

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Send in the local news.

Wanted—A girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Herbert Freel.

Louis Bartholomew, eldest son of Mr. John Bartholomew of Stouffville recently suffered a stroke at his home in Toronto.

The appearance of Christmas packages at this time in the post office indicates that many people are mindful to post parcels early.

The Town Council will meet on Thursday evening instead of the regular night of Friday, owing to the Reeve having to attend the warden's banquet on the Friday.

Bert Smith who has been living on Stouffer street, moved last week to the brick house on the south-east corner of Victoria and Main streets, across from the Heise residence.

A party of sixty or seventy people, including local Free Masons and wives, were in Toronto on Friday evening last week enjoying a theatre party and dinner, in honor of the ladies whose husbands are members of the craft. Quite a number of Toronto members who were former residents here, joined them in the evening's festivities.

There seems to be an impression abroad that Stouffville has a Game Warden who is not doing his duty, in respect to prosecuting those who go shooting in this vicinity on the Sabbath day and otherwise breaking the law by killing pheasants and black squirrels. The trouble is that Stouffville has no game warden, but merely an issuer of licenses. In order to cope with the situation it would be advisable for the local municipal council to send in a requisition to the Ontario Government recommending and advising the necessity for a resident man to police this district in the interest of protecting the game, etc.

Probably the interest in the temperance question, induced some strangers to the town churches last Sunday. In any event a certain town lady is said to have induced her husband, who was not a regular attendant to accompany her to evening service. During the sermon he fell asleep, when his wife was constrained to give him a sharp nudge, in the hope of rousing him. To her consternation, however, he slowly awakened and exclaimed quite audibly, "Let me alone, light the fire yourself, its your turn to get up."

Now that we know the water supply is pure, further stewing is unnecessary.

One of our citizens, Mr. George Kester was able to be down street last week for the first time in almost a year. He has been suffering from an injured foot.

It takes sixty-five muscles of the face to smile, and a hundred and twenty-five to frown! Why overwork. See "The Little Giant" at the Auditorium Theatre, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 3rd and 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Davis of Bloomington, have closed their home for the winter at least, and moved into town to be with their son, Dawson, who recently suffered the loss of his wife.

There will be an ample supply of morning papers at The Tribune office this Thursday morning, containing the election returns. Those who take an evening paper will be glad to get the results earlier by calling at The Tribune office.

The Tribune is anxious to have news from every corner weekly. If your concession line or hamlet is not represented in these columns, we will be glad to furnish free all necessary stationery and a copy of the Tribune weekly to any who will undertake to furnish us with the news.

On Tuesday, Mr. Truman Holden purchased the brick residence in the west end belonging to Mr. William Burkholder, miller, situated opposite Mr. Jas. Ratcliff's home. The house is tenanted by Mr. W. Burnett, who will now have to seek for another house as Mr. Holden intends to move to town very soon. The sale price is reported at \$2500.

There was an extra good attendance at the local market last Thursday, with a noticeable increase in the number of fow offered for sale. Chickens were quoted at 22c. to 30c. pound, according to quality, and hens brought 20c. Butter at 35c. pound to the farmer and hen eggs at 60c. dozen, are prices which have not varied in the past month.

The demand for good cattle is keen if the sale of Albert Reesor's at lot 26, concession 9, south of Stouffville is any indication. Grade cows mounted to the price of \$158, while another sale was made, at \$152.50 and a third at \$150. There were a number of heifers in the sale which ran from \$30 to \$125. Taking all the cattle together, they average \$108, which price was highly gratifying to the owner, F. W. Silversides was on the auction block.

Mr. Orten Mott returned on Monday from visiting his son, Henry, in Buffalo.

The Brier Bush, Stouffville, and Fred Fugh each captured two prizes in poultry at the Royal Fair just closed.

Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Freel are occupying Dr. and Mrs. Ira Freel's home during their sojourn in St. Petersburg.

On Saturday last Mr. Dan O'Boyle a farmer resident just east of town, was able to return home from the General Hospital, where he had been confined the past three weeks owing to having undergone a serious operation, from which he is recovering nicely.

Mr. Winters, government architect on the Stouffville post office, accompanied by Inspector Gibson, were in town on Monday looking over the post office property with a view to arranging for the filling in at the rear of the property and fencing the grounds.

Mr. Geo. Saunders, boot and shoe merchant, has been officially notified of his appointment as caretaker of the new Stouffville post office, and he entered on his duties Wednesday of this week. So far he has received no instructions concerning the caretaker's quarters over the office, but it is expected that the rooms will be available for him in due course.

The young people of Stouffville have issued invitations to an "At Home" to be held in Ratcliff's Hall on the evening of December 3rd. Some two hundred couples have been invited, and a Toronto orchestra has been engaged. Following are the patronesses: Mrs. S. S. Ball, Mrs. Harry Brillinger, Mrs. F. A. Dales, Mrs. Robt. Miller, Mrs. F. Marshall, Mrs. Jas. Mjston, Mrs. F. W. Silvester, Mrs. Blake Sanders, Mrs. W. Shankel, and Mrs. L. E. Todd.

