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ALTONA

Miss Lois Baker celebrated a birthday one evening last week.

The Christian Endeavor meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Allan Meyers on Tuesday last.

At the annual meeting of this school section Mr. Fred Lewis was elected to fill the vacancy on the school board by the retirement of Mr. Millard Reesor. The other members on the board are Messrs. Fred McNair and Stan Thompson.

Mrs. Rhoten, the school nurse, made one of her annual visits to the school one day last week.

Mr. Davis and son Mr. Willis

Davis attended the funeral of the late Mr. Merle Davis at Lansing, Michigan, last week. He was a nephew of Mr. Davis. We extend our sincere sympathy to all the relatives in the surrounding community.

The W.I. have packed and sent two boxes of used clothing and food stuffs to Greece. Two of the members have received letters from those who received parcels through the Red Cross with names attached. The letters of thanks stated anything would be acceptable. These articles of clothing were sent through the Pickering and North Clarendon branch of the Red Cross.

RINGWOOD

Mrs. Joe Fockler was a Toronto visitor on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken. Ellis and daughter Peggy, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Fockler of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Almer Fockler of Stouffville, were guests in Ringwood at a dinner party on Sunday in honour of Mrs. Martin Fockler's ninety-first birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Forson spent the weekend with friends at Victoria Square.

Mr. Orval Dewdney is enjoying a three-day holiday while participating in the bonspiel at Midland.

ALMIRA

Miss Lois Heise of Victoria Square was student teacher at our school for a week. She and Miss Johnston were entertained in the Conner home on Thursday evening for supper.

Mr. Eldon Boyn left last week by bus for Florida and intends spending some time in the sunny south.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jackson and family of Toronto visited with the Conner's one day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shank, Markham had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stickleby.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Greenfield and family of Markham were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnston.

Visitors over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Conner were: Rev. Norman Rowan and Mrs. Rowan and family, Rev. Archie Doner and Mrs. Doner, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Cober of Toronto.

Mrs. Eleanor Stewart spent Monday in Toronto.

Mrs. Peter Stickleby spent Wednesday with Mrs. Telfer Wegg of Cashel.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Roberts of Sarnia called on Mr. and Mrs. John Timbers on Monday.

PEACHES

Miss Fern Hoover spent the weekend with her sister at Beaverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright and family of Pickering were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Dupris.

Rev. Lossing and Ken. were Sunday visitors at the Smith home.

The 45th anniversary of Peaches W.M.S. was held on Tuesday afternoon at the Warriner home. Between forty and forty-five were present, including members from Bethesda and Melville W.M.S. The meeting was opened by Mrs. Heise, followed by a hymn and prayer, then Mrs. Henry Miller gave a short talk on the first members of Peaches W.M.S., naming each one. Mrs. Frank Williamson, of Stouffville is the only living member of that group. She conveyed Mrs. Williamson's regrets that she was unable to be present, but that her thoughts and prayers were with the society. The meeting was then turned over to Mrs. Burkholder of Bethesda, for the devotional period. The Melville W.M.S. supplied the music. Miss Elva Kirk introduced the guest speaker, Miss Beulah Graham of the All Peoples' United Mission in Hamilton. She told of her work among the foreign population of that city, and many interesting accounts of the good results from helping these people. A vote of thanks was given by Mrs. Chapin and the meeting closed with a hymn and prayer, after which a beautifully decorated 3 storey birthday cake was served. Miss G. Wagg and Mrs. Henry Miller poured tea.

GOODWOOD

Glad to report Mrs. Geo. Maye has returned home from the Brierbush Hospital, much improved.

Sorry to report Mr. Sam Davis is on the sick list, also Mrs. Dan Wagg.

The Goodwood hockey team was defeated by Clarendon by the score 4-2 at Uxbridge Monday night. Although the Goodwood lads seemed to have the best of the game and numerous shots on goal, they were unable to slip the puck past the goal tender. Better luck next time boys!

Mr. Reuben Middleton, G.N.R. sectionman, has started to work again after being laid up for a couple of months with a broken arm, received when a gas car jumped the rails, throwing him off.

The Athletic Club have the open rink in good shape for skating now, so get out your skates and enjoy a good clean sport.

79th ANNUAL

CONVENTION

MARKHAM TOWNSHIP

Sunday School Association

UNITED and PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES

MARKHAM

Thurs., Jan. 22

GOOD PROGRAM

Plan now to attend the Sessions for the day.

Ontario County Council

The January Session of the Ontario County Council will be held at the Council Chambers, Court House, Whitby, Ontario on Tuesday, January 20th, 1948, at 2:00 p.m.

All accounts to be presented to the Council should be forwarded to the undersigned, properly certified, at least three days before the meeting of the Council.

County Council Sessions are open to the public.

Dated at Whitby, this 7th day of January, A.D. 1948.

W.M. G. MANNING,

County Clerk,
Whitby, Ontario.

THIS KNOWLEDGE

Q.—How can I clean plaster busts and ornaments?

