

TOWN TOPICS

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Ryan of Shirley, spent Christmas at Mr. Robt. McKinnon's.

Miss Adams, of the Orono public school staff was spending a few days with Dr. and Mrs. D. C. Smith.

Rev. Roy Heise of Montreal, was home with his mother Mrs. Samuel Heise, Clark Street, over Christmas.

David Clark, retired undertaker of Orillia, died last week. He was a native of Uxbridge, being born in Scott Township.

New Years Day passed off in the village much like any ordinary Sunday. It was very quiet, and while not cold, the weather was extremely blustery, making it unpleasant for motoring. Many country roads are impassable for motors.

Constable Alf. Pugh has received his supply of revolver and pistol licenses for the district, and will issue them free of charge. It is compulsory under the law (Section 121A, Criminal Code) for every one coming into possession of a pistol or revolver to at once register same. This is not a permit to carry the shooting apparatus, but merely a license to own same. \$50 to one month imprisonment is the penalty for non-compliance.

Stanley Theatre STOUFFVILLE All-Talkie

FRIDAY & SATURDAY
JANUARY 4 and 5

Two Features
"Hips Hips Hooray"
Wheeler and Woolsey

A Good Western
"THE SCARLET RIVER"
Tom Keene

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
JANUARY 11 and 12

"Shoot the Works"
Jack Oakie Ben Bernie
Allison Skipworth

Short Subjects Comedy

Next Monday is election day in the Townships, but in Stouffville all officials were accorded an acclamation.

Next Monday, January 7th, Mr. George Bowers will chalk up another year to his age. It will be his 30th birthday. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rennie and the Babe also Miss Jean Rennie and Mrs. L. C. Parkinson, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. James Rennie.

You may knuckle down to 100 days of steady living, for there is not another legal holiday until Good Friday which comes on April 19th, and which will be the 109th day of the year 1935.

The W.M.S. of the United Church will hold their regular meeting in the school room, on Thursday afternoon, at 2.45 o'clock. Note the hour, and try to be on hand. Secretaries of all branch departments are requested to present their annual reports.

Although it was Christmas our citizen Mr. James Mowat was forced to bed, nursing a few bruises received from a fall in the kitchen of his home. The weight of 80 years, plus a few bruises are not sufficient to lay this citizen aside, and we're glad to say his recovery has been rapid.

Max Alexander of Uxbridge, son of the Uxbridge dry goods merchant, is appointed issuer of motor car licenses. A similar appointment is said to be contemplated at Markham or Unionville, while the effort to have an appointment in Stouffville failed. It is not the policy of the government to have issuers in every municipality, but rather fewer issuers will be appointed at central places.

Renewing his subscription for his brother-in-law, Mr. Benjamin Palmer who lives in Vancouver, we are informed by Mr. Rolph Jones of Altona that Mr. Palmer who is 84 years of age has become blind, and is otherwise in a very weakened condition. Half a century ago Mr. Palmer farmed at Altona, and after leaving this locality he located on Manitoulin Island from which place he went to the coast. Mr. Palmer and his wife who is nearing the eighty mark, are remembered by our older citizens although it is perhaps 25 years or more since he last visited the old home section.

Stanley Theatre Stouffville—Mid-week programs, Tuesday and Wednesday, withdrawn for the months of January and February owing to severe weather and bad roads.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Liberal Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Alfred Hoover, on Tuesday evening, January 8. Will all the members try to attend, when all ladies will be made welcome.

Miss Elvera Warden, of Toronto, daughter of Mrs. Warden and the late Rev. Warden, former pastor of the local Mennonite Church, spent New Years at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Stover.

The monthly meeting of the Junior Institute will be held on Wednesday afternoon, at the usual hour at the home of Mrs. Everton Smith. Mrs. Good will be present and give a health talk, and a social half hour is being arranged. All welcome.

Mrs. Forester of Toronto was in town Monday to see her brother-in-law John Atkinson, who is seriously ill at his home on Main street west. Gangrene has set in his one foot, but our \$4 year old citizen is as cheerful as a school boy, during those periods he is relieved from pain.

Life-long acquaintances in Stouffville will be interested to know that Dr. L. J. and Mrs. Burkholder of Chicago happily celebrated their golden wedding anniversary (50 years) on December 20. This epoch in the lives of Dr. and Mrs. Burkholder was observed in fitting manner at their home 7332 Constance Ave, surrounded by their three children and their families. The two sons are Dr. Charles and Fred Burkholder, and their only daughter is Mrs. Humphrey. We pass on to Dr. Burkholder and his wife who is a sister of Mrs. H. W. Sanders of Stouffville, the best wishes of their numerous friends here, for many years of continued health and happiness.

Mrs. Ida Maud Lundy, wife of Wesley Lundy, 96 Winnet Avenue, Toronto, died there at age of 53 years on Thursday, December 27, 1934. She came to Stouffville with her parents when a child, being a daughter of the late Samuel Keffer minister of the Church of Christ, Disciples, when the old church stood on the tenth at the extreme east of the village. Local residents recall Mr. Keffer as minister of this charge 40 years ago. Besides her husband there is one daughter Florence, at home, also three sons Frank, Clifford and Verne, all of Toronto. A brother Lemuel Keffer of Hamilton who attended school here survives. The deceased was a niece of our Messrs. Abram, John, and Jacob Yake.

