

TOWN TOPICS

Mr. Magnus Mowat and son Billie spent the New Year with his parents here.

Rev. E. Morton and Rev. W. E. Smalley are exchanging pulpits next Sunday between their charges at Ringwood and 6th Line Baptist Church. This sort of fellowship should be good for preacher and congregation.

Mr. Arthur Greer, baritone soloist, and choir leader of the Toronto Bible College Choir, also assistant evangelistic leader will sing and preach at the Sunday evening service in the Stouffville Congregational-Christian Church.

Congratulations to our west end citizen Mr. George Bowers who on Tuesday reached his 81st birthday. While not so active as he once was, Mr. Bowers is keen of mind and intellect, and gets down town occasionally for we saw him navigating the slippery walks last Saturday, and he was doing it all right.

Mrs. Thos. Smales has just celebrated her 85th birthday. Nearly all her life was spent in the Mongolia district, but of recent years she has lived in town with her son David. Mrs. Smales, while not in the best of health is very bright for her years. She was always a busy, industrious woman.

The widow of Rev. Herman Moore, pastor of Stouffville Methodist Church 27 years ago, died on January 2 at her late home in Toronto. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Charles Eagle, of Weston, and Miss Adelle Moore at home, also by three sons, John R., of Winnipeg; Herman H. of Timmins, and Walter E. of Estevan, Sask. Mrs. Moore had lived at 16 Fulton Ave, where her husband died in 1934. Many Stouffville friends recall his pastorate here just over a quarter century ago. He was born in England and entered the ministry in 1874, being a member of the Toronto conference 20 years.

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Rev. Herbert and Mrs. Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Forsyth spent New Year's Day at the home of the former's son, Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Lee, of Toronto.

The Stouffville Public Library Board will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday afternoon, January 9th, 1936, at 4.30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present at this the first meeting of the new year.

Mr. W. A. Brodie, brother of our C. J. Brodie of Ringwood, was taken seriously ill at his home in Toronto, on Monday. Mr. Brodie was removed to the Western Hospital where he was found to be suffering from a heart condition. An old resident of Whitechurch, having lived as a lad on the old farm south of Bethesda, his many acquaintances here will anxiously await his recovery.

Miss Gertrude Eckardt and Mr. Edwin Dixon, of Unionville, Mrs. O. Beatty of Richmond Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slack and Mr. John Proctor of Glasgow, Mr. Wes. Proctor of Elm Grove, Miss Bessie Veilley, of Victoria Square, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Slack of Stouffville, Miss Petch of Milliken, and Miss Mabel and Elsie Eckardt spent New Years at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Slack, Altona.

The village of Stouffville spent slightly over \$800 on charity during 1935 on which they were reimbursed by the Ontario government to the extent of two-thirds of this amount. It is stated here and there about town that this money went into the coffers of practically one or two merchants, whereas it was distributed fairly among the merchants. Knowing how easy a falsehood can travel, we stem this one at this time. The policy of clamping down on all information about relief is probably due to suspicion being engendered that everything is not, as it were, on the level. The municipal council have nothing to hide about their relief transactions, and we believe are not adverse about showing up where the \$800 went to. The Department of Welfare forbids, however, the publication of names of those on relief, and while numerous people have taken this paper to task for not disclosing who obtains the relief in not only Stouffville but the adjacent townships, we cannot publish the list of beneficiaries for the reason given. The public, however, are entitled to know where the relief money is spent among the business places.

The short courses in agriculture and household science being conducted in Stouffville, and which started on Tuesday morning, has attracted about 100 students. The girls courses are being held in the Presbyterian church basement while the young men are using the municipal hall upstairs. Both places are fairly well suited to the work. These classes are a great advantage to the district, where young men and women get a deeper, inside knowledge of various phases of farm and home work as outlined on the printed programs. District Representative of Agriculture, R. E. White of Newmarket expressed himself as highly satisfied with the manner in which the classes have filled in Stouffville, and with the co-operation of the various institutes in the district. Miss G. Annis of Scarborough, is the instructress in Home Economics and Mrs. A. E. Wright of Odessa conducts the class in Health Education and care of the sick. Mr. White will be assisted in the men's subjects by Mr. R. E. Goodin, of Kemptville, a qualified teacher and other instructors to follow. Next week there will be a specialist to speak on weed control and crop improvement. On Tuesday there is a schedule trip to Toronto for both classes. An invitation is given to farmers on day's when special speakers are present who are not attending the regular classes.

Lost—Truck Tire Chain, in Uxbridge Twp. Schell's Meat Market.

