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Council notes

Crossing guard is rejected

UXBRIDGE Twp. — The Twp. has decided a traffic guard is not needed at the four corners of Brock Street West and Victoria Street, Uxbridge.

A study, conducted by roads superintendent Lorne Wall, revealed that 16 children crossed the intersection between 8:30 and 8:45 a.m.

The students were careful while crossing and were in no apparent danger; the study concluded. Findings were based on a one-day observation.

The petitioners will be notified that, based on the traffic counts, a crossing guard is not warranted.

The issue came up for discussion at a meeting, Thursday evening.

Bulletin board

The debate continues over the proposed placement of a coming events board in Uxbridge's downtown core.

Sean Dunlop, representing the firm that provides the boards, Brooklin Signs, appeared before the parks and recreation committee, Thursday.

Mr. Dunlop said he'd like to supply an illuminated sign for downtown Uxbridge, as long as the company has the assurance it would be maintained on a regular basis.

Advertising fees would support the board, so it can be supplied without cost to the township, he noted. Only expense for the municipality would be the light hook-up.

Mr. Dunlop also requested they be notified if there's any vandalism, so it can be quickly repaired.

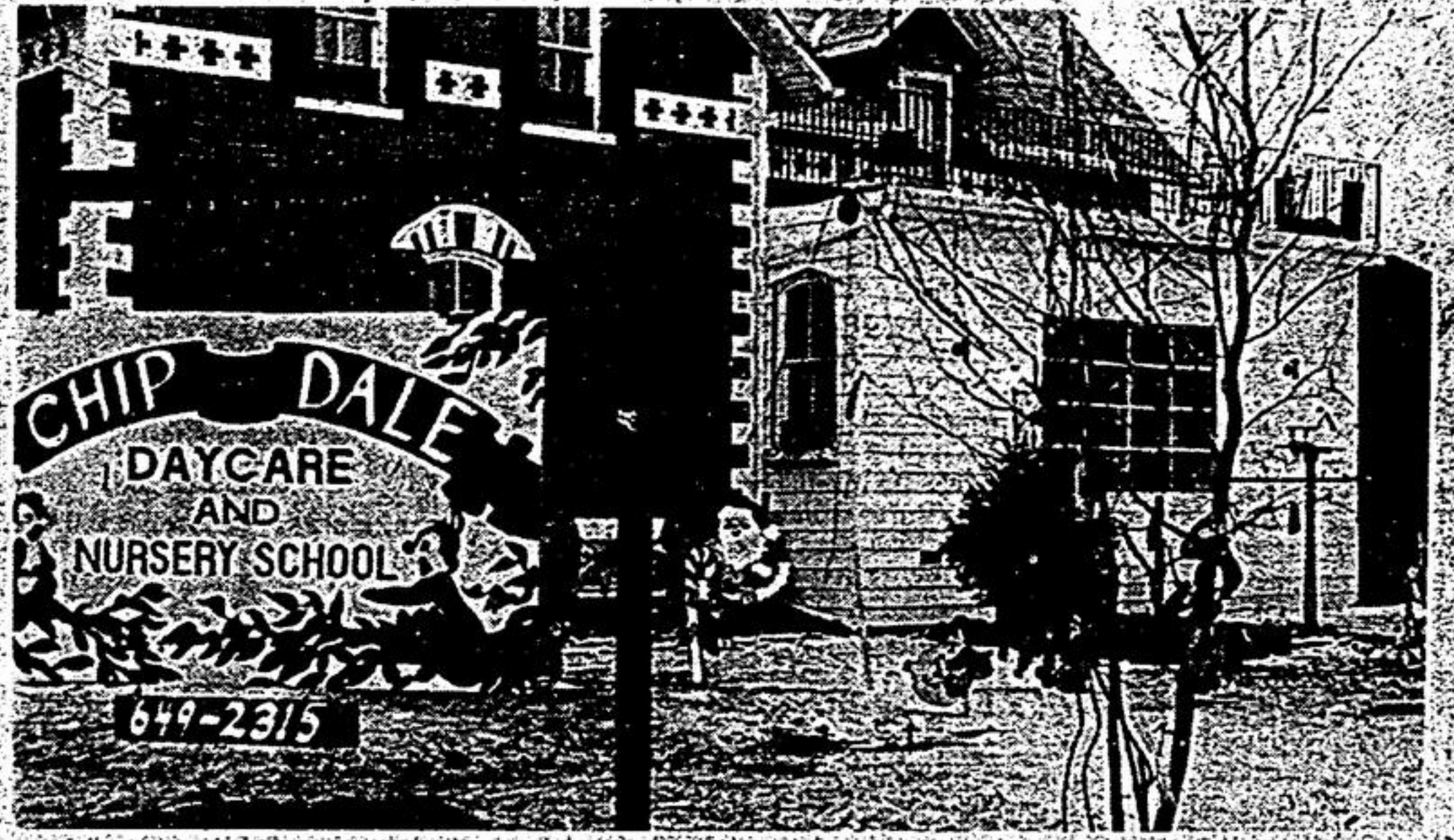
"I like the idea and I think it's good for the community," commented committee chairman Ian Morrison.

