

UNIONVILLE NEWS



Once again, with the approach of the New Year, we resolve to serve you cheerfully, courteously, and to the best of our ability.

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Stouffville Ontario

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Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Kingdon were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Gardhouse and family, Unionville; and Mrs. Charles Scott and family, Leaside.
Mrs. Bertha Dewsbury and Doris, Mr. and Mrs. Thomson, Toronto, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Brown.
Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Oliver had Christmas dinner with Mrs. Allin, Aurora, and supper with Mrs. Nellie Oliver and Ruth.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Irwin entertained twenty-four of the Thaxter family on Christmas Day.
Miss Bette Richardson, Hamilton, spent the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Richardson.
Mrs. Arnold, Mary and Jim, of Newmarket, spent Christmas Day with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Starr and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Foster spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Loy Carr.
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Carr and Peggy of Keswick had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carr.
Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morley and Billie had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert White and family and supper with Mr. and Mrs. Ken Giles

Mr. and Mrs. Jonah Ramer and family spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Ramer, at Markham.
Mr. and Mrs. David Mackinlay and children Lynda and David, visited with her mother, Mrs. Rainey over the weekend.
Mr. and Mrs. N. Pyke and family of Brampton, Mr. and Mrs. Blake Weir and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Weir and family of Unionville, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lawrie and family of Markham, Mr. and Mrs. W. McCowan and family of Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. W. McCowan and son of Scarborough, all spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Weir.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fisher of St. Catharines, Mrs. G. Rainey and Clare of Markham, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Barnes of Toronto, were visitors on the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Rainey.
Mr. John Ash, a former resident of Unionville for many years passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Heber McCague, of Richmond Hill. He was in his 89th year. He was the husband of the late Emily Scott and father of (Louise) Mrs. Heber McCague and (Pearl) Mrs. Ivan Sleser of Port Credit; the grandfather of John McCague, Jean and Evelyn Sleser. One brother, Mr. Wm. Ash survives. Sympathy is extended to his family.
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Coathup spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coathup of Lindsay.
Mrs. Hunter spent a few days last week with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Walker.
Mrs. F. Reesor, Port Perry, and Mr. and Mrs. James Dove, Hamilton, visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Powers.
Miss Ruby Norton spent the Christmas holidays with her friend at the East Coast.
Mr. Saunders Seaworth Findlay, brother of Milton Findlay and Mrs. L. Rainey, Unionville, Mr. Herb Findlay, Collingwood, Mr. Talbert Findlay of Thornhill, passed away suddenly at his late home, Thornhill, on Friday, December 24th. He was 68 years of age and was born in Clarke Township in 1886. He had been a resident of Thornhill for forty years. A member of the

Presbyterian Church, the Masonic and L.O.L. A service was held at the funeral parlors of Wright and Taylor, Richmond Hill, by the Masonic Lodge on Sunday night. The funeral service was held on Monday afternoon and was conducted by his pastor, Rev. E. E. Kent of the United Church. He is survived by his wife, the former Minnie Wright and one son, Mr. Nelson Findlay, Thornhill, two daughters (Eva) Mrs. Warren Harvey, London, and (Mary Ellen) Mrs. Harry Redman, Willowdale and four grandchildren, Allan Findlay, Greig and Ellen Harvey and Mary Redman. Sympathy is extended to his family.
Professor John Coulson of Quebec spent the Christmas holidays with his niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Weatherill. His sister, Mrs. Stella Weatherill, expects to return home with him.
Mrs. Howard Findlay, Miss Velma Findlay, Messrs Milton and Dean Findlay and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Findlay spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Talbert Findlay at Thornhill.
Holy Communion will be administered at Central United Church next Sunday morning, Jan. 2nd.
The regular hours of Unionville Library will be resumed on Saturday, Jan. 5th.
On Monday evening last, the members of the Junior Auxiliary of St. Philip's Anglican Church had a Christmas Party. On the Wednesday evening, before choir practice, a chicken supper was enjoyed. Friday night the Sunday School held the annual party and prize giving. On Sunday night the Choir presented the Candle Light Carol Service. The church decorations and the lighting were very beautiful.
Miss Ila Weighill, A.T.C.M., at the organ and Miss Mary Vernon as director of the choir, presented many Christmas Carols interspersed with short scripture readings. The Choir will repeat the service at "Christ" Church, Stouffville, on Sunday evening, January 2nd.
Mrs. C. Mayboud spent Christmas with Mr. Mayboud and friends in Toronto.

