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Coming Events

DATES TO REMEMBER

The United Church Evening Auxiliary will hold a Valentine Supper in the Sunday School Rooms, Wednesday, February 14th, from 5 to 7 p. m. Admission 25c. Come and bring a friend. 40p

THANKSGIVING SERVICES AT MOUNTAIN AND S. MOUNTAIN

Following the cessation of hostilities in Europe, special Thanksgiving Services will be held in the United Churches at Mountain and South Mountain. If the news of the war's end is broadcast before 11 a.m., service will be held at South Mountain at 2 p.m. and at Mountain at 8 p.m. on that day. If, however, the news should not be broadcast until later in the day, the service at South Mountain will be held at 8 p.m. and at Mountain at 11 a.m. on the following day. Please cut this notice out and keep it for reference.

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Winchester Couple Honoured On Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. William Johnston

On Tuesday of this week, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnston, one of Winchester's oldest and most highly esteemed couples, celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary at their home. Piety Hill. During the day they received many messages of congratulations from their numerous friends here and out-of-town.

It was on February 6th, 1895, that Miss Margaret Grace Patterson, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Patterson, of Cass Bridge, was united in marriage to Mr. William Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Johnston, of Bell's Corners. The ceremony was performed at the bride's parental home by Rev. D. G. S. Connery, pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Winchester. It was witnessed by Mrs. Albert McIntosh and Mrs. Mary Beattie, both of whom have since passed away.

Following the ceremony, a wedding dinner was served and later the happy couple left to spend their honeymoon in the Eastern Townships.

For twenty-five years following their marriage, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston resided on their farm in the Cass Bridge district, moving to Winchester in 1920.

Their family consists of five sons: Albert, of the Melvin Garage Staff, Winchester; Earl, of the Collegiate Teaching Staff, Sarnia; Lloyd, of the Post Office Staff, Toronto; George, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Ottawa, and Gordon, recently discharged from the R. C. A. F., of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Timmins. Their only daughter died when she was an infant.

Mrs. Johnston, now in her 73rd year, is still very active in church work. She is a life member of the W. M. S., St. Paul's Ladies' Aid Society and the W. C. T. U. For a number of years she was president of the W. M. S. and a member of the executive of Brockville Presbyterial. She joined St. Paul's Church when she was 15 years of age. Mrs. Johnston also takes an active part in Red Cross work and devotes much time to the needs of charity.

Mrs. Johnston is a sister of Mr. Wesley Patterson, of Brockville; Mr. Jas. Patterson, of Cass Bridge, and Messrs. Army and Richard Patterson, of Mountain. Her only sister, Jane, passed away a few years ago.

Mr. Johnston, a lifelong member of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, has served on the Board of Elders since Church Union, and for several years was a member of the Board of Managers. He takes a deep interest in municipal affairs and keeps himself well posted on political matters. Always interested in sport, Mr. Johnston is a lover of lawn bowling. He has been a member of the local Bowling Club for several years and, although in his 78th year, can still place those bowls close to that "kitty." Up until this winter, Mr. Johnston was an ardent curler. While he doesn't actively participate in the game, he often visits the local Curling Rink and is an interested spectator. He is of Scotch parentage, both his father and mother having been born in Scotland. He is a brother of Mr. Christopher Johnston, of Hamilton, and Mr. George Johnston, who resides in Alberta. Two other brothers, John and Daniel, have passed away.

In honour of their Golden Wedding Anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston were guests at a dinner served at the home of their son, Mr. Albert Johnston, and Mrs. Johnston, at the noon hour on Tuesday.

During the afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock and in the evening from 7 to 9 o'clock, the celebrants were at home to their many friends and neighbours.

The rooms were adorned with vases of daffodils, carnations and snapdragon, which were provided by members of the family.

During the reception of visitors, the door was attended by Mrs. Agnes Smith, and the guests were received in the living room by Mr. and Mrs. Johnston.

In the afternoon, tea was poured by Mrs. Jas. Patterson and Mrs. Belle McCourtie, while serving was done by Mrs. Ronald Freeland and Miss Velma Johnston. In the evening, Mrs. Geo. Angus and Mrs. Fred Lannin poured tea, and Mrs. W. F. Workman assisted Miss Velma Johnston in serving. Mrs. Albert Johnston also assisted, both afternoon and evening.

In addition to receiving many personal gifts, cards, letters, etc., Mr. and Mrs. Johnston were the recipients of a beautiful leather-bound hymnary, presented to them by Mr. Robt. Empey on behalf of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church. Members of the Session were present in a body during the presentation, and an appropriate address was given verbally by Rev. Mr. MacKinnon.

Included in the gifts received from their five sons was a beautiful gold and pink satin, down-filled comforter.

Members of the family who were present with their parents during the celebration were: Mr. Gordon Johnston, of Timmins; Mr. George Johnston, of Ottawa, and Mr. Albert Johnston, of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnston are among Winchester's most highly esteemed and beloved citizens. They have both lived full and useful lives. As parents, they have been most devoted and have raised a family of five sons, all of whom have reached a high calling in their occupation or profession. They are true friends and excellent neighbours. That they may be spared to continue to enjoy many more years of happy companionship together is the earnest wish of The Press and their numerous friends here.

