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## Chesterville Investors Cash Their Power Bonds

**Repudiation of Power Contracts Announcement by Hepburn Throws Securities on Toboggan and Locals Endeavour to Take Least Loss.**

It is reported that one or two Chesterville investors in the securities of the power companies whose contracts Premier Hepburn has seen fit to repudiate, made quick sale of their holdings, believing in the old principle that "first loss is usually least loss." The securities' market makes very quick reaction to any deviation from accepted business practices when it affects amounts ranging up in hundreds of millions of dollars, the reason probably being that these large sums have been broken up into small denomination bonds of from $500 value into the thousands, and are eventually held by the smaller investors who regard government securities, or government-guaranteed securities, the very finest form of investment, which heretofore has been the case in Ontario. Small investors do not readily see why if one contract can be broken and the value of their investments greatly reduced, why other contracts such as the contract between lender and borrower, or which is the same thing, the holder of Ontario provincial bonds and the government, cannot as well be repudiated by the government as the contracts for power have been repudiated. What is the small investor to do with his surplus? Bank interest rates have been reduced by one per cent and accumulation from that source is negligible, although the principle is readily available on demand. It can easily be imagined that the old First National, the time-honoured sock, will again come into its former usefulness of a savings bank.


**BARBER SHOP MOVED.**

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'Twas easy to fight for God and right,
When I thought of mother's smile.

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**FIRST LOCAL RADIO STATION.**

Chesterville's first amateur radio station went on the air last evening when Bob Hanna, 19, son of M.. and Mrs. Jas. Hanna, received his license from the Department of Marine (Radio Branch), Ottawa, to operate under the call letters of VE3FL.

## Former Morewood Carpenter Died in Western Canada

**Many Fine Buildings in District Stand as Memorials to Skill of Jerome Latour, 84.**

(Saskatoon Star-Phœnix, March 26.)

Asquith lost another old-time resident in the death of Jerome Latour who passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James Watson, following a brief illness. Mr. Latour was born 84 years ago in Eastern Townships near Valleyfield, Quebec. He settled at an early age at Morewood in Dundas County, Ontario. He was a builder by trade and in his native county of Dundas many beautiful buildings stand as lasting monuments to his memory. In 1910 he came west to the Asquith district with his two daughters, joining two sons who had previously taken homesteads. Of a retiring though friendly disposition, his high ideals and temperate habits have made him highly repected by all who knew him. He was a member of the Presbyterian church and of the Canadian Order of Foresters.

Mr. Latour was predeceased by his wife in 1893 and leaves four sons and two daughters, Joseph of Gull Lake; Jack and Ezra of Asquith; Nelson of Regina; Mrs. James Wilson and Mrs. Joseph Schneider of Asquith. The funeral was held Friday from Asquith United church with Rev. H. J. Sangwine and Rev. A. Cursons officiating. Interment took place at the Asquith cemetery. Pallbearers were Roy W. Badger, Louis Laventure, Reginald Ballard, J. T. McNair, S. Millar and F. A. Picketts. Many beautiful floral tributes testified to the esteem in which Mr. Latour was held.

## S. S. No. 7, Finch

**March Report.**

Sr. IV—Eleanor Casselman 89.4, Vera MacLean 88, Adena MacLean 86.7, Betty Foley 67, Gerald Foley 60, John Casselman 54.

Jr. IV—Aurea Foley 82, June McMillan 75.

Jr. III—Mae Shaver 68, Alexander Foley 67, Bobby Sutherland 65, Ray McMillan 60.

Sr. II—Rex McMillan, Patrick Foley, Angela Foley, Shirley McMillan, Olive Moriarity, Margaret Foley, Carl Baker, Edna McMahon.

I—Sybil McMillan, David McMillan, Delburn Baker.

Primer—Phyllis Shaver, Evelyn Moriarty.—Cassie L. Droppo, Teacher

## Straders Hill

Mr. George Reddick of Spencerville visited his son, Mr. Bert Reddick and family on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Helmer of Winchester spent the week end here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Strader spent Monday with friends in Morrisburg.

Mr. Phyl Strader spent Saturday with friends at Williamsburg.

Mrs. Aggie Cook and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Casselman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hanson and family visited friends at Spencerville on Sunday.

Mr. Mason Hanson is spending some time at his home here.

We are glad to see Mr. Henry Hanson out driving again after being shut in all winter with sickness.

Mrs. Ben Pennington of Williamsburg visited Mrs. E. Johnston, Wednesday.

**RADIO PROGRAMME FOR Y.P.S.**

The meeting of the Young People's Society of Trinity United was held on Tuesday. An amateur radio programme was the feature of the evenings' entertainment, spot-lighting-announcer Harry Allison, Lowell Thomas, impersonated by Jack Cross, gave a most amusing account of the day's news. Several musical numbers comprised the remainder of the programme.

## Chesterville Public School Standings For March

**ROOM C.**

Sr. II, Class A—Georgina Cameron 85, Eileen Paul 84, Douglas Smith 83, Betty Moore, Charles Bouck and Robert Tait 82, Marion Barclay 79, Marcia Fyke 74, Hubert McLean 68, Marjorie Fyke 65, Grace Hall 65, Mildred Froats 65, Phyllis Meroney 64, June Garrett 48, Dalton Casselman 45, Grant Elliott and Archie Bailey 41.

Jr. III, Class B—Gordon Fulton 79, Glendon Taylor 77, Lorna Thompson 76, Baden Boyd 75, Charles Doering 74, Ruth Moore 73, Nelda Elliott 72, Muriel Casselman 70, Clare MacMillan 68, Kemsley Hummel 50.

Jr. II, Class —Douglas Dillabough 51, Irwin Stata, Ray Smith and Bernard Hall 50; Bobbie Clayton 44, Malcolm Garrett 40, Sterling Liscombe 39, Myles Barclay 20.

—Marion Casselman, Teacher.

**ROOM D.**

I—Hubert Maloley 83, Madeline Price 82, Beryl Hewitt 79, Bert Reaburn 75, Richard Casselman 74, Gordon Wales 73, Emmitt Paul 72, Pearl Hall 72, Kenneth Kirkby 71, Margaret Ouderkirk 58, Marjorie Elliott 46.

Primer—Marjorie Morris 85, Isabel Paul 83, Lila Casselman 787, Anne Fulton 75, Lloyd Fyke 71, Doreen McLean 69, Edith Harper 68, Allan Shorkey 68, Bert Fyke 65, Darcy Liscumb 59.

K. Primary—Earl Cross, Betty Harper, Lois Brownlee, Lois Smith, Douglas Hough, Beverley Boyd, Tena Baindese, Grenville Fyke, Lois Barkley, Gwennie Elliott, Morris Liscumb.

—Lila G. Weegar, Teacher.

## Stanley Cup Final Games Will All Be Broadcast

**To-night's Game Broadcast in Toronto and Montreal Areas, Saturday Night's Nation-Wide Hook-up.**

Hockey fans from coast to coast who will follow the play for the Stanley Cup via the General Motors hockey broadcasts, will hear a new voice at the microphone for at least one of the games. Charles Harwood, who is regular announcer during the season for General Motors broadcasts of games in the Montreal Forum, will give the play-by-play for the Maroons-Leafs cup games to be played there, which will be over the national network.

The first two games will be in Toronto. The first being to-night, and the second on Saturday, April 6th. The latter will be broadcast coast-to-coast with Foster Hewitt at the microphone but the first game will be broadcast only in the Toronto and Montreal areas. The third game (and the fourth, if needed) will be in Montreal and if the series goes to five games, the fifth will be from the Maple Leaf Gardens and Hewitt will again be announcing.

## Returns From Western Tour Impressed With Country

**R. G. Smith Spent Winter Months in Southern California, Also Visiting Old Mexico.**

Mr. R. G. Smith who has been spending the winter in Southern California, returned home on Tuesday evening. While away he met many old friends. In South Pasadena he was delightfully entertained at luncheon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Casselman, at which Mr. Fred. Saunders was also a guest. Mr. Casselman's home is spaciously located and fragrant with blossoming roses. The orange trees in his lawn were loaded with ripe fruit even in the winter months.

The many friends of Mr. Casselman will be pleased to hear that he expects to return to Chesterville about May 1st.

Mr. Smith did not confine himself to Uncle Sam's domain but also ranged over a considerable part of old Mexico. He tells us that the methods of agriculture and home-building are very primitive there.

We are assured that California has a balmy climate and is an ideal place in which to live.

**MONTREAL ROYALS WIN SERIES FROM TORONTO ALL-STARS**

In last ngiht's final of a two-out-of-three series in the play-down for the Allan Cup contender, the Royals of Montreal defeated the All-Stars of Toronto for the second time with a score of 4-1, three of which were scored by Neville. The Allan Cup games start in Halifax on Saturday night when the Royals meet the Wolverines, champions of the Maritimes in a three-out-of-five series.

## Catholic Women's League Elects New Slate of Officers

**Mrs. Thos. Moran Heads New Executive.—Very Encouraging Reports Given at Annual Meeting.**

The annual meeting of the Catholic Women's League was held on Tuesday evening in St. Mary's Parish Hall with a large number of members in attendance. The various reports of the year's activities presented by the treasurer, convenor of the Study Club and the visiting committee were most encouraging and showed that the League had had a very successful year.

Little Miss Betty Dwyer contributed two dance numbers accompanied at the piano by Miss Marcia Hughes.

A few items of business were taken up after which the election of officers took place, resulting as follows:-

Hon. Chaplain—Rev. P. J. Keaney
Immediate Past Pres.—Mrs. Mary Hughes,
Pres.—Mrs. Thos. Moran,
1st Vice-Pres. — Mrs. Cornelius Kearns,
2nd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Wm. Servage,
3rd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Geo. McMahon
Secretary—Miss Evelyn Carr,
Treasurer—Mrs. Jas. McAvoy.