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At a recent meeting of the Sunday School Board of the United Church Rev. Robert Young was appointed superintendent of the school. Miss Myrtle Watson was re-elected secretary for a further term—The school has an enrolment of over 200 scholars.

The regular meeting of the Sr. Women's Institute will be on Thursday evening, January 16 (note the change.) The gathering will be at the home of Mrs. George Lee, Main street. There will be a kitchen apron shower parade with prizes. Demonstration on cookies. All members please attend. Visitors welcome.

Renewing his subscription to The Tribune, Mr. Sylvanus Baker on Tuesday stated that he had lived on his present farm west of Baker Hill church for 76 years. In fact he was born there as was his father, the late Jonathan Baker. Sylvanus is slowly recovering from a very serious illness, and although physically weakened he is his old self in other ways.

Don't miss hearing Mrs. R. K. Williams, pipe organist, and Mr. R. K. Williams, trombonist and baritone soloist, on Monday evening, January 13th, in the United Church, at 8 o'clock. They are assisting in the programme to be given by Rev. R. D. Ridout, F.R.G.S. in his illustrated travelogue, on Africa given under the auspices of the Young People's Organization of the Church and the Stouffville Women's Study Club. Silver collection taken during the evening.

Mrs. A. S. Collins who went to Toronto at Christmas to visit her sons, is lying ill at the home of her one son P. A. Jerman, Evelyn Ave., where she was taken down with a heavy cold and gripe. To be smitten in this manner is a regrettable thing at any time, but to fall ill at the home of ones loved ones rather eases the fall, we think. Mrs. Collins, latest reports say, is progressing nicely and will be home shortly. In the meantime "A.S." is conducting bachelor's hall to his own satisfaction.

Ever since Adam and Eve guessed wrongly in the Garden of Eden when they believed it didn't matter to disobey the Almighty, men have at times been making bad guesses. The former town cop Alf Pugh ran foul of one last week. It was this way. He got into conversation with Edward Wallis his neighbor. Alf said the outcome of nomination meeting in Stouffville was a surprise in that Harold A. Sanders had been made reeve to succeed his father H.W. Sanders. "Your wrong" said Ed. "Harry W. Sanders is still in office, for they gave him an acclamation." "Guess I know what I'm talking about," continued the former cop, and proved his sincerity by betting a dollar that the younger Sanders was now Reeve. The scene shifted to the home of ye editor who was at the moment carving the new year's goose. We listened to the story that H. A. Sanders' photograph had been in the Star the previous evening, and Mr. Pugh considered this sufficient proof. It was explained that the Star made a big blunder when they published that photograph of the son instead of one of the father, and if they wish to do the right thing they can now reimburse Alf. Pugh to the extent of one dollar.

At the January meeting of the W.M.S. of the United Church, which was held last Thursday afternoon, most gratifying reports from the various departments of the work were given. At this meeting the election of officers for the year 1936 took place.

Hon. Prests.—Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Hodgson.
President—Mrs. Holden
1st Vice—Mrs. Laidlaw
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Mrs. Tarr, Mrs. Watson
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Missionary Monthly Sec'y:
Mrs. Murlison, Miss C. Lehman,
Mrs. Wilson
Stranger's Sec'y:
Mrs. B. Sanders, Mrs. Thomas
Missionary Monthly Review:
Mrs. A.V. Nolan, Mrs. Kellington
Circle—Mrs. Harold Sanders
Planists—Mrs. B. Sanders, Mrs. J. Gayman.
Mrs. D. Holden was appointed delegate to the Toronto East Presbyterial Meeting to be held in Toronto, on February 4th.

This is Leap Year. Girls will be asking their young man to turn to their bible and read Ruth 1:16.

Read the grocery snaps in Ratcliff's & Co's corner of this paper—and attend their big pre-inventory sale.

Mr. Geoffrey Silvester of Calary, was in town visiting his cousin Mrs. A. S. Leaney.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Liberal Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Borinsky on Tuesday evening, January 14 at 8 o'clock. An interesting guest speaker is expected, and a large attendance of members and friends is hoped for.

Mrs. Noah Baker who has been very ill at her home in town is anxious to communicate her thankfulness to the neighbors, friends, Women's Institutes and the Order Eastern Star for their kindly words of sympathy, fruit and flowers. All these acts of kindness were appreciated by Mrs. Baker whose condition is still rather poor.

Rev. Bruce Hisey, pastor of Willowdale Baptist Church, is down with an attack of pneumonia, at the home of his mother, Mrs. Sam Hisey, Clark street. While his condition is said to be favorable Mr. Hisey has been very ill. His resistance to pneumonia is low as he is only recovering from a case of scarlet fever.

