledon East and Oakville deputy-reeve Herbert Merry and one sister, Mrs. Geoffrey (Ruth) Bide of London, Eng.

HAYDON

Haydon Church Hot Turkey Supper, on Saturday evening, proved very successful. The Community Hall, Hampton, was appropriately decorated with hearts and cupid for Valentine. On the tables were red plants, courtesy of Enniskillen Greenhouse. At both ends were lighted decorated candles.

The tables were served by the ladies, with the men pouring tea. The work in the kitchen was made much easier by the use of a stove from W. H. Brown, Case dealer.

After Rev. F. J. Jackson said Grace, everyone enjoyed a sumptuous supper with all the trimmings.

February W.A. meeting will be held Thursday, Feb. 18th, today, at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. E. Toppie. Ladies are asked to please bring in white cotton for canvas dressings and the Betty Crocker box tops.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Read and Robbie, Peterborough; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ashton and Mrs. Bert Ashton, Toronto, were Thursday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Read's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Ashton and family, Mrs. Edna McLaughlin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wright, Oshawa, owing to the storm, Mrs. Ross Ashton and children were over-night guests at Mr. and Mrs. Roy McGill, also Mrs. Arthur Thompson and children.

Mr. Kenneth Graham celebrated his birthday which came on Valentine Day, Feb. 14th, with his father, Mr. John Graham, Bowmanville, and due to weather conditions could not reach his home, and was over-night guest with Mr. and Mrs. L. Wearn, Enniskillen.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Rahm were Sun., visitors at Mr. and Mrs. W. Rahm's, Tyrone.

Mr. Arthur Thompson spent Sunday night, with Mr. Bruce Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Morrison and family, Oshawa, were Saturday evening visitors at Mr. and Mrs. M. Bertram.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bertram and family, Taunton, were Sunday visitors and due to the storm had to stay the night at Mr. and Mrs. M. Bertram.

Mr. Rainey was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Ashton, Thursday.

Church service was cancelled Sunday evening due to roads and weather conditions.

Mr. Lloyd Thompson, Toronto called on Mrs. Thompson and Gail, on Sunday.

Mr. Rainey was unable to get back for school on Monday, due to the storm, pupils had a holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Metcalf, Cheryl, Douglas and Elaine visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Nell Metcalf and Kenny of Bowmanville.

Arthur Hulbert received word from his sister, Mrs. Tal Rahm that she and her husband, Sweetman and Mrs. Marvin Rahm, all of Oshawa, are enjoying a holiday in St. Petersburg, Florida.

Mrs. Michael Post arrived home on Saturday from Holland, where she has spent the past few weeks visiting her parents and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Sweetman and twins of Schomberg visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry McLaughlin over the weekend.

Mrs. Sweetman is returning to Ireland where he will manage his mother's farm.

Cities are not the only locality where drivel service is dispatched. Cecil Wilson came today by horse-back to the Nestleton Post Office door to transact some P.O. business and remained seated on his horse while doing so.

Hog Farmers Must Register

Failure to provide registration numbers with hog shipments could disqualify farmers and participating in the Federal government's deficiency payment scheme, Homer J. Maybee, Associate Director of the Livestock Division, Canada Department of Agriculture, warned recently.

He said a number of producers have marketed hogs without registration numbers since the new price support program went into effect January 11.

Registration of hog producers has been proceeding since last November, said Mr. Maybee, and over 100,000 registrations have been processed. Farmers who have applied for registration but have not yet received their registration numbers are being provided for through instructions sent to them with the settlements.

All producers who have numbers should be certain that a record of the number is sent with the hogs. This means that the trucker or shipper should record the number along with the farmer's name, address and tattoo identification of the hogs on the manifest which he delivers with the hogs.

Mr. Maybee said the Agriculture Stabilization Board is urging the co-operation of producers, shippers, sales agencies, and processors in making the registration number a regular part of the information that normally accompanies hogs to market.

Recognize Long Service

Thirty-six years of untiring service to the community was recognized recently by the village council with the presentation of a lovely pen and pencil set to Miss Cora Butler who has served the community as Librarian since 1923.

Due to ill health Miss Butler was forced to retire from the position last year after growing with the Library since its founding some 36 years ago and which has now more than 10,000 books on its shelves. Her immense knowledge of the books in the library were of great help to readers in the community who wished a certain type of book.

The presentation was made recently by the Clerk of the Village, Mrs. Nettie Butler, on behalf of the citizens of the village to Miss Butler in recognition of her many faithful years of service to the citizens of the Village of Newcastle.

Upon her retirement last year the members of the Newcastle Memorial Library Board voted Miss Butler a cheque representing three months salary in recognition of her long service to the library.

Community Bowling Results

Teenage League
John James rolled the highest score in the teenage league last Saturday afternoon with a score of 245 while Larry Pearce had the highest three game total with 601 for the three games.

Those rolling over a 200 total in one game were John James 245, Brenton Hughes 233, Larry Pearce 226, James Rickard 226 and Gary Bar-chard with 208.

