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THIS FRIDAY & SATURDAY
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"TEXAS RANGERS"
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UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SUNDAY MIDNITE SHOWS ARE DISCONTINUED

EVENING SHOWS at 7.15 & 9.15
MATINEE EVERY AFTERNOON AT 3 P. M.

Coming Events

Don't forget the Oratorical Contest in the town hall tomorow (Friday) night at 8 p. m., under auspices of the Women's Institute. Several district schools are competing. Silver Collection. Everybody Welcome!

Service will be held on St. Matthias' church next Sunday evening at 7.30 p.m. Sunday School at 10.30 a.m.

Service will be held in St. Peter's Church, South Mountain, next Sunday afternoon at 2.30 p.m. Rev. J. E. Lindsay, of Trinity church, Cornwall, will officiate at both of the above services.

LOCAL CHURCH WILL CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

The 67th anniversary of the local Baptist church will be celebrated next Sunday with special morning and evening services. Rev. A. J. Vining, D.D, of Toronto, wlil be present as the guest speaker for the occasion

The morning service will be held at 11 a.m., while a Union Service will be held at 7.30 in the evening, in the United church, the pastors of St. Paul's Presbyterian church and the United church having kindly consented to withdraw their services.

UNITED CHURCH SERVICES

10.30 a.m., Rev. W. Turk, B.A., of Toronto, Temperance Representative.
11.30 a.m., Sunday School and Bible Classes.
3 p.m., Mr. Turk at Harmony.
7.30 p.m., Baptist Anniversary in the United Church. Cordial invitation to all.
Monday, 8 p.m., Y. P. S. Tuesday, 7 p.m., Teen age groups; Wednesday, 7.30 p.m., mid week service, Friday, 7.30 p.m., Choir Practice.

MANY ATTEND CANADIAN CLUB

A large number of local citizens attended the opening meeting of the Morrisburg Canadian Club on Monday evening last. Hon. James G. Gardiner, Minister of Agriculture in the King Government, was the guest speaker, and delivered an excellent address on the subject "Agricultural Problems."

IN MEMORIAM

In loving remembrance of our dear mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Hanes, who departed from us in the year 1917.

Whose love can equal the love of a mother and father,
Whose devotion is so loyal and true?
Where do you find a friendship like mother and father,
Unbroken till death calls and life work is through?
Link by link our chain is breaking
One by one we're going home;
But Christ will join the chain together
When we all meet again in the Eternal home.

Sadly missed by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Swerdfeger and family. 25p

To The Bridge Hostess

We have a fine variety of Bridge Prizes, priced from 25 cents up; also see the new Vacumatic and other Parker Pens now on display

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Large Crowd Attends Bessin Fashion Show

REGGIE WORKMAN WINS FIRST PRIZE IN AMATEUR CONTEST. PROCEEDS DONATED TO THE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The Fashion Show and Amateur Contest sponsored by Mr. Hy. Bessin on Thursday evening last, in aid of the local Women's Institute, was an outstanding success. The Town Hall was filled to capacity for the event and over a hundred persons were unable to gain admittance. Mr. F. Erle Helmer acted as chairman.

Mr. Bessin, in a brief address, welcomed those present and added that the proceeds of the evening would go to the Women's Institute to aid in their charitable work during the coming winter.

The amateur contest proved to be a very interesting feature with many contestants displaying their varied talents. The winner of first prize was Reggie Workman, young son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Workman, who delighted the audience with a well-executed piano solo. The second and third prizes were won by Miss Phyllis Maroney, of Chesterville, and Mrs. Arthur Leason, of Winchester, respectively, with an exhibition of tap-dancing and a humorous monologue. Other contestants included: Vivian LaSalle, Gordon Hummell and Ethel Colquhoun, of Chesterville, a musical trio; piano solos by Mabel O'Neil and Elgin Bowman; recitation, Mrs. Frank Barkley; and vocal solos by Mona Robertson and George LaSalle. The accompanists were Miss Vivian LaSalle, Mrs. James Bowman and Mrs. Ernest Cooper.

The fashion show proved to be a very interesting feature of the evening with a wide variety of gowns being modelled. Those acting as mannequins were: Mrs. Walter Barkley, Misses Norma Hitsman, Albra Boyd, Margaret Walker, Hilda Bellinger, Helen Spinks, Tessie Bessin, Alma Wylie, and Beulah Kinkaid. Miss Bertha Bessin acted as accompanist.

Following the program, delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. R. Bessin, who was assisted by the ladies of the Institute.

Barn Burned Near Kenmore Yesterday

A large barn, owned by Mr. Sam McCormick, who lives one-half mile south of Kenmore, was completely destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. A threshing mill, owned by one of the neighbors, which was in the barn at the time; 11 pigs, 100 tons of hay and a large quantity of grain were also destroyed. The fire, which started in a mow of straw about 4 o'clock, is believed to have been ignited by a spark which was carried from the chimney of the kitchen through a broken window in the upper part of the barn. No one had been in the vicinity of this particular mow for several days. The barn was one of the finest in the district and the loss to its owner will run between $5,000 and $6,000 partly covered by insurance. Mr. Sam McCormick is a brother of Magistrate John McCormick.

YOUNG CHILD PASSES

The death occurred on Sunday evening last, after a prolonged illness, of Ethel Holmes, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Holmes, of Winchester Springs.

The funeral was held at the home on Tuesday afternoon, with Rev. R. S. Smith, pastor of the United church, in charge of the service. During the service, Rev. and Mrs. S. Robinson sang a beautiful duet. Interment was made at Maple Ridge cemetery.

The pall bearers were Fred Link, Dwight Ball, Willis Herriman and Edwin Holmes.

Besides her parents, she leaves to mourn, three brothers, Merle, Charles and Robert, and one sister, Helen, all at home.

Ottawa Speaker Addresses 100 Club

The regular monthly supper meeting of the local 100 Club was held at Hotel Winchester on Friday evening last. Over thirty Centurians and guests were present, with President Will Stewart in charge of the meeting.

The customary sing-song was led by Centurian Chester Timmins, with Miss Helen Timmins presiding at the piano. The president introduced two new members of the Club, Centurians Fred Cass and Wilburn Coons, who were given an enthusiastic reception.

Centurian T. O. Keyes reported on a case of child welfare and it was left to the committee to take the necessary action. It was also announced that a Theatre Party was probable in the near future, while plans are being made for Ladies' Night, when a prominent speaker will address the Club and guests.

The boost was conducted by Centurian W. A. Sherwood, the prizes being won by Centurians W. H. Agnew and John McCormick.

Immediately following the boost, the president introduced the guest speaker of the evening, Mr. D. T. W. Atkinson, M. A., principal of Glebe Collegiate, Ottawa, who spoke on the subject: "The History of the Limerick." This proved to be one of the most humorous and entertaining addresses heard by the Club in some time and those present were kept in a continuous state of laughter from beginning to end.

A vote of thanks was tendered the speaker by Centurians W. J. Cass, K.C., and T. J. Hawkins, M.A., after which the National Anthem brought the meeting to a close.

Disastrous Fire At South Mountain

EARLY MORNING BLAZE LAST FRIDAY DESTROYED THREE BUILDINGS IN HEART OF VILLAGE.

A disastrous fire, which for a time threatened a large part of the village, broke out about 4.30 last Friday morning at South Mountain, and before being brought under control, had resulted in damage estimated at approximately $11,000. Two residences, a garage and service station and a large storage shed were consumed by the flames. Only the heroic work of the citizens, who formed bucket brigades, and the timely arrival of a water pumper from the Kemptville fire brigade averted a much heavier loss.

The fire broke out in the frame garage owned by Gordon Cummings, and when noticed, had gained such a start that nothing could be done to save the building or its contents. The flames spread quickly to the Cummings' home nearby, while the citizens fought desperately to check their course. The fire then swept along the Main Street to a large storage shed owned by Robert Thompson, and the barber shop and dwelling of Alfred Hamell. Only the arrival of the Kemptville brigade under Fire Chief Ed. Elliott, prevented the fire from reaching other buildings which lay directly in the path of the approaching flames. The Hamell residence and shop were badly damaged, but were not totally destroyed.

Cummings' loss is estimated at $5,500, partly covered by insurance. Four automobiles and five new radios stored in the garage fell prey to the flames. The cars were owned by Charles Patton, Edward Barkley, and Lucien Beniot, of South Mountain, and Robert Wallace, of Pleasant Valley. Thompson's loss in home and storage garage is estimated at $2,000, partly covered by insurance, while Hamell's loss is said to be $300.

Six other residences were badly scorched by the flames, but little damage was done.

Mrs. Cummings was the first person to notice the blaze and she immediately gave the alarm. The fire appeared to have started in the vicinity of a battery charger and air pump in the rear of the garage and quickly spread to all parts of the building.

Upon the arrival of the Kemptville brigade, the water pumper was pressed into action and by 6.30 a.m. the fire was under control.

NEW SERVICE STATION AND GARAGE

Mr. Fred Deeks has purchased a lot on St. Lawrence street, south of the High school, and is at present engaged in erecting a new service station and garage. It is expected that the agency for a well-known make of cars will also be held in connection with the establishment. The Press is informed that Mr. W. J. L. Boyd will be in charge of the Sales Department.

MORRISBURG GOLF CLUB

Morrisburg is stepping right ahead these days. A few weeks ago they organized a Lions' Club and last week the enterprising citizens met and organized a Golf Club. The officers are as follows:

Honorary presidents, Dr. M. W. Locke, Reeve Arthur Flynn, George Challies, M.L.A., and A. C. Casselman, M.P.; president, John H. Meikle; vice president, Miss Grace D. Merkley; secretary-treasurer, W. D. Thomas; executive committee, Harry Meikle, Ralph Fetterly, Miss G. Von Doran and Jack Toshack.

Assured recently of the co-operation of the municipal council, the club committee will approach that body in an attempt to procure 50 acres of municipally-owned land there for a course.

School Music Teacher Discussed By Institute

Tuesday night's meeting opened with the usual ode, followed by the creed, after which many things over one hundred years old were named by the members in answer to roll call. The President, Mrs. Kinkaid, was in the chair and called upon Mr. W. J. Stewart, I. P. S., to address the meeting about the teaching of music in our Public School. A motion was carried that the Institute support this project to the extent of $40 if necessary.

After the reading of the minutes by the Secretary, Mrs. J. E. Singleton, the report of the Fashion Show was given showing that $30 was realized, for which a letter of appreciation is to be sent Mr. Bessin.

Letters acknowledging the grant of $200 to the Eastern Ontario Sanatorium were read. The Junior Girls were voted $1.50 for some training work they are to undertake. Mrs. Kellogg gave a splendid report of the District Rally held recently at Morewood.

The Treasurer's report showed $79.48 on hand. Discussion took place on ways and means to raise money.

Miss Mary Empey presided for the programme which consisted of a pleasing piano solo, Minuet—A la Antique. by Miss Jean McLaren, of Kenmore; a good report of the Ottawa Convention by Mrs. R. L. Suffell; an enjoyable vocal solo, "The Dear Old Cabin Home," by Miss Lorna Workman, accompanied by her cousin, Mrs. Cooper; and a delightful vocal duet, "Where Has Your Highland Laddie Gone?" by Miss Empey and Mrs. Kinkaid, accompanied by the Institute pianist, Mrs. W. N. Lannin. Some interesting events of 50 years ago were given by Mrs. Earle. After singing "God Save the King," refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

A vote of thanks to the committee was moved by Mrs. Mabel Allison and seconded by Mrs. J. Moffatt.

"Donkey" Baseball Here Next Thursday

IF YOU WANT TO ENJOY A REAL LAUGH, BE PRESENT AT THE ARENA NEXT THURSDAY

A novel entertainment is to be featured at the local Arena on Thursday evening, October 29th, when four teams will clash in that newest craze, "Donkey Baseball." The Iroquois Lawn Bowling Club are sponsoring the introduction of the game in this district and on Thursday next a real demonstration will be given at the Arena between teams from Chesterville, Williamsburg, Iroquois and Winchester.

