

Victoria Square

Elect church officers - 1970

Mrs. Wm. Sandle
VICTORIA SQUARE — The annual congregational meeting was held Jan. 28 with a good attendance. Rev. Martin Jenkinson was in charge.

Following are the officers for 1970-1971:

HONORARY ELDERS

Rolph Boynton, Stanley Boynton; **ELDERS** — 5 years: Fraser Gee, Earl Empringham; 4 years: Richard Frisby, Arnold Mortson; 3 years: Frank Brumwell, Cecil Nichols; 2 years: Harold Hill, Harry Barber; 1 year: Gordon McWhirter, John McCague. **STEWARDS** — 3 years: Denton Brumwell; David Houck, Joseph Stephenson, John Lee, Herman Mortson; 2 years: Herbert Nelson, John Smith, Jack Williams, Wayne Mortson; 1 year: Gordon Draper, Harold Wright, John Gee, Norman Tyndall; U.C.W. representatives: Mrs. James Boyd and Mrs. Reid Brumwell. **USHERS** — John McCague, John Gee, Norman Tyndall, Alan Nichols, Denton Brumwell, Richard Frisby, Herbert Nelson, Gordon Draper, Bruce Mortson, Harold Wright; M & M Committee: Mrs. Mary Buchanan, (Treasurer) Mrs. Fraser Gee (Assistant) Gordon McWhirter, Mrs. John McCague, Mrs. Alan Chad-

wick, Herman Mortson. **CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COMMITTEE** — Mrs. Martin Jenkinson, Mrs. Wm. Sandle, Mrs. Jim Boyd, Mrs. Philip Rumney, Mrs. Jack Leitch, Mrs. Norm Tyndall, Lay representative to Presbytery: Fraser Gee; Representative to United Church Men: Clarence Steckley. Nominating Committee for 1971: Harold Hill (Chairman) Frank Brumwell, Mrs. Frank Gee, Mrs. John McCague, Cecil Nichols, Lawrence Ashton.

On Saturday afternoon, Marv Mortson entertained the members of the C.G.I.T. and Mrs. VanTol, their leader to a snowmobile party at her home. Following the party, the girls enjoyed refreshments served by Mrs. Mortson. Another euchre party will be held in the Community Hall, Feb. 6th at 8 p.m.

The annual Pot Luck supper of the Women's Institute will be held in the Community Hall, Feb. 10, at 6:30 p.m. for the Institute members and their friends. Hostesses will be: Mrs. Leslie Hart, Mrs. Reid Brumwell, Mrs. John McCague.

The children, teachers and parents of Victoria Square Sunday School are invited to a sleigh-ride party, (weather permitting) at Cedar Glen, Feb. 11.

14 Cars will leave the church at 10 a.m. Transportation is available.

Sympathy is extended to the relatives of Mr. Edgar Sanderson, who passed away last week. Mr. Sanderson was a former resident of our community, and lived where Dr. Ellen Brown now resides. He moved to Bethesda where he kept store. After marrying Ada Atkinson he moved to Buffalo, where he resided until his death. He is survived by his wife, daughter and family, brothers Herb, at Richmond Hill and Cecil of Burlington. He was predeceased by his sister Mae Mr. Charles William Johnstone of Victoria Harbour, was laid to rest on Monday afternoon in the Victoria Square Cemetery. He lived a number of years ago where Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith and family now reside.

Miss Robin Mortson entertained a number of her little friends on Saturday afternoon, the occasion being in honour of her sixth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Draper spent the weekend with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Draper and Tammy at Ottawa.

Birthday greetings to Mrs. Heber McCague, February 5; Dale McLean, six years, February 7; Mrs. Stanley Boynton, February 11.

Mrs. John Kauffman, Hopeton, Virginia, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs.



She flies through the air

Twelve year old Nancy Yakeley strikes a pretty pose as she and her brother, Joseph go through their routine during a practice session in the Stouffville Arena. They are the son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Yakeley, Goodwood. —Peter Harris

Clarence Steckley

Saturday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Steckley were Mr. and Mrs. Michael McQueen, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Croxford and Donnie all of Toronto.

Miss Mardi Tyndall accompanied by one of the teachers from Thornlea Secondary School attended the Professional Development Workshop held at Nipigon — Red Rock Secondary School.

Farm test case

YORK-PEEL — A Chinguacousy Township farmer's assessment appeal, before the Ontario Municipal Board, may determine the future plans of a York County farmers' group organized to battle new Provincial assessment policies.

More than 300 county farmers have joined the Scarborough and Associated Townships Farmers' group which previously attempted to draw up a test case.

The York group decided to wait until the OMB ruled in a similar test case in Chinguacousy Township, Peel County. The OMB has listened for three days to testi-

mony in an assessment appeal by former Chinguacousy Reeve Cyril Clark. If successful, the appeal could force the Provincial government to seek a new formula to set farm land assessment.

The OMB is expected to rule on the case next month. During the hearing, witnesses admitted that the inadequacy of their system is due to staff shortage.

Witnesses also testified that Chinguacousy Township is affected by speculation, and that farm land cannot be purchased at the "farm value" maximum of \$300 per acre set by Provincial assessors.

'Find the Fox' Contest receives enthusiastic response

STOUFFVILLE — The 'Find the Fox Contest' appearing for its third week in the Tribune, is receiving enthusiastic response from readers. The city spelled out in last week's entry was KINGSTON.