Stouffville Youth for Christ Boys Band made a fine contribution to the local Christmas preparations on Wednesday evening when they played carols at various points along the Main St. business section. The sound of the band music on the crisp night air was most delightful to all who heard it.
Holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Foster Wagg were Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Martin, Newmarket, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wagg, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Wagg, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Robinson and family, Toronto; Mrs. Ernie Carruthers and Ruth Anne, Claremont.
The damage by Hurricane Hazel to the Aurora Arena has just been finally estimated at \$15,000.

Local and Personal Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Booth were Christmas dinner guests at the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Booth of Kettleby.
Mr. Lloyd McLean and children Sharon and Barry spent Christmas in Toronto with relatives.
Mrs. R. W. Atkinson who has been living in Richmond Hill has moved into her new home recently constructed on Lloyd Ave.
Miss Hilda Garrard of the Stouffville Public School staff is holidaying in the U.S. visiting the Mardi Gras at New Orleans.
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Reid of Toronto were holiday visitors with Mrs. A. V. Nolan and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Nolan.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank McDonald of Hamilton are spending the holiday season in Winnipeg with Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Banner.
Mr. Keith Robinson of Toronto is spending the holidays with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Wagg.
Jack Pennock, barber in Aurora, and well-known Stouffville, will split first prize with A. K. Bennett, insurance agent, in a contest for the best decorated Christmas window, sponsored by the Board of Trade.
In referring to the Ed Murrow show, "Person to Person" in last week's issue, Miss Crosby, formerly of Markham, was referred to in error as the wife of Norman Vincent Price, rather than Norman Vincent Peale.
Mr. and Mrs. Alec Hingston and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lee and family, Islington, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hingston.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Floss and Edgar spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones and Marvin at Brougham.
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones and Shirley had dinner on Saturday, with Mrs. F. Walls, Brooklin.
Birthday greetings to Mrs. George Pickett who celebrated on Christmas day.
Visitors spending Christmas at the Jones home were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Third, Milliken, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fiss, June and Fred, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Johnson, Joe, George, Eleanor and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Faulkner, Goodwood; Mr. and Mrs. Allan Jones, Newmarket; Mr. Allan Holman, Dagmar; and Mr. Wm. Wilson, Milliken.
Miss Eleanor Johnson is spending this week at her home.
Mr. and Mrs. George Pickett spent Christmas in Toronto with her father.
Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Blackburn, Uxbridge, on Friday. The sympathy of the community is extended to the family.
Mr. and Mrs. Allan Jones spent the weekend at the Jones'.
Mr. Murray Fraser spent Christmas in Claremont.
A Happy New Year to everyone!