The game resembles softball, but all the players are mounted on lively donkeys, with the exception of the pitcher and catcher. The rules are as follows:

When batting, a player stands on his feet, but the instant he makes a hit he jumps astride the donkey waiting at his elbow and the animal hustles to first base. The bases are four feet square and the donkeys have to have all four feet in this area. Base running will be a scream as the donkey makes all speed possible and is not concerned whether his rider is able to stay on its back.

If a hit is made to the infield the short stop or baseman must manoeuvre his mount to a position where he can jump off and pick up the ball by taking not more than one step. If he takes two steps the play counts for naught. The player must mount his donkey again before he throws the ball and the baseman must be on his mount when he catches the ball. A ground roller is difficult to get as the player must dismount, take not more than one step, mount again and throw to base or home plate. In the outfield the player must take not more than one step to pick up the ball but he does not have to mount again before throwing the ball.

The donkeys have been trained and have been playing so long that they know the game better than most of the players. But that peculiar characteristic of the donkey, balkiness, has not been eliminated and when one of the playing donkeys takes a notion to balk, the spectators at a game when this takes place are said to laugh till they get weak.

The Oshawa Times gives an entertaining account of the donkey ball game in that city. A huge crowd laughed as an Oshawa crowd has not laughed in years. The second baseman's donkey balked. It could not be made to go nor could it be coaxed to change its mind. The baseman would dismount and mount again and the donkey paid no attention to him. It simply stood in its yard four feet square and half a dozen of the players with their shoulders against the animal could not push it out of its base. Finally, when the crowd was about laughed out, the donkey hustled out to the pitcher's box riderless which was the greatest scream of all.

There will be only one opportunity for residents of this district to see "Donkey Baseball," and enjoy the funniest entertainment in years—Thursday, Oct. 29, in the local Arena. Plan now to attend.

LADIES BOWLING CLUB

The Ladies' Lawn Bowling Club have completed their activities for the season. Final matches in the doubles and singles competitions were played on Tuesday afternoon of this week, and resulted as follows: Doubles Champions, Mesdames Ernest Kellogg and Harold Lannin; Singles Champion, Mrs. Ernest Kellogg.

DR. MALLOCH IN HOSPITAL

The citizens of this district will regret to learn that Dr. Neil Malloch, prominent local physician, is at present confined in the Ottawa Civic Hospital, following an operation on Sunday evening last. The latest report received by the Press was to the effect that Dr. Malloch's condition was fair.

The Press joins with the citizens generally in the hope that Dr. Malloch may make a speedy and complete recovery.

Splendid Meeting of St. Paul's W. M. S.

The Thank-Offering meeting of St. Paul's Auxiliary of the Women's Missionary Society was held on Monday evening, Oct. 19th, when Rev. A. A. Lowther, B.A., B.D., of Johanse, India, was the guest speaker. He paid a warm tribute to the British Government and its representatives in India. The people themselves are quite satisfied—in spite of rumors to the contrary—with British rule, and Britain's methods of government are making for peace.

Customs and rites of the past are hard to break because of religious superstition, nevertheless, Mr. Lowther assured his hearers that the Caste System, which accounted for much of the dreadful suffering and poverty of the people, was slowly but surely breaking down. He brought to the meeting this message: "Tell the members of the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Canada that their sisters in India send Thanks, and that when Christ enters the heart we are all sisters and brothers.

Under Miss Clara Irving's direction the Choir rendered "Send Forth Reapers," and the Ladies' Quartette, "Giving our all to God." Both selections were very much enjoyed. St. Paul's Auxiliary is deeply grateful to Mrs. A. G. Suffel and Mrs. Chester Robinson in making themselves Life Members of the Women's Missionary Society.

Rev. Mr. Turner on behalf of the meeting, and in particular, of St. Paul's Auxiliary, moved a very hearty vote of thanks to Mr. Lowther for his inspiring and instructive address. The Thank-Offering amounted to practically one hundred dollars.

OBITUARY

LATE DANIEL McGREGOR

The Morewood community was shocked Wednesday evening last almost beyond belief with the sudden passing of one of its oldest and prominent citizens when Daniel MacGregor passed away without warning. Mr. MacGregor's health had given no anxiety during the week as he spent Thanksgiving in Montreal and Tuesday in Ottawa. On Wednesday he had sorted the mail in the Post Office about 8 o'clock, then he remarked that he was about to fall. He was removed to his home where Dr. Gormley was quickly in attendance, but he passed away in a short time, due to a clot of blood on the brain

A son of the late Peter MacGregor and Susanna Cumming, Mr. MacGregor was born in Russell County, Feb. 19th, 1863. He married Miss Agnes Fraser in 1887, then for 49 years the deceased carried on successfully a general store in Metcalfe and Morewood where he made a larger circle of admiring friends than usually falls to the lot of one man. He was respected far and near for his integrity in business and friendship in private life and his death will leave a blank in the hearts of many.

On Sunday, Oct. 18th, at 2 p.m. the funeral service was conducted in the United Church by Rev. J. MacAskill, assisted by the Presbyterian minister, Dr. A. O. Thompson. They brought messages of sympathy to the bereaved wife and family and paid loving tribute to his generosity, helpfulness in trouble and many deeds of kindness. He was beloved by all the children and always interested in the welfare of the community.

The choir, under the direction of Mr. Hugh Loucks, sang, "Jesus, Saviour, Pilot Me," a favorite hymn of the deceased. Mr. Kenneth Cochrane, of Erskine Presbyterian church, Ottawa, sang very feelingly: "The City Four Square." Mrs. Jennie MacGregor played the accompaniments. The pall bearers were Messrs. Lyle Hunter, Roy Fetterly, Allan Swerdfeger, Tom Reveller, Allan Thompson and Weldon Dillabough. Interment was made at the Maple Ridge cemetery. Besides his widow, he is mourned by three daughters and two sons, Dr. Arnot of New York; Mrs. W. B. MacLean, Moosomin, Sask.; Miss Onah, R. N., New York; Mrs. Fred Saunders, Montreal, and Grant, of Ottawa. One brother, Peter MacGregor, and three grandchildren, Mac, Betty and Anne Saunders.

Friends were present at the funeral from Prescott, Smiths Falls, Finch, Ormond, Chesterville, Winchester, Morrisburg, Ottawa, Russell, Embrun, Spencerville and other centres.

Beautiful floral offerings included the following: Wreath from family; basket, Edna and Mac; spray, grandchildren, Mac, Betty and Anne; spray, Peter McGregor, and family; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Archie MacMillan; Spray, Mrs. Isabella Fraser and family; Spray, Mrs. Margaret Fraser and family; Spray, Lyn and Willis Fraser; Spray, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fraser; Spray, J. R. and M. E. Pickering; Spray, Martha, Clara and John Robinson; Wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Blake McDermid and family; Sprays—The Kyles; Dr. and Mrs. G. H. McKeown; Rose and Jean Tomeo; Basket—Margaret, Doris and Walter York; Evelyn Chamberlain and Frank Devine; Friends of Dominion Bureau of Statistics Sprays—New York Biological Chemical Laboratories and Clinic; Shell Oil Company of Canada.

MRS. PHOEBE CRAWFORD

Following a ten-day illness, the death occurred last Thursday morning of Mrs. Phoebe Crawford, widow of the late William John Crawford, at her home on Prince of Wales highway, about two miles southeast of North Gower.

The late Mrs. Crawford was born in Montague township in 1867, formerly Phoebe Wilson, and came to live, at the time of her marriage, on the farm at North Gower, about 35 years ago. Her husband died in April, 1933.

Surviving are four sons, James of Winchester, Ont.; George, on the homestead; Garfield at Timiskaming, Ont., and Earl, farming near the old home. A step-daughter, Mrs. Eber Carson, lives in Carsonby, Ont. Two brothers and a sister are also living, namely, Albert Wilson of Montague township; Wm. E. Wilson, of Oshawa; and Mrs. Wm. Griffith, Perth.

Deceased has always been a member of the Presbyterian faith and worshipped at St. Andrew's church., Kars, where the funeral service was conducted on Saturday at 1.30 p.m. with burial in the adjoining cemetery.

Police Court News

Several local young men appeared in Magistrate's court this week on a charge of failing to pay poll tax. In most cases the tax and costs of the court were paid, while the remainder were ordered to pay the same within a week.

Gordon Rombough, who gave his address as Ottawa, appeared before Magistrate John McCormick on Friday last to answer to a charge of theft of a quantity of cheese and butter from the Morewood Cheese and Butter Factory recently. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was remanded for sentence.

In the meantime, police are searching for three men alleged to have been Rombough's accomplices in the theft. As the names of the men are known to the authorities, early arrests are anticipated.

Wm. J. Baxter, of Lunenburg, appeared before Magistrate McCormick on Friday last charged with reckless driving. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined $15 and $2.25 costs, while his operator's permit was suspended for a period of three months.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22nd, 1936

THE DANGER OF FIRES

The recent disastrous blaze in a neighbouring village prompts us to warn our readers that too many precautions cannot be taken against fire, particularly at this time of year. The arrival of cold weather means that homes and business buildings have to be heated and the danger of conflagrations increases tremendously. Investigation into the various causes of fires has revealed that carelessness on the part of someone is responsible for the major number of fires which occur each year. Individuals have a strong tendency to take things for granted, and this undesirable quality has led to much distress and misery following disastrous outbreaks of fire.

In small towns particularly, it is the duty of every man, woman and child to exercise great care in the prevention of fires. As a general rule, the smaller centres have limited fire-fighting facilities and a small blaze may develop into a serious one, that will directly or indirectly affect every citizen in the community.

Winchester, in the past, has been visited by a number of bad fires, which have resulted in almost "setting us back on our heels" as the saying goes. Every citizen may co-operate in avoiding further disasters.

Now that Fall is upon us, make every effort to observe the followinig simple set of rules, which will go far towards making the coming winter an enjoyable one for all concerned.

1. See that your heating equipment is in fit condition to withstand the abuses of another cold season.
2. Make certain that the chimneys and pipes are free from dirt.
3. Discard all worn or weakened pipes.
4. Clean all worthless debris from cellars, attics and store-rooms, and make certain that inflammable materials have not been carelessly thrown down where they might come in contact with any part of the heating apparatus.
5. Exercise great caution in starting fires, and avoid the use of gasoline and other highly inflammable fluids.
6. Keep constantly in mind that it is your responsibility to protect the property of others as well as your own, and the destruction of your home may lead to the destruction of your neighbour's as well.

THE QUESTION OF PEACE

We are heartily in accord with the thoughts of our friend, Editor Davies, of the Carleton Place Canadian, as expressed in a recent editorial on the subject "Peace To Live." The editorial says in part:

"The man in the street has not the time nor the highly trained ability to follow the scholars, philosophers and teachers through all the mazes of their reasoning and judgment. He is weary of reading of "economic falling markets, trade barriers, etc." These shibboleths mean very little to him.

The fact is the straight road has been lost and all the sign posts have failed. There is nobody to blame for the present state of the universe except those who inhabit it. If science is to blame for this condition, it is up to science to find and apply the remedy.

What we desire is peace to live, work to do, adequate remuneration for that work, a little leisure, a decent home and a reasonable amount of security against that day when we can no longer work. Let science tend toward this goal. What is the use of science devoted to destruction?"

The average Canadian has exceeding difficulty in understanding the peculiar situation that exists in Europe at the present time. Nations are spending billions in armaments that have only one purpose—the wholesale destruction of lives and property. Dictators spend hours in delivering long-winded orations on the glories of conflict and preparedness. Is it any wonder that the serious-minded Canadian gets fed up with it all and says: "If they want to fight, let them!" We desire peace—and besides, we mean it.

One cannot help but feel that if the same amount of energy, to say nothing of money, were expended on ways and means to promote good-fellowship, understanding and peace on the part of the world's militaristic dictators, as goes into talk of war, and the power of the sword, this would most surely be a happier and more prosperous world in which to live.

THE FARM CREDITORS' ARRANGEMENT ACT

The Farm Creditors' Arrangement Act, which was a tidy bit of legislation introduced by the Bennett administration, has been receiving considerable attention of late from various County Councils in session. The Renfrew County Councillors were vehement in their condemnation of the Act at a recent session and adopted a motion to concur in a resolution from Bruce County asking the Federal Government to investigate the act and either adjust or repeal it.

