

Local and Personal Happenings



MAY THE MUSICAL BELLS OF CHRISTMAS RESOUND WITH PEALS OF JOY AND HAPPINESS FOR YOU AND YOURS THIS HOLIDAY SEASON AND THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE NEW YEAR.

STIVER BROS.

DONATIONS FOR HORSE SHOW

\$15—Markham Twp. Council.
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 \$7—Doug. and Ted Neville.
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 \$4—W. C. Brillinger, Gar Lehman, Norm Farr.

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Rev. and Mrs. Gibson Brown are expecting her parents for Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Goldworthy of Lachute, Quebec.

You've Still a Chance
 If you omitted to have a Christmas Greetings announcement in this issue, merchants will find they can extend New Year Greetings in the next issue which will be in the mails on Tuesday, Dec. 30.

Phyllis Wells of Lemonville who is employed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mathewson, O'Brien Ave., was forced to return to her home last week when she suffered a severe attack of appendicitis.

Not a Candidate
 The reeve of Stouffville was mentioned last week in several of the newspapers in Toronto and York County as a possible contender for one of the two commissionerships (next position to warden) in York County, to be named when the County Council meets in January. This is incorrect, as the local reeve is not a candidate for this high office, and never authorized anyone to place his name on the list as a likely contender for the position.

Jim Porter Gets a Managership
 Mr. James Porter, who has been on the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Stouffville, for ten years, is being transferred to Newcastle and will be promoted to manager of the busy Durham county village in the Bowmanville district. Mr. and Mrs. Porter and Master Bobbie enjoy a wide and warm friendship in Stouffville, where Mr. Porter has served on the public library board for several years, and is a member at this time. He is also treasurer of the Stouffville Lions Club. There will be no addition made to the local staff when Mr. Porter leaves to take over his new position.

Brillinger.
 1.50—Marie Jacki
 1.00—Jno. Scott, Bert Hamilton, Jake Hoover, P.G. Tarr, Geo. Baker, C. M. Atkinson, Robt. Snowball, Harold Forsyth, Phil Hamilton, J. L. Smith, Percy Brillinger, Frank Rae, N. Claughton, Wm. Harding, Ralph Boyd.

The Horse Committee want to thank all donators who helped make the horse show a success. We wish to especially thank W. D. Atkinson who so kindly gave us his barn to stable the horses which made him days of work to make it ready for use, and provided lunch and coffee for the exhibitors which was much appreciated.

WEDDINGS

BOCKNER—KLINCK
 On Saturday, Dec. 20th, in Pittsburg, Penn., Phyllis Isobel, daughter of H. O. Klinck, Stouffville, was married to Mr. Lewis Bockner, son of Mrs. Edwin Gould, Toronto. The happy couple will spend the holiday season at their respective homes after which they will reside in Pittsburg where the groom is completing his M.A. at the College of Social Studies.

Married at the Manse
 A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Rev. Gibson Brown on Friday, Dec. 19th, when Ethel Irene, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams, became the bride of Mr. Isaac James Smith, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Smith. The attendants were Miss Betty Williams and Mr. Leonard Black. The happy couple left amid showers of confetti for a trip to Toronto, Niagara and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Reaman had dinner on Thursday with Rev. and Mrs. S. Goudie.

Rev. and Mrs. H. S. Hallman and family will spend Christmas at their old home in Hanover.

The Stanley Theatre was jammed on Saturday morning for the annual free Christmas show for the kiddies. Special films were brought out for the occasion.

Miss Belle Mitchell is leaving for California where she intends to spend the winter. On her return home Miss Mitchell intends to travel by way of Vancouver where she will visit relatives and friends in Western Canada.

Mr. Hector Pollard, former business man (jeweller) of Stouffville was in town last week. Mr. Pollard, since the death of his wife, has been living in Toronto, he having sold his Fenelon Falls business, it will be recalled.

