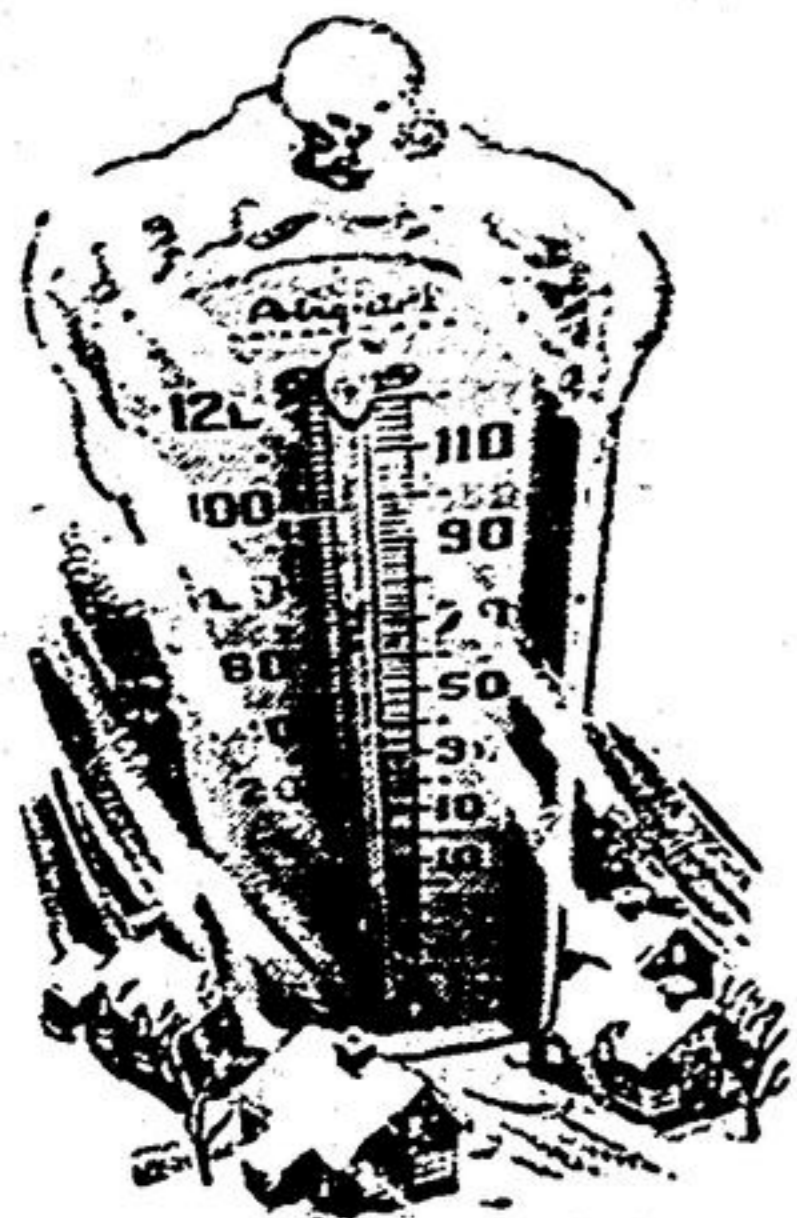


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Mrs. Brown of Uxbridge was a Sunday visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Spofford, Stouffville.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Martin and family of Goodwood have moved into the house on Church St. recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Crowder.

Stores are open all day Wednesday from now till Christmas and every evening during Christmas week.

The fine Christmas tree located in front of the Stouffville Fire Hall was donated to the town by Mr. Les Ogden of Island Lake, brother of our Reeve, Mr. Henry Ogden.

On Wednesday of last week, the Ratcliff delivery truck was in collision with the Stouffville Dept. of Works truck with damage being caused to both vehicles. The tail gate of the town truck was quite badly dented while the front section of the Ratcliff delivery van was badly damaged.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wood during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hutchison and David of Nanapanee also Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Honey of Colborne. Mr. Honey is Reeve-elect of Cramahe Township.

Any persons who leave goods on their verandahs should make sure that the Salvation Army is not making a collection in town. Last week a number of articles were loaded into a truck and whisked off to Toronto before the loss was noticed. The situation was made even more serious when it was found that the goods could not be replaced. A crokinole board, flower baskets and school books were among the articles taken in error.

Mr. Lewis Wells was the winner of the Grey Cup raffle staged by the Stouffville Lions Club.

Stouffville Stores will remain open all day Wednesday preceding New Year's Day.

CHRISTMAS SALE!
All goods in store reduced from December 11th to 20th inclusive, at Mrs. M. Watts.

On Wednesday, Dec. 3rd, the Stouffville Women's Institute held a pot-luck supper, the occasion being in honor of Mrs. Giles who is taking up residence in St. Catharines. A beautiful pen was presented to Mrs. Giles by Mrs. Fairles and Mrs. Baxter. A very entertaining program followed.