Reeve J. D. McLean, of Westmeath, in his discussion of the Act, brought out a number of points that are worthy of consideration. He said "It is an unjust act right through the piece, and it is a detriment to the municipalities with respect to taxes. It is becoming common practice for people to default in their tax payments, let the arrears pile up and then ask for and secure an adjustment."

Similar complaints are to be heard from other sections, with respect to this Act, and in a great many cases, the farmers themselves have been brought to realize that this legislation has been detrimental to their best interests.

The Pembroke Standard-Observer scored a real point in discussing the Act in a recent editorial when it said: "Designed as it was to benefit the farmers, it has worked the other way. The thriftless, and those whom debts never worry, have thought that it is an oasis in the desert, but the honest, hard working farmer has simply had his credit ruined by it. In farming, as in all other walks of life, every tub should stand upon its own bottom."

NOW YOU SEE HIM—NOW YOU DON'T

Premier Aberhart of Alberta has informed the citizens of the province that if there was not better public co-operation in connection with the dividend principle than there was with the "prosperity certificates," he might have to "throw up his hands," in a few months and say "I can do nothing for you."

Many serious-minded citizens of Alberta will wonder if this statement of the Social Credit premier is to be interpreted as a threat or a promise. On the face of it, it would appear that Mr. Aberhart is at last discovering the truth of the old saying: "You can lead a horse to water but you cannot make him drink."

Undoubtedly there are many residents of that province who will continue to support Mr. Aberhart in the hope that they will eventually get something for nothing. Such has always been the case, down through the ages, and the Alberta "miracle" act is no exception.

However, the Social Credit disciple is apparently beginning to realize that such feats of magic as he proposed to perform in order to restore prosperity, are still confined to the "Arabian Nights," and he would now appear to be looking around for an exit back-stage, while his audience is left to wonder what has happened.

A PUBLIC NEED

Thee is no question about it, one of the most pressing needs of this community is a public hall that is large enough to accommodate an average crowd of people. A recent event staged in the local Town Hall, not only taxed its accommodation to the utmost, but failed by a large margin, to serve the crowd of citizens who desired to attend the function. Every inch of space was taken up and many were turned away.

We recall that, on the occasion of the official visit to Winchester of an outstanding British educationist, it was necessary to hold a mass meeting in the skating arena in order to allow the citizens to enjoy the proceedings.

It is to be hoped that the question of a public hall, worthy of Winchester, will be given serious thought in the immediate future by the Municipal Council.

EDITORIAL NOTES

According to all reports, the old saying "A good time was enjoyed by all," may readily be applied to the approaching by-election in East Ottawa.

The Liberal party has been given a free hand in the affair, insofar as the Conservatives are concerned, and to date, one monkey wrench after another has been cast into the political works. Liberals throughout the constituency are on the horns of a dilemma, with four candidates, all Liberals—and good ones,—seeking this political honour, which, incidentally, has a fairly respectable salary attached.

One consolation for the Liberal party at least, lies in the fact that whoever is elected will be on the right side of the political fence at the next session.

TOYES HILL

Mrs. B. Holmes and daughter, Mabel, of Shanly, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Peterson.

Born on Tuesday, Oct. 13th, 1936, to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wylie, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kirkwood and daughter, Doris, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Boyd of South Mountain

Mrs. Zern Harper entertained the W. M. S. at her home on Wednesday last.

Miss Beatrice Locey, of Osnabrook, Cenre, was the week-end guest of Miss Aleitha Coons.

Miss Vera Haggerty of Grantley, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Durant and Billy, of Ottawa, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Steele.

Miss Hazel Carr, of Grantley, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wylie.

Misses Beatrice Locey, Aleitha and Bertha Coons took tea Sunday evening with Miss Vera Haggerty.

MOREWOOD

Miss Irene Jervis is spending a few days with Mrs. K. L. Reid, Cannamore.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. A. B. McConnell were the following: Mrs. James Jackson, Beatrice, Lois, Hazel and Mrs. Fred Jackson, all of Winchester.

Mrs. F. Jervis visited Mrs. A. E. Glasgow at Cannamore last Thursday.

Mrs. Ward Bilow took tea with Mrs. Hattie Stewart on Friday.

Mrs. (Rev.) McCord of Franktown, is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Hume McConnell, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson of Ottawa, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. H. Popplewell.

Miss Lillian McLaren, of Felton, spent Saturday with her grandmother, Mrs. B. Hutchison.

Mr. Ralph Dillabough of Westboro, visited his parents on Sunday, Mrs. Orren Dillabough.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Casselman visited the former's parents on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh and family, of Ormond, visited the latter's mother, Mr. A. Dillabough, on Sunday.

The sympathy of the community goes out to Mrs. MacGregor and family in the sudden death of Mr. D. MacGregor.

STRADERS' HILL

Misses Laura Johnstone and Nina Casselman spent Tuesday with Mrs. A. Cooke.

Mrs. Herbert Hanson spent a few days this week with Mrs Clifford Wylie at Toyes Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert R. Strader and family spent Tuesday in Ottawa.

Mrs. Blanche Hanson and Master John Edward Hanson spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Foster at Morrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Strader and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Strader and Audey, had tea Wednesday at the home of Mr. J. D. Beckstead at Williamsburg.

Misses Laura Johnstone, Ruth, Doris and Olive Strader, Mr. William Johnstone and Mr. Lawrence Johnstone had tea Wednesday evening with Miss Nina and Mr. Ivan Casselman.

Mr. Herbert Helmer, of Winchester, spent Friday with Mr. Bernice Strader.

Miss Laura Johnstone returned to Brockville Thursday after having spent a three-week holiday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Johnstone.

Mrs. Edwin Johnstone spent Wednesday with Mrs. Ben Pennington.

Miss Alice Loucks, Mrs. Arthur Loucks and Mr. Charles Loucks had dinner Friday at Mr. Wilbert Strader's.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Strader and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Casselman, Ivan and Nina, spent Thursday evening with Mrs. A. Cooke and children.

Mrs. Mason Hanson called on Mrs. Clifford Wylie at Toyes Hill Sunday afternoon.

Miss Nina Casselman and Mr. Ivan Casselman called at Mr. Guy Strader's on Sunday evening.

NOTICE!

The October Session of the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry will meet in the Council Chambers, Court House, Cornwall, on Monday, the 26th day of October, A. D., 1936, at 8.00 o'clock p.m. pursuant to adjournment from June Session

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Cheese Boards

Alexandria—2,357 white and 696 colored boarded. White sold at 12 9-16 cents; colored at 12 7-16 cents.

Casselman—576 white and 511 colored boarded. White sold at 12 1-2 cents; colored at 12 7-16 cents.

Cornwall—56 white and 1,499 colored boarded. White sold at 12 3-8 cents; colored at 12 5-16 cents.

Delta—685 white and 974 colored were boarded. White sold at 12 11-16 cents; colored at 12 3-8, 12 7-16 and 12 1-2 cents.

Iroquois—1,489 boxes boarded; sold at 12 5-16 cents.

Kemptville—1,724 boxes were boarded; 172 white sold for 12 3-4 per pound; 263 white sold for 12 11-16 cents per pound; while 1,289 colored sold for 12 9-16 cents per pound.

Kingston—86 white and 1,315 colored boarded. All sold at 12 3-8 cents.

Lansdowne—106 white and 681 colored boarded. White sold at 12 11-16 cents; colored at 12 5-16 cents.

Napanee—660 white and 653 colored boarded; 907 sold at 12 3-8 cents; balance refused.

Ottawa—750 boxes white, 83 colored. All sold at 12 1-2 cents.

Perth—875 white boarded, sold at 12 9-16 cents.

Vankleek Hill—2,041 white and 1,142 colored boarded. White sold at 12 9-16 cents; colored at 12 9-16 and 12 7-16 cents.

Winchester—637 cheese boarded; 120 white sold at 12 9-16; 517 colored at 12 3-8 cents.

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MELLAN—KNOX

The marriage was quietly solemnized on Monday evening last, at the Baptist parsonage here, of Flora Jean, daughter of Mr. Geo. W. Knox and the late Mrs. Knox, of Heckston, to Harold William, son of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Mellan, of Hulbert. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Herbert Wood, pastor of the local Baptist church.

The bride was becomingly attired in a brown silk crepe dress and velvet hat with other accessories to match.

The young couple were unattended, and immediately after the ceremony, left on an extended motor trip through the Eastern States. Upon their return they will take up residence in Matilda Township.

SWAYNE—DROPPO

The marriage was solemnized at Chesterville last week of Rachel Theresa Coreen Droppo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter A. Droppo, of Chesterville, to Clarence Anderson Butler Swayne, son of Mrs. Eliza Swayne and the late John Swayne of Smiths Falls. Rev. Hector Beach, of Finch United church, performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. R. C. Tait, of Trinity United church.



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Mrs. Thomas Francis spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Hannah Hamilton, of Pleasant Valley.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grant on Friday, October 16th, 1936, a daughter. Congratulations.

Mr. Bert Lattimore had tea with Mr. Sam Gilmer of Groveton on Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Sommerville and children and his mother, Mrs. Sommerville, of Heckston, had tea with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Robinson on Saturday.

Miss Phyllis Grant of Cardinal, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Farrell and son, Stanley, of South Mountain, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grant on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Crowder of Pleasant Valley spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. John Francis and daughter, Winnie, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Francis were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Shaver, of Cardinal.

Some from here attended the concert in the town hall at Spencerville on Friday evening.

MRS. JOHN HART

Mrs. Sarah Mary McLaughlin Hart, widow of Rev. John Hart, minister of the United church, died in Victoria hospital, London, on Monday, Oct. 12th, following a brief illness.

The late Mrs. Hart was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah McLaughlin, and was born and spent her early years at Cardinal. After qualifying as a public school teacher, she was on the staff of the Winchester public school, and for many years was first assistant to the principal at Cardinal public school. Following her marriage to Rev. John Hart, they located at St. Mary's and made their home there.

Mrs Hart is survived by one sister, Mrs. A. C. Norton, and one brother, George McLaughlin, of Cardinal. The funeral service was from her late residence in St. Mary's on Wednesday of last week and interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

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DISTRICT NEWS

SOUTH MOUNTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Murdock and Miss Beatrice, of Osgoode Station, and Mrs. Valeria Murdock and Glenna spent Sunday and Monday at Cornwall visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Murdock and Mrs. M. Wilson, calling on Mr. and Mrs. C. Johnston at Winchester Station on Monday evening.

Mr. M. Thompson spent the latter part of the week with friends at North Gower.

We extend our sincere sympathy to Mr. Chris Wynn on learning of the death of his brother, Edward Wynn, of Kenmore. Deceased leaves beside his widow and family, two brothers, Mr. C. Wynn, of this town, and Howard Wynn, of New York State.

The Kemptville firemen are deserving of thanks in the way they responded so willingly to assist the village when it was threatened with such a disastrous fire, when Mr. Gordon Cummings' residence and garage, also Mr. Robert Thompson's garage were burned to the ground.

Mrs. H. R. Murdock, Mr. Joseph Lennox and Mrs. Robert Murdock spent a day recently at Osgoode.

A number from here attended the funeral of the late Albert Coons at Winchester Springs on Tuesday last. Deceased received severe injuries by by being struck with a car. Mr. Coons spent a couple of summers in this vicinity and became widely known.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kirkwood and Miss Doris of Toyes Hill, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Boyd on Saturday.

The meetings which are being carried on in the United church under the leadership of Rev. H. H. Gilbart and Mr. J. H. Leonard, are being well attended.

Mrs. Fred Holmes of Winchester, visited her parents, Mr and Mrs. C. E. Murdock last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Francis visited friends at Renfrew over the week-end.

Mrs. Edward Wynn of Kenmore, spent a few days here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Brown and family of Kemptville, were Sunday guests of Mrs. M. Moore.

