



Cataract Lodge No. 10, I.O.O.F. There will be no meeting of Cataract Lodge, Dec. 22, Tuesday.

### STORRINGTON TOWNSHIP NOMINATION

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the electors of the Township of Storrington will be held in the AGRICULTURAL HALL, INVERARY, at 12 o'clock noon on MONDAY, December 31st, for the purpose of nominating a Reeve and Councillors to serve in the Municipal Council of the said Township for the year 1924.

### NOMINATION

Township of Pittsburgh, at MILNE'S HALL, JOYCEVILLE

Monday, Dec. 31st At 12 o'clock. WM. MURRAY, Clerk.

### Notice to Creditors

In the Matter of the Estate of Oliver Sheridan Orser, late of the Township of Loughborough in the County of Frontenac, Farmer, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Revised Statute of Ontario 121, Chap. 121, Sec. 56, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Oliver Sheridan Orser, who died on or about the 24th day of February, 1923, are required to deliver or send by post prepaid, on or before the 28th day of December, 1923, to the undersigned solicitors for the Administratrix of the Estate, their names and addresses and a full description of all claims and the nature of securities (if any) held by them, such claims to be duly verified.

### HOLTON'S CUT FLOWERS

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### Dominion Taxi Service 116

NOTICE I will be pleased to conduct Auction Sales in Kingston or the County of Frontenac. Arrangements can be made at my office.

### THE FLORENCE HUDON PRIVATE SCHOOL

There was a bumper Christmas market on Saturday morning. The market was gusted with turkeys, geese, ducks and chickens.

A Presentation. On Friday afternoon, the employees of the Job department at the Whig gathered together and presented H. E. Pease and Albert Stroud each with a beautiful cigarette case, at the same time extending Christmas greetings.

### SANTA CLAUS VISITS MOWAT

### The Patients at the Sanitorium Had a Big Time Friday Evening.

"Begone dull care" was the slogan of the boys of Mowat sanitorium Friday evening on the occasion of Santa Claus' visit to the institution where he displayed his usual prodigality by the distribution to all and sundry of many handsome gifts.

A short skit entitled "The Mysterious Mr. Clyde" was put on by Messrs. Gallamore, Powless and Lord and proved a decided success.

### LOCAL NEWS.

### Brief Items of Interest Picked Up by the Whig Reporters.

Marconi Rayphones—2,000 ohm headset—\$3.95. Only at Canada Radio Stores. James Saunders, one of Kingston's well known vocalists has joined the staff in the local office of the Allan Lumber Co.

### Church Notices.

Queen Street Methodist Church. Rev. W. S. Lemmon, B.A., D.D., pastor. Christmas services, Preacher both morning and evening, the pastor. Morning music: Anthem, "Christians Awake, Salute, etc." (Simper); solo, Judge H. A. Lavell, "The Beckoning Star." (Neslingher), solo, Mrs. J. Evans, "The First Christmas Morn." (Newton). Evening music: Anthem, "Behold I Bring You Good Tidings." (Churchill); Christmas solo, (selected), by Mrs. John Crawford. A cordial welcome for everybody. White Christmas gift service at 3 p.m. in the Sunday school.

### GLASSES FOR CHILDREN AS CHRISTMAS GIFTS

### Rotary Club Takes Action in a Most Worthwhile Cause.

Last week it was reported to the Rotary Club that there were four or five children in Kingston who needed glasses. Christmas to these children would not have been very bright had not the Rotary Club taken action.



VISCOUNT CHELMSFORD. Former Viceroy of India. In a circular sent out by the British Empire Leprosy Relief, says that leprosy can be wiped out of the British Empire in three decades.