If you expect visitors or are going away for the holidays, this column would be pleased to record the fact. It makes interesting reading for friends both at home and abroad. Telephone 15301 or drop the item in at The Tribune office.

A few friends and neighbours gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baker, Mill St., on Thursday evening to tender a miscellaneous shower to the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ramer. The previous night a shower was held at the home of Ora Ramer, Markham, for the young couple.

Fluorescent lighting has been installed in the reading room at the public library, which makes a remarkable improvement over the old lights, which were bad at their best. The library board's efforts in improving the premises should be appreciated by all who make use of the building.

Dr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson of Shelbourne were in town for a short time on Saturday. This former Stouffville old boy is head of the county health unit in the northern district, and gives a good report on the excellent work being accomplished. This health unit is similar to that which has been proposed for the northern municipalities of York County.

When Floors Took a Beating

The request for calcium and sand on Main street last Thursday certainly brought a lot of grief to the merchants and home-owners near the business section, when the stuff tracked into the buildings and played havoc with the floors. Something should be done in future to find a safe place for the horse show without causing this annual trouble. County officials are not to blame, as they were asked to sand the road heavily, to make the going safe for the show horses. However, we believe the merchants feel that it was hardly worth the trouble it brought to them later, and so it is hoped that sanding through, the business section will be done sparingly in future, not only at Christmas, but all the time. Contrary to general belief, sanding it just a courtesy measure, and not a compulsory job. Sanding of sidewalks, a court action revealed last week, might be compulsory, but sanding of highways, was not, declared a city magistrate last week. We certainly appreciate the sanding of highways, especially on the hills, but in a business area, like Stouffville, the appreciation is doubtful.

Christmas day had an extra meaning for Jos. Murray, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Murray, Main street, since it was his 22nd birthday. Friends and relatives can double up on Joe's presents.

Mrs. G.R.W. Thomas will enjoy the Christmas holiday in Toronto with her three sons, Alfred, Hugh and James, and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Murphy and family will spend the Christmas holiday week with Mrs. Murphy's brother, R. H. Plato, Comber, near Windsor, Ont.

Mr. Frank Burkholder has been appointed to the Markham School Board, replacing Mac Reesor who has served for nine years. Mr. Burkholder is the former reeve of Markham and an old Stouffville boy. In county council he took active interest in school affairs.

The C.N.R. announces that the buffet car which has been a part of the regular evening train from Toronto, is being discontinued. Reason given is the shortage of these cars makes it necessary that they be kept for only the most heavily travelled lines.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Clark and son are enjoying the holiday in Toronto with Mrs. Clark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Mee.

The Businessmen's Association announce that stores will remain closed on Jan. 2nd, the day following New Years, similar to the shutdown this week, when the business places will remain closed from Wednesday evening until Saturday morning.

Local stores are still well stocked with Christmas goods, and the late shoppers will find plenty of choice. Don't forget to stock up with supplies that will last over Thursday and Friday as stores will be closed on both these days.

Most of the town churches have had their Christmas concert, all well attended, and no doubt the kiddies enjoyed them, as well as the parents and others who entered into the spirit of the yuletide season. Christmas services in the churches on Sunday also drew augmented congregations, and the pastors will no doubt wish that the extra church goers on Sunday could be induced to make it regular habit.

Many Good Wishes

To you this glad Christmas season and may it be yours to enjoy contentment and prosperity during all the years to follow.

MAPLE LEAF DAIRY

Dairy closed all day on Christmas and New Years.

Guy Rutledge Geo. Allison

Greetings!

Not just a wish for Christmas
 But a wish for each day of the year
 And never were greetings more hearty
 Or wishes more true and sincere.

A. McQUARRIE

Stouffville, Ont. Phone 6515



As we stop in the midst of the season of good cheer our hearts grow tender as we are carried back in thought to the reality of Christmas Day, and what it means. In sincerity, we greet you and wish you a delightful holiday season.

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