Subscribers Please Note

The type for the Press mailing list has been corrected and all subscriptions paid up to and including February 1st, have been corrected.

Your label should now read some month in 1945. If you have already made payment and the label has not been changed, please notify our office as soon as possible, in order that it may be rectified.

We realize that our subscribers in the rural areas have been unable to get to town, due to storm conditions, and if more convenient their due subscriptions can be mailed to us, as many have already done. With government regulations making it necessary to be on a paid-in-advance basis and quite a number of new subscribers on our list, subscriptions and arrears should be paid promptly when they fall due to ennsure receiving the Press without interruption. Glance at your label now and if your subscription has not been paid, please have the matter attended to at once. Thank you !

Theatre News!

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Next Week's Features

Mon., Tues., Wed., FEBRUARY 12-13-14

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ATTENTION, BLOOD DONORS !

If you received a notice or card for the December Red Cross Blood Clinic, which was postponed, it is good for the Clinic on Friday, Feb. 16th. Please keep your appointment at the hour stated on the December notice. If you wish to change the hour, call Mrs. J. J. McKendry as soon as possible. New blood donors should consult Dr. McKendry without delay and have a check-up, as this is necessary before your first donation. Don't hesitate, your blood is needed, and you will be welcomed as a donor at the local clinic.

Ormond Farmer Fatally Injured

Mr. Hugh Carkner, 72-year-old farmer, of the Ormond district, was fatally injured on Monday afternoon when he fell from a scaffold in his barn, while in the act of throwing down straw.

Mr. Carkner had gone to the barn shortly after the noon hour to do some chores. When he didn't return to the house two hours later, his wife went to the barn to investigate. She found her husband sitting on the barn floor, unable to move. He was able to talk, however, and told her what had happened. She summoned some nearby neihbours and the injured man was removed to the house. Efforts were made to summon a doctor, but none in the district were available, all being out on calls. About 6.15 that afternoon, Mr. Carkner quietly passed away.

As far as could be learned, he suffered no fractured bones in the fall, which was about 15 feet, and it is believed that death was due to internal injuries which affected the heart.

Besides his wife, Mr. Carkner leaves five daughters, Mrs. John Byrd, of Mountain; Mrs. R. Jordan and the Misses Margaret, Ella and Lottie Carkner, all of Ottawa; three sons, George, who is a patient in an Ottawa hospital; Wallace, serving overseas, and Ellice, who resides in the West. Another son, Clifford, paid the supreme sacrifice overseas a few months ao. He also leaves two brothers, Charles, of California, and Mr. Herbert S. Carkner, of town.

The funeral is being held at two o'clock this afternoon (Thursday). If roads are open, the service will be held in the Ormond Baptist Church, if not, it will be held at the house.

Memorial Ceremony Held At Local Arena On Monday Evening

In memory of two former hockey players of this district, both of whom have paid the supreme sacrifice overseas, a brief, but impressive memorial ceremony was held at the local arena during the intermission after the first period of Monday night's hockey game between Winchester and Inkerman. The boys, whose memory was honoured, were Lieut. Nairn Boyd and Tpr. Kendon Boyd, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Boyd, of Vernon. Both boys had played on local teams and were prominent in all forms of athletic sports during the years they attended the Winchester High School.

As the teams took the ice prior to the start of the second period, each formed a "V" at their respective end of the rink. In the centre of the rink a sailor, a soldier and an airman stood smartly at attention, while the directors of the Rink, and members of the executives of the two hockey clubs lined up at one side of the rink, with their hats off. Realizing the solemnity of the occasion, the large crowd became so silent that if a pin were dropped it could be heard. Then, in a clear, distinct voice, President Walter MacDonald of the Winchester Hockey Club, paid a brief tribute to the two boys, and asked the crowd to observe a minute's silence in their memory. There was not a stir, and more than one tear was seen trickling from the eyes of some of the mothers present, and fathers too, who remembered that while we at home were enjoying a hockey game, their own sons and other brave lads were "over there" willing to give their lives, if necessary, in the fight for freedom.

The sounding of the "Last Post" by Arnold Hogaboam and the playing of the National Anthem by the Band concluded the brief ceremony.

Able Seaman Jas. Lennox, of the Navy, Sgt. Stirling Dawley, of the Air Force, and Sgt. J. H. Keyes, of the Army, were the servicemen who took part in the ceremony.

CONSERVATIVES WIN GREY NORTH BYE-ELECTION

In Monday's bye-election, held in the Ontario constituency of Grey North, Garfield Case, the Progressive-Conservative candidate, was elected by a majority of 1239 votes over the Liberal candidate, General A. G. L. McNaughton, Minister of Defence. The C. C. F. candidate, Air Vice Marshal A. E. Godfrey, only polled 3,136 votes, and will lose his $200 deposit. The election was watched with interest all over Canada.

Great men forget themselves in serving others. Small men forget others in serving themselves.