Mr. Patrick Houlahan and mother, of Toyes Hill, visited Mrs. Margaret Barry Sunday.

Miss Mary Eichner of Irena, spent a few days recently with her aunt, Mrs. Robert Urquhart.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Murdock and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lennox were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs. Arthur Fader of Hainsville

Miss Margaret Wright, who teaches near Ottawa, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Martha Wright.

Mrs. Alwyn Wright has returned to her home at Gananoque, after spending the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sullivan, of Hulbert, were Sunday guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. Hulbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin of Spencerville, and Mr and Mrs. Minor Cooke of Ventnor, were in town Sunday.

Mrs. Hilliard Gilmer, of Pleasant Valley, was a guest Monday of Miss Jennie Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Armstrong were guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Howad Nesbitt, of Hyndman.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Robertson and little son, John, and Miss Mary Eichner, of Ottawa. and Mrs. Brant of Cobden, New Jersey, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Urquhart.

Sunday guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. Stirtan were: Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Harkness, also Mr. and Mrs D. Hanson and little child, of Brinstons.

Ottawa Presbytery Young People's Union Convention

Special Services Being Held

Special services are being held in the United church under the leadership of Rev. H. H. Gilbart and Mr. J. H. Leonard. There are also special meetings for children and for girls. Inspiring addresses are given by Rev. Mr. Gilbart and Mr. Leonard is a very talented singer and capable song leader. The meetings are being attended not only by or own people but by visitors from Winchester, Inkerman and Dundela, places where these evangelists have held services, also by visitors from other places.

Next Saturday evening, Oct. 24th, Rev. Gilbart is going to give an address on Gipsy Smith. On Sunday, service is at 11 and 7.30, and at 2.30 there will be a meeting for men and 'teen age boys when Rev. Gilbart will give an appropriate address.

Come and attend the services and enjoy a gospel feast.

METCALFE

Mrs. W. D. Turner and son, Donald, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Waddell.

Mrs Hugh Harrington is the guest of friends in Russell this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Smith, of Ottawa, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Craig.

Mr. W. E Crateau, publisher of the Russell Leader, was in town on Thursday evening.

Mr. Noel Rolston, of Hulse Bros., Ottawa, was a week-end guest at his home here.

Miss Marguerite Rowan has been visiting friends in Ottawa during the past week.

Miss Helen and Ferne Hyndman of Carp, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rolston during the Y. P U. Convention.

Miss Jean Simpson of Ottawa, was the guest of Miss Mary Byers on Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. George Simpson of Ottawa, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rolston.

Mr. R. M. Holtby, of Port Perry, Ont., who has spent the past week in the district in the interests of the Holstein-Freisian Association, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Caskey on Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. Harrington has returned from an extended visit to friends in London, Toronto and Napanee. She was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Harrington, and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Harrington, of Napanee, who visited relatives in this district.

The Convention of the Ottawa Presbytery Young People's Union held here over the week-end was regarded as most successful, with interesting meetings and a large attendance, in spite of weather conditions.

The guest speaker was Rev. Donald H. MacVicar, of Buckingham, whose theme was "Working with God for a New World." At the opening session on Friday evening the Presbytery President, D. T. Jackson, was in charge, and the Convention objectives were presented by the vice-president, Leslie Beamish. Addresses of welcome were given by Rev. Dr. Gaukrodger, pastor of the church, Mr. J. H. Caskey, president of Metcalfe Y. P. U., and Rev. John MacKay, of Ottawa, chairman of the Religious Education Committee of the Conference. An inspiring address on "the kind of a world youth faces," was given by Rev. D. H. MacVicar. On Saturday morning the theme of the meeting was "The kind of a world God would build," with the speaker pointing out that the principles which the world need follow today include a respect for the human personality, cooperation for all, and letting the material things of life contribute to the welfare of all men. Study of the different phases of the Convention theme was carried on in three groups under the leadership of Geo. T. Jackson, Nelson F. Sherman and Miss Margaret Craig.

Election of District Representatives to the Presbytery Union was part of the afternoon session, with the following being elected: Rideau District, Miss Doris Pritchard, Manotick; Cumberland, George Blaney, Cumberland; Pontiac, Jas. Gordon, Campbell's Bay; Carp, Miss Muriel Marquette, Fitzroy Harbour; Russell, Milton Little, Kenmore. The Secretary's report was presented by Miss E. Gladys McQuaig, of Ottawa, who reported 55 Unions in the Presbytery, 40 of these being in rural districts and 15 in the City. Riceville and Westboro were two new ones to join this year.

On Saturday evening the Fellowship Banquet was held in the Armories with nearly five hundred in attendance. Greetings were brought from the Ottawa Presbytery by Rev. G. B. McLennan of First United church; from Metcalfe district by Reeve G. S. Lewis; from Holy Trinity church, Metcalfe, by the Rector, Rev. H. A. Irwin; from A. Y. P. A. by Gordon Haram, of Ottawa; from Presbyterian Y. P. S. by Miss Evelyn Reid; from the Baptist Y. P. U. by Miss Margaret Hoey; from Dundas-Grenville Presbytery Y. P. U. by Miss Mabel Whitley.

After a brief session in the church, the peace drama "Brothers," was presented in the Township Hall by a group of young people from Ottawa

On Sunday morning Communion Service was held in the church at 10 o'clock conducted by Rev. Dr. Gaukrodger, assisted by Rev. Thos. McNaught, of Russell

At the regular eleven o'clock service David T. Jackson gave his valedictory message stressing the point that people today had inherited the Kingdom of God, never having had to make a choice, and therefore it was our responsibility to live up to any obligations imposed upon us.

The Sunday afternoon service was given over to reception of the reports of the Findings Committee and the installations of officers. The concluding service in the evening was held in the Armouries with the newly elected president, S. Leslie Beamish presiding. Rev. D. H. MacVicar gave his closing message on "Helping God to Build a New World," in which he urged the young people to make use of their talents, no matter how small.

To build a new world, he said, we need to change human nature, and any other belief is sheer atheism.

An impressive dedicatory service followed the evening service, in charge of W H. Scrivens, past president of the Montreal-Ottawa Conference Y. P. U.

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PLEASANT VALLEY

Mr. Sam R. Hamilton attended the funeral on Monday of the late Edward Wynn, of Kenmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Gilmer and children, Marie and Preston, spent one day recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Warren, of Ventnor.

Mrs. Mary Gilmer and daughter, Miss Lillian, spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gilmer, of Shanly.

Miss Kathleen Gilmer, of Groveton, is spending some time at the home of her mother's, Mrs. Hannah Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Gilmer and children, of Brier Hill, U. S. A., spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David C. Gilmer.

Mrs. Ken. Hunter and son, Burt, and Miss Audrey Hunter spent Thursday at the home of Mr and Mrs. Jas. Gilmer.

Mrs. Hannah Hamilton celebrated her 81st birthday on Sunday. We wish Mrs Hamilton many happy returns of the day.

Late David Blair

There passed away at his home at Glen Stewart on Friday, Oct. 2nd, a much esteemed resident of that vicinity in the person of Mr. David Blair, in his 63rd year. He had been in poor health for sometime and gradually his vitality lowered and he passed away Friday morning last.

The late Mr. Blair was a man who enjoyed the esteem and respect of a large circle of friends. A devoted husband, a loving father, a true and a wise friend and a good neighbour, he was thus loved by all. The funeral service was held at the Hainsville United church on Sunday afternoon and was conducted by Rev. Mr. Lacey of Brinston, assisted by Rev. Mr. Sommerville of Heckston. The text was taken from Job 14:14. The choir sang the beautiful hymn: "How beautiful Heaven must be." Interment was made in Hainsville cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs Will Reynolds, Robert Fader, John Adams, Geo. Warren and Charlie Anderson.

The large attendance at the funeral testified to the high esteem in which deceased was held. The floral tributes were as follows: Gates Ajar, from Wife and Daughter; Pillow, Hamilton Family; Wreath, Ed. J. Hamilton; Sprays, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Corker; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boyd.

MOUNTAIN

Masters Donald, Kenneth and Miss Helen Giles were Tuesday guests of Master John and Miss Jean Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan VanAllen, Mrs. A. Bouck and Miss V. VanAllen were Sunday guests of Miss Mabel Marquette.

The October meeting of the W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. A. Bouck with Mrs. D. W. Cameron in charge.

Tuesday evening guests of Miss Lulu Barker were Misses Geraldine Cook, Eileen Smith, Rose Cross and Violet VanAllen

A number from town attended the evangelistic meetings at South Mountain on Sunday evening.

Mrs. A. Bouck and Miss V. VanAllen spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Herb VanAllen of Vancamp.

Misses Lulu Barker and O. Park were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Millar of Pittston.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan VanAllen were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Whitley, Mr. Vernon Whitley, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Whitley of Roebuck.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCordick and family of North Gower, spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. S. W. VanAllen.

Miss Evelyn Cheney spent Tuesday in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beckstead were recent guests of Winchester friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. VanAllen spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moorhouse.

Mrs. M. Olmstead is at present visiting Mrs. E. McCloskey of Chesterville.

Miss Eileen Smith spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shaw of North Mountain.

The Y. P. A. met in the United church on Monday evening with Mr. Kenneth Cameron in charge.

Mr. Tom Rigg of Dundee, Scotland, was the week-end guest of Mr and Mrs. N. Crowder.

HULBERT

The Mission Band held a quilting bee in the basement of the church on Wednesday.

Miss Mary Thorpe and Miss Bessie McQuaig spent Thursday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Mellan.

Mr. and Mrs Jas. Flegg visited Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Thorpe on Wednesday.

Mrs. Chris Mellan was in Ottawa one day recently.

Mr Bert McQuaig had the misfortune to get his finger cut in the curd mill in the factory here.

Miss Ada Froom of Ottawa, called on her sister, Mrs. Wesley Flegg Sunday afternoon.

Miss Bessie McQuaig spent a couple of days with her sister, Mrs. Russell Beggs.

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THE BIG FIRE

National Temperance Study Course for Sunday Schools, October 25th, 1936

Clang! Clang! Clang. Down the street raced a fire squad early one evening in the city of Townsboro. The people stopped short on the sidewalk to see where the engine was going. The automobiles came to a sudden stop at the intersections. Clang! Clang! Clang! came another engine, and yet another, with the hook and ladder trucks following close behind.

"It must be a big fire," shouted Jack Cowan to his chum. "Come on, fellows, let's go," and off down the street they ran. They ran as fast as they could, and it was a very breathless Jack who tried to say as he ran, "How do—those men ever—put on—rubber coats—when the truck is going—at that pace?"

There was plenty of smoke ahead. The sidewalks were becoming crowded with people, and the question on every tongue was the same: "Where's the fire?"

Some said it was the library. Others said the High School, but it was not until the boys turned on King Street that they knew all about it.

It was the cathedral; the cathedral with the beautiul door and lovely windows! It was Jack's own church, and when he saw it in flames he stood quite still for a moment. Then he dashed forward. He wanted to help save it, but the voice of the police officer in charge sounded loud and harsh. "Stand back—the roof will fall," he shouted.

More fire fighting squads arrived, and more people. The flames shot high through the roof, and Jack was sure the whole building would go. "Why can't they control it,?" he said. It was his church. He had had many good times there. Then suddenly there was a crash of glass and the window Jack liked best of all was gone. It was the window with the picture of Jesus and the fishermen, by the sea of Galilee.

An old man stood behind Jack. When the window crashed, he uttered a loud cry, and all those near by heard him say: "Fire is useful under control, but it is a demon of the worst kind when it is uncontrolled."

An hour went by. Jack remembered about his mother at home, and he turned away long before he wanted to go. He did not sleep well that night. It seemed to him as though he could see the fire again, hear the roar of the flames, and smell the smoke. Several times he woke up, and he was shouting "Save my church. Control the fire."

At school next day, the topic of conversation was the fire. In the class, Mr. Forsythe, the teacher, allowed his pupils to talk about. Jack told the class what he had heard the old man say: "Fire is useful under control, but it is a demon of the worst kind when it is uncontrolled."

Mr. Forsythe said "Is that true, boys? What does the word 'control' mean?"