Assistant Veterinarian
Mr. Duncan Smith, a graduate of O.V.C. has taken the position of assistant veterinarian with Dr. Ronald Smith in Stouffville. Duncan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alf Smith of Cashel and is presently living in town. Dr. Smith succeeds Dr. Jack Cole who is working on the staff at the Ontario Veterinary College in Guelph.

Stouffville Girls' Softball Team, champions this year of the Markham Township League, were feted at the regular meeting of the Stouffville Lions Club on Monday evening. A toast to the club was proposed by Lion Ted Edwards and responded to by Helen Goudie, team captain. As part of the recognition given the girls, Lion Jim Thomas did a personal introduction on each player. The most valuable player award was presented on this occasion to Joan Haynes by the two coaches, Jerry Hooker and Ward Edwards. Lion President Neil Smith conducted the meeting which concluded with some U.S. baseball motion picture films as part of the entertainment for the visitors.

ANNOUNCEMENT
Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Collard will be at home to their friends on Sunday, Dec. 14th, 2.30 to 6 p.m., on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary.

Have your purchase gift wrapped free of charge at Houston's Drug Store. "Your Friendly Rexall Dealer," Stouffville.

Jack Garrett is erecting a new home on Albert Street beside that of his father, Mr. Bill Garrett.

Boxing Day, Dec. 26th, will be declared a public holiday for the merchants in town, who will reopen after Christmas on Saturday morning, Dec. 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy King and family of Lindsay recently moved into the house on Edward Street formerly occupied by Mrs. Redshaw.

Her many friends will regret to learn that Mrs. Job Scott was recently removed from the home of her father, Mr. Harvey Clendenning, to the Brierbush Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Briard left Stouffville and their home on Market St. last week for their new home in Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Crowder will occupy the house vacated by the Briard family.

A number of citizens are complaining of high hydro voltage in certain areas of town. Electric light bulbs and TV tubes are the chief victims. The matter has been drawn to the attention of the local hydro dept. and is to be investigated.

We had two callers at our office on Saturday who have been residents of Toronto for many years but have never seen that city's Santa Claus parade, but took the opportunity to drop out to Stouffville last week for Santa's annual visit here.

Mrs. Geo. Bartholomew was the lucky winner of the ladies' paid viyella sport shirt given away Santa Claus parade day by Len Wilkes Clothes Shop. The local editor was called in to draw the lucky ticket.

The members of the Junior Girls Auxiliary, Stouffville, wish to thank all those who patronized them during the Rummage Sales which they held recently. The Christmas cake was won by Mrs. E. Knapp, Toronto, the lucky number being 58. The lucky number for the doll house was 10, the winner being Mrs. W. Sanders, Stouffville. The lucky draws were made by Miss Jessie Smith, Church St.

Last Sunday hit another new high for teen age dangerous driving in Stouffville, and several miraculous escapes were registered from serious accidents. While some citizens have protested the council's move to increase police patrol in town, it would take a blind man to deny the need for more constant patrol on the Main St. thoroughfare.

New Bowling Alley to Open Soon
Everything is rolling along on schedule at the new Stouffville Bowling Alley. The carpenters and painters are all busy making ready for the grand opening about one week away. The manager, Cy Bellman, says that the first week or two will be for open bowling only with league bowling to get underway early in the New Year. A town league and an out-of-town league are in the process of being formed and any bowlers or would-be bowlers interested in joining either group should get in touch with Cy Bellman at Stouffville 290.

The Stouffville Hunt Club brought to a conclusion this season's activities on Tuesday evening at Cake's Hall, Lemonville, with a turkey dinner. All members with their wives were present but two, one being from Goshen, Indiana. After the splendid dinner all enjoyed several games which the hall supplies. Following this everyone joined in a hearty sing song led by Charles Atkinson and assisted by Mrs. Stan Nosworthy of Alliston. Appreciation is extended to Mrs. Herb Heise and Mrs. Len Brillinger for the splendid way the dinner was arranged and prepared.

Horticultural Christmas Contest

In order to stimulate interest in decorating the exteriors of the homes in Stouffville and surrounding community, for the Christmas Season the Horticultural Society is sponsoring a "Door Decoration Competition." There will be three classes as follows: (1) home entrance decorated for Christmas; (2) house door decorated for Christmas. These are for town members only. (3) door decoration for Christmas for country members only, to be exhibited at the municipal hall on Dec. 17th for judging. There will be five prizes in each class, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00 and 50c. Entries are to be sent in or telephoned to Mrs. H. O. Kilnck by Dec. 15.

Local and Personal Happenings

Take Vows at St. Luke's Anglican Church



Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas Thompson are shown following their recent marriage in St. Luke's Anglican Church, Burlington. The bride is the

former Bette Eileen Teale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Teale of Freeman, Ontario, and a sister of Mrs. Robt. Hall,

Main St. East. With the new-lwedds is Kathleen Anne Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hall, Stouffville.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Crosier of Altona have moved into their newly erected home on Market St.

You've still time to send a gift subscription of The Tribune to a friend.

Miss Ethel Goudie has returned to Stouffville after spending the past few months in Guelph.