The president, Mrs. M. Hughes, in a short address thanked the Executive, the various committees and the members in general for their assistance and co-operation in all work undertaken by the League during the year.

The meeting closed by singing the National Anthem.

## Grantley

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Robinson and family spent last Friday in Ottawa.

Mrs Wilburn Wert of North Valley was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hesson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Beckstead and family of Aultsville were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Beckstead.

Mr. Wm. Feader was in Russell at the week end attending the funeral of his aunt, the late Mrs. Allan Feader.

Mrs. Calvin Silmser of Chesterville was a guest last week of the Messrs. Arthur and Howard Beckstead and Mrs. Jas. Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kittle and Doris were in Aultsville and Morrisburg during the week end.

Mr. ad Mrs. Dan Robillard and Deane of Avonmore and Miss Blanche Countryman of Dixons Corners were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Beckstead on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McMillan and family of Chesterville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wallace.

Miss Pauline McMillan was a week end guest of her aunt, Mrs. Wallace Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Beckstead and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Darling and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Christie on Sunday.

The Woman's Association of the United Church met in the church on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross McKenzie, Elma, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Carr.

## S. S. No. 9, Winchester

FEBRUARY & MARCH.

Sr. IV—Gerald Kearney 74.

Jr. IV—Estelle Servage 69.

Sr. III—Johnny Moore 73, Zella Marcellus 62, Hubert Ouderkirk 61, Hubert McCloskey 43.

Sr. II—George Servage 56.

Jr. II—Helen Moore 75.

I—Helen Servage 91, James Sullivan 73, Francis McCloskey 53.

Primer (Order of Merit)—Bert Moore, Ronald Sullivan, Arnold Sullivan, Mary McCloskey, Doreen Wagner, Ada Wagner. R. Lynch, Teacher


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7.30 p.m.—Public Worship
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## Crysler

Mrs. Katherine Servage is at present spending a few days with Mrs. Isabella Servage.

The Messrs. L. Ledger and Oscar Currier spent Sunday afternoon in Ottawa with Mrs. L. Ledger who is a patient in the Water Street Hospital where she underwent an operation one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McDonell and son Kenneth and Mrs. Clifton Marcellus and son Reynolds motored to Ottawa Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Delaney motored to St. Raphael's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arniel Legault and baby motored to Lancaster on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cockburn spent Friday afternoon in Chesterville.

Mr. Allan Swerdfeger of Morewood was in town on Monday.

The Messrs. Gordon Fraser and Chesley Marcellus of Morewood motored to Crysler on Friday evening last.

Miss Albertine Lavigne of Ste. Scholastique, Que., is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lavigne.

## Coming Events

**PLAY AT ELMA**

Under the auspices of the Young People's Society of Elma United Church, there will be a play presented Friday, April 12th, at the Church entitled "Where's Grandma?". 23-1

**DANCE IN THE MUSIC HALL**

A Dance will be held in the Music Hall, Chesterville, on Easter Monday, April 22nd. Johnston Brothers' Orchestra of Waubaushene Beach. 23

**ANNUAL BAZAAR TO-MORROW.**

The Ladies' Aid of Trinity United Church will hold their Annual Bazaar to-morrow (Friday) afternoon in the Sunday School Hall. Come and get your supply of aprons, towels, etc., also good things to eat for the week end.

A programme will be given from 2.30 until 3 o'clock, and at this time the Sale will begin. Afternoon tea will be served, also a musical programme during the tea hour. Come early and enjoy the full programme.

# D. H. Weir Resigns As Township Engineer

**Has Received Appointment to St. Lawrence Canals. — Direct Relief Terminated as Employment Show Increase in Township.**

The resignation of D. H. Weir, township engineer for a number of years; the discontinuance of direct relief by the board, and the information from the Provincial Government that the agreement under which Winchester Township had been operating for the past year in the unemployment relief scheme, had terminated, were items of business under discussion at the meeting of the council in Winchester on Monday.

Reeve Howard H. Nesbitt, who presided, voiced the regret of council at the resignation of Mr. Weir, saying the board appreciated his work, particularly in the matter of the $50,000 drainage project, which had been started last year under his supervision.

**To Stop Relief.**

After discussion of relief problems the decision was reached to discontinue direct relief, as there was beginning to be more employment in the township. Relief bills for March amounted to $216.87, with a total of 79 persons registered, and medical services rendered totalled $40.60.

Reporting on the provincial road convention, the Reeve said there had not been any indication of change in the matter of payment of grants to township roads at that time. He advised the Council to join the Ontario Municipal Association, which was safeguarding the interests of municipalities.

The treasurer, Jacob Steen, reported a credit balance of more than $6400 with the payment of arrears in taxes for the month in excess of $1,400. F. Erle Helmer, tax collector, presented a list of arrears against unoccupied lands in the township, totalling $1,247.41, which will be returned to the county treasurer.

**Board of Health Meeting.**

A Board of Health meeting was held at the beginning of the afternoon session, attended by the Reeve, Dr. Peter McLaughlin, medical officer of health; J. Steen and John A. Bogart of Chesterville. The municipality was reported to be free of all contagious and infectious diseases.

Deputy Reeve W. J. McConnell reported the purchase of a large safe which will be placed in the office of the clerk at Morewood, for the purpose of safeguarding township records.

**Delegates Promised Road Repairs.**

A delegation from Marionville, which asked the council to repair part of the road in the 12th concession and part of the Osgoode boundary road was heard. Decision was reached to do the work in the 12th concession but the matter of the boundary road was left for further consideration.

A special meeting of the Council will be held during the month to appoint a township engineer. Other members of the council present were, Councillors George A. Ouderkirk of Chesterville, and Walter J. Stewart, of Morewood.

# Dog Helps Policeman Round Up Three Suspects

**Are Remanded for Eight Days on Charge of Vagrancy When Arrested by Morrisburg Constable.**

Town Constable Gerald Coligan of Morrisburg surprised three young men early Thursday morning in what was suspected to be an attempt to break into the R. A. Beamish store, when he followed his police dog up an alley. The dog, which goes with the constable on his nightly rounds of Morrisburg streets, suddenly darted up the alley and when the constable followed he found the men, in possession of a jimmy. Arresting them on charges of vagrancy, he placed them in Morrisburg cells, taking them to Cornwall later with Provincial Constable Frank Rose. The men, Armand Bellefeuille, Rene Menard and Lucien Latour, of no fixed addresses, were remanded for eight days. When surprised by the constable, one of the men ran but was overtaken.

When the commotion caused by the arrival of the latest addition to the family had subsided somewhat nurse asked little brother: "Wouldn't you like to see your new sister the stork has brought?"

"No," was the unexpected response "I'd rather see the stork."

# NEWS AND INFORMATION FOR THE BUSY FARMER

Furnished by the Ontario Department of Agriculture

**Straw as an Absorbent.**

Straw when used as bedding for live stock will absorb from two to three times its weight of liquid, and if finely cut will soak up about three times as much liquid as when uncut. Further, the absorptive capacity of dry sawdust and fine shavings is from two to four times that of ordinary straw.

**Early Tomato Production.**

The best prices for tomatoes are paid for early, ripe fruit, but the grower must not make the mistake of having the plants cost more than is reasonable.

The Dominion Horticulturist recommens early sowing coupled with the use of early maturing, good varieties The sowing should be made just early enough to have stocky, well grown plants in bloom and ready for planting out at the sign of settledweather.

Soils unduly rich in nitrogen tend to promote rank wood growth and a small amount of fruit. Low nitrogen, high phosphoric acid and a medium amount of potash are essential to good results.

**Supplying the British Market.**

The steady job of providing food for the British market depends upon supplying that market with what it requires and a regular supply of quality products. Where Canada has fallen down in the past is probably not so much in the matter of quality, although there is still room for improvement, but more particularly in the lack of a regular supply. For a country producing a surplus of farm products, it is a source of satisfaction to remember that there is still available a market which spends daily around five million dollars on imported food.

**The Egg Laying Contests.**

The health of the birds in the Canadian National Egg Laying Contests from the Atlantic to the Pacific has never been better during the fifteen years these contests have been in operation than at the present time. This factor is no doubt responsible for the uniformally high egg production being obtained this season. The production of leading pens and birds is equal if not superior to those of preceding years.

Another very commendable feature in connection with egg production this season is the size of the eggs laid. Egg Laying Contests and poultry registration work have clearly demonstrated that egg size is an inheritable character, and the Registered poultry breeders who have been breeding from Registered birds are having their efforts crowned with success. Many contest pens are producing eggs this season weighing 26 ounces per dozen.

**Getting Ready For Lambing Season.**

Lambing is the shepherd's harvest, and it is also his most exciting time. Everything must, therefore, be in readiness for the coming of the new crop.

Ewes heavy in lamb require more pen and feeding space, if overcrowding and losses are to be avoided. Two feet of feeding space is the minimum required.

Large flocks should be divided by putting the ewes expected to lamb first in the warmest and most comfortable pen.

Have the floor level, dry, clean and well bedded. If possible, provide equipment for making individual lambing pens. Folding hurdles are very handy for that purpose. The ewe is much quieter if kept alone.

**Pruning Should be Done During the Dormant Season**

Pruning, as practiced by the commercial fruit-grower, should have two essential objects: first, to train the shape or growth of the tree in a specific way, and second, to influence the production and quality of the fruit.

When speaking of training a fruit tree, the purpose is not to mould a beautiful or shapely object, but rather a tree that is commercially profitable and capable of carrying its crop without breakage of limbs. Furthermore, the proper pruning of a tree will facilitate other orchard operations such as spraying and picking.