Sgt. Ross McConnell Welcomed Home After Spending Five Years Overseas

Sgt. Ross McConnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McConnell, of town, returned home from overseas on Tuesday evening. He was met at the Union Station in Ottawa by members of his family, where a joyous re-union took place. Spr. McConnell was among the first Canadians to enlist following Canada's entry into the war. He has spent six Christmas seasons overseas. Prior to returning home, he was stationed in Italy. All local citizens will join in extending him a welcome hand.

Italy, where he had been in action since the invasion of Sicily. He was also one of the party of engineers that landed at Spitsbergen, Norway, and blew up enemy installations and freed a number of Norwegian prisoners there. This was considered a dangerous and daring expedition.

At the noon hour yesterday, Sgt. McConnell was officially welcomed to Winchester at a public ceremony. Arrangements for the welcoming were made in a hurry, as no definite word had been received that Sgt. McConnell was coming home. However, members of the Council outlined a plan of action, which was carried through very nicely, and was quite appropriate for the occasion.

At 11.45 all the Public School children and High School students, together with their teachers, marched smartly to the intersection of Main and St. Lawrence Streets. The fire gong and church bells were sounded and the fire sirens set screaming through the streets. Many local residents soon learned what was taking place and, before many minutes passed, made their way to the scene of the ceremony.

Sgt. McConnell was transported to the intersection in one of the fire trucks, which was draped with flags, accompanied by Councillors W. C. MacDonald and F. Erle Helmer. As he came into view, he was given a great ovation by the assembled throng of school children and citizens. All kinds of whistles and noise-makers were sounded, and when the cheering subsided, the crowd sang: "For He's A Jolly Good Fellow."

Councillor Helmer, in a brief address, then officially welcomed Sgt. McConnell home, after which he called on Rev. Norman Thomas to offer a prayer. As Sgt. McConnell received the salutations of the older citizens, the school children sang several patriotic songs. The ceremony, although brief, was very impressive.

Sgt. McConnell is home on 30 days' leave. Nearly six years in the army, most of it spent overseas, does not make a man look any younger, as evidenced by the expression on Sgt. McConnell's face. When he left Winchester, he was a young, robust youth. Today, that youthful appearance has been erased by the strains of war—but he is a man—a real man.

A brother, Sgt. Ormond McConnell, returned from overseas several months ago, while another brother, Spr. George McConnell, is still in Italy.

Hockey News

WINCHESTER OUTSCORES MORRISBURG 13 TO 5

In one of the best exhibitions of hockey, played at the local arena to date, Winchester outscored Morrisburg 13 to 5 in a scheduled C. O. V. Junior game last Wednesday evening. A good crowd witnessed the contest and were high in their praises of the brand of hockey displayed, especially by the home team.

In the first two periods of the game, play was fairly close, with Winchester leading by only one goal at the end of each period. However, the third period saw the local team press the play and all but bewilder their opponents. In this period Winchester scored seven goals, while Morrisburg failed to count, making the final score 13 to 5. At the start of the season Winchester defeated the same team 15 to 6.

Edwin Duncan led the local scorers with four goals, while Reg. Workman and Doug. Hitsman each scored twice, and Erwin Duncan, Graham Workman, Duncan Levere, Gordon Fader and Roy Campbell each scored one. In addition to scoring a goal, Erwin Duncan was credited with five assists, and his twin brother, Ed., with one. H. Tindal scored twice and K. Casselman, Tuttle and G. Smith each once for the visitors.

The line-ups were:

Morrisburg — Goal, Keitch; def., Hartley and Tindal; centre, Tuttle; wings, Stitt and Parker; alternates, Smith, Casselman, Deeks, Collison, Crober and Cassell.

Winchester—Goal, L. Bolton; def., D. Levere and R. Campbell; centre, D. Hitsman; wings, G. Workman and R. Workman; alternates, Edwin and Erwin Duncan, G. Gibbons, R. Anderson, G. Fader, H. Keyes.

Referees: Lennie Law, Iroquois, and H. Eamon, Morrisburg.

INKERMAN WINS CLOSE GAME FROM FINCH

Last Friday evening, the local Arena rocked with cheers as the Inkerman Rockets nosed out the Finch hockey team 4-3 in a rather hectic struggle, which produced all brands of hockey. As far as the science of the game is concerned, it was one of the worst of the season. There were more whistles and penalties than in any previous contest, and neither team seemed to be able to get organized. Scoring was done alternately with Inkerman taking the lead each time and the visitors tying the score later. With only five minutes left in the third period, the teams were tied at 3 all, and it was Geo. Whitteker, the Rockets' sturdy defence player, who took a neat pass from Hurley to score what turned out to be the winning goal. Ralph Hurley scored twice, while Gordon Crowder got the other Inkerman goal. A. Smith and I. Smith and Pearce were the Finch scorers.

Miller, one of the Finch players, was knocked out and suffered a severe laceration on the back of his head, when he was checked hard by Lyle Pitt, Inkerman defence player. Although the check was considered a fair one by many of the spectators, the referee imposed a major penalty on Pitt. Ten other penalties were meted out during the game, five going to each team.

The line-ups were:

Inkerman—Goal, R. Barkley; def., G. Whitteker and L. Pitt. centre, G. Crowder; wings, R. Hurley and P. Armstrong; alternates, J. Hume, K. Fawcett, F. Patterson, C. Guy, and Seguin.