Grand prize winners, Feb. 3 are (1) Mrs. C. Patten, Stouffville; (2) Bradley Nigh, Stouffville; (3) Mrs. Art Paisley, Stouffville.

Consolation winners are:

Bob Harman, Stouffville; Mrs. L. Grensted, R.R. 2, Stouffville; Susan Fockler, Stouffville; Mrs. Myrtle Foote, Stouffville; Mrs. Gordon Fuller, Stouffville; Mrs. Farthing, Stouffville; Mrs. Eldon Fretz, Stouffville; Willis Wideman, Jr., R.R. 3, Stouffville; Eileen Whitney Claremont; Mrs. V. E. Wagg, Stouffville; Mrs. A. McVicar, Stouffville; Mrs. W. Van Vliet, Stouffville; Fred Timbers, Stouffville;

Ben Talbot, Stouffville; Mrs. John Sheridan, R.R. 1, Stouffville; Mrs. Fred Steckley, Markham; Mrs. Earl Brillinger, Stouffville; Mrs. Amey Burchell, R.R. 1, Stouffville; Janet Cochran, R.R. 1, King City; Murray Clarkson, Stouffville; D. Carpenter, Stouffville; Mrs. N. Conklin, Stouffville; H. V. Donald, Goodwood; Mrs. Gordon Crowder, Stouffville; Joan Davidson, Stouffville; Mrs. James Eddington, Stouffville; Ray Fleury, Stouffville; Laurie Lewis, Stouffville; Mrs. Jos. Amos, Ringwood; Mary Yakeley, Goodwood; Mrs. Noel Avery, Stouffville; Pearl Burnell, R.R. 1, Claremont; A. Bissonette, Stouffville; Dr. G. I. Blackburn, Stouffville; Katherine Burkholder, R.R. 2, Markham; Miss Sue Britton, R.R. 3;

Stouffville; Ken Naylor, R.R. 3, Stouffville; Mrs. H. Ogden, Stouffville; Eileen O'Conner, Stouffville; Mrs. George Middleton, Stouffville; Norma Mantle, R.R. 1, Stouffville; Jeff McCurdy, Stouffville; Mrs. B. Lickorish, Stouffville; Freda Lang, R.R. 4, Stouffville; Mrs. Clifford Lemon, Stouffville; Mrs. G. M. Lowe, R.R. 1, Locust Hill; Mrs. Victor Little, Stouffville.

Prizes can be picked up at The Tribune Office.

Snowmobile party

By Blanche Tindall
ALTONA — The young people of the St. Clair Avenue Church, Toronto, were visitors, Jan. 30, with the Altona Young People, and held a snowmobile party at Bob Lewis'.

The winners of the recent community centre euchre were Mary Barrie, Edna Ogden, Irene Slack, Jim Andrew, Ed Williams, Wilbur Irwin and Don Hanson. The next euchre will be Feb. 9.

The Altona W.I. will meet Feb. 11 at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. J. McCraith. Roll call: 'name a home remedy and its use'. Motto: "Life begins at forty if you don't go like sixty when you're twenty."

A surprise 51st Wedding Anniversary party for Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lewis was held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lewis with relatives and friends attending.

Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson, Sherry and Brian of Milverton visited on the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lewis; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Johnson and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lewis.

Thursday ladies' league

STOUFFVILLE — Toots Taylor led the Thursday Afternoon Ladies League on Jan. 22, with single games of 242 and 212. Others over the 200 mark were June Ward, 238, 231 and 217; Lil Baker, 232; Joan Boyd, 206; Ev. McKay, 205 and Jean Foley, 200.

On Jan. 29, Lil Baker topped the league with a 300 single. Sandra Fraser was next with a 297, followed by Kay Brown, 240.

Late Gordon Dimma

Death saddens community

By Pat McClennan

CEDAR GROVE — This has been a sad week for Cedar Grove. In the past few days three people, much respected by the community have died and each will be greatly missed. Gordon Dimma, 92, passed away early Monday morning after only a few days in the hospital. Memories of Gordon will be close and personal. He was a wonderful neighbor; a hard working farmer; a trustee of Zion Church; a lover of cats and a man who was proud of his background and the hamlet of Cedar Grove. For many years when he farmed on the family homestead, he showed fruit and vegetables at Markham Fair and one memorable year, won 13 prizes. His memory was phenomenal. His mind recalled the finest details of every year of his life, not only with accuracy but with humor. Euchre was his favorite pastime and no weather was foul enough to keep him from a game. In recent years kind friends and relatives made sure he did not miss. Gordon Dimma was a man of immense independence who lived life on his terms and those who respected him will be glad he did not suffer long. Life in Cedar Grove will not be quite the same without him.

William Cornelius, although he did not live in Cedar Grove, was well known to most in the village. For many years he worked and lived at Tyrrell's Orchards and made many friends in this area. He was a man who thoroughly enjoyed his life and made those around him share in his enjoy-

ment. For some years he and Mrs. Cornelius have made their home in Beamsville but often visited their son, Don in Cedar Grove. Mr. Cornelius died in Grimsby Hospital, Sunday and our deep sympathy is extended to Don, Norma and Judy Cornelius and to the friends who will miss his cheerful presence.

Ben Lotton lived in the Dunbarton area but his name has been in the Cedar Grove news for years as a regular winner at the twice monthly euchres. Mr. Lotton died Saturday after a long illness and our thoughts are with Mrs. Gordon Murison who has lost a much-loved brother.

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