The Honsberger-Barkey marriage solemnized in the Mennonite Church, Stouffville, last week as reported elsewhere in this issue, is said to be the first function of this kind, to be performed in this edifice which was erected in 1903 (thirty-one years ago). Not that this ancient ceremony is frowned on as a church affair. Quite the contrary, as we learn from Pastor Cressman, who intimated to The Tribune that it is his own opinion that the church building is quite the proper place for weddings. Besides the ceremony itself being sacred, friends and well-wishes can better be accommodated in the church than in private homes, were suggestions of Mr. Cressman. Perhaps now that this young couple have started something new, there may be more to follow, and why not a regular epidemic?

The blizzard which struck Stouffville Wednesday last week, was perhaps the worst storm here in years. It became quite dark in the middle of the afternoon, and visibility was so bad that one motorist from Aurora who left for his home about 3.30 travelling to Markham and across to Yonge street failed to reach his town until seven in the evening. He witnessed three accidents to other cars on the way. Mr. F. L. Button, K.C., and his son Reg, had an unpleasant experience, having been caught in the storm at Claremont. After attempting to make Stouffville by the usual roads travelling west, they were forced to obtain the assistance of a farmer and his son to enable them to get back to Claremont. About four o'clock they attempted to travel south to the highway, but encountered such a terrible blizzard they were forced to abandon their car, and seek the shelter of a farm house where they remained for the night. Both men were completely exhausted when they obtained shelter and could not have gone much farther on foot so penetrating and blinding was the storm. Mr. Button lost his hat plunging through the farmer's lane to reach the house, and his cheeks were touched by the frost. To make matters worse in town, the hydro lights failed in both the east and west end of the village, and after a desperate effort on the part of the electrician, N. W. Byer, assisted by the Markham linemen, they had to abandon the effort to locate the trouble, which was found next morning. Something had gone wrong with a transformer at R. E. Brown's corner.

NOTICE
Owing to uncertain road conditions during the winter season I will be making only one trip a month to my Stouffville office, during the months of January, February and March. Any repairs to glasses will be promptly done and returned if mailed direct to me at Picton, Ont., or left with my mother next door to my Stouffville Office.
E. A. Grubin, Optometrist

Mrs. Thos. Smales, corner of Main and Baker Avenue celebrated her 84th birthday on Saturday, enjoying very good health for her wonderful age. Mrs. Smales and her late husband spent most of their active married life at Mongolla. Their family consists of two sons David of Stouffville who is employed at Stiver Bros. elevator, and Albert in Toronto, employed as a box maker. The latter with his wife and son spent Christmas day at home with his aged mother.

The boys of the Town Bible Class are holding a big Irish Carnival in the Stouffville Arena on the evening of Wednesday, January 16. You are invited to meet your friends there, as well as Maggie and Jiggs, Dinty Moore, Happy Hooligan and the Gas House Gang. There will also be racing, corn beef and cabbage contest, with good cash prizes for costumes. An effort is being made to have King Clancy, outstanding player of the Toronto Maple Leafs present. Watch for bills when all other details will be revealed to you.

The opening game of the Bush League on Thursday, January 3rd, is between Mount Albert and Stouffville. The puck will be faced at 7:45. For every 15 minutes delay starting the game, the team responsible will forfeit a goal. This will ensure the fans not having to stand around as in former years waiting unduly for the start. All games will be played in Stouffville Arena.

It is definitely decided by Mr. Delbert Holden that he will give away a new Ford V8 Tudor to one of his 1934 customers holding the lucky ticket, on the night of Tuesday, January 22. Mr. Holden who has given a car free to one of his customers for the past two years, always on the first day of the year, is delaying the draw for 1934 until the 22nd in order that the fortunate receiver of the gift may be announced at the Junior O.H.A. hockey Match between Markham and Stouffville that evening. The added interest of the draw will stimulate the attendance and help the hockey boys financially, through admissions to the game.

From time to time we have made reference in this column to the need of a well organized Business Men's Association such as once functioned in this village. On more than one occasion, recently the absence of such an organization, meant bad management of public affairs concerning mercantile and other business. For instance, during Christmas week the stores remained open every evening, but the fact was never advertised and consequently many people did not know of the longer hours accorded them. Result, the merchant was the loser. Such an association as we require here would also have been able to handle the children's Christmas tree, and prevent it from being such a rank failure and dire disappointment to the hundred or two children who gathered at the clock tower in the hope of meeting Santa Claus there Christmas eve. Various of our merchants have expressed their regret to us that the affair was not properly managed, and we believe every merchant would willingly give a few cents to defray the cost. The failure of the tree was purely lack of organization. It is up to the merchants to get together and form an association that will be alive to their own interests. Instead of the village being very quiet Christmas eve at 7 o'clock, there might easily have been a thousand people on the street if a Christmas tree and programme had been carried out properly.



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