Finch—Goal, Armstrong; def., McIntyre and Zeron; centre, Shaver; wings, Munroe and McMonagle; alternates, McRae, Miller, Forsythe, Smyth, McIntosh and Pierce.

Referees—Alf. Jarvis, Chesterville, and Lennie Law, Iroquois.

C. O. V. J. LEAGUE STANDING

Team	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Winchester	9	6	2	1	59	45	13
Finch	9	5	2	2	47	25	12
Inkerman	8	4	3	1	46	41	9
Morrisburg	9	4	5	0	52	66	8
Cardinal	8	3	4	1	45	43	7
Chesterville	7	0	6	1	21	50	1

Next Game at local Arena—Friday, Feb. 9th—Cardinal vs. Winchester.

INKERMAN GIVES LOCAL TEAM SEVERE TROUNCING

The biggest crowd of hockey fans of the season assembled at the local arena on Monday night to witness what they thought might be a close game of hockey between Winchester and Inkerman. For the first ten minutes of play, it looked as though it was going to be a nip and tuck battle, but something went wrong and the game became more or less a one-sided affair, with the Rockets outscoring the locals 10-1.

At the end of the first period when the score was 2-0 in Inkerman's favour, most local fans thought that the home team would settle down and possibly tie the score. Such was not the case. Two penalties to the Winchester team at one time left them in a precarious position and Inkerman rammed in two more goals, and before the period ended added three more to give them a 7-0 lead.

Continuing to press the play in the final frame, the Rockets dented the twine three more times to lead Winchester 10-0. It looked like a shut-out for the Inkerman goalie until Erwin Duncan slipped the rubber past him to score what turned out to be Winchester's only counter.

On the night's play Inkerman certainly were deserving of victory. They played hard and took advantage of all breaks.

The local team is not immune to defeat by any other team in the league. At present they are leading the league by one point. But to go out and let a team run up a 10 to 1 score against them indicates that they are inconsistent in their play and have a weakness that, once discovered by their opponents, makes them easy targets for defeat.

In Monday's game, it was quite noticeable that two players in particular resorted to the tactics of "hogging the puck," and evidently thought that they had to play the whole game. True, they worked hard—but they didn't accomplish a thing and, in the final analysis, contributed much to the team's stinging defeat. These players should realize that only team play gets the desired results. If such players would take the advice of their coach and "pass the puck" at every opportune time, more goals would be the result. It's really sickening and disgusting to see a player try to stick-handle his way through the opponent's defence when a pass to a wing-man would probably be responsible for a good shot at the goalie, and possibly result in a score. It doesn't matter who does the scoring. It is worthy of note that the league's leading scorers are the Duncan twins, and it's their little system of combination and passing that has put them in that position. Their other team-mate, George Gibbons, has not scored many goals this season, but he figured in most of the plays that resulted in goals for the Duncan twins, and is deserving of much credit.

We could pick out several weaknesses displayed by local players in

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SENSIBLE MEMORIALS

According to authorities in Ottawa, 90 per cent. of the people of Canada favor the building of health and recreational centres, arenas and libraries as memorials to those who have fought and died in this war. A federal survey discloses that our people are almost unanimously against the monument-type of memorial set up throughout the Dominion after the First World War. Several communities have drawn up plans for such memorials. Fifteen communities, big and small, plan to spend $3,400,000 on such centres, says the London Free Press.

This change in public opinion reflects the changed attitude generally in the past 25 years towards the trappings of war. In 1919 there could have been no question as to the fitness of a marble or stone soldier, or a group of soldiers, as the proper memorial. It was the heritage we had received from our fathers who belonged to a generation brought up to admire preposterous figures on horseback, complete with swords, banners, and the full panoply of battle. They were picturesque but unreal. Modern war with its mechanization has striped whatever glamor or romance could be attached to war even in 1914. We are closer to reality.

No finer memorial than a health centre, a library, an arena, a hall or gymnasium could be imagined. What more fitting as a token of our respect for the fallen than a means for giving the children of this country health and learning, the root of happiness? This is what our boys are fighting for. The more of such centres that can be built and operated in Canada the better. There should be one proviso—that those who use them should be reminded on suitable occasions of the courage and devotion of those in whose honor they have been built.

At the present time the Winchester Legion is making a canvass for public funds to assist the Branch to erect a Memorial Hall here. We sincerely hope that the citizens of this district realize the importance of this undertaking and come across with some good generous donations.

"HEALTH IS A PRICELESS ASSET"

The general acceptance of the phrase—"Health is a Priceless Asset"—is manifested in the greatly increased attention being paid to health habits throughout civilization. Departments of Public Health, national and local, are busy in improving conditions of sanitation, pure foods, immunization, and other phases which contribute to better health.

Newspapers, the periodical press, posters and radio advise us what to eat, and drink and wear, and in general how to conduct ourselves that we may be well and nappy right to a very ripe old age.