A.—Try dipping them into thick liquid starch. Brush off the starch when dry and the dirt will come off with it. The plaster will be as spotless and clean as when new.

Q.—How can I prevent chamois gloves from becoming hard after washing?

A.—They will not become hard if a few drops of olive oil are added to the water. The oil also helps to preserve the chamois.

Q.—How can I remove paint from porcelain or glass?

A.—By using coal oil. It is cheaper than turpentine and is effective.

Q.—How can I make a good metal polish?

A.—By using one cup of cigar ashes, mixed with two tablespoonfuls of bicarbonate of soda, bringing it to a smooth paste with water. Use on a clean cloth, rubbing vigorously.

Q.—How can I prevent drawers from sticking?

A.—They will not stick if floor wax is rubbed on the slides, and also on the drawers. Polish well, because unless rubbed in thoroughly, the wax forms a sticky coating.

KEEP JACKETS BAKE POTATOES CANUCKS URGED

Only One Housewife in Nine Found Taking Right Way to Retain Needed Vitamin "C"

The majority of Canadian housewives don't cook potatoes properly, the Department of National Health and Welfare said disapprovingly in a statement issued.

"Only one Canadian housewife in nine follows the expert's advice on how to cook potatoes to retain as many as possible of their elusive vitamins and minerals," the statement said, adding that this fact, "grimly underscored by the ban on imported fruits and vegetables, had been unearthed in studies made in the Maritimes and central Canada by departmental nutritionists.

"Take potatoes," said the statement. "The department's nutritionists found that in cooking this vegetable almost half the housewives questioned in the survey served their spuds boiled. The elusive vitamins and minerals went down the drain with the cooking water. A small percentage of this group cut the loss in food value by boiling potatoes in their jackets.

"About one-fifth of the 'boiled' group mashed their potatoes after boiling. This procedure mixes in air and is a sure fire way of destroying whatever vitamin 'C' may have escaped the boiling process.

"Only four canny lasses out of a hundred followed the best possible method of keeping all the food value in by baking their potatoes.

"Nutritionists who are good at figures—statisticians, that is—claim that about half the vitamin 'C' in a potato is lost if it is peeled, boiled and then mashed, while the loss is 20 per cent. if it is just peeled and boiled. On the other hand, potatoes baked or cooked in their jackets in a little water in a tightly covered dish will keep almost all their vitamin 'C'."

FERRRET HUNTING IS MORE POPULAR AGAIN

Brantford, Jan. 15—Ferret hunting for rabbits is making a comeback in southern Ontario, according to officials of the Department of Lands and Forests—and thus a sport which has been popular in England and European countries for many years is being perpetuated here.

Usually, three men make up a ferreting party. At one time, they caught the rabbits by hand as the bloodthirsty little ferrets drove them out of their holes, but now the law says the rabbit must have a chance to run. Once he gets under way, the hunter has a chance to get him with a shotgun and that is no easy task, either.

The ferret, hunters say, has a faint musk smell and as soon as he enters the rabbit warren, bunny smells him coming and leaves with a rush. Sometimes the ferret finds him asleep in the hole and kills him there, and then the hunter has to dig out his prized animal. The ferrets require careful and gentle handling, for they are vicious little beasts and don't think twice about nipping their handler if he gets too rough.

Not all rabbit hunters own ferrets, because of the care necessary to keep them. As a general rule, there is one ferret to a party with the hunters who get the benefit of it chipping in to pay for it in the first place and the hunter who handles it paying for its keep.

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The Church Services

STOUFFVILLE UNITED MISSIONARY CHURCH

Rev. H. S. Hallman, Pastor
Fri. 8 p.m., Prayer meeting.
Sunday, January 18, 1948
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Worship
7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic
All Are Welcome

STOUFFVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. J. K. Pequegnat, Pastor-elect
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer meeting
Sunday, January 18, 1948
10.00 a.m.—Bible School
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7.30 p.m.—Evening Service

UNITED MISSIONARY CHURCH BETHESDA

Pastor, P. R. Barley
Sunday, January 18, 1948
10.30 a.m.—Worship.
GORMLEY
Sunday, January 18, 1948
S.S. at 1.50 p.m.
3.00 p.m.—Worship.
7.30 p.m.—Young People's Service.