### Election of Officers.

On Dec. 11th, the officers and members of John W. Bell R.B.P. No. 725, met at their encampment at Centreville. The chair was occupied for the evening by Wor. Sir K. K. L. Weese, and the following officers were elected and installed for 1924: W.P., Albert Hughes; D.P., O. A. McKnight; chaplain, Frank Donnelly; registrar, Edward Weese; treasurer, E. W. Loehnd; 1st. Lect., Stan. Doupe; 2nd. Lect., Roy Milligan; 1st. censor, Jacob Doupe; 2nd. censor, Dennis Smith; 1st. S.B., Okel Drew; 2nd. S.B., Ervell Boutton; pursuivant, Wesley Kelly; Tyler, Stan McKee; 1st. C.M., Robt. Brown; 2nd. C.M., Stan. Emberley; 3rd. C.M., Lasher Maxwell; 4th. C.M., Clarence Loehnd; 5th. C.M., Allen Haggerty; 6th. C.M., Richard Quinn; 7th. C.M., William Loehnd.

### Robbed of Christmas Cake While in the Post Office

A Kingston lady is mourning the loss of a nice Christmas cake she had ready to send to a friend outside the city. She took the cake to the post office on Friday afternoon, and after having it weighed, left it on one of the window sills while she secured the stamps, and when she came back she found that some person had made off with the cake.

### A Christmas Message.

Hon. Charles Murphy, postmaster-general has sent out this Christmas message to the postal workers of Canada: "Throughout the year that is now fast drawing to a close you have displayed the same devotion to duty and the same spirit of co-operation as were in evidence during last year when your splendid work was so highly appreciated by the Canadian people. In their name let me once more thank you for the magnificent service you have rendered the nation. I know that I am voicing the sentiments of all your fellow-citizens when I wish each of you a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year."

### Funeral of Miss McCammon.

Miss Ellen Jane McCammon passed away at Toronto on Thursday at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Dunnett, 65 Huntley street. The deceased was a daughter of the late Robert McCammon, a well-known Kingston baker. The remains will be brought to Kingston Saturday, via C.N.R., and the funeral will take place from Kingston Junction to Cataract cemetery, Rev. J. T. S. Ferguson officiating.

### Late Mrs. Margaret Thomson.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Margaret Thomson took place from her late residence 215 Sydenham street at 2 p.m. Friday at Cataract cemetery under the direction of John Cornelius, undertaker. Rev. J. W. Stephen officiated, and the pall bearers were friends of the family.

### Caterpillars Still Around.

Bellefonte, Dec. 21.—Caterpillars, very much alive were seen yesterday the shortest of the year. Manager E. T. Austin, of Bellefonte Waterworks, found "dozens of them" near the pumping station here and near the water tower in the city hall.

### LIFE'S SOCIAL SIDE.

(Continued from page 8.) Mrs. I. G. Bogart and Miss Thelma Bogart, Wellington street, will spend Christmas with Mrs. W. T. Darce, Aultsville.

Mrs. G. E. Harrison, Albert street, will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents at Hyde Park, Boston, Mass.

Miss Sybil Spencer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Spencer, Ottawa, is home from Kingston to spend the holidays with her parents.

Clarence Lewis, Jr., attending Queen's University, will spend the Christmas season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Lewis, Ottawa.

Miss Amy Wilkinson, Brockville, was with Prof. and Mrs. Lorne Richardson, Frontenac street, while in town for the dance at the Royal Military College.

Dr. and Mrs. H. H. McCrea, New York, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Weir, Easton's Corners, and W. A. McCrea, Hawkesbury, will be with Mrs. R. K. Kilborn, King street, for Christmas.

Miss Honora Melville, who has been teaching at Bell Rock, is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Melville, Division street, for the holidays.

Rev. A. J. Wilson, Napanee, leaves for Buffalo, N.Y., on Monday, to spend Christmas with his mother.

Miss Kathleen Galbraith, Macdonald Hall, Guelph, is spending her Christmas holidays with her aunt, Mrs. H. F. Bell, Moscow, her uncle, J. Tate, Selby, and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Morse, Winnipeg, Miss Helen Daly, Boston; Morris Daly, Toronto University, and Miss Marjorie Daly, Moulton College, Toronto, are spending the Christmas recess with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Daly, Napanee.

Percy Boneham and Charles Stanlake, Rochester, N.Y., also Sidney Boneham, Oshawa, will spend Christmas with their mother, Mrs. F. Boneham, Division street.