Pruning may be done at any time during the dormant season, but late winter or early spring is preferable. However, the amount and type of pruning is far more important than the time at which it is done.

**The San Jose' Scale**

Requests have been received from growers in southwestern Ontario for instructions on how to control San Jose' Scale. Professor Caesar, of the O. A. C., Guelph, has therefore prepared the following statement for the guidance of growers. He will also be glad to answer any inquiries that may be sent to him.

"Any orchard in which San Jose' scale was present last fall on even a single tree should be sprayed this spring to guard against a heavier infection.

"To make spray cheaper and more effective, the trees should first be well pruned and, if old, should have the rough bark scraped off the main branches and trunk with a hoe.

"In most cases the best spray to use is a four per cent lubricating oil emulsion. This may be used alone, but it is usually wiser to combine it with a 3.6.40 Bordeau mixture. The method of making both the emulsion and the Bordeaux is given on the spray calendars. If fuller directions are desired, write to the Department of Entomology, O. A. C., Guelph.

Commercial lime sulphur at the strength of 1 gallon to 7 of water, may be substituted for the oil and Bordeaux mixture, but is more costly, unpleasant to use, and requires more care to give as good results.

San Jose' scale attacks all fruit trees except sour cherries and Kieffer pears. It also attacks currant bushes.

Peach trees and pears should be sprayed just as soon now as possible. Plums and apples need not be sprayed until the buds show green at the tip. Sweet cherries should be done just as the buds are bursting.

The oil emulsion and Bordeaux combination should be used on pears, plums and sweet cherries. Either it or the lime sulphur may be used on apples and peaches.

Good results cannot be obtained unless the trees are **thoroughly wet, almost drenched.** A light spray will not kill the scale or the other insect pests aimed at, such as leaf curl, red mite, black cherry aphid and pear psylla.

Apple orchards receiving this spray do not need the first application recommended in the apple spray calendar.

**Note:** In orchards in which oil is used for San Jose' scale, Bordeaux must be used for the next prepink spray instead of lime sulphur, because lime sulphur tends to burn foaliage severely.

## TARANTULA IN MAN'S PANTS BRINGS OFFICER ON SCENE

MONTGOMERY, Ala. — A truck loaded with bananas bounded crazily down the street, finally coming to a stop against the curbing as Policeman Bill Collins raced up and bounded on the running board beside the driver.

"Who do you think you are, Major Segrave?" shouted the officer. Came the driver's quaking answer:

"Officer, I've got a tarantula in my pants."

Collins "operated" on the driver's pants with his knife, and out dropped the big, poisonous spider.

A slap from the officer's blackjack killed the tarantula, and Collins placed his summons book back in his pocket.

A little shaky, R. L. Hathaway, of Pensacola, went back to his driver's seat.

"What are you children playing?" asked mother one day.

"We're playing church," replied Jackie.

"How nice," said mother, "but worshippers shouldn't whisper in church.'

"We know that, mother," said Jackie, "but we're the choir."

## GREAT WORK, MR. GREATHEAD

Chesley Enterprise.

ONE OF THE BEST stories we have heard in some time was related to us last Thursday by Jack McGowan and "Doc" Morton of Southampton. Joe Greathead purchased the United Church sheds in Southampton and engaged a gang of half a dozen men to tear down the building. Five of the workmen meandered over to the United Church sheds after dinner and commenced razing the structure.

However the sixth man Howard Brechow, got his signals crossed and hied himself by mistake to the Presbyterian sheds. At supper time Bechow ran into the other quintet coming from work. They asked him why he hadn't reported for duty, and the puzzled Brechow replied by asking why nobody had come to help him.

Suspecting something was wrong, Greathead went over to the Presbyterian sheds and imagine his consternation when he discovered that Brechow, a hard worker, had torn all the shingles and the sheeting off one side of the roof and ripped half the shingles off the other side. Now both sheds are practically demolished although only one job was ordered, leaving Mr. Greathead in the nice predicament of either having to go ahead and buy the Presbyterian shed too, or else rebuild it.


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# One Killed One Seriously Injured in Auto Crash

**C. A. McCaffrey First on Scene of Fatal Wreck of Small U.S. Truck in Which Lewis Koster, 71, Dies Almost Instantly.**

When a small truck in which they were driving suddenly left the road way two miles north of Morrisburg on the Ottawa-Morrisburg highway, struck a culvert and turned over several times, Lewis Koster, aged 71, of Newton Falls, N.Y., was thrown from the machine and killed almost instantly, and E. O. Smith, aged about 50, of 109 Fourth street, Greenfield, Ind., was badly injured about five o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Dr. C. A. Louden, coroner, Morrisburg, said Koster's death was due to a fractured skull, and Dr. E. F. MacIntosh, also of Morrisburg, who was called to the accident first, found Smith's injuries to consist of a severely injured skull and many lacerations on arms, legs, face and body, making it necessary to remove the injured man to a Brockville hospital.

C. A. McCaffrey, commercial traveller, of Russell, was driving immediately behind the truck and reached the wrecked machine in a few seconds after the accident. Koster was still alive, but died within a minute after the traveller reached his side. Hearing a noise in the wrecked truck, McCaffrey hurried to it and found Smith within the cab. With the help of several other motorists, Smith was removed from the wreck and the coroner, Dr. MacIntosh and traffic officer Eugene Rose of Morrisburg, were notified.

The dead man was taken to the Marsh funeral parlours in Morrisburg and it has not been decided yet whether an inquest will be held. The two men had been in Canada previously, but had just entered the Dominion on Friday and were residing at a Williamsburg tourist home.

## Payne Valley

Mrs. Harris Rupert visited her parental home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eligh spent Saturday with Messrs. Alfred and Samuel Wells, Aultsville, and also called on Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schwerdfeger. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Legault and family who spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bouck and family at Aultsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bush called on Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cameron on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Jim McMillan spent Monday at her parental home, Mr. and Mrs. Alex McLean's, Finch.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Eligh visited the former's brother, Mr. Abe Eligh, and Mrs. Eligh and family at Newington on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bush called on Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cameron, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eligh spent Wednesday with the latter's daughter, Mrs. Leslie Stephenson, and Mr. Stephenson at Cornwall.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Rupert, Finch, Wednesday in games and dancing when neighbours and friends gathered at their new home. Lunch was served at midnight.

Mr. Norman Bethune of Newington East called in our Valley on Saturday last.

Mr. Hurrell, Carleton Place, R. O. P. Inspector, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Eligh.

Mrs. Albert Bush spent a couple of days last week with her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cameron, Finch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eligh spent Thursday last with Mrs. Mary MacIntyre and family.

### WINCHESTER DEALER SUFFERS FRACTURED ANKLE

Mr. John F. Gibson, cemetery memorial dealer of Winchester, had the misfortune to break two bones in his ankle on Monday evening while going up the steps of the Masonic Temple. He slipped and turned his foot sideways, which made the break. The fracture was reduced by Dr. McDougall and some of his Masonic brethren took him to his home at Winchester. He will be laid up for some time, and his friends hope no permanent injury will result.—Russell Leader.

# 5,000 Patrons of Manufactured Milk Concerns May Appeal to Natural Products Marketing Act

If Plant Offiicals Do Not Co-operate, Toronto Convention Decides,, as Time Expires for Production of Figures for Expenses, Profits, Expenses, Etc.—Local Secretary Reviews Situation.

Due to the natural interest evinced by questions asked of the directors, concerning the movements of the Ontario Manufactured Milk Producers Association, the local branch of which was organized here on February 14th, the directors thought it advisable to make public, through the medium of The Record what little they know of the progress being made.

The Chesterville local, being a late comer to the association, has no official member on the executive, which does all the actual work, and is not in as close touch with proceedings as we would like to be.

Previous to the general meeting held in Toronto the latter part of February, the executive had held a conference with representatives of the milk manufacturers, at which the manufacturers had agreed to furnish figures showing profits, expense, etc., of their business and displayed apparent willingness to co-operate with the association. They pointed out that it would require considerable time to make a summary of their business but asked for three weeks. The three weeks have passed but still they have not reported, although the president and the secretary of the producers' association have met them and they are at least beginning to understand just what the association is attempting to accomplish. It is quite natural that the large corporations, who have always run their own show (and the farmers, too), do not intend to help this association any more than necessary. At the convention it was decided that in case the manufacturers would not co-operate, to make application to operate under the Natural Products Marketing Act, put in force in 1934 by the Federal Government under direct sponsorship of the Hon. Robert Weir. To demonstrate that this Act has considerable power over producers and manufacturers, the following account of the tobacco growers' fight may be of interest, as given out to the delegates to the milk producers' convention in Toronto.

Down here in Eastern Ontario we do not know much about the tobacco industry, but it appears that if the grower can realize 19 cents a pound for a heavy crop or 20 cents for a medium crop he can at least live. A year ago last fall the large tobacco manufacturers apparently got together to buy cheap tobacco. Instead of their buyers going out and bidding against each other, as was formerly done, they merely went to the tobacco counties and spread the report that they didn't need the tobacco very badly. After giving out this information one buyer would go out and offer a farmer 16c a pound. The farmer refused. The next day a competitive buyer would come along and offer 14 cents. If the farmer again refused, another buyer would come along and offer 12 cents. By this time the tobacco grower was in despair and sold, and by his sale would set the price for the district. There happens to be in the tobacco coenties a few wealthy men growing considerable tobacco, who, realizing that such prices would ruin the tobacco industry, decided to put their money behind an organization to help the growers. About this time the Price Spread Probe was taking the tobacco companies under its scrutiny, finding and publishing the facts that the officials and large shareholders of the Imperial, McDonald and other tobacco companies were receiving large bonuses besides their salaries. The low price paid the farmer and the huge bonuses granted the rich did not meet with the approval of the government and it stepped in with the result that last fall, instead of the buyers going out to offer prices to the growers. Mr. Gray Miller, president of the Imperial Tobacco Company, went to Western Ontario and for four days sat on a hard backed chair in the little office of a county agricultural representative and conferred with a board composed of representatives of the growers, the buyers and the government concerning the price to be paid. After the conference ended the companies had agreed to pay an average of approximately 24½ cents a pound for average grade tobacco and the tobacco to be graded by government graders, not by the companies' buyers. This saved the tobacco counties from complete ruin and was accomplished by a number of determined men backed up by some money with the sympathetic help of the governmnt under the direct help of the Natural Products Marketing Act.