One striking fact shows the efficiency of these admonitions. In Canada in 1921, there were 71,350 men and women reported in the 75-79 age class. In other words, our 75-year-olds had almost doubled in number in 20 years. Continued and improving good health habits, communal and personal, should see this figure doubled in the next 20 years.

Health Week, February 4th to February 10th, is being promoted by the Health League of Canada as a means of drawing to public attention the fact that "Health is a Priceless Asset." Messages concerning health are being delivered through churches, schools, service clubs, home and school clubs, women's and other organizations.

It is the hope of the League, a voluntary organization interested in health education, that the "Week" will help bring Canadians to the realization that it is imperative that they become health conscious. The future will demand good health of the Dominion's citizens who are now urged to get interested in the public health problems of their communities and also of the nation at large.

Canadians must remember that health is not a parochial problem alone.

"FRIDAY IS STAMP DAY"

On Friday, February 2nd, the Food Industry of Canada, at the request of Hon. J. L. Ilsley, Minister of Finance, opened its third annual campaign for the sale of War Savings Stamps through its various retail outlets.

The request came as the result of the outstanding success of the two previous campaigns and the National Food Executive readily agreed to again take on the responsibility of the campaign. The National Chairman is Mr. J. J. Wiley and Vice Chairman A. L. Laing. Under these there is appointed a chairman for each Province as well as Committee Chairmen. All branches of the Food Industry are intensely interested in making the campaign a huge success. They are doing everything possible to make it so but the final results depend upon the co-operation of the buying public in the retail outlets. The campaign this year will be conducted over a six weeks period from February 2nd to March 9th. While stamps may be purchased any day, a new system has been adopted this year, "Friday Is Stamp Day." Thus for six consecutive Fridays food merchants will strive to sell more than they did in a month's selling in previous campaigns. The plan will stress the sale of Stamps not War Savings Certificates, and the objective in this is 12,000,000 stamps in six Fridays.

This is slightly more than one Stamp to everyone in Canada. It can be done. Let's go, Winchester, and do our share.

READ YOUR INSURANCE POLICIES

A majority judgment of the Ontario Court of Appeal should interest every person in Ontario who pays for fire insurance. The court held that the ordinary fire insurance policy does not cover a dwelling or its contents if the dwelling is vacant or unoccupied for more than 30 consecutive days.

Every fire insurance policy contains in fine print what are called its statutory provisions, meaning certain basic regulations imposed by the authority of the province. They should be read closely by the policyholder so that he will not in ignorance do anything which might invalidate a claim. For example, an insurance company is not liable for damage caused by a fire which is the result of a defective chimney if the insured knows it is defective; or for a fire originating in a wooden box filled with hot ashes if the insured knows such a receptacle is beng used for such a purpose.

The person insuring a building or its contents or both against fire needs to keep two things in mind: to deal with an agent or agency in whom (or which) he has full confidence, and to read closely every section of the policy. There are statutory clauses, for instance, on the storage of inflammable liquid in insured premises. Technically the insurance on a Summer cottage is invalidated if the place is unoccupied during the Summer without a special coverage permit being secured. All these and many other points in the small type the insured should study. He should not leave everything to the agent. An insurance policy is a contract, and both parties, no matter how much they trust one another, should give it the closest attention.

Another thought is that perhaps these statutory provisions need checking by the provincial insurance authorities. Perhaps that is done periodically—we do not know. It should be, so that changes may be made shown necessary in the light of experience and court rulings.—From The Ottawa Journal.

TIME MAGAZINE SAYS:

We are living, we are dwelling
In a grand and awful time,
In an age on ages telling
To be living is sublime!
Hark, the waking up of nations
Gog and Magog to the fray.
Hark! What soundeth is creation
Groaning for the latter day.

Arthur Coxe, who wrote these lines (to the swelling music of Haydn's Austrian Hymn) died in 1896—but they are truer today than ever before.

For ours is the tragic privilege of living and taking part in the greatest human crisis since medieval times.

And the pity of it is that this great experience is flashing right by most people. They are so discouraged by today's torrent of printed, pictured, radioed news that they look only at the headlines— and shudder and turn away. They miss the year's drama and meaning.

LIFE'S SYMPHONY

It is good to think of life as a symphony. Life is a glorious harmonizing of a thousand elements that go into its making. To some people, life is a forlorn lament, a weird wail that sobs itself wearily away.

To others, life is just a senseless spree, a whirl of excitement void of noble ends. Nothing counts that does not yield a splurge of pleasure.

To still others, life is a symphony. To them, life is a blending of many elements, and the right attitude toward it all is that of the musician who takes all of the different notes of the scale and weaves them into a glorious melody. The plant needs the sunshine and the shadow. The earth needs the summer and the winter. Life needs contrasting moods. One colour could never paint a picture. One tone culd never give a song. One level of experience could never build an enriched personality. And so, God has ordained variation. And for those who trust Him, "All things work together for good."

EDITORIAL NOTES

Friday last was Candlemas Day, and if Mother Bruin or Mr. Groundhog ventured forth from their winter hide-outs, they certainly saw their shadow in this district. That means we'll have six more weeks of cold, winter weather, according to the old adage. Personally, we don't think it means a thing, and regardless of how much more winter weather we'll have—it will be too much. We've had plenty already—and not even a January thaw to remind us of Spring.