Tom Rogers was a very clever pupil and his answer was voted the best. Tom said. "The word 'control' means that the thing you want to keep in order is held under your power."

"What are the things that we should control?" said the teacher, and the answers came forth:

"Anything that is harmful—Control our tongues—our appetites—self-control."

"Very good," said Mr. Forsythe. "Is it easy to control the tongue and the appetite? What if some one offered you a drink of liquor, and laughed at you when you refused to take it? What would you do?"

The boys knew that this situation would be a very difficult one. They did not answer hastily. Jack said, "Well, I would tell the one who offered it that it was harmful—that it contained poison. I would say—"Not for me."

Tom Rogers said, "I would say, "No, thank you,' and stick to it."

"Yes, and every time that you refused, it would be easier for you," Mr. Forsythe said. Then he wrote on the board, the words, "Practice self-control."

"Suppose some one made you angry, would you shout angrily in return? What would you do?"

"Control our tongues," came the answer.

"Who would be controlled by his tongue," added Mr. Forsythe.

"There are other things that can be like demons besides fire," he continued to say. "Whiskey is like a demon when it gets control of a man. It first of all makes his head queer, and he loses his will power. Who would be controlled by a drink?" Then after a minute or two of silence, Mr. Forsythe said, "Let us discuss it a little more."

Texas Guns



by L. P. HOLMES

Final Instalment

"He's on top o' the bunkhouse," yelled Johnny. "I'm gonna be set for him next shot. An' Jim, fer God's sake take a new position. They got yuh figgered."

The old cattleman swore but made no move to push himself to another point. It was Ronny who darted up and drew her father away, in spite of his protests.

At the window corner Johnny sat tense, his lips in a compressed line, his eyes fixed unwaveringly on the top of the bunkhouse. Suddenly he stiffened and shoved the muzzle of his rifle through a shattered pane. His keen glance had caught sight of a slight movement on that distant ridgepole. The movement continued and grew into the shape of a long, black gun barrel which was being shoved over and trained on the ranchhouse. Johnny swung his sights into line, drawing a fine bead just above that threatening barrel. Cautiously the upper half of a bared head showed. Johnny held his breath, centered his bead and pressed the trigger.

Half the body of a man lurched into view, then dropped from sight. The big Sharps rifle teetered on the ridge pole for a moment then tipped over and slid halfway down the roof, where it stuck and held, in plain view of the exultant Johnny.

"That's one cannon spiked. I got him, Jim. An' the big gun's in plain sight on the roof where the rest cain't get it."

Johnny's triumph was short lived. Just as Speele's cohorts, driven to madness by the sight of another casualty on their side, opened up in fury from all angles, Doc McMurdo started to circle from Delevan's side to Johnny. He went down, just opposite the window, falling at full length on his face. There was a bullet hole just above his left ear and one in the side of his neck. He was dead on his feet.

At her father's side Ronny sagged in a near faint. Delevan swore helplessly, terribly. Johnny, white and harsh, crouched over and dragged the body into a dark corner. Then, without a word he padded back to his window corner and settled down to his watching. In that position darkness found them.

There comes a time in every man's life when minutes are hours and hours untold eons. When suspense whips the nerve centers taut and harsh and sets muscles hard and unyielding. At these times the veneer of civilization melts away and pure savagery rears it's head. And if the suspense endures without breaking, the animal madness grows until danger and hand to hand conflict are to be welcomed with open arms.

Thus felt Johnny Clehoe as midnight approached. The house was in utter blackness seemingly much deeper than the opaque veil which hovers over the world without. And the Box D ranchhouse had become a house of ghosts now. Human bodies had no substance in that stygian, acrid gloom. Only human voices existed, low-pitched, anger hoarsened voices.

Only when Ronny crept once to Johnny's side with a cup of coffee which Chang had managed to brew by some celestial legerdemain, did he realize fully again that he was not alone in a mad, black, stark world.

Ronny crouched close beside him, her cheek resting against his shoulder much as would that of a frightened, bewildered and unutterably worried child.

"Pore little kid," murmured Johnny. He put his freed arm about her shoulders and she relaxed and rested there.

Presently she stirred. "Johnny," she whispered. "I'm afraid. They are going to rush the house soon. I know it. I feel it. And I'm afraid. If only Tex was here."

Johnny gulped. "Ain't I been wishin' an' prayin' the same thing," he muttered hoarsely. "God—yes, if'n Tex was here he'd lick Speele's whole damn outfit single handed. Good ole Tex—he's like a dad to me."

"I know. He's wonderful. With his clear old eyes and funny, quirky smile. Yet I feel that he can be terrible if he's aroused."

Long they crouched there in the dark. Two children, and just a wee bit afraid of a stark, murder-filled world.

Long after, Jim Delevan stirred in his chair and cleared his throat.

"Ronny," he called softly. "Where are yuh, child?"

"She's here, Jim," answered Johnny. "She's alsleep on my shoulder. Pore little kid, she's havin' a tough time of it."

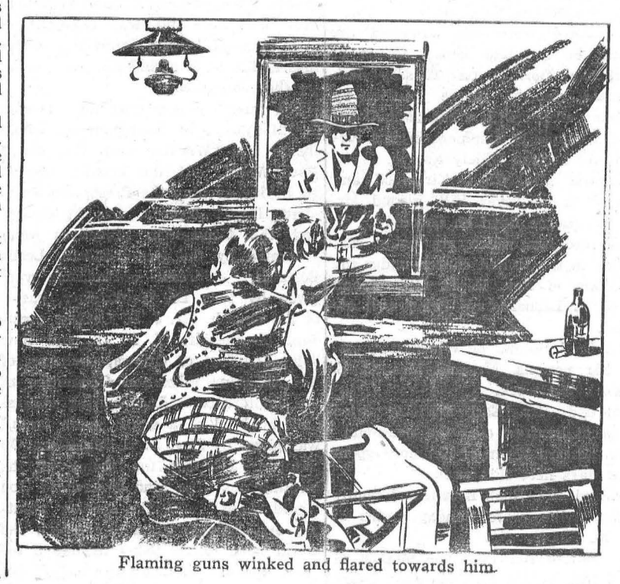
"I'm glad she's asleep. She likes yuh, son."

Johnny's arm tightened around the sleeping girl. She stirred and moaned a little, like an infant plagued with dreams.

The air was stark with the chill of early morning. It seemed to Johnny that the murk outside was thinning somewhat. Dawn was not so very far away. Then the storm broke.

From all sides of the house a torrent of yells shattered the silence. And with them came the rumble and thunder of shots. There was a clatter of boots upon the porch and something crashed at one wide porch window, tearing away sash and splintered remnants of glass in a flurry of blows. Then through the opening catapulted a dark, malignant figure, a spitting gun in each hand.

Like a flash Johnny lowered Ronny to the floor and leaped away, careless of movement and noise, just so he could draw that ruthless fire from the girl. He stumbled against



Flaming guns winked and flared towards him.

a chair and it skittered and crashed in front of him. Immediately those flaming guns winked and flared towards him.

Something struck him low on the left side, burning across his ribs like a white hot iron. It spun him half about but he steadied and drove two quick shots in return, holding low down and between the crimson arcs of flame which spat at him. There was a cough, a gurgle and the thud of a falling body.

"Johnny," bawled Delevan. "Yuh got him—yuh got him!"

In the rear of the house Pink Crosby's Winchester was crashing in steady cadence, while outside the yells had doubled in ferocity and the gunfire rolled to a shattering, sustained roar.

There came a rustle of skirts and Ronny's voice, fearful and broken carried through the dark.

"Johnny—dad—where are you?"

"We're all right child," boomed Delevan. "You keep down—down—do you hear. Lay on the floor."

But Ronny did nothing of the kind. She stumbled through the blackness until her hands rested on Johnny. She felt the warm stickiness of blood running down his side.

"Johnny!" she gasped. "You're hurt, you're hurt! Oh—dad—he's falling."

Johnny was not exactly falling but he was slumping slowly downward, his shoulders against the wall.

"I'm a'right," he muttered hoarsely. "A'right—jest a little dizzy. A little dizzy."

He ended up finally, half lying, half sitting against the wall. Ronny crouched beside him, her arms about his fiercely. She was sobbing and praying at the same time.

Abruptly he stiffened.

"Listen!" he gasped. "Listen—I hear 'em—I hear 'em. Texas guns—Texas guns! Hear 'em roar will yuh? It's Tex—it's Tex. The ole gray wolf's come to look after his cub. Now Spelle—damn yuh—here's where yuh—get—yore—needin's."

So saying, Johnny slumped forward, silent—inert.

Late on the following afternoon, Johnny opened a pair of lacklustre eyes and stared about him. Immediately a slow grin wreathed his pale face. Stooping above him was the care lined visage of his old partner.

"Tex," murmured Johnny. "Tex—yuh came in time. I knew it was you. I heard 'em roar—those Texas guns."

"Yuh danged young hellion," murmured Tex. "Yuh didn't leave much fer Utah an' Al an' me to finish."

"But yuh got Spelle?" protested Johnny.

"Nope—not us. You got him."

"I did? I don't get'cha."

"Son, yuh shore did. He was layin' jest outside that front window on the porch with a .45 between his eyes. An' that thievin' four-fingered, half-breed son o' his was the two gun man yuh downed in the room. Ole Jim told me all about it."

"How about you—did yuh get them cattle?" asked Johnny.

"Yore danged right we did. We had a little trouble findin' 'em but we finally located 'em in a little valley about fifty miles north o' the railroad. The Box D iron was blotted on every critter, turned into a Gridiron P. A lot o' it was mighty sketchy work. We cornered the jasper who claimed to own 'em an' a leetle questionin' got him so tangled up he didn't know what his own name was. Utah an' Al an' me declared a showdown an' the rustler boss an' his gang elected to shoot it out. It was their mistake. We got the whole stop from one o' them what was due to cash. He came clean. Like we figgered, Spelle was behind the whole deal. Takin' it by an' all it' been quite some storm. But the air's cleaned up an' we can settle down to honest cattle raisin' now."

"That shore listens fine," murmured Johnny. "I'm dead sick o' fightin'. I done had enough roamin' around. I want to settle down an' grow fat an' sprout a beard."

"Yeah?" Tex's eyes were twinkling. "I reckon somebody else will have somethin' to say about that—the beard an' the bay window I mean. Women are touchy about sech things."

"Huh," grunted Johnny. "Think yuh're smart don't yuh?"

"Nope—jest a prophet, that's all. An' I'll betcha a new hat I'm right."

Johnny smiled up at him.

"Yuh'd win the bet, ole timer. Where is she?"

"Out on the porch with her dad. I'll send her in."

Tex swaggered the length of the bullet scarred porch with mischief glowing in his eyes. Ronny Delevan watched his approach curiously and was rewarded by having Tex catch her by both shoulders and plant a resounding, shameless kiss on one velvety cheek.

"Why—what—" stammered the bewildered girl.

"Now don't get excited, young 'un," chuckled Tex. "I'm jest salutin' the bride to be. Ain't mad are yuh?"

Ronny blushed furiously. "Who told you that?" she demanded.

"Nobody. Shucks I got eyes ain't I? By the way, that young cub o' mine wants to see yuh. Pronto now—don't keep yore future husband waitin'."

Ronny scurried to the doorway, where she halted and looked back. Of a sudden she dimpled rosily.

"Tex," she called. "You win."

"They're good kids, Tex," rumbled Delevan finally.

"None better nowhere," nodded Tex. "Jim, we're danged lucky men."

"Yore damn right. Tex, I hope there'll be leetle fellers later on, leetle pudgy fellers to tug an' paw us ole wolves around."

"They will be, Jim. Them kids o' ours are the real quill."

Another long silence.

"Happy?" rumbled Delevan.

"As hell," sighed Tex. "This is the end o' the trail for me. Right here I stay. Right here I sit an' watch the days peter out down there across the desert."

As though in salute a single golden ray bathed them in its radiance, softening the grim, sculptured harshness of their features to one of mellowed contentment.