What can be done for tobacco growers can be done for and by the milk producers. There are about 5,000 milk patrons in Ontario who produce about 408,000,000 pounds of milk annually that is used for manufactured milk purposes. Considerably over 4 000 of these have signified their willingness to stand behind the association. Standing behind the association means being willing to have half a cent a hundred deducted from the monthly milk cheque and handed over to the treasurers of the association. At first it was understood that the manufacturers had agreed to deduct this amount but it has apparently turned out to be that if the farmer consents to having the amount deducted, they will look after it for the association. This may mean that before this money will be collected all farmers will have to sign a card or a petition to the effect that they are behind the association and will do everything in their power to help. Some think that half a cent a hundredweight is too large an amount to be deducted. In 408,000,000 pounds it amounts to roughly $20,400 which is a considerable amount of money, but no organization can expect to accomplish anything if handicapped by lack of financial backing. If and when results have been attained this amount is considered too much it can easily be lessened.

At present there is a committee working on a scheme to present to the Federal Government under conditions of the Natural Products Marketing Act. If this scheme is satisfactory to the government officials and acknowledged by the manufacturers, some action will soon take place. The change may not be immediately far-reaching but will be a start and, if followed up determinedly, will eventually mean the difference between existing on a farm and living on a farm.

Some of the points that the association hopes to be able to remedy are as follows:

Shortening the hours that patrons are obliged to wait when delivering milk to plants.

Butter fat test so conducted as to have the farmer confident he is getting correct test.

Price of milk paid to patron in reasonable ratio to price paid by consumer for manufactured product; not as now influenced by the price of cheese and butter.

Any movement that takes place will be published from time to time through the courtesy of The Record so that the farmers and those interested can keep in touch with the progress made by the association.

ERIC CASSELMAN,
Secretary of Local Branch.

### LONG-LIVED CANARY.

Carleton Place Canadian.

A canary belonging to Mr. George Kerr, on Francis street, died on Saturday morning last. The little feathered songster had reached the age of 17 years, was very tame, and was allowed out of the cage in the house almost every day, returning to the cage when tired. The bird was a great singer up until two months ago and grew to be the pet of the family.

Jock, a raw recruit, strolled past the colonel on the parade ground with his hands deep in his pockets.

The colonel glared at him in amazed silence, and then road—

"Who are you?"

"Fine, thank ye, hoo's yerself?" was the calm reply.

### MARRIAGE INCREASES MEN'S INTEREST IN NEWSPAPERS

MEN are faithful newspaper readers. A newspaper association recently chose a representative group of men to make a survey. It was found that 51 per cent read books an average slightly less than one a month; 74 per cent read magazines an average of 25 minutes a day; and 98 per cent read newspapers an average of 45 minutes per day. Matrimony increases men's interests in newspapers. Of a group of 100 single men, only 17 spent an hour or more with newspapers, the majority spending five to 30 minutes.

Wife: "The doctor says I need a change of climate."

Husband: "Weatherman says it will be muchwarmer to-morrow."

### DUNDAS COUNTY TRUSTEES AND RATEPAYERS.

During Easter Week (April 23, 24, 25) the different organizations forming the "Ontario Educational Association" will meet in Toronto to discuss important subjects in connection with education. The Teachers, the Inspectors, the Urban Trustees, etc., will be there to do their part. What about the Rural Trustees and Ratepayers? Are you sending the best member of your Board to this meeting? Have you forwarded your "membership" to Toronto? Our Secretary at Toronto says that only 6 schools have responded to his appeal. "Township or County Trustee Boards" are again among the subjects on which resolutions are being forwarded for discussion. What is your attitude toward these eubjects? Do not neglect to do your part.—A. D. CARKNER, President, Dundas County Trustee and Ratepayers Association.


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## Morewood

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Swerdfeger, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Swerdfeger, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Swerdfeger attended the funeral of Mrs. Fader of Marvelville on Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Campbell is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Ethel Servage, Chesterville.

Miss Margaret Carlyle of Westboro was a week-end guest at her home here.

Miss Melba Steinburg and friend were Sunday visitors at the home of Gordon Fraser.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Swerdfeger attended the Golden Anniversary of the marriage of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morgan, of Lunenburg.

Miss E. Reveler was a recent visitor with her aunt, Mrs. M. Moffatt.

Week-end visitors at John Wagner's were Mr. and Mrs. H. Casselman of Morrisburg.

Miss Marion Marcellus took tea on Sunday evening with Miss Jean Campbell.


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Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Coons and children spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Coons' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Smythe.

Mr. Roy Casselman called on his father, Mr. Jas. Casselman, Sunday evening.

Mr. Floyd Casselman called on his uncle, Mr. Jas. Casselman, Saturday.

Miss Beatrice Casselman spent the week end with Miss Leona Casselman.

Mr. Harold Millar opened the Toyes Hill factory this week but as yet there is not much milk.

Misses Beatrice and Leona Casselman called on Miss Ruth Harper Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Crowder entertained the young people to a euchre and dance on Tuesday evening. All enjoyed a pleasant time.

Mr. Earl Johnston had the misfortune to lose a horse this week.

ADVERTISE TO-DAY — MORE BUSINESS TO-MORROW.

## Nation Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rae visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rae, Maple Ridge, at the first of the week.

The family of the late Mrs. A. D. Summers have the sympathy of this vicinity.

Mrs. Geo. Smith of Campbell's Bay has returned home, having been here to attend the funeral of her mother.

Mr. Preston Rae of Morrisburg spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rae.

Mr. Walter Merkley has returned home to Theodore, Sask., having spent the past three months at the Jamieson home.

Mr. H. E. Hurrell of Smiths Falls, R.O.P. Inspector, spent the week end at the Jamieson farm.

Mr. Allan Summers of Winchester was visiting his brother, Mr. Alex. Summers.

On Friday evening last the members of the hockey team were tendered an oyster supper by the residents and other friends of this community. The banquet was held at the spacious home of Mr. Grant Gray. The evening was spent in euchre and dancing music being furnished by the Barkley and Munro orchestra. Nearing midnight, supper was served to over 80 guests, including members of the team and their friends. Mrs. Kenneth Merkley acted as hostess, assisted by Mrs. John Munro. Although a very disagreeable night, the people turned out in goodly numbers to do honour to the boys who richly deserve any success of the past season.

Mrs. Derry Jenning has returned home to Madrid, N.Y., having attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Summers.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Allison spent Tuesday in Cornwall.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Garlough visited the latter's parents at Williamsburg on Sunday last.

Mr. Herbert Ball of Maple Ridge is spending this summer with Mr. Geo. C. Merkley.

## Orchardside

Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Barkley of Spruce Grove visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Elliott on Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas. Beckstead, Mr. Arza Beckstead and Miss Essie Beckstead visited Mr. and Mrs. David Beckstead on Sunday.

Miss Eldred Edgerton, RN., and Miss Marion Smith, R N., of Ogdensburg spent the week end at Mr. Wilburn Edgerton's.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Irving and Miss Ethelwyn Irving of Mountain spent Sunday at Mr. Wm. Irving's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McIntosh and Mrs. Roy Elliott visited at the home of Mr. Geo. Elliott on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Beckstead and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Herriman of Elma on Sunday.

## Goldfield

Mrs. C. Wolfe of Ottawa and Mr. A. P. McLean attended the funeral of the late Mr. Isaiah McBride held at his late residence at Northfield on Tuesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Warner and son Cecil, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Gillies and family attended the funeral of the late Mr. John Duff of Avonmore. Mr. Duff was a grandfather of Mr. C. F. Warner.

Misses Aileen and Margaret McLean and Messrs. Hawley McLean and Cedric McLeod spent Thursday in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Anderson and baby Gordon of Montreal are spending a few weeks' holidays with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nephew, and family.

Miss Margaret Nephew, R.N., of Montreal is spending a week at her home.

Mr. Thos. Mallett and Messrs. M. and I. Ouderkirk spent the week end with friends at Brockville.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Foley and family were Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Foley, Mr. James McMahon and Misses Margaret and Rose McMahon.

Messrs. John Nephew and Simeon Ouderkirk spent Monday in Berwick.

Mrs. J. Burd of Crysler visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burd on Sunday.

Mr. Alpine Ferguson of Crysler visited relatives here at the week end.

Mr. John D. Dunbar and Miss Adena Dunbar visited with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. McLean and family, Sunday.


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**THE CHIEF SCOUT'S PARTY**

The Chief Scout's party will consist, besides himself, of Lady Baden-Powell, their daughters the Hon. Heather and Hon. Betty Baden-Powell, and Lt.-Col. G. Walton, Headquarters Commissioner for Rover Scouts, and Mrs. G. Walton.