The Child Health Clinic will be held in the Christ Church Parish Hall, Stouffville, on Friday, Dec. 12th, from 1.30 until 4 p.m.

Mrs. Kitching, Church St. resident, is presently a patient in the Brierbush Hospital friends will regret to learn.

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Mrs. Jos. H. Hoover, formerly of Rupert Ave. but now of Toronto, is spending a few days with Mrs. J. Irwin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Laidlaw of Atwood and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Kirkpatrick of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Mowat.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Reesor of Altona have moved into their home on Church St. which was formerly the home of Mrs. Shankel.

The Willing Helpers of the Presbyterian Church are holding their afternoon tea and baking sale in the basement of the church on Saturday, Dec. 13th, at 2.30 p.m.

The Christmas meeting of the Women's Association of Stouffville United Church will be held on Monday, Dec. 15th. The Christmas message will be presented by Mrs. Frank Muir. All ladies welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Giles who recently sold their house on Albert St. south are leaving this week for their new apartment at St. Catharines. Mr. Giles intends to erect a house there next year.

Next week's issue (Dec. 18) will be the final one for merchants to advertise Christmas offerings, and it will be out a full week before Christmas. You can reserve your greeting space now for Tuesday, Dec. 23rd, when the Tribune will be issued two days earlier than usual for delivery before the holiday.

The Stouffville Women's Institute will meet at Christ Church Parish Hall on Thursday, December 18th, at 2 o'clock. Roll Call—what I would like for Christmas. Program convener is Mrs. Wilson. Mrs. Insley will give the motto. It is the Christmas party with exchange of gifts. Hostesses are Mrs. Sanderson, Mrs. Shuttleworth, Mrs. J. Hoover, Mrs. Kerr.

Albert King, well-known 8th con. farmer had a narrow escape from a most serious mishap last Wednesday when his car pushed over one of the gasoline pumps at the Ringwood Garage. Mr. King was approaching the 8th. con corner along the townline at the time, and swung over into the pumps to avoid collision with a car which suddenly entered the townline from the 8th con. north. Had the force of the impact been much greater, escaping gasoline would no doubt have resulted in a disastrous explosion.

PIPHER—AITKEN

With Rev. Dr. J. B. Paulin officiating at the evening candlelight ceremony in Rosedale Presbyterian Church, the marriage took place of Katherine Joan, daughter of Mrs. John Aitken, to Mr. Ross Edward Pipher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey G. Pipher, Ringwood. Mr. John Aitken gave his sister in marriage, and she wore a graceful strapless gown of white shimmering satin with cathedral train, and peplum jacket of Guipure lace. Her heirloom veil was embroidered and beaded with pearls, and she carried white roses with bouvardia. Her attendants were her sister, Miss Wendy Aitken, maid of honor; Misses Frances Dafoe, Mary Craig and Zilla Pipher. Their strapless dresses of peacock onion-skin shantung had bouffant circular skirts falling into slight sweeps at the back. They wore draped shoulder stoles attached at the front with flowers of the shantung, braided headbands, and carried white bouquets. Mr. Roger Hill was best man, and the ushers were Messrs. Bill Moore, Stephen

Final session of Stouffville's 1952 council is being held next Tuesday evening, Dec. 16th.

This is a very busy time for our local post office staff and anything the public can do to assist in their mailing should be done in order to give better service to all. You can help by simply addressing your mail completely and clearly and packing your parcels properly and by mailing early. When you bring your mail to the post office, tie your local and out-of-town letters and Christmas cards in separate bundles and see that each letter is in proper order. There is nothing which slows down the stamping of letters more than finding a bundle with letters upside down and backwards. Purchase your stamps early. These are just a few tips which the post master has given us to pass along to our readers. It is in your own interest to co-operate wherever possible.

Haas, Bill Allen, Hal Ames, Tom Gifford and Jim Pidgeon. The reception was held at the Granite Club. The bride and groom will live in London, Ont.

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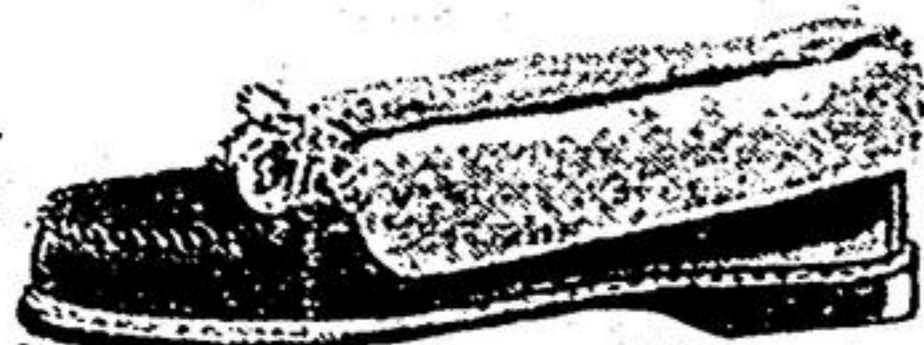
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