UNITED MISSIONARY CHURCH MOUNT JOY

Rev. S. S. Shantz, Minister
Sunday, January 18, 1948
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Worship
Rev. A. G. Doner will speak and the Male Quartette will sing.
7.30 p.m.—Young People's — A Round Table talk will be conducted by Reg. Gibbons, Charles Hoover, Winnifred Timbers, Ross Wideman, Herb. Stover.
DICKSON'S HILL
Sunday, January 18, 1948
10.00 a.m.—Worship
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School

BLOOMINGTON, RINGWOOD CHRISTIAN CHURCHES

Rev. G. W. Brown, Pastor
Sunday, January 18, 1948
11.00 a.m.—Bloomington
7.30 p.m.—Ringwood
Sunday School at 10.00 a.m.
Classes for all ages.
Friday, 8 p.m.—Bloomington C.E.
Monday, 8 p.m.—Ringwood prayer meeting.
Wednesday, 8 p.m. Altona prayer meeting.
All are cordially invited to attend these meetings.
PLAN TO COME

STOUFFVILLE UNITED CHURCH

Rev. Douglas Davis, Minister
Sunday, January 18, 1948
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
7.00 p.m.—Evening Worship.
Don't forget that this Wednesday is the night of the annual congregational meeting. You will not want to miss this interesting meeting which will be followed by lunch and friendly fellowship.
Wednesday, 4 p.m.—Explorers
Thursday, 7 p.m.—C.G.I.T.
Saturday, 10.30 a.m.—Mission Band
Next Monday the Young People meet at 8 p.m.
Our folly is in giving all our attention to providing for a probability—that we will live for several years; and neglect the certainty that the soul will live in eternity.

MELVILLE, BETHESDA AND PEACH'S CHURCHES

Rev. R. T. Chapin, Minister
Sunday, January 18, 1948
Regular Sunday School and church services at all points.
The Bethesda annual meeting on Thursday, Jan. 15 at the home of Cliff Burkholder.

The Melville Y.P. are holding a sleigh-ride party Saturday evening, Jan. 17, leaving the church at 8.15 and social evening following at the Grant home.
The Bethesda Y.P. will meet Sunday evening Jan. 18 in the church.
The Melville congregation are holding their supper and annual meeting in the church basement Wednesday, Jan. 21st.

ST. JAMES PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, STOUFFVILLE

Sunday, January 18, 1948
2.30 p.m.—Church service.
The Rev. Louis Shein, a candidate for the pastoral charge of Markham and Stouffville, will conduct service of public worship in St. James Presbyterian Church, Stouffville, on Sunday, Jan. 18.
Congregational meeting Wednesday, Jan. 21, at 1.30 p.m.

CHRIST CHURCH ANGLICAN

Rev. F. Herman, Rector
Sunday, January 18, 1948
2nd Sunday after Epiphany
2.00 p.m.—Sunday School
2.30 p.m.—Evensong
The W.A. will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Crossen, Church St., on Tuesday, Jan. 20th, at 2.30. This is the annual business meeting so we hope to have a good attendance.
"In Thee do I put my trust."—Psa. 7: 1.

SECOND MARKHAM BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Norman Rowan, Pastor
Sunday, January 18, 1948
9.55 a.m.—Sunday School
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
"Who is on the Lord's side let him come unto me."—Exodus 32:26
Tuesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer, Praise and Fellowship meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clendenning.
Friday, January 16, 8 p.m.—Young Peoples meeting in charge of Mrs. A. Hutchinson and Mrs. G. Brown.

STOUFFVILLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Minister, F. H. Muir
Sunday, January 18, 1948
"They were all with one accord in one place."
10 a.m. Sabbath School—for you and your neighbor.
11 a.m.—Morning worship. "The church in Smyrna."
7.30 p.m.—Congregational singing, special selections. Subject "Provide me a man that can play well"
Wednesday, Jan. 14, S.S. Skating party
Friday, Jan. 16, Mid-week fellowship at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loton. Bring a verse containing the word "prayer" or "pray".
Monday, Jan. 19, Young Peoples' Toboggan party, meet at Jean Hodgins, 8 p.m. Bring lunch.
Tuesday, Jan. 20, at the parsonage, 8 p.m. Ladies Missionary meeting
Tuesday, Jan. 27, Married couples, stand by, keep it clear.

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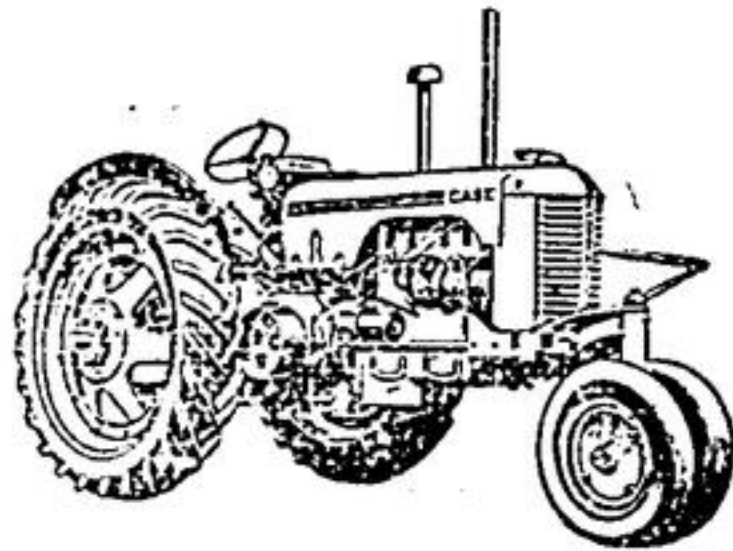
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