A meeting of the U.F.O. membership will be held in the Municipal Hall, Stouffville, on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 4th, at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of electing delegates to annual convention and other business. All those who shipped turnips prior to Nov. 1st will receive deferred payment at this meeting. A full attendance is desired.

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A big surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Turner, 10th concession, Markham, on Friday evening of last week, when a crowd of young people from Stouffville assembled so unexpectedly to do honor and show good-will towards their friend, Miss Olive Turner, who is leaving home to enter the Coronada Hospital, Toronto, in training, as a nurse. Miss Turner, who was a pupil of our third form in the Construction School, has many friends in town who were delighted to participate in the social event. During the enjoyment of the evening Miss Vera Tarr read an appropriate address and Miss Jessie Walls made the presentation of an umbrella and purse to Miss Turner on behalf of all present. Olive made fitting and impressive reply in which she expressed delight for the kindness extended to her, and regret for the circumstances which will sever her from school days and school chums. She expects to leave this week to take up training for her chosen profession.

A very kind way in which to remember his aged father was shown on Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Yake, accompanied by their daughter, Emma and her husband, Mack Greighton arrived at the parental home here, from Toronto, with their car laden with good things. They brought with them a full course dinner, hot goose, with all its accompaniment, and a birthday cake with 84 candles which decorated the centre of the table, in honor of their father's birthday. Mr. Abram Yake had just reached his 84th year and he was showered with congratulations from children and grandchildren, as well as friends. Sunday was one of the happiest days on the calendar for Mr. and Mrs. Yake because of the thoughtfulness of his children and grandchildren. It is such expressions of love as these that make the aged say, as Brownie said: "The best is yet to be. The last of life, for which the first was made."

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The Junior Institute will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Meeda Cleaver, on Thursday, Dec. 9th, at 2:30 p.m. Topic: "Influence of Character." Members will kindly answer the roll call by a proverb.

Wednesday was not too favorable a day for the provincial election. A strong cold wind blew most of the time, but still it was not fierce enough to retard an anxious elector. Mr. Zahis called in town during the morning, and by noon about a third of the vote was polled. As we go to press the polls are still open, remaining so until 7 p.m.

While driving home from Toronto a couple of nights ago Mr. Ernie Stouffer saw a young deer leap across in front of his car just as he passed over the overhead bridge at the outskirts of the city. The insinuation that it was the reflection in the windshield of a "deer" which sat by his side is without foundation, as Ernie was in company with his father, Mr. Noah Stouffer.

The local U.F.O. shipped three car loads of turnips from Stouffville station last week, to points in the U.S.A. Mr. Frank Sangster, the secretary, reports that up to Nov. 1st sixteen carloads had been shipped and the net price to the farmers is 28c. per bushel. We understand that a meeting is to be held this week when cheques will be distributed for all consignments sold prior to Nov. 1st.

An enthusiastic and well attended meeting was held in Ratcliff's Hall on Sunday evening in the interests of the O.T.A., and again on Monday evening a similar meeting was held under auspices of the young people when the hall was jammed to overflowing, and some were turned away. Mr. Harry Klinck acted as chairman in an able manner. Addresses were given or read by Eric Collard, Helen Rowbotham, Wm. Paisley, Edgar Walls of Richmond Hill, who was also the leader of song, Wm. Miller of Peaches, Miss Stinson of Almira, and Allan Ferry of Knox College, who is the originator of the young people's movement in the campaign; also Mr. J. Patterson of Knox. Miss Nellie Lewis gave an illustrated talk on the abuses of alcohol. Miss Eva Hoover officiated at the piano, and the meeting was full of pep and go for fully three hours. When the hat was passed for a collection to defray expenses, upwards of \$40 was raised.

On Monday, Mr. Harry Sifton, the Liberal candidate in the recent Dominion election was in town, when the Tribune had an opportunity to make some enquiries from him as to the situation in connection with the postmastership here. During the past few days, it had been rumored that the appointment was decided on, but Mr. Sifton states this is not the case. He said he had been most anxious to secure the position for Miss Duncan, who is on the post office staff, but he realizes now that he cannot hope to have this sanctioned by the Commission, because the statutes, emphatically state that a returned soldier must get first choice. Since this point is decided on, Mr. Sifton has recommended the appointment of Mr. Ormsby Lehman, a returned man, (whose application has gone in), but so far as he is aware, the position had not been filled up to the present time. It was Mr. Sifton's opinion that the Commission might arrive at a decision any moment.

A representative from the Civil Service Department at Ottawa was also here on Monday in connection with the postmastership. He called on several of the applicants, and is reported to have stated that a returned soldier would receive the appointment, and among them record of service would count. Mr. Syd. Schmidt, proprietor of the Auditorium theatre show, would rank first place under these circumstances, as he is a veteran of two wars, and holds several service medals. Mr. Schmidt was interviewed by the government man, who also called on Mr. Lehman, and enquired for Mr. K. Ross Davis, who was out of town. Mr. Sifton introduced him to some of the "civilian" applicants.

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The Maple Valley (near Orangeville) Presbyterian Church, which was declared a United Church, has now returned to the Continuing Presbyterian. There was a dispute over the original vote and a new vote was taken by the Commission, terminating on Sunday last, the congregation deciding to continue in the Presbyterian connection, the vote being 40 for union and 41 against.

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