

Chosen children

By Evelyn Milsted GORMLEY — Happiness within the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Atkinson has been doubled with the arrival of chosen daughters, Samantha (Sammy), age five and Kerry, age seven. Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson have two sons, Terry and Kevin. Their farm residence is on the 5th Concession of Whitchurch - Stouffville at Bethesda.

Congratulations to Mrs. Joseph Heise on the occasion of her 91st birthday, March 5.

Paul Boynton has completed his Tool and Dye Course at the Finch Campus of Seneca College.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Miller, parents of Mrs. Marlin Ressler, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Miller and family of Ephrata, Pennsylvania, spent the weekend with Rev. and Mrs. Ressler.

We're pleased to report that Mrs. Frank Bennett is home from York Central Hospital and feeling much better.

The annual Missions Conference of the Missionary Church begins Thursday evening (March 11) and continues through Sunday (March 14).

Christian lady

STOUFFVILLE — Mrs. Booth was a devoted foster mother to a number of foster children. She enjoyed quilting and crocheting, but most of all she enjoyed her association with the Memorial Christian Church, a membership that extended over many years. She spent her last three years at Parkview Home.

Surviving are two sons, Delbert of Gravenhurst and Walter of Stouffville; one daughter, Margaret (Mrs. Cliff Wagg) of Stouffville; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by one son Earl of Oshawa.

Mrs. Booth, a devout Christian lady, was born in Markham Township, the daughter of James and Margaret Harper. She spent her childhood in the area.

In 1910, she married Douglas Booth and farmed in surrounding townships until retiring to 276 Main Street East, Stouffville, in 1945. Mr. Booth predeceased his wife in 1969.



Receive anti-dump donation

In response to a fund raising drive by the Concerned Citizens committee, MaryAnne Watson of the Beta Sigma Phi, sorority, Chapter Eta Lambda, presents a cheque for \$100 to the Rev. Ted Creen and Fran Sainsbury. — Jim Holt.

Lions first birthday

By Elsie Boland GOODWOOD — Two children were received for baptism, Sunday, at Goodwood United Church. Accepted into the fellowship of the congregation were Kenneth Robert Fierheller, son of Wes and Mary Fierheller and Maureen Ann Roy, daughter of Paul and Debbie Roy. Rienk Monsma and Ruby Johnson took part in the service.

The Lions Club is sponsoring movies for the children, Sat., March 20 beginning at 2 p.m., in the Community Centre. Admission is free.

On Sunday, March 28, the men of the congregation are hosting a pancake breakfast in Goodwood United Church beginning at 8:30 a.m. Admission is adults \$2 and children \$1. Proceeds will go to the Window Fund.

The Couples Club is holding a St. Patrick's Dance in the Community Hall, March 20. A general meeting will be held Thursday evening at 7:30 in the hall.

Euchre winners Wednesday night were Faye Groom, Helen Brown, Mildred Quantz, Frank Collins, Morley Sellars, and Gordon Duck. Door prize winners were Irwin Kidd, Gordon Duck, Elsie Taylor, Frank Collins, Stan Thompson, and Harold Morganson.

The Goodwood Lions celebrated their 1st anniversary with a dinner and dance in the Hall. Music was supplied by Taylor Bros. Band, a group of musicians who once had their roots in the community and attended school here.

Tapes don't lie

YORK REGION — "I was misquoted" or "it was taken out of context" are two common complaints voiced by politicians when it comes to press coverage of council meetings.

The Township of Georgina is no different, except there, one councillor plans to do something about it. He's going to put the entire proceedings on tape.

They're for personal use and for that matter, for anyone else who wants to listen to them," said John McLean, a regional councillor.

McLean has two purposes in mind. One is to combat alleged inaccuracies voiced by fellow councillor George Burrows and the second is to double-check what's said in the media.

"I'm sick and tired of this misrepresentation — of this false information being given to the public," McLean said.

Practice

STOUFFVILLE — All-star indoor ball practice will be held in the gymnasium at S.D.S.S. tomorrow, Thursday, March 11. Times are as follows: Novice girls 5.00 to 6.30 (Age 13 yrs. and under as of Jan. 1, '82); Squirt boys 6.30 to 8.00 (Age 11 yrs. and under as of Jan. 1, '82); Bantam boys 8.00 to 9.30 (Age 15 yrs. and under as of Jan. 1, '82); Midget girls (open 17 yrs. and under as of Jan. 1, '82).

Positive experience

By Joe Neghswander — Growing old is often seen in a negative light, and is equated with aches and pains, loneliness, losses, and dependency.

While there are indeed some aspects of growing old that are unpleasant, there are alternatives. One alternative is, of course, to die young!

A more positive alternative is to see aging as a normal, healthy process; an experience of the development and maturation; of personal growth.

Factors which help to provide a satisfying old age include the following: supportive and loving family members; cheerful, optimistic attitude; victory over bitterness and negative attitudes toward others; good health and adequate income; satisfactory living arrangements; having a sense of peace with God and our peers.

People of any age can do something about preparation for a meaningful old age. The factors I have mentioned are to some degree, at least, controllable if we begin early enough. Whatever our age, now is the time to prepare for growing old!

Thursday evening programmes for the past two weeks included: Ron Faw showing slides on Brazil and Rev. Ressler of Heise Hill showing pictures on Pennsylvania.

Sunday evening services were conducted by Rev. P. Poole and Rev. Ressler. The Rockway ensemble from Kitchener put on a musical programme on Sunday afternoon on the 22nd of February.

Visitors the past two weeks: the Cockwell family of Waterloo for Mrs. F. Cockwell; Shirley Doner of Oshawa for Mrs. Mabel Barkey; Mr. and Mrs. Byer of Tweed Ontario; John, Ruth, Corrine, Andrew and David Humphreys of Toronto for Mr. John Snider.

Theatre auditions

STOUFFVILLE — West. Stouffville's newly-formed little theatre group, will hold an audition for its first presentation, Wed., March 10 (to-night) 7:30.

The location is the third floor of the Family Trust Corporation Office, 18 Main Street.

The play is entitled "Leaving Home" by Canadian writer David French. It will be directed by Roger Glazin.

For additional information call Edna Luther at 640-2082.

Choral Festival

STOUFFVILLE — Last weekend, nine girls from the Jr. Choir of Christ Church (Anglican), Stouffville, joined with 75 girls from Ontario and New York in a choral festival, sponsored by the Toronto Branch of The Royal School of Church Music.

The girls enjoyed a weekend of singing and sightseeing, concluding with a service of Choral Evensong at St. Paul's Anglican Church, Toronto. St. Paul's is the largest Anglican church in Canada, seating more than 3,000 people.

The nine Stouffville girls form part of a strong junior choir at Christ Church who are affiliated with the R.S.C.M. in England. They are - Susan Bent, Kim McConnell, Elizabeth Sled, Shelley Whittaker, Kim Caudle, Grace Barber, Mary Sled, Colleen Whittaker and Susan Bibby.

Plans are already underway for a similar event next year, rector Rev. Philip Poole told The Tribune.

Man charged

SANDFORD — A 26 year old Sandford man was to appear in court this week, charged with mischief to private property.

William Gray was arrested Feb. 22 at a residence on Valley Road, Musselman's Lake. It is alleged that he smashed a glass door at the Burger & Dairy Bar, 191 Wellington Street East, Markham on Halloween Night, Oct. 31.

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