GLEN MAJOR

Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Moyer, Church St., were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moyer and Willard, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Moyer and Norma, all of Dickson Hill.
Of all the open nights of Christmas week, Thursday produced the largest crowd in town with people milling up and down the business section and parking at a premium, similar to a Saturday night.
Henry Davis, of Ballantree, was the lucky winner of the \$100 doll given away as a draw prize at the Arena on Thursday night by the local Lions Club. Proceeds from the draw will go towards the Lions Club Minor Hockey program.
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Atkinson, local auctioneer and operator of the Stouffville Livestock Pavilion, left on Monday morning for an extended trip to the Southern States via Florida. He reports the sale will still operate as usual with the regular staff in charge.
Stouffville Youth for Christ Band will be in attendance at the Peeewe Hockey Tournament night at the Arena on Friday, January 7th. Business people were most appreciative of their playing on Main St. on Wednesday night and Harold's Grill treated all the members of the Band to a quick snack after their playing.
Retail stores in Stouffville will close this Friday evening at 6 p.m. and your co-operation will be appreciated in this regard. The Retail Merchants Committee of the Chamber of Commerce also ask that all business people be sure to attend a special meeting to be held on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 4th, at 2:30 p.m. for the purpose of deciding store hours for 1935.
Guests at the Ross Winterstein home for Christmas dinner were Mrs. Ormsby Lehman, Misses Ida and Anne Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. Erle Lehman, Mrs. Florence Miller, Miss Violet Hoover, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Coppins and Gail of Claremont, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Winterstein, Jean, Kent and Delight.
There will be Public Skating Skating in the Lemonville Fellowship Centre on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings. Every Saturday night Stouffville Youth for Christ invites all to an evening of fun and fellowship. For engagements and reservations, phone 60313 Stouffville. Admission: adults 25c; Children 15c.
While it is always an impossible task to please everyone, the merchants in Stouffville can be said to have had a good Christmas in general. Christmas trade began this year's upswing slowly, perhaps due to the unseasonably mild weather. However, the ten days prior to the big festive holiday saw a real upsurge and stores were kept "hopping" almost every day of the final week, particularly Thursday and Friday. Some merchants believed customers were just a little more cautious this Christmas but there still did not appear to be any shortage of money and sales zoomed well up with former years.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Spofford enjoyed Christmas dinner with Mrs. Browncombe and Doris of Uxbridge.
Miss Mary Curtis is home for the Christmas holidays from her teaching position in Lindsay.
Mrs. Mabel Sisson was visited at Christmas by her daughter, Mrs. Donald Harwood, husband and family of Peterboro.
A Community Watch Night Service will be held in the Stouffville United Church on Friday evening, Dec. 31st, at 8 p.m. The speaker will be Rev. F. Wellington. The service is being sponsored by the Markham, Gormley and Stouffville United Missionary Churches.
Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Freeland entertained at a complete Christmas family reunion which included Mr. and Mrs. Moore Campbell and baby daughter Dianne, of Arnprior; Dr. and Mrs. Donald Davis of Stratford; and Lloyd Freeland.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Birkett and Mrs. Haynes enjoyed Christmas Day at the home of Mrs. Haynes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ward and family of Claremont. Christmas night they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ward, also of Claremont.
Sgt. Chas. Davis, his wife and son Rickey of Woodbridge accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Davis of Stouffville, enjoyed Christmas in Toronto with Mr. and Mrs. Sel Abell. Sgt. Davis has served with the 4th Battalion Canadian Guards for the past nine months in Korea and received a joyous welcome at this Christmas reunion with his family.
Mr. and Mrs. John McCausland and children, Beaverton, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Painter and children, Ringwood, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Hoover and Margaret, Altona and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Gayman were Christmas visitors at the home of Mrs. Geo. Hoover, Mill St. Seventeen guests in all enjoyed the Yuletide dinner at the Hoover home.
Christmas Day passed very quietly in town. The weather was good and there was a skiff of snow on the ground to add to the Yuletide cheer. Police and firemen had a quiet time, for which all can be thankful. One inebriated motorist and his woman companion found changing a tire at the west end of town had their car confiscated by local police officers on Christmas eve, otherwise peace prevailed.
Mrs. Thos. Bacon was visited at Christmas by her daughter, Mrs. Kidd of Richmond Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Murkhar and children, Mr. and Mrs. Pédie and family, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bacon and family and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Booth of Ottawa. Miss Marilyn Murkar of Whitby and Mrs. Kidd are holidaying at the Bacon home.
The family of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Paisley was well represented at their parents home with one sitting of 26 at the Christmas table. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Don Sneddon, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Paisley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Paisley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Paisley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Paisley, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cummings and Helen who resides at home.

Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Sanderson were Miss Margaret Sanderson and Mr. Arne Larsen of Ottawa.
Mr. and Mrs. John Williamson, Markham, were among the Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brillinger.
Christmas Day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Rusnell included Mrs. Haynes and family and Lloyd Raymer of Markham.
Christmas visitors with Mrs. Alf Mole and family were Major and Mrs. E. J. Carey and son Michael of Montreal and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Anderson and Ted of Kirkland Lake.
Mr. and Mrs. D. Cooper and daughter from Newmarket and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jennings enjoyed Christmas at the family home, Mr. and Mrs. Del Jennings.
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Madill of Claremont and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Farthing of Toronto spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. Turner's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mowder of Pickering.
Lt. Margaret Ball, RCN, who is spending her furlough at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Ball, accompanied them to Toronto to spend Christmas with Dr. and Mrs. Fearon.
A unique Christmas greeting was received by Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Klinek from Mr. Klinek's daughter, Mrs. Hugh Herbison, Nelson, B.C. The greeting was contained in a record on which had been recorded the voices of the entire Herbison family, parents and children. Portions of the children's greeting were made up of songs, recitations and instrumental numbers.
Christmas Day visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hall, Springhurst Farm, included Mr. and Mrs. Murray Hall and daughter Janie, Mrs. Eleanor Waite and son Fred and Mr. Ernest Pearson.
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Winterstein, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Winterstein of Newmarket, spent the Christmas weekend in the St. Catharines district visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Winterstein and family.
Mr. and Mrs. G. M. McCormack and Bobby of Sudbury, and Marion McCormack, R.N., of St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, were Christmas visitors at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fockler of Bloomington. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. McCormack celebrated their 25th Wedding Anniversary. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Leask and family of Greenbank, Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Fockler and Margaret of Markham and Mr. T. Wright of Galt.
Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Klinek enjoyed Christmas at the home of Kenneth Klinek and family of Otterville. Mr. and Mrs. Klinek are entertaining Mr. J. T. Cuyler of Calgary, Alta. Mr. Cuyler is a former Dickson's Hill resident who served several years as principal of Unionville Public School, for some years was principal of the Composite High School at Medicine Hat and is presently on the staff of Mount Royal College in Calgary. Mr. Cuyler's father, Abel Cuyler, will be remembered as a former Bethesda storekeeper.

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