Ed. Murphy of the 6th concession of Whitechurch who shot a female wolf on his farm a week ago has collected the \$15 head bounty from the Ontario government. The animal was taken to Toronto where the Department authorities examined it, and declared it a yearling of the brush wolf type. As the animal is unquestionably a native of the township, how about a wolf hunt in an effort to locate the remainder of the family, including papa and mama wolf

One of the outstanding screen pictures of the day is "Little Men," by Louisa M. Alcotts, which the management of the Stouffville Stanley are happy to announce they have secured showing on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday next week, January 13, 14, 15. This showing should draw capacity houses as it has done at the larger centres. The Stanley has another good one booked in "Judge Priest" starring Will Rogers. The date of its coming will be announced later. In the meantime do not miss "Little Men."

Africa, the continent before the eyes of the world to-day. You will have an opportunity of seeing wonderful coloured pictures of this country if you hear Rev. D. G. Ridout, F.R.G.S., in the United Church on Monday evening, January 13th, at 8 o'clock. Mrs. R. K. Williams, pipe organist will also contribute toward the splendid programme of this evening which is being provided by the co-operation of the Stouffville Women's Study Club, and the Young People's of the church. Come and bring your friends. Silver collection will be taken during the evening.

"The merchants of town need an organization through which they could speak as a single voice," says The Newmarket Era. This applies to Stouffville as well as Newmarket. Continuing the Era says:—It is in the interests of everybody living in or near the town that the merchants should prosper. Prosperous merchants mean better and more attractive stores, wider ranges of goods, better values. As a group the merchants can better support and organize activities which will bring more shoppers to town. They can organize all fairs, bargain days, Christmas markets, old home weeks, offer prizes for the most attractively decorated Christmas windows, discuss municipal business, arrange closing hours and generally consider ways and means of attracting more business to town. Who will take the lead?

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Although only two votes short of getting a seat in the Markham Township Council at Monday's election, Mr. Fred Coakwell stated to The Tribune that he would not ask for a recount. "I think I'll stand by the decision as announced by the deputy returning officers even though it is so close," said Mr. Coakwell

"RUSSIA AS I FOUND IT"

On Wednesday evening, January 15, there will be a meeting in Ratcliff's Hall, which should be of interest to those who may be perplexed regarding the Russian situation. The speaker, Mr. J. F. White, comes armed with first-hand knowledge and the mind of a student. His presentation is said to be pleasing, sincere and convincing. It is only on rare occasions that our citizenry has the opportunity of examining the great Russian experiment in the full light of an array of facts such as Mr. White may be able to contribute.

Mr. White's scholarship is attested by the fact that he is a past president of the league for social reconstruction and former editor of The Canadian Forum.

All are invited. Mark the date.

CHURCHILL

The Jubilee Branch of the W. I. will hold their monthly meeting on January 14, at the home of Mrs. O. Beach. Good programme provided. Current events to be given by Barbara Pegg. Roll Call — A New Years Resolution.

LINCOLNVILLE

An error crept into the Lincolnville news last week when it wrongly referred to Mr. Hare. The item was intended to congratulate Mrs. Benj. Hare on her advanced age in such good health. Mrs. Hare is an old resident of this locality and highly respected. Her husband died a number of years ago, and we are all glad that Mrs. Hare is long spared to be among us. Last week's correspondent intended to say this, but an error in the printing office mistook the Mrs. for Mr., a simple mistake, but Mrs. Hare will forgive us.

BLOOMINGTON

Congratulations to our Reeve on his victory.

Misses Eva and Ruth Ramer of Toronto were home for New Years. Miss Marjorie French of Toronto, was the guest of Miss Ruth Story over the weekend.

Misses Luella, Annie and Mary Paisley spent several days last week at Orillia.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith of Toronto, spent New Years at the home of A. H. Smith.

Misses Edna and Alma Hill of Aurora spent New Years at the home of Watson Fairles.

William Smith of Markham spent part of the holidays with his grandmother Mrs. H. Smith.

Mr. Lou Tindall and Carson spent New Years in Stouffville with his brother. The deep sympathy of this district goes out to Morgan Baker, M.P.P. and his family of five at this time in their irreparable loss of their greatest earthly-loved one. No words of ours could convey our sorrow to the Bakers that would adequately express our thoughts.

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"Oh, but Aunt," protested Jean. "I couldn't do that." Why, when ye walk oop the stairs 'O'Heaven wi' Uncle John a' the folks will stare at ye."

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