However, Councillor Sandy Ewen wasn't as impressed with the proposal. He had a number of questions, including: "who is going to look after it?"

Councillor Morrison suggested representatives of various community facilities such as Uxpool and the Arena could take turns servicing the board.

Suggested location is near the municipal parking lot, facing onto the town's main street.

Lights to be judged

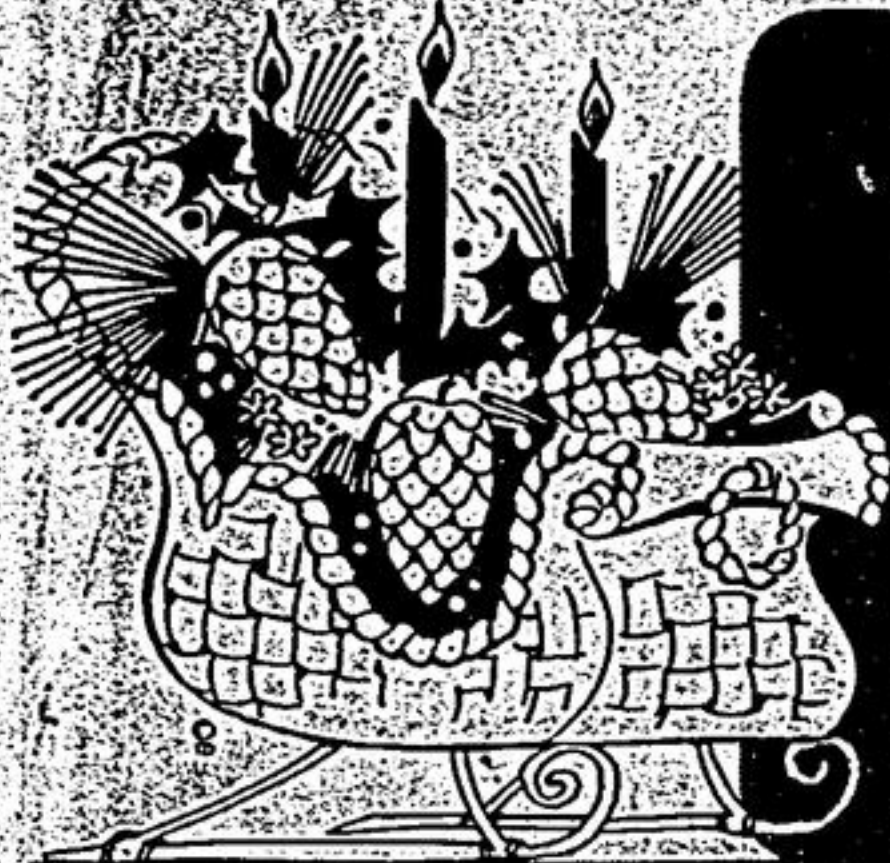


Claremont a winter wonderland

The grounds at Chip and Dale Daycare and Nursery School, Brock Road North, Claremont, have been transformed into a Christmas wonderland. The property, owned by Dave and

Adair Bickerton, is one of many entered in the 'Decorate Your House' contest, sponsored by the Claremont Lions Club.

—Chris Shanahan



MAY THE BLESSINGS OF THE HOLIDAY SEASON BE YOURS

FRAN SAINSBURY
COUNCILLOR WARD 4

Concert thrills crowd at Goodwood Baptist

By Elsie Boland
GOODWOOD — Sunday night was a night to remember. The Sunday School program at Goodwood Baptist Church began with a potluck supper. The concert followed with a story on the

birth of Jesus. The young people did a lovely job and all involved are to be complimented.

The Couples Club dinner and dance was well attended, with the ladies receiving a lovely rose corsage. A beautiful

dinner was served by the Women's Institute ladies. Kees Koster was lucky in winning the door prize, Saturday night.

If you want to purchase a nice box of hand-made chocolates for the

Christmas season, visit Rosemarie's at 132 Robinson Street, Markham. Phone is 294-8563. The store, operated by Gail Jackson of Goodwood, also sells other types of Christmas candy.

On Friday, Dec. 21, the United Church Sunday School will hold a potluck supper, followed by a concert. It sounds like a good night out.

The choir met at the home of Mr and Mrs Tom Redwoods last Thursday for a practice and an exchange of gifts. Choir practice will be held at the United Church Thursday at 7 p.m.

Euchre night is tonight (Dec. 19) at the Goodwood Community Centre. It begins at 8 p.m.

There will be a Christmas Eve service at the United Church, Dec. 24, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Be sure to attend.