The great question whether we shall live to any purpose or not, whether we shall grow strong in mind and heart or be weak and pitiable, depends on nothing so much as our use of adverse circumstances. Outward evils are designed to school our passions and to rouse our faculties and virtues into intenser action. Sometimes they seem even to create new powers. Self-culture never goes on so fast as when embarrassed circumstances, the opposition of men, unexpected changes of the times or other forms of suffering, instead of disheartening, throw us on our inward resources, turn us for strength to God, clear up to us the great purpose of life and inspire calm resolution.

Have you ever thought what a world we could make if we put into peace endeavors the same energy, self-sacrifice and co-operation we use in the wastefulness of war? There would be no such thing as unemployment, poverty and other unpleasant circumstances that prevail in peace-time, because countries and governments do not make the same attempt to overcome them as they do in trying to defeat the enemy in wartime. And these so-called unpleasant circumstances are the breeders of unrest which eventually lead to war. A nation that is prospering in peace-time has no time, or desire, to plan for a war; whereas a country that is teeming with unemployment, poverty and unrest is easily led toward war. Such countries look for a Moses to lead them out of the wilderness, but in Germany's and Italy's case, prior to the present war, the people chose maniacs to lead them into the path of wickedness and destruction, and they are suffering for it to-day, and will continue to suffer as long as they adhere to the dictates of their ruthless leaders, who keep urging them to fight on even though they know that total defeat is just around the corner. Let us all hope that in the next era of peace, all countries put forth as much effort in maintaining it as they have in prosecuting the present war.

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Other Editors' Opinions

HOW MANY LISTEN?
(Ottawa Journal)

We suspect that political leaders who solemnly take to the radio with their opinions would get a shock if they could see the hosts of dials swiftly being turned away from their immortal words.

MAN'S POOR START
(Chatham News)

Physically man gets a very poor start. An ape is fully grown at five or six years of age. By that time it has all of the strength it will need, and it can fend for itself. But man has to go through some twenty years or more of youth before he is ready to go out into the world and take his knocks with everyone else.

FARMER IS OWN BOSS
(Farmer's Advocate)

One of the biggest compensations in farming is that the operator is his own boss. That is one reason why collective farming will not be very popular here.

Being one's own boss is a priceless privilege. Farmers have found this out when they have accepted employment elsewhere and found that they could not get off to attend a funeral or an auction sale.

VETERANS' INSURANCE
(Brockville Recorder & Times)

Another boon to ex-service men and their dependents promises to be the Veterans' Insurance Act which enables discharged service men and women to take out policies up to a maximum of $10,000 without medical examination. The Act provides that veterans may apply for insurance within three years of discharge, and widows or widowers of veterans are eligible to apply for the insurance on themselves if the veterans have not taken advantage of it.

A GOOD TIME IS RIGHT!
(Smiths Falls Record-News)

Reports state that earthquakes are frequent in Japan. We recall about two years ago that it was predicted by several noted scientists that the country of the Rising Sun would have severe earthquakes in 1945. One scientist was of the opinion that the islands of the Nipponese would suddenly sink into the sea and disappear completely. Now would be a good time for that and would save the Allied Air Force the necessity of bombing them off the map.

CRIME AFTER THE WAR
(Almonte Gazette)

It is a recognized fact that every war has been followed by a crime wave. Soldiers and even civilian war workers cannot be absorbed into the normal channels of existence without friction and trouble. It was true of the Napoleonic Wars, the Crimean War, the U. S. Civil War and the first World War. We cannot escape the probability of a repetition of this after the present titanic struggles unless we go on the obviously foolish presumption that human nature changed since 1918.

WANTS A PROVINCIAL ELECTION
(Port Elgin Times)

As far as that goes, what kind of government are we getting in the province? Progressive Conservatives are fighting C. C. F. and the Liberals, Mackenzie King and now Mitch Hepburn. The C. C. F.'ers are fighting everything and everybody; the Liberals are fighting for their political lives and the possibility of a comeback. What we need—despite the terrific howl that will go up when the suggestion is made—is another election so that sanity can be reestablished in the madhouse at Queen's Park.

BREACH OF MUNICIPAL ACT
(Carleton Place Canadian)

Smiths Falls Council is advertising for an assessor. It states in the advt. in last week's Record-News: "Applicants to state salary expected and qualifications." This is a direct violation of The Municipal Act, chap. 266, sec. 262, which states that Council must set the salary for the job and then call for applications. We notice that many Councils ignore this section of the Act and the lowest bidder is very often favored at the expense of the better qualified man for the job. It is to avoid this sort of thing happening that the safeguard was placed in the Act.

GENERAL McNAUGHTON AND THE NEWSPAPERS
(Pembroke Standard-Observer)

General McNaughton said at Shallow Lake, North Grey, that since he became Minister of National Defence over 8,000 recruits had been sent overseas, but the way that the newspapers acted he thought that they appeared sorry that he had this success.

When he was overseas the newspapers in Canada were his friends. When he resented having been recalled, and stated that he never felt better in his life, the newspapers went to bat for him right off, but they were not prepared to swallow what he and Prime Minister King did to Col. Ralston.