**ANNUAL REPORT SHOWS PROGRESS IN ALL BRANCHES**

The Annual Report of the Provincial Council for Ontario shows satisfactory progress has been made both in the increase of membership and financially. A total of 1,222 was added to the Scout population of our province last year, bringing the membership to 25,975 at the census of October 31st. The increase this past year was 3.6 per cent more than in 1933 and since 1929 there have been 8,668 added to the total of our Provincial membership. This has taxed the resources of the Toronto headquarters staff to the maximum but they have managed to carry on in a magnificent manner. Thirty Ontario cities and towns now have Scout populations of more than 100, and Boy Scout numbers (aside from Rover Scouts and Wolf Cubs) reached 12,596 as compared with 12,178 for 1933, and Scout Troops increased from 505 to 536.

An outstanding feature of the Boy Scouts branch of the activities was the Junior Leaders' Conferences held at many centres throughout the Province and attended by 1.106 Troop Leaders and Patrol Leaders. As conducted by our Field Secretaries, these two-day conferences have proven an effective means of instructing and inspiring our boy leaders. The conference for our local district was held in Cornwall last October and was attended by our four Patrol Leaders.

**KINGSFORD-SMITH AN OLD SCOUT.**

Sir Charles Kingsford-Smith, the famous airman, credits early Boy training with contributing to his success as a long distance flyer. Addressing a Scout Troop in Melbourne, he is quoted as saying, Twenty-three years ago I was a Boy Scout, and I can say that the training I received in the Scout Law, in observation and practical work has stood me in good stead, and has never been forgotten, even on long distance flights."

**PLANS FOR OTTAWA RALLY IN HONOUR OF LORD AND LADY BADEN-POWELL**

Announcement has been made of the plans for the combined rally and entertainment by Guides and Scouts to be held in the Auditorium at Ottawa on Saturday, May 18th, commencing at 2.30 p.m., and joint committees of the two organizations are developing details for what should be one of the finest events ever held in the Capital.

The 1st Chesterville Troop hopes to be able to attend in a body and this information has been sent to Ottawa in the required form mailed to Scouters. The S.M. sincerely wishes that the Scouts will be in full uniform by that time which will be our first and last chance "to see and be seen" by the Chief Scout who is now on his way homeward from a world tour which included the Jamboree in Australia last December. Special round-trip rates for one-way first-class fare have been arranged with the railway companies for bona fide Scouts and special certificates have been provided for Scouts and Guides to enable them to purchase the excursion tickets. As Ottawa is reached so easily from here by motor, our troop will go in by motor.

At one time the Boy Scout Movement was alleged to be a disguised form of military training. A generation of experience has taught us that it has been a generation of training soldiers—but soldiers of peace, not of war.

**CANADIAN SCOUT BEACONS PLANNED TO CELEBRATE KING'S SILVER JUBILEE**

Scout Leader.—To mark the Silver Jubilee, or 25th Anniversary, of King George's accession to the throne, May 6th next, the Boy Scouts of Britain will light a chain of beacon fires from John o'Groats to Land's End an hour after sunset.

Naturally the first thought upon learning of this plan in December was that we in Canada should attempt the same thing from sea to sea. Obviously, however, the greater distances between population centres, notably along the Great Lakes and across the prairies, and the problems of terrain (including the Rocy Mountains) made the visible beacon chain idea impossible.

**A Succession of Beacons.**

The nearest we could come to duplicating the Old Country plan would be a succession of fires starting in Cape Breton shortly after dusk on the evening of May 6th, the other sections of the Dominion following as dusk rolls westward.

This is the suggestion that is offered as a scoutlike, appropriate demonstration of loyal remembrance, and at the same time a contribution to local Jubilee celebrations.

**Royal Salute of Rockets.**

As an added feature it is suggested that as each beacon is lighted, or immediately before, a Royal Salute of 21 rockets be fired into the air.

**Co-Operation With Local Plans.**

The beacon and rocket plan would of course be discussed with local Jubilee committees, so that it may be incorporated in the local celebration programme. Municipal fireworks displays might affect plans for the Scout rocket salute.

In the Museum of the Bank of Montreal at Montreal is a book published in 1705, "New Voyages to North America," containing a dictionary of the Algonquin language, which reveals that the Algonquin word for fire was "scoute." To strike fire with a stone was "scouticke."

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Jr. III—Jack Casselman 88, Rex Casselman 45, Beatrice Froats 40.

II—Bernice Barkley 71, Leon McMillan 70.

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Jr. Pr.—Ray Casselman, Harold Hodgson.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 4TH, 1935.

## Trade Agreement Would Keep U.S. From Starving

"FACING a condition during the next fifteen months that is tantamount to starvation, the United States still withholds action on a reciprocal trade agreement with Canada that would release this country's abundant reserves."

This is the pointed comment of Thomas Wayling who writes in Liberty Magazine in conjunction with Charles W. Burkett, noted agricultural au hority, who, in the same publication, sees many Americans in the low wage class facing actual starvation as the result of the drought and the United States curtailment programme.

Mr. Burkett's statement, "People can starve just as readily by eating improper food as they can by not having enough food," draws the belief from Mr. Wayland that "red tape and tariff barriers are doing a great injustice in both countries, when Canada stands ready to supply fruits, meats, dairy products and vegetables.'

According to Mr. Burkett, who takes his figures from a bulletin issued by the United States Department of Agriculture, every person needs 1,800 pounds of food a year. On this basis the United States production of foodstuffs in 1929 was seventeen per cent less than needed.

"Yet in 1930, a year later, the American tariff went into effect and Canadian food exports to that country went steadily down. From $22,000,000 in 1930 it dropped to $2,000,000 in 1934," Mr. Wayland writes.

## S. S. No. 13, Williamsburg

March Report.

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Sr. Pr.—Margery Thom, Jack Wallace, Joyce MacKenzie.

Jr. Pr.—Keith Hess, Rae Hess.

—Olive T McIntosh, Teacher.

## Maroons and Leafs In First Big Game To-nignt

**Montreal Team Engages in Flashy Practice Before Journey, While Leafs Rest From the Game in the Sun at Galt.**

Montreal. — Tommy Gorman, on skates, leaned back against the boards at the Forum and watched his Maroons practice at torrid speed. Yelling occasion exhortations to pep it up or call approval for some sparkling play, Manager Gorman took time out to make a few observations about the forthcoming Stanley Cup final against the Maple Leafs, which opens to-nigh in Toronto.

The Maroon mentor the previous day was reticent about making any predictions at all, but as he viewed his red team go he waxed enthusiastic.

"Say," he snapped, "that Toronto team can't hold this speed. Look at the balance we've got in every forward line and watch our defencemen stop them."

He warmed up to the subject.

"Mind, I'm not detracting from the Leafs' power one little bit; it's going to be a tough battle every inch of the way. But we're not afraid of them.

"Who'll watch Conacher and Jackson? Why Northcott and Ward, of course. But it really doesn't matter. Any of our lines can cover them like a lid. And we're not only going to watch them, but we'll carry the play to them, too."

Maroons were supposed to drill in the morning of Tuesday but the colourful decorations in the ice painted in for the charity carnival the night before had not been removed in time for the original workout, so they practiced in the afternoon before a fair-sized gallery of railbirds.

Galt, Ont.—Toronto Maple Leafs resting at nearby Preston Springs for the Stanley Cup final against the Montreal Maroons held their only ice practice here yesterday morning. They put on skates for the first time since Pep Kelly broke up the National Hockey League final series with his overtime goal against Boston Saturday night.

In charge of Coach Dick Irvin, the Leafs spent Tuesday quietly, many of them motoring 15 miles to Guelph for a visit to the Ontario Reformatory. They spent the greater part of the day outdoors.

Several hundred Galt fans expected to see the N.H.L. champions hold their ice workout which Irvin had indicated would be a brisk skating practice with plenty of shooting but no body-checking.

In the afternoon some of the players went to the Westwood golf club for a round and others went to Hespeler for a shoot at the gun club.

The Hamilton Gun Club sent a team for a Skeet competition with the Leafs. Joe Primeau, Red Horner, Hap Day, Charlie Conacher, Harvey Jackson and Harold Cotton are keen hunters.

## Cannamore Folk Remember Family Leaving Distric t

**Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hayes and Family Presented With Well-Filled Purse at Farewell Party.**

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hayes, Cannamore, on the eve of their departure for their new home. About 75 people enjoyed the evening in games and dancing to music furnished by the Hillis and Arbuthnot orchestra. At 11.30 o'clock, Mr. and Mrs. Hayes were called to the floor when the following address was read by Mrs. Cecil Arbuthnot, and a well-filled purse presented to them.

Cannamore, March 29, 1935.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Hayes and Family,

We, your friends and neighbours, are assembled here this evening to spend a social hour with you on the eve of your departure from our midst.

Although your sojourn has been short in this community, you have made many warm friends and were always ready to give a helping hand in time of need.

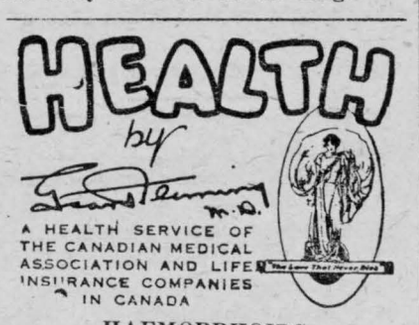
We will miss your kindly smile and cheerful disposition. We also hope your short stay in our vicinity has been enjoyed by you to some small measure. While we deeply regret losing you as kind friends and neighbours, we know our loss will be someone else's gain.

We cannot allow this occasion to pass without expressing in some way the esteem in which you are held by your many friends. We ask you to accept this purse, not for its intrinsic value, but in the spirit in which it is given. It is our earnest wish and hope that you may always enjoy long life, health and prosperity.