### BLUNDERS



Queen's Wants Hughes Again. The Montreal Star of Friday has the following: "Queen's University Rugby team, twice Canadian champions, have done the thing that they appreciate the work of their coach, W. P. (Bill) Hughes, of Montreal."

Queen's Hockey Team. The Queen's hockey team which will play exhibition games across the border during the Christmas week, will be a strong aggregation although there has been no ice for practice purposes.

Auto Burned. When Fred A. Perry, Napanee, was on a business trip, Wednesday, between Dan. Marade's and Marysville Station, on the side road, he was driving his usual gait (which is not too slow), he encountered a bad mud hole, which stopped his speed considerably, and immediately he was almost enveloped in flames.

Chalmers Mission Band Sale. The Macgillivray Mission Band of Chalmers church had a tea and sale in the church hall on Friday afternoon, at which \$35 was realized. The work table was in charge of Mrs. John Matheson, the home-cooking of Mrs. McPadyen, candy was sold by Miss Marion McPadyen and some of the members of the band. Miss Marjorie Richmond and Miss Jean McFadyen were in charge of the Touch and Take table. Mrs. Malcolm Macgillivray poured tea, assisted by Miss Ethel Shannon and some of the members of the band, who also assisted at all the tables. Mrs. W. P. Hedley took the money at the door.

May Disrupt The Progressives. Montreal Star: Under present party arrangements the Kent election is not necessarily the precursor of a Conservative victory, and it is not necessarily the death knell of the Liberal party. It probably means the disintegration of the Progressive Group, because both the Liberals and Conservatives will make a dead set at the third party for recruits.

Good Exhibition. A good programme of boxing and wrestling was put on at Orange Hall, on Friday night, under the auspices of the "352 Club." There were seven fast boxing events, one good wrestling bout and an exhibition of jiu-jitsu by Harry Haunts.

Officers Elected. The Canadian branch of the American Phytopathological Society elected these officers: President, Dr. B. T. Dickson, Macdonald College, St. Ann's; vice-president, Dr. W. T. Swingle, University of Toronto; secretary-treasurer, Dr. R. E. Stone, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph; members of the Council, W. P. Fraser, Saskatchewan, and G. H. Borkley, St. Catharines.

# The Season's Greetings

## LO, IT IS CHRISTMAS--- BEAUTIFUL CHRISTMAS!

May we not take this opportunity to thank our many patrons for the very encouraging manner in which they have received our various products during the past year. It has been a source of great gratification to us to find the old friends still enlisted in the ranks of our army of customers along with the new friends—and may the years to come uphold the traditions of the past and bring greater things and more improvements.

### MAY YOUR CHRISTMAS BE A MERRY ONE.

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### SPORTING NEWS

### Night Golf Now Possible.

Night golf is made possible by the invention of a luminous golf ball, the inventor being Dr. E. A. Davis, Mineral Wells, Texas. The luminous balls are visible in lank darkness. Indeed, the darker the night, the brighter the ball shines. Consequently it is easy to follow the flight of the balls and it is also easy to find them when they land in the rough. Aided by illuminated direction posts, players have been able to keep close to par in their nocturnal matches. Plans are now under way to hold a tournament to decide the champion night golfer of that district. Devoting the night to open air sports is not by any means a new thing in Canada. Rugby practices by electric light were indulged in a dozen years ago and more and so has lawn tennis by electric light, and fishing with phosphorus tackle is quite old. But golf as described above is something new at least in the Dominion.

Misses Laura and Ada Neish left today for New York to spend the holiday season and will sail early in the New Year for Jamaica, B.W.I. Capt. and Mrs. F. A. Reid, Bagot street, left today for Gravenhurst to spend the holidays at the manse with Rev. W. A. and Mrs. Beecroft.

Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Aykroyd will spend the holidays in Montreal with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Aykroyd. C. G. Yorke, B.A., principal of Glencoe high school, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Yorke, Frontenac street, attended a luncheon at Government House, Toronto, on Wednesday, Dec. 19th.