Men's League

Bob Glanville was the high man in three games in the Men's League last week having an aggregate score of 750. Single game scores over 250 were rolled by George Graham 271, Bob Glanville 269, Ted Belsey 268, Hayden Griffin 260, Bill Lake 254, Sherman Shields 250.

Ladies' Monday League

Vicki Gray 225, Marilyn Hancock 214, Bessie Ferguson 212, Peggy Boyd 201.

Thursday Mixed League

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NEWCASTLE — The Newcastle Pee Wee hockey team came up with a 5 to 4 win over the Bowmanville Pee Wee club on Saturday with Tim Gray scoring two of the five goals for the locals. Other scorers for the locals were Glen Rowe, Stanley Cobble-dick and Jim Baskerville (2) and Ronnie Goode. Michael Bothwell was the top scorer for the Bowmanville team with two counters while Randy Dewell and J. Troll scored one each with assists by John Russel. Penalties were meted out to John Lees (3) on the Newcastle squad, Howard Milton and James Kinney the Bowmanville villains. Newcastle players were Eric Bernard, Stan Cobble-dick, Wayne Hancock, Tim Gray, Jim Baskerville, Ron Goode, Gary Forgit, Jim Smith, John Lees, Grant Williams, Doug Wade and Glen Rowe.

Pee Wees Take Bowmanville In Close Game

Nestleton Station

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Cribar of Toronto were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Herron. Mr. Cribar is a first year Theology student at Knox College and delivered a splendid sermon in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fitz who on Friday celebrated their silver wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Watson and Mrs. John Watson of Port

NEWCASTLE RECREATION COMMITTEE ANNUAL SPORTS NIGHT

Saturday, Feb. 20 commencing at 7 p.m. NEWCASTLE MEMORIAL ARENA Hockey Games — Figure Skating, etc. Admission ADULTS 35c CHILDREN 25c

Newcastle Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jose visited in Brampton on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jose and family.

The many friends of Mrs. Chris Law will be sorry to learn that he is seriously ill and is a patient in Memorial Hospital in Bowmanville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Forbes of Mimico visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Agnew on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Cassie and daughter Ruth of Brampton were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Bernard and Eric.

The many friends of Mr. P. F. Hare will be sorry to learn that she is a patient in

Mrs. W. Storks New President Lionettes Club

Newcastle — The February dinner meeting of the Newcastle Lionettes Club was held in the Lions room of the community hall on Monday evening with thirteen members and three guests in attendance. The room was decorated for Valentine's Day and the dinner table decked with heart shaped desserts by the members of the committee, Lionettes Orena Megit, Marjorie Dickinson, Irene Williams, Aresta Williams, Mabel Goode and Eva Hoar.

The President, Lionette Dora Kelsey presided and welcomed the guests, Mrs. Chas. Warren from the West and Mrs. Gary Hancock. Lionette Jean Rickard was the winner of the monthly draw and business discussed included plans for the booth and draw to be conducted by the club at the annual Lions Carnival in July, and the annual canvass which again will be conducted this year by the club in April for the Canadian Cancer Society.

Club President, Chas. Meit was present and assisted with the annual election of officers which resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Pauline Storks; vice president, Mrs. Marjorie Dickinson; Secretary, Mrs. Aresta Williams; Treasurer, Mrs. Mabel Goode; Social Hostess, Mrs. Helen Car-

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The Slopes Are Tops

By PETER WARD
Evening Telegram Staff Reporter
KIRBY — Every week end this tiny crossroads north of Newcastle becomes a little piece of Oshawa.

Winter or summer, whenever they have the time, skiers come to Kirby. When there is snow they are in heaven. When there is not they work on their club's hills.

Under their patient grooming the Ganaraska Hills are fast becoming one of Ontario's finest skiing spots.

The main slope, Brimacombe is one of the highest Durham county. There are three tow to haul skiers to the crest, 300 feet above the valley.

Over the past 15 years Oshawa Ski Club members have spent thousands of dollars and hours of back-breaking work to insure good skiing. Their 100 acres of hills is criss-crossed with snow fences, strategically placed to catch the snow and build it into an extra deep carpet over tow hills. They have planted 5,000 Scotch pine along the hills for the same reason.

Main Hill
The main hill at Kirby faces north, so it's one of the first places snow collects each year, and one of the last spots the sun clears off in spring. A few years ago members decided it was time for a club house and chalet on their property. They got together, bought the materials, and built it themselves.

The building is perhaps 40 feet long by 20 wide. It is frame, with field stone facing across the front, beneath two huge windows. There are snack bar facilities and an open fireplace that will take three-foot logs with ease.

The whole thing cost them \$1,100. If they had hired a contractor, the price tag might have been as high as \$10,000.

The latest bit of members' handiwork is a full-scale ski jump.

"We put it up by degrees," said club president Ivan Richards. "This year it'll be near perfect as we'll get it."

year for Oshawa Ski Club and this year is off to a wonderful start from a skier's point of view.

The club that started with a small membership and big ideas, has even bigger ideas now. And the club's fast-growing membership isn't afraid of the hard work necessary for successful expansion.

Editor's note — We understand that the club will welcome members from this district.

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