Signed on behalf of your friends and neighbours of this community,

Ernest McConnell, Wm. Hillis.

Mr. Hayes made a brief reply and the guests joined in singing "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows." After lunch, dancing was continued until the early hours of the morning.




### HAEMORRHOIDS.

HAEMORRHOIDS are dilated veins at the orifice of the rectum. They may be external, or internal or a combination of both. The internal are covered by the mucous membrane which lines the bowel, while the external are covered by skin.

Haemorrhoids may cause considerable discomfort, and for that reason they are of importance. The most common symptom is bleeding. Besides being the most common symptom, it is by far the most important because bleeding is also a common early symptom of cancer of the rectum.

Many a life is lost needlessly owing to neglect as regards the passage of blood from the rectum, the individual thinking this to be due to haemorrhoids. It is quite possible for the two conditions to exist at the same time in the same patient, so it is obviously important never to neglect any bleeding, no matter how slight, from the rectum.

Soreness, sometimes itching and perhaps an aching sensation are often experienced with haemorrhoids. Real pain usually means a complication a complication such as a fissure (tear), ulcer or rupture of a small vein forming a tender external tumour under the skin. Internal haemorrhoids tend to prolapse or protrude, but they can usually be pushed back by gentle pressure.

The cause is to be found in any condition which interferes with the free flow of blood in the veins of the rectum. Haemorrhoids are a frequent complication of pregnancy. They are sometimes a result of constipation.

Attention to diet with regular elimination will correct the condition when it has arisen from constipation. The termination of pregnancy usually results in the clearing-up of haemorrhoids associated with the pregnancy.

Temporary relief can often be secured by applications of ice and soothing ointments or suppositories, and by attention to elimination. For persistent cases which cause real annoyance, satisfactory treatment by surgical operation or the injection method is available.

The best method in each case depends chiefly on the location and severity of the condition. The injection method is not suitable for external haemorrhoids. By far the most important thing in connection with this annoying affliction is to remember that whenever bleeding occurs, a careful examination is required, without delay, to find the cause of the bleeding. That is the one most important thing to do in all cases; it is a practice which would save a number of lives.

Questions concerning health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College street, Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

Father (at son's 21st birthday party): "You are of age now, and you must begin to help me a little."

Son: "Yes, dad. What can I do?"

Father: "You might pay the last three instalments on your perambulator."

A Cockney music-hall performer was describing to a group of fellow-professionals what had happened the night before to a brother actor whom he spoke of affectionately as " 'Arry."

"Poor old 'Arry, 'e 'ad an awful time," he said. "They wouldn't let 'im even finish. Before 'e was 'arf through the first verse of 'is opening song they began giving 'im the bird proper. And when 'e finished, they 'issed 'im right off the stage. They 'issed and kept on 'issing even after 'e was out of sight. Right after 'im I 'ad to go on."

"How did your act go?" inquired one of the listeners.

"Oh, I got over fine," said the Cockney. "But right in the middle of my act they started 'issing 'Arry again."

Wife (reading): "It says here they have found a sheep in the Himalaya Mountains that can run 40 miles an hour."

Hubby: "Well, it would take a lamb like that to follow Mary nowadays."

## GOOD THINGS TO EAT

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### FRESH MAPLE SYRUP IS FOR SALE.

HOW GOOD that first dish of fresh maple syrup tastes every spring! And what a welcome addition it is to our spring menus. Piping hot griddle cakes practically swimming in maple syrup; cornmeal muffins and popovers with maple syrup; maple syrup made into a delicious pie; a cottage pudding with a maple sauce. There are countless possibilities for using this ever-popular syrup which tells us more surely than anything else that spring is truly here to stay.

### MAPLE SYRUP PIE.

½ cup maple syrup
2 eggs
1 cup milk
1 tablespoon cornstarch
2 tablespoons sugar

Heat milk in a double boiler; add syrup, beaten egg yolks, cornstarch and salt mixed. Stir constantly until thick. Cool slightly and pour onto a baked pie shell. Beat whites of eggs stiff and add sugar. Spread on top of pie and brown in a slow oven.

### MAPLE SYRUP PUDDING SAUCE.

1 cup maple syrup
1 cup water
1 tablespoon butter
1 tablespoon flour
Salt
Nutmeg

Heat syrup and water, add flour made into paste with a little of the cold water. Stir until thickened; add butter, salt and a few gratings of nutmeg.

### SOUR MILK PANCAKES.

2 cups flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
⅜ teaspoon baking soda
½ teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons sugar
2 cups stale bread crumbs
1 egg
1¼ cup sour milk
1½ tablespoon melted butter

Mix and sift dry ingredients. Soften bread crumbs in boiling water; Drain off surplus water. Beat bread until smooth; add flour. Add beaten egg, milk and butter. Mix as little as possible. Bake on a greased hot griddle or iron frying pan. Turn only once during baking.

### CORNMEAL MUFFINS.

2-3 cup cornmeal
1 1-3 cup flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1-3 teaspoon baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
2½ tablespoons sugar
1 egg
1¼ cup sour milk
2½ tablespoons butter

Mix and sift flour, baking powder, baking soda, salt and sugar and mix with cornmeal. Beat eggs; add milk Make a small depression in the centre of the flour mixture and pour in egg and milk mixture and lastly melted butter. Stir as little as possible in mixing; turn into wide greased muffin tins and bake in a moderate oven 25 minutes.

### MAPLE MOUSE.

Whip one pint of heavy cream. Sweeten to taste with maple syrup. Turn into a mould, cover and pack in ice and salt and let stand from 4 to 6 hours to freeze or place in the freezing unit of a mechanical refrigerator.

### MAPLE CHARLOTTE.

1 tablespoon gelatine
½ cup cold water
½ cup scalded milk
¼ cup brown sugar
½ cup maple syrup
1 teaspoon heavy cream

Soften gelatine in cold water. Add to scalded milk, stir until dissolved. Add sugar and maple syrup, and stir until dissolved. Add vanilla Set in a cool place until partly set. Beat until foamy with a dover beater; fold in whipped cream. Line individual moulds or one large mould with a thin layer of sponge cake and on this pour the charlotte mixture. Chill, unmold and serve.

Stiffly beaten egg whites may be substituted for part of the cream if desired.

In setting a table the napkin should be placed at the left of the forks and parallel with them. If the napkin is folded in a square, it is placed so that the open corners are at the lower edge toward the plate.

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If properly laundered, a tablecloth should have only one crease, the straight central crease, which should always be in the exact centre of the table. A cloth should fall from 12 to 15 inches below the edge of the table.

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**Questions should be addressed to Miss Helen Lacey, Chesterville Record.**

"What were the provisions of your uncle's will?"

"I was to have everything after the payment of his just debts."

"How generous. What did he leave?"

"Just debts."

Small Boy: "Quick, policeman! A man's been beating my father for more than an hour."

Policeman: "Why didn't you call me sooner?"

Small Boy: "Father was getting the best of it until a few minutes ago."




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# SOLID GOLD

THE COMPLAINING brakes eased the heavy wagon down the pitch from the second to the first river bottom. The driver, Uncle Josh Potter, a "down-east" Yankee, grizzled veteran of many lonely, toilsome trips, was hauling supplies from Pierre, Dakota, to the Black Hills. The gold fever of 1874 had just broken out.

Other men could chase glittering, elusive fortune as she ever fled before them, but he was content with the comparatively sure profit of hauling supplies to them as they mined for gold far beyond the reach of the railways.

Just before he pitched down from the second bottom he looked back with the tightly puckered eyes of a long dweller on the sun-baked plains.

"Funny!" he muttered. "Funny they don't seem to ketch up!"

From early morning until late afternoon he had known that someone was behind him—always just on the other side of the low hills that he passed. He had seen the dust cloud that they had stirred up in the road soon after his start, but even though he waited several times during the day they failed to overtake him.

Skillfully guiding his four-horse team along the crooked trail as it wound among the willows on the river bottom, he came to the ford. In he plunged and soon pulled up on the opposite bank. Swinging up to the old familiar camping place, he climbed stiffly down from the wagon. As he landed on the ground, the gaunt, white horse on the near side lashed out viciously with both hind feet. Only the fact that the old man stumbled and half fell, so that the horse's feet passed over his back, saved him from serious injury.

Sitting up out of reach, Uncle Josh looked wonderingly at the bony beast which stood motionless on three legs, with one hind foot tipped up carelessly against the other.

"Holy smoke! He can fairly kick the stars off the sky. Never traded hosses without gitttin' stung."

He unhitched the four tired beasts and hobbled them. They ate their scanty ration of grain and fell to gnawing the short buffalo grass with avidity. When supper was over, he waded the ford and strolled back along the trail to see whether the travellers who had followed him were in sight. He was camped on the only water hole for miles; surely they would try to make it by night.

Nothing was in sight. He stopped in surprise; it was incredible that he could have made a mistake and that no one was behind. Dropping to the ground, he cut away the bunch grass with his knife until he could get his ear on the hard-baked earth. With mouth open, he listened intently. Far away he heard the tramping of horses mere whispers of sounds, almost inaudible even to his trained ears, but unmistakable.

Puzzled, he rose and stood thinking. Why was this party camping on the dry prairie when the water was within a mile or two of them? To be sure they might be "tenderfeet" and new to the road; but even so, why had they not caught up with his heavy-loaded, slow-moving wagon? Shaking his head, he plodded back to camp. He had not dared go farther back toward the strangers for he must watch his load. All he had in the world was on those four wheels — nearly fifteen hundred dollars, all told—and he must watch it.

Darkness came on, and the chill night wind rose. As he was tying each horse to his wheel, he again narrowly escaped a vicious slash from the white beast.