Shirley Baster spoke during the past two Sundays at Goodwood United Church. She talked about her trip to Mexico.

Wednesday night was a very bad night for visibility, but a large crowd still attended the Christmas Bingo. A total of 40 prizes were given away besides the bingos. Kerry Symes was the lucky winner of a Cabbage Patch Doll. Congratula-

tions to the Lions for providing the fun evening.

Goodwood Seniors enjoyed their Christmas dinner last Tuesday. There was a large crowd out at the Hall. Euchre winners were Jean Bell, Everett Hammond and Millie Eddington. The mystery prize was won by Louise Hammond. Door prizes went to Gladys Bergen, Elva Symes, Vera Shier, Van Bell, Eva Padley, Frank Jenkinson, Peter King, Lena Ogden, Helen Brown, Esther Archer, Elsie Boland, Margaret Eckardt, Isabelle Home, Eva Evans, Peg Jenkinson and Joan MacElwain. There was also a gift exchange.

Last Monday the Lions Club had a dinner at the Goodwood Hall. The Women's Institute catered.

The Potluckers met on Monday at Elsie Wagg's residence for a Christmas dinner and gift swap.

Last Tuesday evening, the Goodwood United choir sang at Glen Major Church for their Christmas service. The beautiful red sanctuary was packed.

This is the time of year I wish you all a Merry Christmas. May peace be with you.

Cattle hit highway



Herd obeys road signs during crossing

Passing motorists had to take a second look, Saturday, as this herd of cattle crossed Brock Road, near the Hwy. 47 junction. The animals

are pictured on their way to winter grazing grounds on the property of Ken Hockley, R.R. 1, Claremont.

—Chris Shanahan

May you share the wondrous tidings of this Holy Season.
Merry Christmas and sincerest thanks.



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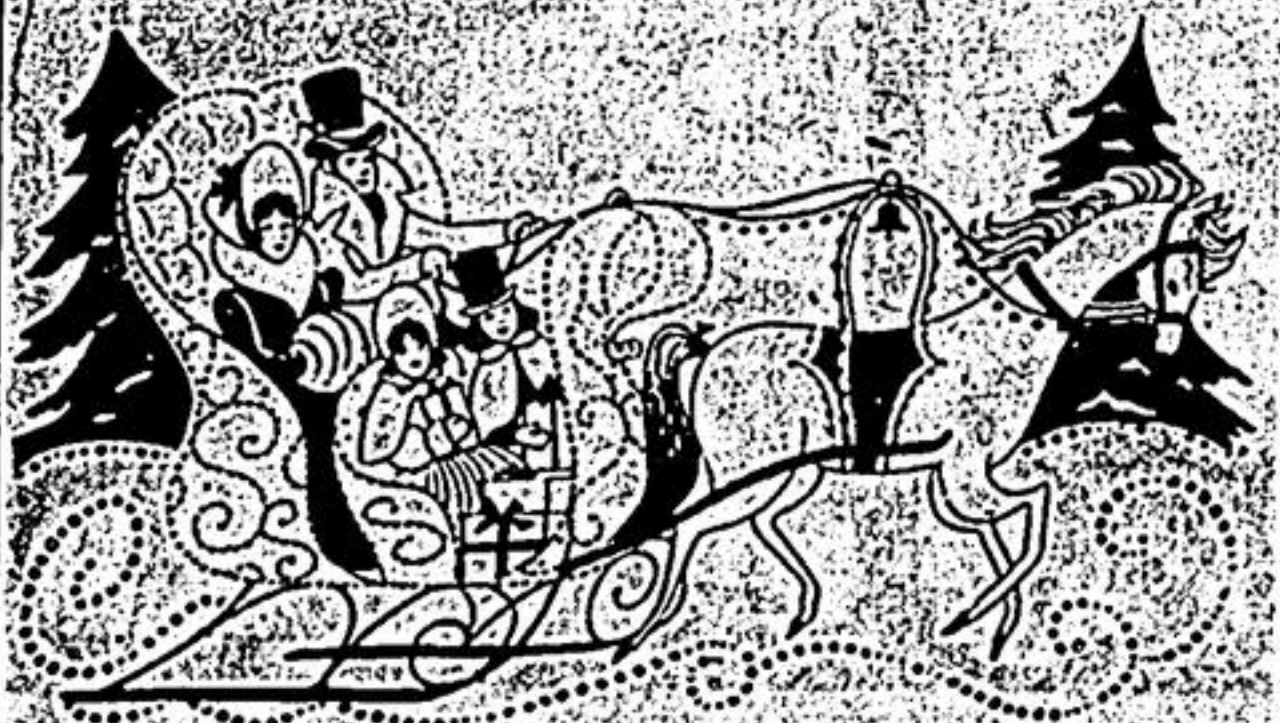
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