### AGRICULTURAL EVENING.

### Enjoyed at Renfrew In Connection With Short Course.

Renfrew, Dec. 21.—A very admirable presentation of the work being carried on by the students of the Three Months Short Course in Agriculture are Home Economics, under the direction of M. H. Winter, district representative of department of agriculture, was made on Wednesday in the lecture hall of the Renfrew Methodist church. The ladies on the reception committee were Mrs. A. Radley, and Mrs. M. H. Winter. M. H. Winter, as chairman welcomed the parents of the students and the members of the Renfrew Women's Institute, and described clearly the purpose and benefits to be derived from a concentrated course. Christmas carols were sung and an appropriate, "Welcome song to Mothers" was rendered by the girls of the Home Economics Club. Miss Marguerite Lord, Toronto, gave two very humorous readings to a delighted audience, which showed its keen appreciation by sustained rounds of applause.

Under the direction of E. Summers, assistant agriculturist, a singing stunt was performed by the students of agriculture, which demonstrated their lonely lot as bachelors. Following this E. Summers entertained an interested audience with motion pictures demonstrating bread making and canning. He introduced the debaters, whose subject was, "Resolved that the farmer's wife has fewer opportunities to enjoy life on the farm than the farmer." The supporters of the affirmative were, Misses Grace Leitch, Ida Johnston and Isabel Eady; and of the negative William Hamilton, Duncan McLaren, Ray Forrest. Great credit was reflected on Mrs. J. C. Fraser, lecturer of English and mathematics for the clever way in which the debate was presented. The judges were Mrs. Johnson, Mr. Langland, lecturer of field husbandry and Mr. Jager, lecturer agriculture. Mr. Langland responded on behalf of the judges and reported the decision of the judges to be in favor of the affirmative.

The critic appointed was Rev. A. Radley, whose witty summary of character sketches was much appreciated.

The chairman called upon Miss Ruth Lampkin, director of home economics for remarks, and Miss Lampkin called for cheers for each teacher in turn for their splendid cooperation and assistance in making the short course the success it is proving to be, and drew the attention of those present to the excellent exhibition of sewing accomplished by the students under the direction of Miss M. Lord. This demonstration displayed unique individuality, as each member of the class adopted various ideas which were suggested by Miss Lord.

Miss McIntyre, president of the Women's Institute, graciously accepted the call from the chairman for remarks on behalf of the Women's Institute.

At the conclusion of the programme a buffet-luncheon was served by the members of the cooking class, from prettily arranged tables which cleverly displayed the true spirit of Christmas, with Santa Claus centre and glowing red candles amid poinsettias, and evergreens.

### WHY THE WEATHER?

DR. CHARLES F. BROOKS Secretary, American Meteorological Society, Tells How. The Shortest Day. This afternoon, December 22nd, the end of winter will be in sight. It is the time of the turning of the sun. From now on each day will be longer. Spring seems to be near. We can face the knowledge that as "days grow longer, cold grows stronger," with a greater degree of equanimity because each day, no matter how low the temperature, there will be the cheering influence of longer hours of sunlight. After 3.54 o'clock this afternoon, Eastern Standard Time, the progress of the earth in its orbit will for six months turn the northern hemisphere of the earth more and more toward the sun. Far in the north, beyond latitude 67, the sun will probably not be visible to-day, and where Macmillan is wintering only faint twilight may be seen in the south at noon. At latitude 45, from Maine through Southern Ontario, Michigan and on to Oregon, the sun can shine less than nine hours, while the night is 15 hours long. At latitude 30, through northern Florida and the Gulf Coast, there can be a little more than 10 hours of sunshine. With lengthening days we can feel assured that the sun's heat will eventually count against the cooling at night and bring the spring.

### BUY YARLEY GOODS.

Mrs. May Dicks, wife of late William Dicks, and daughter of late George Carr, formerly of Belleville, died on Sunday last at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Maurice Manigault, Pontiac, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Allan, Perth, have left for Winnipeg to spend Christmas with their son, F. R. Allan. "Huyler's Christmas delivery," Gibson's.

### CHRISTMAS DAY SPECIAL FULL COURSE DINNER

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