"You're a fiery old tarnal, ain't ye?" he gasped. "I'll jest give ye the short end of the evener t'-morrer, and then we'll see."

He sat long by the fire wrapped in his blanket, musing on the strange behaviour of the travellers behind. The moon rose, a thin red crescent in the south. The coyotes ran yapping over the low hills round him. Finally when the last embers of the dying fire burned out, he crept under the wagon and lay down. But a strange misgiving kept him awake.

He put his ear close to the ground, and again heard the tramp of horses' feet, but nearer!

Sitting bolt upright, he reached for his old muzzle loader. It was what was known as an eight gauge—a truly monstrous gun. He used to say he had owned it ever since it was a revolver. At one time it had been used for market hunting on the bow of a ducking boat.

With ears sharpened for every sound, he listened. Some one was dismounting on the far side of the ford. If the strangers intended to cross the stream, they must come straight to the camp; otherwise they would have trouble, for the water was deep on either side of the ford.

Darkness shrouded the stream bed, but presently a cautious splashing told him that some one was coming across. He remained under the wagon and watched silently. For more than an hour he sat ready and alert, with his finger on the trigger; but there was no sound. At last, when he was almost ready to shout, to call for a show of hands, he heard a splash, and a minute or two later a faint drumming of hoofs. His callers had departed! How near they had been, what they had been looking for, was a mystery to him. He circled round his bivouac, speculating on what a night prowler could see. Stooping at one point, he saw that the wagon was silhouetted against the skyand that under the centre of it, his form as he sat erect with the gun in his hands, must have been plainly discernible. Carefully avoiding the heels of Old Dynamite, as he had already named the kicker, he crept back and tried to sleep. But his excited imagination pictured every movement of the horses as an onslaught of murderous thieves, every sound on the prairie as the stealthy approach of foes.

The night marched by on dragging feet. After an infinite age a shiver of light showed in the east. Indistinct objects that had been grim shapes of terror all night resolved themselves into old clumps of willow brush. Swiftly Old Haymaker mounted in his course, and the miracle of the day was wrought anew.

As soon as it was light, Uncle Josh was out looking for tracks. He could read signs as well as the Indians could read them. The hard-baked ground gave no information, but by lying down and looking toward the sun, he could see where some one had walked through the dewy grass. The ford showed tracks with boot heels—two white men had waded across, reconnoitred and gone back. Both wore spurs, one was tall and the other was short, as the length of the strides showed, and both carried rifles; the print of the butts showed in one place.

While getting breakfast Uncle Josh pondered deeply. Apparently his visitors had discovered that he was heavily armed; apparently also they were interested in the heavy load of valuable goods that his wagon carried.

As he drove up out of the river bottom Uncle Josh whirled for the hundredth time since starting to see who followed. On the bare, gleaming prairie, scorched by the sun and burned by the hot south wind, no human being was in sight.

All day he drove on. At noon he watered his team from the barrels slung on either side of the "prairie schooner;" at night he camped beside a tiny rivulet that was bitter with alkali. Even the willows almost refused to grow along its banks. It was on a high plateau and there was no other water for miles. Surely, thought the old man, if those who followed were honest, they must come in for water now.

All the evening he watched, but nothing came in sight except coyotes and flying owls. No unusual sound disturbed the air; but nevertheless Uncle Josh "felt in his bones" that danger lurked near. About eleven o'clock, as he lay flat on the ground in order to see flat against the sky, several indistinct shapes appeared dodging from bush to bush, drawing nearer.

"Hold up there!" he suddenly shouted. "What you lookin' for?"

The figures drew back into the shadows. Guarded whispers came to him from several points, but no attack, no other sound.

All night long Uncle Josh watched. Morning found him red-eyed and weary, with nerves worn to a "frazzle," head light and dizzy as he walked. But he was game; it was only a little thing, he assured himself as he prepared his morning meal. If they did nothing worse than look at him, he would be all right. He decided to take a nap before he started in order to be fresh to watch that night; but when he tried it, he lay with staring eyes. When he shut them, it was as if sand were under the lids.

For half an hour he lay on his blankets with the glare of the sun in his face, and in that time he sprang up to look around a dozen times. Finally, he jumped to his feet in disgust, hitched up and drove on.

All through the day his team plodded ahead. Sitting bolt upright, he fell asleep many times, only to wake in a few minutes staring wildly back to see whether the mysterious followers were in sight. All day the sun scorched him and the hot wind dried up his very blood.

They were getting over into the sand country with the first dry camp before them that night. The wheels sank deeply into the yielding ground, and at times it required every ounce of strength that the team possessed to pull the heavy wagon through.

When the sun was low, Uncle Josh halted his horses on the flat, level upland; the only water was in the barrels, and there was no grass except the wiry, sour grass not worthy the name of feed. Unhitching the beasts, he tied each with double lines and fed them from the baled hay that he carried. He also threw up a breastwork of sand under the wagon, where he dug a hole deep enough to shelter his body.

Darkness seemed to come on with a rush. Creeping into his fort, he dragged the great gun in after him. He had reloaded it carefully with about four inches of powder rammed into the heavy breech, and three layers of buckshot in each barrel. Putting on fresh caps, he waited.

The moon did not do much to lighten the scene, and even its feeble light was shut off by clouds that rolled up from the southwest early in the evening. By midnight the heavens were covered; objects four feet away were completely swallowed up. To the watching, waiting man the universe seemed to float in an aching void of blackness.

With nerves on edge and all his faculties sharpened, he noticed every sound. Half crazed from lack of sleep he was ready to fire at every noise he heard, but he restrained himself with an effort and waited. Between one and two o'clock in the morning the wind fell, and a breathless hush seemed the preliminary to some dreadful calamity.

Suddenly he heard directly in front of him a strange, indefinite rustling of something creeping toward the wagon! The horse hitched to the hind wheel heard it, and stopped aimlessly grinding his molars, and the silent watcher dimly saw him turn his head to look.

On the thing came, crawling silently. Uncle Josh cocked the great gun and braced himself in his pit; for the weapon, loaded as it was, kicked terribly. As he started to pull the trigger he paused. He was ready to shoot in self defence, but only as a last resort.

Just as he opened his mouth to give a hail something happened. The white horse squealed shrilly and lashed out with both hind feet. There was a soft thud. Again Old Dynamite kicked like lightning, and Uncle Josh knew instantly that the iron-shod feet had found their mark, for an agonized yell rent the air. A confused tumbling in the grass before him gave evidence that more than one man rolled in agony. The white horse stood quietly looking keenly behind him.

Leaping from his barricade, the old man lighted a lantern. Two men lay on the ground in front of him. One of them rolled back and forth, holding his jaw in both hands; the other, except for inarticulate moans, was quiet.

Carefully circling outside the range of Old Dynamite's artillery, Uncle Josh bent over the stricken men.

"What's th—" he began.

A heavy body was thrown violently again him, and again Old Dynamite's war cry rang out. Uncle Josh stumbled backward as a third man was added to the old horse's tally for the night. The outlaw had seen Uncle Josh, by the light of the lantern, bending over his companions, and, thinking it a good chance to overpower him, had slipped up behind.

Hastening back inside his defences, Uncle Josh lay there for more than an hour. There was no telling how many men were near, ready to murder him if need be, to accomplish their ends.

Fially, the increasing groans of the trio brought him forth in spite of the danger. They were in a sorry plight. Uncle Josh built a fire of buffalo chips and one by one dragged them up to it. The first had been bleeding terribly at the nose and ears; both eyes were swelled shut and there was a vivid lump on the side of his face.

"You're sure in bad shape," said the old man. "Jest exactly what seems to ail ye?"

The man, mumbling, made a sign that he would write.

"I vow!" said Uncle Josh, aimlessly hunting in his vest pocket for the stub of a pencil he thought he had. "Don't believe I got a thing to write with."

The man wrote scraggily in the sand with his finger, and Uncle Josh, studying the marks by the light of his lantern, finally made out, "Jaw broke."

"I snum!" said he sympathetically. "I hadn't no idee that hoss wus as bad as that."

Making the man as comfortable as he could, he examined the others. One had an arm and several ribs broken; and although the third man showed no marks, he was half unconscious and seemed to be badly injured.

"I vum!" remarked Uncle Josh, as he stood off and surveyed his catch. "I'm goin' to leave my gun to hum next trip. I couldn't hev got all three of ye at two shots if I'd tried."

Morning broke with a high wind and a severe electric storm raging. The heavy, rolling black clouds almost dragged the ground. Deafening crashes of thunder sounded, with a continuous glare of lightning, but only an occasional drop of rain spattered here and there in the sand.

Silently the old man prepared the breakfast, and offered food to the one man that he thought could eat; but the fellow shook his head. He was raging with fever.

After a furious fight with the kicker, Uncle Josh hitched up the four horses. Carefully lifting the three men into the "prairie schooner," he turned back toward Pierre.

The sky cleared. The sun resumed its beating on the white wagon cover. The wheels lurched through the ruts, and the beating hoofs sent the choking dust rolling high in the air. Myriads of buffalo flies swarmed on the horses and invaded the wagon. Lamentations rose from inside.

About noon Uncle Josh saw a mile or so away to the right a knot of men on horseback rounding up a herd of horses. Digging up an old field glass, the old man looked them over. Then, swinging his team, he pulled across the prairie and presently was delivering his three prisoners into the hands of a government marshal, who explained that they were thieves who had been heading for the Bad Lands with stolen horses. They had been unable to get supplies, and Uncle Josh's wagon had offered the easiest available method of stocking themselves with what they needed. While they hung to his trail waiting for a favourable opportunity to attack, the marshal had been able to catch up with them.

