# APPRECIATION!

The Committee of the Stouffville Business Men's Association in charge of the annual Santa Claus Parade, wishes to extend its appreciation to the business concerns and all who participated in assisting with the parade on Saturday.

Bigger and better plans for the 1951 Christmas celebration are now in the making.

Sincere Season's Greetings are extended to the thousands of town shoppers at this time.

Stouffville Business Men's Association



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### RINGWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Drewery Monday evening supper guests with Mrs. Sambrook.

The Excelsion Class field their December meeting last Thursday afternoon at Mrs. Ed. Brownsberger's.

Anyone who failed to attend the Sunday School Rally in our church on Monday night of this week missed a real treat, when Rev. Gordon Wishart of Toronto, brought the message, assisted by the Henderson Sisters in song.

#### WELVILLE

The annual meeting of Melville W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. Alfred Smith on Tuesday, Dec. 5th. Election of officers for 1951 resulted as follows: honorary president, Mrs. Robt. Young; president, Mrs. Chapin; 1st vice president, Mrs. Wm. McKay; 2nd vice president, Mrs. Alfred Smith; constitute the executive, supply secretary, Mrs. Garnet Francey; literature secretary, Miss J. Carruthers. Following the business meeting a pleasant feature of the program was when Mrs. McKay addressed Mrs. Chapin and in a few words of appreciation to her called on Miss Bruce who present-ed their president with a life membership certificate and gold pin. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by members and friends.

#### BALSAM

AND MOUNT ZION Mr. Ralph Jones is sporting a

Monarch. Congratulations to Mrs. Geo. Wilson on being made a life member of the W.M.S. at the meeting on Thursday at the parsonage at Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Disney, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forsyth, Mr. Burnett Jamieson and Donald attended the Holstein banquet in Brooklin last Friday night.

Miss Helen Hoffman spent the weekend with friends at Trenton. Misses Jean Linton and Mae Gould of Toionto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Levi Linton. Mr. and Mrs. Neil Weir of Gormley visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. Jordan.

# ATHA NEWS

Congratulations to little Bobby Tran who celebrated his 2nd birthday on Wednesday.

her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Powell, over the weekend. concert on Thursday evening, Dec. 14th. •

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lehman and family visited in Uxbridge on Thursday of last week.

Mr. Gren Draper and Marie visited his parents on Sunday afternoon.

Stouffville on Friday evening of Mitchell, Toronto, last Sunday. last week.

Mrs. Carruthers and family visited her sister and brother-inlaw, Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Wideman recently.

Little Marie Draper will celebrate her birthday on Friday, Dec. 15th.

## GREENWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Annis of Orillia visited last week for a few days with their daughter and family, Mrs. George Blake

Master Bobby Hicks had the misfortune one day last week to break his wrists by falling from a tree while at school.

Mrs. K. Rankin and friend Mrs. Jones of Toronto were visitors in the vicinity last Sunday evening.

Mr. Cyril Wannop of Brougham has rented the E. Trimble house and is moving this week.

The Evening W.A. is holding its meeting on Wednesday night at Mrs. G. Eastwood's. Mr. Edward Pegg, is. suffering

from the chicken-pox. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Russel Hodgson on the arrival of a daughter, also to Mr. and Mrs. Allan short on the arrival of a

daughter. The Y.P.S. will meet at the home of Wm. Brown Jr. on Thursday night of this week.

The Mission Band will meet at the parsonage on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 16th.

A number from here attended the Santa Claus parade at Stouffville on Saturday afternoon.

The Afternoon Auxiliary of the W.M.S. convened at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Monkman on Dec. 7th. Owing to illness in the home the president was unable to attend. Mrs. Morden led in the Christmas service. Rev. Monkman presided over the election of officers for the coming year. This was done by nomination resulting in the official record standing as it was for another term. Mrs. Hoskins presented life membership certificates to Mrs. F. W. Gibson, Mrs. Geo. Wilson and Mrs. Andrew Pegg. The president sent a message intimating that the certificates were not to be taken as a reward for service rendered but as an incentive to future effort by the recipients.

Thirteen pieces in a "baker's dozen" originated when King Louis of France warned all bakers who gave under measure that they would be beneaded.

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## VANDORF

be held at Wesley Sunday School Scott.

on Dec. 17th at 10 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Gardhouse and family of Thistletown were

Miss Elvy Davidson, Mr. Fred McLaughlin spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dibbs.

visited Mr. and Mrs. George Craw- lovely gifts. ford, Cedar Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Syd. Aylett.

Vandorf, school concert will be Mrs. H. White, Bobby and Ruth, held Thursday evening, Dec. 21st. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Burnett

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Dunkeld returned home with them.

Henry Hamilton. Mrs. Loveless held their meeting last week at Mrs. J. Crawford, Mrs. A. Richardand family were supper guests Mr. and Mrs. H. Sleeth and With Mr. and Mrs. Fred Byer of family visited Mr. and Mrs. Behov and the company of Mitchell Transfer and Mrs. Repeats and the company and the compan Baber and the scripture was read R. Brown, Mrs. Baber; 5th con. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dalton, by Mrs. Geo. Richardson. Prayer north, Mrs. Dike, Mrs. H. Oliver; Kettleby, were Sunday visitors of was given by Mrs. W. Kingdon. A 5th con. south, Mrs. C. Dibb, Mrs. special offering was taken and is R. Morley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Playter, to be given to the Toronto Bible A special White Gift service will guests with Mr. and Mrs. Rollia ed to \$14.00. The election of officers was held for 1951 and Mr. Moddle conducted this part of the meeting. Results are as follows: honor-Miss Gillespie of Toronto visited her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Powell, over the weekend. Keep in mind Atha Christmas concert on Thursday evening, Dec. Mrs. Jack Robinson. They also lett. ary president, Mrs. Moddle; past R. Morley; assistant, Mrs. Moddle; supt. of flower committee, Mrs. H. White; visiting committee, 2nd Mr. John White, Miss Jennie Herhave bought a farm at Victoria Lundy; 3rd, con. (s), Mrs. W. Gra-Sunday and visited Rev. and Mrs. Wesley Woman's Association ham, Mrs. J. Petch; 3rd con. (n),

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