THE END

KILLING TIME

People partial to this crime of killing time might be pardoned if they'll only kill their own; but they murder yours and mine—kill our moments as they shine—butcher minutes which are rightly ours alone. Which is why I say in rhyme that the men who kill our time should be banished to an island in the sea, where, among the leafy bow'rs, they can kill a string of hours and not have a chance to bother you and me.—Walt Mason.

A honey crop for 1936 of only 20 to 25 per cent. of normal is reported from the British Isles with the demand for honey even better than in 1935 at higher prices, according to the British Bee Journal. The United States reports a lighter crop than in 1935 and Canadian reports to date indicate a crop of not more than 85 per cent. of last year.

PLANNING OUR DAY'S WORK

He who every morning plans the transactions of the day, and follows out that plan, carries a thread that will guide him through the labyrinth of the most busy life. The orderly arrangement of his time is like a ray of light which darts itself through all his occupations. But where no plan is laid, where the disposal of time is surrendered merely to the chance of incidents, all things lie huddled together in one chaos, which admits of neither distribution nor review. —Hugo.

"I am a woman of few words," announced the haughty mistress to the new maid. "If I beckon with my finger that means come."

"Suits me, mum," replied the girl. "I'm a woman of few words myself. If I shake my head, that means I ain't comin'."—The Veteran.

STRANGE AS IT SEEMS—By JOHN HIX

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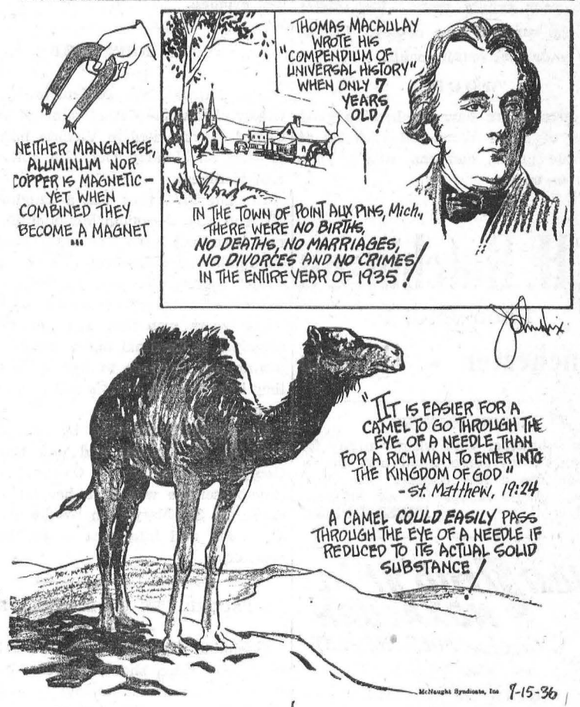

Needle Eye Camel

Strange as it seems, were it possible to compress all the material substance of a solid into its actual size, it would not only be possible to pass the proverbial camel "through a needle's eye," but it would also actually be possible to fit all the people in the world into an ordinary glass tumbler.

According to science this is explained by the fact that in any so-called solid there is more space than actual matter, this even applying to as seemingly solid an object as a steel bar. Even in an atom, the smallest particle of matter, there is considerably more room taken up by space than there is by the protons or electrons contained in it.

An interesting sidelight on the origin of "camel through a needle's eye" expression is the various opinions of its meaning expressed by leading historians and Scriptural authorities.

It is contended by some that the Bible expression, quoted above, referred not to an ordinary needle's eye but to a small gate which was opened in the great gate of an Oriental city, when the latter was closed for the night. This was difficult but not absolutely impossible for a camel to negotiate. However, the basis of this contention is difficult to establish.

Point Aux Pins

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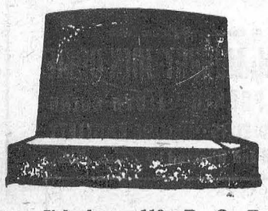

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The boys talked freely on the subject of alcohol, and then on the board there was written a decision which the boys composed, and which each one, in turn, signed:

"Because alcohol, as a beverage, will weaken my body, and my brain, it cannot help me to live at my very best. It will spoil my chances of success. Therefore, I make this decision, that I will not take it in any form."

Time passed by. The great cathedral was re-built more beautiful than before. The boys graduated from school and college. Different tasks claimed their attention. Some travelled far, while others remained in Townsboro, but they always remembered their old teacher, and the class room discussion and decision the morning after the great fire.

Questions

1. Name two things nearly every boy or girl finds hard to control. (Value 10.)
2. Why did the boys decide that whiskey spoils self-control? (Value 10.)

CHRISTMAS DAY BROADCAST

According to word from England the British broadcasting corporation is already making plans for this year's Christmas broadcast.

The world-wide broadcast will be short-waved to Canada and to the British possessions throughout the globe. The Canadian radio commission network will pick up the program and broadcast it throughout the nation by long wave. An official request will be made to the King to greet his subjects over the microphone as a climax to the program.

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FIRST WOMAN TO BE ORDAINED

Formal ordination of Miss Lydia Gruchy, first woman to become a minister in the United Church of Canada, will take place in St. Andrew's United church at Moosejaw, on Wednesday, November 4th, it was announced at the close of the annual meeting of the Moosejaw Presbytery.

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½ tsp. of pepper 1 tsp. of dry mustard

Flake freshened fish into pieces. Turn three-quarter cup of hot water in which fish was freshened, over fish, which has been placed on platter or shallow dish. Sprinkle with teaspoon of dry mustard and half teaspoon of pepper. Chop hard-boiled eggs over fish and dot generously with butter. Serve with tomato sauce.

ANY DAY A FISH DAY

HINTS FOR THE FARMER

LIME FOR THE SOIL

Limestone is required on many soil types not only to counteract present acidity but also to replace lime used by plants and lost annualy by leaching. Every four years, it has been estimated, more than a ton of limestone per acre is taken out of the average soil by crop removals and leaching.

LOADING HORSES

When horses are loaded crosswise into an open motor-truck, they are safer if their heads are towards the outside of the road. Reports tell of horses seriously injured by passing traffic—often another truck—when the horses had their heads towards the centre of the road. The danger is greatest at night.

O. A. C. STAFF CHANGES

Two senior members of the faculty of the Ontario Agricultural College, at Guelph, retired from active service on October 1st, namely, Dr. Robert Harcourt, head of the Department of Chemistry, and Prof. Dan Jones, head of the bacteriological department. Dr. Harcort had a record of 43 years' service on the staff. That both will be missed is indicated by the words of Dr. G. I. Christie, College principal, commenting on their retirement: "It means a great loss to College work. They have rendered not only distinct service in their fields of endeavour, but have been strong, helpful associates with the students, staff and people of the province."

YOUTHFUL ORATORY FOR ROYAL WINTER FAIR

"Youth in Agriculture" is not only to be the slogan of the 1936 Royal Winter Fair in Toronto from November 18 to 26 but also will be the motif or theme animating the whole spirit of the Fair. In keeping with this "Youth in Agriculture" idea, a special event has been arranged in the form of a public speaking contest open to boys who are members of boys' and girls' farm clubs under the Canadian Council on Boys' and Girls' Club work. This contest is a feature apart from the usual projects of the boys' and girls' farm clubs and has regulations of its own.

For example a club member who has competed at the Royal Winter Fair in any previous contest conducted by the Canadian Council on Boys' and Girls' Club Work, will not be eligible to compete and the number of contestants is to be limited to one speaker from one province. The contestant must be less than eighteen years of age and must not have reached his twenty-first birthday on November 1st, 1936. The subject matter of each address will deal with the position and opportunity of youth in agriculture, and each address is limited to ten minutes.

Entries will be received from the officers in charge of club work and must be mailed to the General Secretary, Canadian Council on Boys' and Girls' Club Work, 463 Confederation Building, Ottawa, before October 31.

HEALTHY SPRING PIGS

The production of large numbers of healthy spring pigs is dependent upon good feeding, care, and management of the boar and sows during the winter. First of all, the problem of correct mating is one which always confronts the livestock breeder. Presuming that the sows are of good bacon type, it is the responsibility of the breeder to mate them to a suitable boar, so that the offspring will grow into bacon hogs of the right type.

If the sows are not bred along bacon lines, or have already produced poor progeny, it is now a suitable time to procure one or two gilts to strengthen the sow herd and introduce a good bacon strain. An early start allows two litters to be raised next year. Two litters instead of one will reduce the carrying charges per pig, and this in turn, with average or better conditions, will mean more profit to the breeder.

The boar is a first consideration. He is often impaired by under or over-feeding, and by confinement in small quarters. He should be able to exercise out of doors all the year round, in addition to a dry clean bed free from draughts during the winter.

The best advice for feeding the sows is a repetition of the maxim—feed according to the conditions of the sows. The feeding practice should be to bring the sow through the winter in medium flesh. The feeds used must of necessity be made up largely, if not entirely, of the feeds available on the farm. Successful feeding depends upon combining these feeds in suitable proportion and the employment of only a minimum of expensive purchased feeds.

WEED IMPURITIES SPOIL CROP REPORT

The matter of seed crop selection is now doubtless engaging the attention of farmers who hope to obtain a cash return from seed production. Certain crops have, of course, been planned and seeded for this purpose. These will include cereal crops principally. Selection of seed crops made at about this time will include such kinds as timothy, red clover, alsike, alfalfa, sweet clover and other forage crops. If consideration is being given to the savings of any of these crops for seed, certain factors should be taken into account. Perhaps the first and most important of these is the quality of the seed likely to be produced as determined by freedom from weed seed impurities.

In order to obtain the greatest return from seed production, it is important that the quality of the seed should be the highest obtainable. Too often seed production proves unprofitable, the reason being that the crop was either unsuitable or was not properly prepared for seed production. The seeds of certain weeds are so difficult to separate from grass and clover seeds that the removal of the weeds themselves from the seed crop, by roguing or hand pulling, is the only means of dealing with them successfully. This may be done profitably, sometimes, but not always. Other seeds are not only difficult of separation, but are of the highest grades. Ox-eye daisy is one of these, and timothy in which this weed is present should not be saved for seed. Bladder campion, white cockle, couch grass, wild mustard, nightflowering catchfly, false flax, ribgrass and wild carrot are also of this class and therefore seed crops of alsike, alfalfa, red clover and sweet clover containing these weeds cannot be expected to give profitabl returns.

OCTOBER GAVE A PARTY

October gave a party;
The leaves by hundreds came,
The Chestnuts, Oaks and Maples,
And leaves of every name.

The sunshine spread a carpet,
And everything was grand;
Miss Weather led the dancing,
Professor Wind the band.

The Chestnuts came in yellow,
The Oaks in crimson dressed,
The lovely Misses Maple
In scarlet looked their best.

All balanced to their partners
And gaily fluttered by;
The sight was like a rainbow
New fallen from the sky.

Then in the rustic hollow
At hide-and-seek they played;
The party closed at sundown,
And everybody stayed.

Professor Wind played louder;
They flew along the ground,
And then the party ended
In hands across, all round.

—George Cooper.

SAFEGUARDING PURITY OF FARM WELL

Next in importance to the location of the farm well, which should be far removed from likely sources of contamination, are the protective measures which may be taken to safeguard the purity of the water. The first step after digging or drilling the well is to protect it from the entrance of the surface water. The well must have a good cover of concrete, stone or wood. If the well is deep, it should be fitted with a galvanized iron pipe reaching to the bottom, care being taken that the lower end of the pipe is efficiently sealed to the rock, also that the top of the pipe is sealed to the cover. Otherwise surface water may trickle down outside the pipe into the well.

If the well is shallow and wide, the walls of the well should be made impervious to an adequate depth. Ten or twelve feet is the usual depth recommended for the impervious wall, which may be concrete, puddled clay or cemented tile. The wall should be continued upwards one foot above the surface of the ground. By this means surface water must filter through a depth of ten or twelve feet of earth before it can enter the well, and if the earth is in a reasonably clean condition, the water thus becomes purified.

Further safeguards are the tufing of the area immediately surrounding the well, fencing to prevent the approach of animals, and refraining from using fertilizer within the vicinity.