"Where were you headed for?" queried the marshal after the old man had delivered his prisoners. "It would have been lots easier to go right on and turn them over to the authorities at Deadwood."

"I wus three days nearer Pierre than Deadwood," Uncle Josh responded.

"I know that. But see the time you would have lost; why—"

"That's an awful rough country to haul them wounded men through."

"That's all true, but after what they tried to do to you—"

"They ain't no good doctors there," said Uncle Josh gruffly. "You better git a move on and take 'em where they can 'tended to."

He swung his horses; the kicker rolled his eye wickedly and switched his tail; and the wagon rumbled away toward Deadwood.

The officer stood looking after the outfit.

"He's common enough looking old scrub," he remarked to several standing near, "but he'd assay one hundred per cent pure—solid gold."

Buy the Best Tea

"SALADA" TEA

Caddie (to his employer, who is holding up several players): "Cheer up, sir, there worse players than what you are."

Dud Golfer (playing his tenth): "Oh, well, that's a little consolation, anyway!"

Caddie: "Yes; but they stays in the club 'house an' plays bridge."

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He was a hefty countryman, spending one of his rare days in the city. About noon he entered a small restaurant which offered "Special Lunch. As much as you can eat for 1s 6d."

The waiter showed him to a table.

"Our 'Special lunch' sir? Certainly. The menu? Well, there's tomato soup, oxtail soup, grilled sole, boiled halibut, roast beef, Yorkshire pudding, baked potatoes, apple tart with cream, jam roll, biscuits and coffee."

"Ah—that sounds champion. Well, bring me tomato soup, oxtail soup, sole, halibut, beef, pudding and spuds, some jam roll and biscuits and coffee."

"Er—yes, sir," said the astonished waiter. "Will that be all, sir?"

"Aye—ah reckon so."

"May I ask, sir, what's wrong with the apple tart?"

## ALONG THE AIR WAVES

By ETHERITE.

### A NEWSPAPER MAN'S FAITH HELPED HELENE MORTON

There used to be a tradition that husbands were opposed to their wives continuing with, or entering, professional careers especially when those careers brought them before the public. That tradition, however, seems to have been left behind in recent years.

There is the case of Helene Morton. When, a little over a year ago, she married a young newspaper man after enjoying an auspicious start as a vocalist over the Canadian Radio Commission's Regina studios, she was encouraged rather than discouraged, to continue with her career.

When Helene and her husband came east on their honeymoon, she was offered the opportunity of singing over CRCT. Instantly she scored a "bull's eye" and was given a place with the stellar lights of the "Gaiety and Romance" programme and from the on made such rapid strides that to-day she is known from coast to coast.

Tall, brunette, and a lover of winter sports, Helene is also an all-round gal with other attributes. She is, for instance, quite good at sketching, has executive ability, and can handle a horse as well, almost, as any of the fast ridin' boys from the wild and woolly west.

In Toronto, however, Helene doesn't get much chance to ride but 'tis said that she is figuring out some way of bringing east a western pony, "trimmings and all."

### MORE LAURELS FOR THE NORTHERN MESSENGER.

The Northern Messenger Service, sponsored by the Canadian Radio Commission, has definitely proved its worth in more ways than one, but recently it fulfilled a very real and humane service of which it might well be proud. Seriously concerned for the safety of his son David, who was reported to be living in an igloo near Baker Lake, N.W.T., and who had not been heard from for several weeks, William Irwin requested the Commission to send out a message via short-wave during its evening broadcast This was done and within twenty-four hours the anxious father learned that his son was safe and well. Another grateful parent joins the growing list of those who appreciate this service rendered by the Commission.

### VANCOUVER SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA WILL BE HEARD.

On Sunday, April 7th, at 8 o'clock, the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra will occupy the National Network of the CRC and there will be a good deal of pleasure in store for those who are fond of more serious music. This is another manifestation of the progress which British Columbia is making toward symphonic cultivation. The festival movement, incidentally, is becoming highly popular in that province and it appears that the West bids fair to become as competitive in that regard as the East. A healthy sign of Canada's musical development.

### SPARKLING MUSIC NEEDED.

Howard Fogg, the well known Montreal orchestra leader, has a panacea for people suffering from mental and physical depression. "Sparkling music and plenty of it," says he, "will alleviate melancholia quicker than anything else." He believes this is especially applicable to radio entertainment.

### BEAVER BEND OF RADIO FAME.

Where is Beaver Bend, people are asking these days. But in the West they know. Beaver Bend is a make-believe community that comes into existence every Monday evening at 10 o'clock in the studios of CKY, Winnipeg. It is the home of the Youngbloods and is probably the most famous of any village known to Canadians. Even the postal officials express no wonderment when they receive letters addressed to that place. With a chuckle and a smile they just forward them to Bernard Latham and he in turn delivers them to the Youngbloods.

### HONOUR FOR DR. GAGNIER.

This week's orchid goes to Dr. J. J. Gagnier, the CRC musical director for Quebec province who, we are informed, has been elected a director of the American Bandmaster's Association. Dr. Gagnier won his way into the hearts of the United States musicians during his recent visit to Cincinnati where he attended the Bandmaster's convention and was heard in several of his own martial compositions. He also led the famous Armco Band and participated as guest conductor in several concerts and broadcasts in connection with the convention.

### RADIO FEATURES WEEK BY WEEK.

**To-night:**

**9.00 o'clock: "Il Duce of Italy"**—An address by Prof. F. H. Soward, University of British Columbia.

**Friday:**

**8.00 o'clock: "Rainbow Review"**—Fun, laughter and song for fifteen minutes. From Ottawa.

**Saturday:**

**8.30 o'clock: "Cotter's Saturday Night"**—Highly entertaining. From Sydney.

**Sunday:**

**6.00 o'clock: Vancouver Symphony Orchestra**—Well recommended.

**Monday:**

**10.00 o'clock: "The Youngbloods of Beaver Bend"**—A CRC National Network programme of special merit.

**Tuesday:**

**6.30 o'clock "Understanding Music"**—A CBS-CRC international exchange programme.

**Wednesday:**

**9.00 o'clock: "Concert Caravan Premiere"**—Certainly worth hearing.

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## Mainly About People

Mrs. Roy Poapst of Morewood spent a week with Mrs. Garrow.

Mr. Bruce Moad of Toronto is visiting in town with his aunt, Miss Helen Moad.

Mrs. K. J. Waldorf is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Markell, Dickinson's Landing.

Mrs. Gertrude Alford and Mrs. John Helmer spent a few days with Miss Marjorie Alford at Ottawa.

Mr. Douglas B. McGee of the Toronto staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia, visited at his home here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samworth and Mr. Cecil McElheran and Miss Betty Moran of Ottawa were week end guests of Mrs. Garrow.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wagner on Sunday were Miss Nora Scott, Miss Violet Eamon, Mr. Jack Dunlop and Mr. Lorne Scott of Cornwall.

Mrs. Mary Shaver of the Ninth returned home after visiting friends at Lachine, accompanied by her nieces, Misses Alberta Murphy and Eileen Morgan.

Mrs. Percy Wagner had as her guests on Wednesday her sister, Mrs. Peter Cameron and two children, Miss Velma and Master Keith Cameron, of Apple Hill.

## Pleasant Valley

The sympathy of the community is extended to the friends of Mrs. Geo. N. Shaver whose death occurred in St. John's, Mich, and who was at one time a resident of this Valley. Many attended the funeral which was held at Osnabruck Centre on Sunday.

Mr. Hilton Hollister of Williamsburg and Miss Wilda Swerdfeger spent Sunday at their parental homes.

Mr. Collin Shaver of Milwaukee, Wis., who came home with the body of his mother, Mrs. George Shaver, called at the home of W. S. Scott on Monday.

Roy Hollister spent Saturday afternoon with Bryce Swerdfeger.

Wm. Hollister and Master Roy, Mr. and Mrs. Acil Beckstead and children spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Scott and family.

Our sympathy goes out to the friends and relatives of Mrs. Darwin Weegar of Gallingertown in their bereavement.

Mr. William Coughlar of Dickinson's Landing was an overnight guest on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Acil Beckstead.

We were sorry to learn of the death of Mr. John Crites, Gallingetown, and our sympathy goes out to the bereaved ones.

Some from here attended the funeral of Mrs. D. Weegar held at Gallingertown on Tuesday.

Mr. Hardy Brownell, Crystal Ave., was a Sunday tea guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Scott and Kenauld.

Mrs. Thomas Swerdfeger and Miss Norma visited recently with Mrs. W. S. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Johile Rombough are spending some time in this Avenue visiting friends.

## Riverside

Mrs. Wm. McIntosh and family visited friends at Williamsburg at the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bogart and Ernest visited Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Shaver recently.

Mrs. C. Foster and Mr. Mack Foster spent Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. H. Fulton of Chesterville.

Miss Bella Bowman visited Miss Isabel McMillan the past week.

Mrs. Dan Pollock and Milton Pollock visited friends in Morrisburg and Kingston at the week end.

Mr. I. G. Bogart visited his parental home at the week end.

The regular meeting of the Women's Association of St. Paul's United Church was held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Elliott, Berwick, Tuesday afternoon, a number from here attending.

The members of the Women's Missionary Society met at the homes of Mrs. Mack Montroy and Mrs. Robert Bogart on Wednesday and Thursday of the past week and quilted two quilts for their bale.

Mrs. Mills Foster entertained at a quilting bee on Saturday afternoon.

A number from here attended the hockey match at Maxville Saturday night.

Mr. Lorne Hutt, assessor, was at Riverside on Saturday.

IN MEMORIAM

Barkley—In memory of a dear husband and father, Wesley G. Barkley, who died April 8th, 1934.

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