Connie Smythe and others urged the need of recruits overseas, and, the newspapers throughout Canada demanded action upon the part of the government, but just now we cannot recall anything that General McNaughton said or did at that time about the urgent need.

Who says Friday is an unlucky day? You can make it lucky by buying War Savings Stamps at your grocer's or tobacconist's. Remember . . . FRIDAY IS STAMP DAY.

Our Column

The only social function at which a man is indispensable nowadays is a wedding.

About those future houses of glass —is there provision for the Saturday night bath?

The best preparation for the future is the present well seen to, and the last duty done.—G. Macdonald.

Great men forget themselves in serving others. Small men forget others in serving themselves.

An isolationist is a man who yells "You can't do that to me" and shouts for a policeman when you do.

Aviation enables us to get about the world quicker but it also poses the problem of how to think faster.

Of course it is a crime to "leave the scene of an accident" but it is equally short-sighted ever to arrive at it.

And then there is the woman shopper who is worrying about what to worry about now that she has finished her Christmas shopping.

The past is for us but the sole terms on which it can become ours are its subordination to the present. —Emerson.

Pedestrians should remember that even on a "through" street they are apt to be the same way if the driver thinks he has the right-of-way.

The ideal combination of Napoleon and Nelson has yet to be born.—Lord Chatfield. Just as well, perhaps. He'd put the half-nelson on the world.

I never talk in private life. I never get the opportunity to do so. I am married.—Mr. Gillie Potter. He may have to talk now—to explain that one.

It is good to talk with our past hours, and learn what report they bear, and how they might have reported more spiritual growth.—Mary Baker Eddy.

A man can't win an argument with a woman, but he can break even by listening patiently and throwing in a few non-committal remarks when she pauses for breath.

The true past departs not; no truth or goodness realized by man ever dies, or can die; but all is still here and recognized or not lives and works through endless changes.—Carlyle.

The Japanese are queer people. Not so long ago they were eagerly buying scrap iron from Uncle Sam. And now that the B-29's are delivering it free, they don't seem to like it at all.

WHAT MAKES DRUNKARDS? AND WHAT CURES THEM?

Yale University scientists seek to find out. William Seabrook, starting in The American Weekly with this Sunday's (Feb. 11) issue of The Detroit Sunday Times, tells how a clinic is treating an odd assortment of alcoholics and reveals amazing facts that have been unearthed. Get Sunday's Detroit Times.

After his wife had served him fish for two weeks, a man in Oregon asked her what had happened to their red points. She replied that she had lost all the coupons for a month in a bridge game.

BIBLE QUESTIONS ANSWERED BY THE VOICE of PROPHECY

INTERNATIONAL BIBLE BROADCASTER

Question—When were marginal references first put into the Bible?

Answer — In 1611, by those who translated the Bible under order of King James 1.

Q.—Did Martin Luther translate all the Bible, or just part of it?

A.—All of it—the New Testament in 1522, and the Old Testament in 1532. Ten editions were printed before his death.

Q.—What is the best way to learn the truth about Christ's life?

A.—Read the gospels over and over. Read all the Bible, including the Old Testament, for Jesus said: "Search the scriptures; for in them ye think ye have eternal life: and they are they which testify of Me." John 5:39.

Q.—How could Abraham and the other old patriarchs believe God if they did not have the gospel back there?

A.—"And the scripture, foreseeing that God would justify the heathen through faith, preached before the gospel unto Abraham." Galatians 3:8.

Q.—What good does it do to read the Bible?

A.—Read 2 Timothy 3:15: "Thou hast known the holy scriptures, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus."

Q.—What language did Christ and the apostles speak together?

A.—The common language of Palestine at that time, which is called Aramaic and is much like the ancient Hebrew. For example, there are a few words of it found in Mark 5:41.

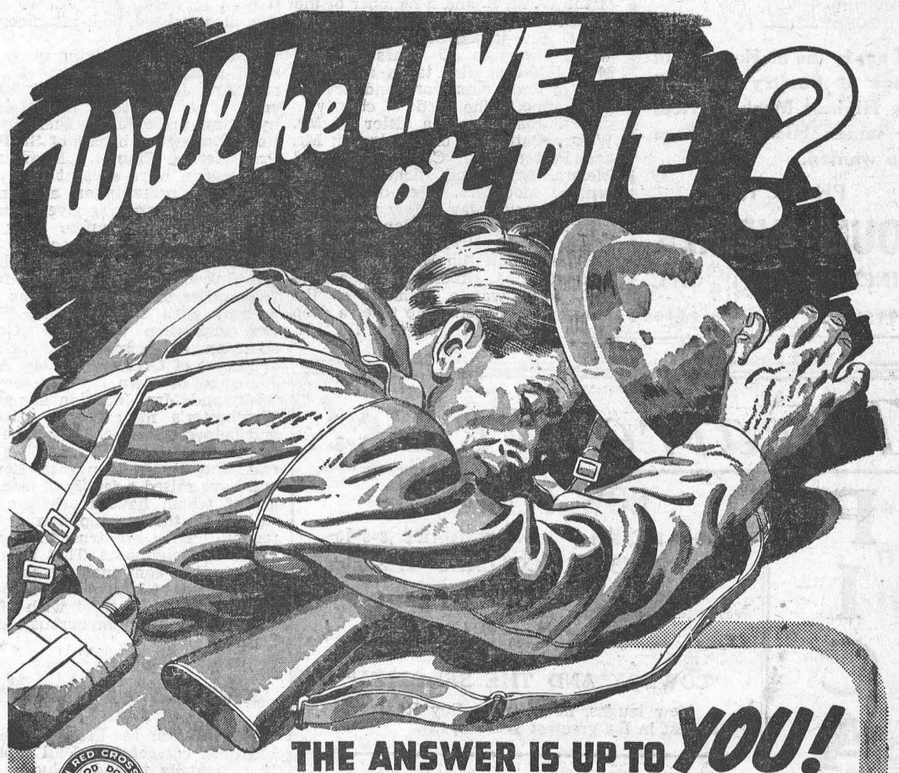
Q.—Please tell me where I can find the last prayer recorded in the Bible.