Last fall in Newton, Mass., a high-school lad hurt his thigh in a football game, and when he went to sleep that night he put an electric heat pad on it. The heat made him perspire, the perspiration soaked through the pad, and in the morning they found him dead from electrocution. Good pads are usually equipped with a rubber case to be slipped over them, but this is often mislaid. It is well to bear this in mind when using one.

CANADA LAGS IN FISH CONSUMPTION

Compared to the people of England, Canadians are poor fish eaters, in the opinion of Alfred H. Brittain, head of one of Canada's largest fish producing companies and former president of the Canadian Fisheries Association.

Over in the Old Country the consumption of fish amounts to about 43 pounds per person. Here in the Dominion it is only about 21 pounds per capita. Yet, according to reports presented to the fishing industry, Canadian fish is noted the world over for its flavour and quality.

Mr. Brittain has continuously advocated an educational and advertising campaign by the government to help increase markets within the Dominion for Canadian fish. If the national consumption of fish were to be increased by only ten pounds per capita it would mean approximately another 100,000,000 pounds of fish.

Wth the present crusade for the increased consumption of fish now appearing in the newspapers and magazines of the Dominion that goal seems to be drawing nearer. According to Mr. Brittain such an increase would add materially to the general welfare; it would benefit the transportation companies and affiliated industries; it would increase the revenue of the primary producer; and it would provide a real stimulus for the entire fishing industry.

THE PROMISE OF SECRECY

A keeper of secrets is a bearer of troubles. When you promised one friend secrecy, you did not foresee that your duty to another friend might require the utterance of that very secret. Secrets are like a nest full of complications and conflicts of duty—all ready to hatch. If a man is entrusted with money, and he finds that its administration clouds his honor or threatens other duties, he can usually return it; but he cannot return entrusted information and be free of it. There may be occasions when it is sacred duty to receive a secret and then to guard it, but it is not a duty to be lightly assumed, or even sought for curiosity's sake. Be as conscientious about entrusted information as about entrusted money, and at least as slow to receive it.

BIBLE SOCIETY ANNUAL HELD AT MOREWOOD

The annual meeting of the Morewood Branch of the Ottawa Auxiliary Bible Society was held in the Presbyterian Hall there on Friday evening last. Dr. O. A. Thomson was chairman.

Rev. H. D. Marr of Calgary, Alberta, gave the address of the evening.

Rev. Mr. Thomson presided for the election of officers which resulted as follows: President, Mr. A. B. Allison; vice presidents, Rev. John Macaskill and Rev. O. A. Thomson; secretary-treasurer, Mr. Thos. Coulthart; committee, Mrs. W. S. Feeley, Mrs. Thomson, Mrs. A. Dillabough, Mrs H. Steen, Ford Steinburg, Hume McConnell, Russell Swerdfeger, Robert Rainey, Thos. Moffatt and Lyall Hunter.

Announcement!

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LARGE BROOD

Dr. G. R. Booth, of Brockville, performed a Caesarian operation on a sow owned by Robert Crisp, of Forfar. Ten pigs were delivered and the mother is doing nicely.

It is expected that, with the restoration of normal commercial relations between Canada and Russia, the latter country will offer a market for Canadian dairy cows, pedigree livestock and cattle for restocking Russian farms, horses, seeds, metals, machinery, tools and other commodities.

REAL CHOICE

Rastus and Liza were married but a short time when he came home with a big washtub, a washboard and a handsome three-foot mirror.

Liza: "What's all de truck you brung?"

Rastus: "Yo-all kin take yo' pick. Yo' kin take de tub an' washboard an' go to work, or yo' kin take de mirror an' set down and watch you'self starve.

THAT'S ALL, THEN—

How long you in gaol for, Mose?"
"Two weeks."
"What am de charge?"
"No charge; everything am free."
"Ah mean, what has you did?" ?
"Done shot my wife."
"You shot your wife and only in gaol for two weeks?"
"Dat's all—den I gets hung."

MRS. W. McMARTIN MOURNED AT ELMA

On Monday afternoon, October 12th, there passed away at her old home, a highly respected citizen in the person of Mrs. Wm. T. McMartin, of Elma, after a period of several months in ill health.

Mrs. McMartin, whose maiden name was Jessie McDonald, was of Scottish ancestry. She was born in Pendleton, Plantagenet township, and together with her husband, the late Wm. T. McMartin, who predeceased her on August 10, 1934, went to live in Elma vicinity 27 years ago.

Interment was made at the Maple Ridge cemetery.

She leaves to mourn her loss, three sons: Winston, of Aultsville; Arnold of Dunbar, and Donald at home; four grandchildren, Douglas, Marion and Gordon, of Aultsville, and Malcolm, of Dunbar; two sisters, Mrs. Ranald Benton, of Maxville, and Mrs. Stephen Clarke, of Bourget, and one brother, Kenneth McDonald, of Winchester.

IT'S A FREE COUNTRY

If you try to go through it too fast, you get a summons.

If you try to explore any of it, you're arrested for trespassing.

If you spend a few weeks in it, it costs a king's ransom.

And man alive, if you own a chunk of it yourself, you're up to your neck in taxes the rest of your life!

LATE MRS. JAMES CAMERON

There passed away at her late residence, Cannamore, Ont., on Tuesday, October 13th, Anne Jane Coleman, widow of the late James Cameron, in her 81st year, after an illness of three months. The late Mrs. Cameron was born at Hallville, Ont., in 1856 where she lived until her marriage to James Loughridge, when they resided on a farm in Finch township until his death in 1895. In 1898 she married the late James Cameron and moved to Cannamore where she lived until her death. Mr. Cameron predeceased her just two years ago on Oct. 11th. All her life Mrs. Cameron was an active and energetic woman with a kindly smile and friendly greeting for all.

In the past three months, she was confined to her bed where she received the best medical attention and the devoted ministrations of the family.

Mrs. Cameron was a member of Morewood United Church and for many years a faithful worker of the W. M. S. and Ladies' Aid.

She is survived by one adopted daughter, Mrs. Wilbert Coulthart, of Winchester, and one adopted son, George, at home; three grandchildren and three great grandchildren, also one sister, Mrs. David Kinkaid, of Russell, Ont., and one brother, Thomas Coleman, of Hallville.

The funeral service, held on Thursday, October 15th, in Morewood United church, was conducted by Rev. Macaskill, and was largely attended, showing the high esteem in which she was held. Interment was in Presbyterian cemetery.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Angus Smirle, Alex Byers, Dobbie Byers, Hector Carruthers, Charles Baker and Thos. Feely.

Among the floral offerings received were sprays from Mr. and Mrs. George Keill and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Coulthart, Miss Florence Stark, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Suffel.

Too much money gets a fellow into more trouble than not enough, but it's a lot more fun.

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THE PRIZE WINNERS

The list of prize winners at a recent picnic read:

"Mrs. Smith won the ladies' rolling pin throwing contest by hurling a pin seventy-five feet.

"Mr. Smith won the hundred yard dash."

There were 4,299 municipalitites in Canada in 1934, divided into urban and rural classes. The first class consists of cities, towns, villages and suburban municipalities, while the second class consists of counties, rural municipalities and districts.

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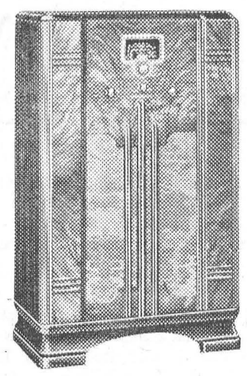

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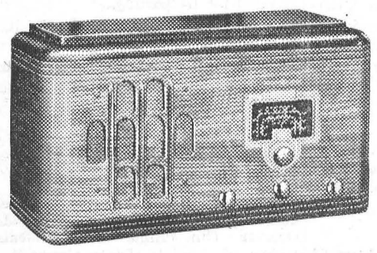

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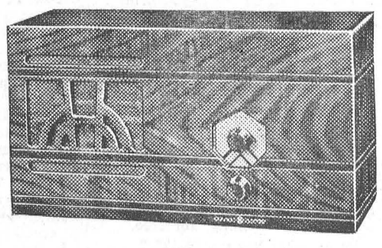

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Our Contest Winners

Last Week's Winners were Mrs. Geo. Atchison Mrs. Beatrice Jackson and Mrs. Hilda Rice

Are you a good judge of the weight of Live Stock on the hoof? Drop in and put your guess of the combined weight of Keyes' employees down. Same prizes, same time.

T. O. KEYES

TELEPHONE 16 - WINCHESTER, ONT.

Our Column

A man's character is known by what he laughs at.

Remorse is merely memory that has begun to ferment.

A bee hasn't much to say. but he usually carries his point.

The hardest tumble a man can take is to fall over his own bluff.

The man who marries with money to burn usually finds his match.

Luck is only another word for good management in practical affairs.

It's all right to have a train of thoughts, if you have a terminal.

He who wishes to secure the good of others has already secured his own.

It's better to give than to lend, and it costs about the same.—Philip Gibbs.

If you insist on straining your eyes, strain them looking on the bright side of life.

A man is entitled to his share, but he has no right to try to separate another man from his.

A monument to a hen at Little Compton, Rhode Island, commemorates the origin of the Rhode Island Red breed of chicken.

From David learn to give thanks for everything. Every furrow in the Book of Psalms is sown with the seeds of thanksgiving.—Jeremy Taylor.

I believe in to-day. It is all that I possess. The past is of value only as it can make the life of to-day fuller and freer. There is no assurance of to-morrow. I must make good to-day.—Chas. Stelze.

UNDERWENT SERIOUS OPERATION

Mr. Frank Davidson, prominent local citizen is at present a patient in the Cornwall General Hospital, after having undergone a serious operation yesterday morning.

We are pleased to inform our readers that the operation was successful and latest reports received by the Press stated that Mr. Davidson was making satisfactory progress.

His numerous friends will join in the wish that Mr. Davidson may soon return to his home, renewed in strength and vigour.

MAPLE RIDGE Y. P. S.

An interesting meeting of the Maple Ridge Young People's Society was held in the school house on Thursday evening last. There was a good attendance with the president, Miss Jessie Derby, presiding. The meeting opened with the singing of hymn 81, with Mrs. Ewart Carkner presiding at the piano. Prayer was offered by Willie Helmer, while the Scripture lesson was read by Harlan Helmer. Miss Myrtle Carkner presided during the business session, with Miss Francis Helmer in the secretary's chair. It was decided to send flowers to Miss Cora Helmer, who is at present a patient in the Cornwall General Hospital.

An interesting talk on "The Fullness of the Holy Spirit," was given by Rev. W. S. Atchison, and was greatly enjoyed and very enlightening. The singing of Hymn 95, and prayer by Mr. Ewart Carkner, closed the meeting.

THE GOFORTH HELPERS GROUP

The "Goforth Helpers," a newly organized group of the 'teen aged girls, affiliated with the W. M. S. of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, held their first meeting last evening at the home of Miss Eleanor Stewart.

The devotional exercises were conducted by the president, Miss Helen Spinks, and the secretary, Miss E. Stewart. Mrs. W. D. Turner, president of the W. M. S., gave a very interesting talk on the early life of the late Dr. Goforth, a missionary in Manchuria.

Mrs. A. G. Suffel gave a synopsis of the lecture, given by Rev. A. A. Lowther, B.A., B.D., of Jhansi, India, at St. Paul's W. M. S. Thank-offering meeting on Monday evening last.

A social time was then enjoyed after which Mrs. Turner expressed the appreciation of the group to Miss Stewart for her hospitality.

The group is under the leadership of Mrs. E. J. Spinks, Miss Clara Anderson and Mrs. A. G. Suffel. Many interesting and instructive meetings are planned for the coming winter, embracing the study of missionaries and their work in foreign fields.

GET READY FOR WINTER DRIVING

Now is the time to have your car or truck prepared for the cold weather driving. Winter grades of motor oils and greases are necessary for the protection of your motor. Drop in and let us change your oil and grease, check your battery and fill your radiator with "Eveready Preston Anti-Freeze." We guarantee satisfaction and all our products are of the highest grades. May we have the pleasure of giving you the "best motor service at a moderate price."

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

A number of local sport fans attended the football game in Ottawa on Saturday last when Ottawa Rough Riders defeated the Montreal Red Indians 8-7.

Mr. H. F. McLean, of Merrickville, has offered to build an up-to-date rink for that town and it is quite likely the Municipal Council will accept his generous offer.

Last week a car containing 498 bags of potatoes, parsnips, carrots, canned goods, preserves and honey was loaded at Osgoode Station to be sent to Wilkie, Sask., from the North Gower district.

The many friends of Mrs. Arnold Hutt will be pleased to learn that she is progressing favourably, following her recent operation at the Hepburn Hospital, Ogdensburg. She expects to be able to leave the hospital this week.

Mrs. W. S. Atchison has been on a speaking tour of the district this week in connection with the work of the Canadian Girls In Training. She visited Easton's Corners on Tuesday, Vancamps yesterday and is today speaking at Colquhoun.

Two carloads of food from Osgoode and surrounding country were loaded at Osgoode on Monday and Tuesday for the Western Provinces. The shipment included fruits, vegetables, canned goods, and other foodstuffs easily shipped, donations coming from Kars, Osgoode, Vernon and the farming district around those places.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Allison, Winchester Springs, entertained at dinner on Sunday evening in honour of his father's birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Allison and Louva, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Allison, Morewood; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Swerdfeger, Glen Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. George McLean, and Jean, of Manotick, and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fawcett and family, Winchester.

The efforts that Hy. Bessin has put forth towards securing a franchise in the St. Lawrence Hockey League for his local Junior entry seems nearer to successful achievement.

In speaking unofficially with several league officials, they assured him of their support. Definite word, however, will not be known until a league meeting which will be held early in November.

In the meantime, Hy. has already secured 10 nights from the local rink as well as lining up what he considers a contending promising team.

The following called on Miss Leona Casselman last week who is ill in bed: Mr. and Mrs. Earl VanAllen, of Morrisburg, Mr. and Mrs. H. Beaupre, the former is the principal of the Iroquois High School; Mr. and Mrs. Willis White and family, of Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Mason Casselman, Winchester Springs; Mr. Roy Casselman, Williamsburg; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hore and family of Hastings County; Mr. Grant of South March; Miss Nina Casselman, Strader's Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Jay Casselman, Hulbert; Mrs. Willis Strader and daughter, Luella, Williamsburg; Miss N. Burleigh, teacher of the Iroquois staff.

Friends in this district will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. H. E. Warren, wife of Rev. H. E. Warren, a former pastor of the United church at Chesterville, in Ottawa last Thursday. Mrs. Warren was particularly prominent in Missionary Societies in the Ottawa district and in W. C. T. U. work where she will be widely mourned. Funeral took place on Saturday and interment was made in the Oakland cemetery at Brockville.

Rev. H. E. Warren's last charge was at Aultsville and three years ago he retired, and he and Mrs. Warren went to Ottawa to reside.

FORMER BRINSTON PHYSICIAN IS DEAD

Dr. John McDiarmid, 90, pioneer physician of Brandon, Man., died last week. He went to Brandon from Brinston, near Iroquois, in Eastern Ontario, in 1882. He was elected Mayor of the city in 1893 and 1899.

Rev. A. M. Gordon, of St. Andrew's church, Quebec City, is the newly elected Moderator of the Montreal and Ottawa Synod of the Presbyterian church in Canada.

THE UNITED CHURCH

Rev. W. S. Atchison told the children present on Sunday morning about a very special day observed by Western children known as White Gift Sunday, when these gifts are brought and given to those in need. Thus he urged the children here to have a share in the sending of vegetables, fruit, etc., to Western Canada. "As ye do it unto one of the least of these my brothren ye do it unto Me!"

In the message to the congregation it was made clear that the greatest work in the world is to preach the Gospel, and that the chief business of every man is to serve God. There will come a day when our life will be tested as to whether we have built gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay or stubble upon the foundation—Jesus Christ; and the fire shall try every man's work of what sort it is.

The Autumn Thankoffering of the Mizpah Mission Circle was held at the evening service when the pastor spoke to them on the new status of woman in the last century. He asked them to take as their motto the words of Jesus: "For their sakes, I sanctify myself."

Temptations are now more subtle; smoking and drinking, sad to say, are on the increase among women.

The power of woman for good or evil was emphasized. Jesus gave his greatest commendations to Woman. Our greatest gift to Him is our love. A challenge was thrown out to these young women of the Circle to be their best in the service of Jesus Christ, and to use their talents in helping in the choir and in the Young People's Society. Twenty-two young ladies filled the choir gallery and contributed as a special number: "There's a voice in the wilderness crying." Mrs. Lindsay and Miss Annie Walker sang as a duet: "The Shepherd of Love."

Miss Della Barkley spent the week-end at the home of Miss Ida Campbell.

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Miss E. Knox, of Carleton Place, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hutt.

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Mr and Mrs. Ford Baker and family spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John McOuat.

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Mr. William McConkey spent the week-end the guest of his aunt, Mrs. T. O. Dales, of Prescott, Ont.

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Mrs. Marie Massie, of Cornwall, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. Erle Helmer, Maple Ridge.

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Mr. G. G. McEwen, of Ottawa, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Timmins for a few days last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spinks, of Winchester, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John McOuat on Monday evening.

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Miss Annie Rogers, of Williamsburg, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leslie, Church street.

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Miss Irene Weir, B.A., spent the week end in Toronto where she attended the Queen's-Varsity football game on Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. David Leslie, of Toronto, and Mrs. Esther Looper, of Morrisburg, spent Monday with Mrs. Matthew Reid.

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Rev. G. O. Davies, rector of St. Matthias' church, Winchester, will conduct the services in the Aultsville Mission on Sunday next.

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Mrs. Mary and Miss Eva Alexander and Miss Gwendolyn Leslie and Mr. J. Leslie, of Ottawa, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leslie.

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Mr. Elmer Johnston, of Depot Harbour, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Hutt and family. While in town he is calling on many of his old friends.

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Miss Phyllis Henderson, of the Ottawa Civic Hospital training school, spent the week-end at her home here. She was accompanied by two friends, Misses Kersley and Sprott.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Reveler attended the funeral service of the late Mr. Dan McGregor in Morewood United church on Sunday afternoon.

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Mrs. George Parish, of Smiths Falls, spent a week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Carkner, returning home on Tuesday.

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Rev. W. Mehlenbacher, pastor of the Lutheran Church, Morrisburg, is leaving at the end of the month for Hamilton where he is to become pastor of Trinity Lutheran church there.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stewart and daughter, Joyce, of Braeside, were the week-end guests of the former's brother, Mr. W. J. Stewart, and Mrs. Stewart.

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Mrs. J. E. Singleton, District President of the Women's Institute, is to be the guest speaker at the meeting of the Iroquois Branch to-morrow evening at the home of Mrs. G. Ennis.

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Mrs. Leonard Worster, who has been spending the summer months the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Holmes, returned to Toronto this week where she will join her husband.

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Guests at the home of Mrs. J. R. Campbell over the week-end holiday were Miss Ruth Campbell, of Arnprior. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell of Vankleek Hill, and Dr. and Mrs. D. M. Campbell, of Toronto.

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Rev. W. S. Atchison and Messrs. M. Fennell and N. W. Beach attended the Presbytery Retreat at Brinstons on Tuesday. Rev. Mr. Jones of Montreal, president of the Conference, was the guest speaker.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mill, Mr. and Mrs. Will McIntyre, and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Earle attended the funeral on Saturday of the late Mrs. (Rev.) H. E. Warren, which was held in Parkdale United Church, Ottawa.

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Rev. W. Atchison and Mr. A. Sweet attended the funeral service of the late Rev Jacob Ira Hughes, at Brockville, last week, at which Rev. John Waddell, a former pastor of the United church here, officiated.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Carkner, accompanied by Mrs. S. Burwash, returned on Monday from a visit to a sister, Mrs. E. M. Hosner and daughters, of Rochester, N. Y., and aunt, Mrs. Delia McCormick and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cotter, Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Brennan and Mr. and Mrs. Merton McCormick of Brockport, N. Y.

W. C. T. U.

A meeting was held last Friday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. N. W. Beach.

After the opening devotions, the minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. K. Helmer. Some correspondence was read by the Cor. secretary, Miss Empey, among which was an invitation from Inkerman Union to meet with them on Tuesday, Oct, 27th, at 2 p.m. and hear the Counties' President, Mrs. J. I. Murdock, give a report of the recent Provincial Convention held in Guelph. This invitation was accepted. There was also a letter of appreciation from Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Beach for the presentation made to them on the occasion of their silver wedding anniversary,

It was decided to hold the annual Parlour meeting on the afternoon of Friday, Nov. 6th, at the home of the President, if Mrs. I. Hilliard can be secured as a speaker for that day. The Temperance Course for Sunday Schools was discussed. Prizes will be given by the local Union to those doing well on the written examination. Answer papers are to be given to Mrs. N. W. Beach as soon after Nov. 1st, as they are ready. Mrs. D. W. Summers closed the meeting with prayer.

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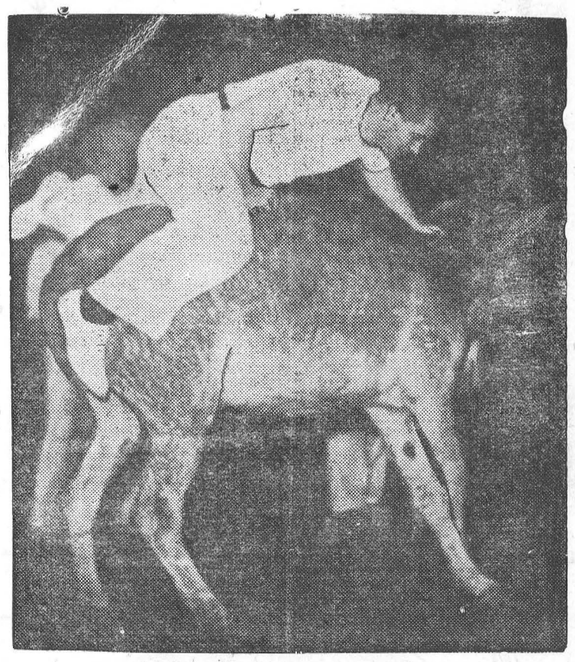
DONKEY BASEBALL

Winchester Arena THURSDAY Evening **OCT. 29**



Scenes like the above photo will be a common occurrence during the double header donkey baseball game starting at 8.00 p.m. on Thursday, October 29th, at the Winchester Arena. According to advance reports from other centres where donkey baseball has been played great crowds have flocked and jammed each night to gain admission, with hundreds turned away, while those lucky enough to have gained admission were kept in a continual uproar of laughter. All local citizens are urged to be on hand early to secure admission, to see the funniest horse ball game on earth. Don't miss it. Teams from Chesterville, Williamsburg, Iroquois and Winchester will compete. Sponsored by the Iroquois Bowling Club.

ADMISSION, Tax Included—Adults 35c, Children 15c

BIRTH

At Winchester Springs, Ontario, on Sunday, October 18th, 1936, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Holmes, a daughter. Both well.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cumming wish to thank their many friends and neighbors for the help and kindly acts and sympathy received, when they lost their home and garage by fire early Friday morning. 25c

FOR SALE

Three piece Mohair Chesterfield Suite, (Kroeler) value, $125.00, will sell for $45.00, cash or time.

Mrs. John C. McConnell,
25p Ormond.

FOR SALE

22 young pigs, 5 weeks old. Apply to Fred Lannin,
25p Phone 107J, Winchester.

CARD OF THANKS

The local clergymen wish to thank the citizens generally for their hearty response to the appeal for vegetables and other food stuffs which were shipped to the Western provinces this week. The ladies of the Women's Institute, the 100 Club and the Fennell Feed Co. rendered valuable assistance in the work of preparing the car.

TO RENT

Blacksmith and Wood Shops, very roomy, all cement floors, machine equipped. Acetylene Welding. All facilities for Horse Shoeing and general repairing Annexed to large garage and service station in same building.

Also to rent, Good Brick Dwelling House on same lot. Apply to

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