A.—It is in Revelation 22:20: "He which testifieth these things saith, Surely I come quickly. Amen. Even so, come, Lord Jesus."

Q.—Why do Christians oppose drunkenness?

A.—No doubt for the same reasons that non-Christians oppose it. Drunkenness has been looked upon as a curse by right-thinking men of all nations and all ages. The Bible says: "Who hath woe? who hath sorrow? who hath contentions? who hath babbling? who hath wounds without cause? who hath redness of eyes? They that tarry long at the wine; they that go to seek mixed wine. Look not thou upon the wine when it is red, when it giveth his colour in the cup, when it moveth itself aright. At the last it biteth like a serpent, and stingeth like an adder." Proverbs 23:29-32.

Ed. Note: Address your questions to the BIBLE QUESTION COLUMN, The Voice of Prophecy, Box 55, Los Angeles 53, Calif. Bible questions of general interest will be answered in this column as space permits.



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Register *now* . . . help bring them back alive! This is your chance to help Red Cross maintain the life line!

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CANADIAN RED CROSS

CLINIC AT WINCHESTER, FEBRUARY 16th

News From Our Neighbouring Districts

CASS BRIDGE

Mr. Rae Cooke had tea on Sunday evening with Mr. Arnold Hogaboam.

Miss Ruth Churchill and Mrs. Lloyd Casselman had tea Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hogaboam.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Munroe called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McDiarmid on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Wm. Farrell, of South Mountain, spent Monday with Mrs. Wm. Farrell and Mr. Jas. Oshier and Donnie.

Miss Elsie Coons spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Scott and family, recently.

Miss Helen Baker spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Silas Bellinger and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Munroe had tea Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Baldwin, Sr.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. Gordon Guy has returned home, but are sorry to hear that the wee baby has to remain in the hospital for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Munroe spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pemberton.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pemberton spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pemberton at Elma.

WINCHESTER SPRINGS

Mrs. John Thorpe, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Graham and son, John, of South Mountain, and Mrs. Earl Munroe, were supper guests of Mrs. Wm. Barkley on Saturday.

Mr. Keith Allison spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fawcett and family.

Mr. Elburn McIntosh spent the latter part of the week in Toronto and Kitchener.

Mrs. Beatrice Froats, of Winchester spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Casselman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnston and baby, Lynn, of Finch, were guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Potter and Mr. Morley Bailey spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Millar, of Toyes Hill.

Mrs. Heber McIntosh spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Ross Morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Johnston and Mrs. Elburn McIntosh spent the week-end in Ottawa with the Misses Beatrice and Lorna Johnston and Ruth McIntosh.

Mrs. Ralph Allison and little son, Dale, had tea on Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Allison, Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Holmes and daughters spent Tuesday with friends in Ottawa.

Mr. Howard Nesbitt was in Ottawa recently to see his cousin, Mrs. J. D. Stewart, who is a patient in the Civic Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne McIntosh and Mrs. Ross Morrow spent Tuesday with friends in Brockville.

Mrs. Jay Bailey and Marilyn spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Marcellus, of Rowena.

The Winchester Springs Unit of the Williamburg Red Cross met at the home of Mrs. Gerald Rice on Thursday, Feb. 1st. Two quilts were made —one quilted and one tied.

The bale for January was packed and sent to Williamsburg on Jan. 26. Its contents were: 5 quilts, 2 heavy coats for 8-year-old, girls; 24 girls' waists for 17-year-olds, 4 pr. men's socks, 6 pr. men's mitts, articles for 4 refugee utility bags, and the Red Cross apron with its contents of $16.90.

CLOVERDALE

Mr. and Mrs. George Cinnamon, Mrs. A. B. Cinnamon and Miss Stella Cinnamon visited friends in Brockville and Maitland recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lewis and little daughter, Beatrice, spent Sunday with Mrs. Milly Lamoureux, Felix and Wilfred.

The weekly Farm Forum meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Docksteader last Monday night with a good attendance.

Gordon, Doris and Allan Cinnamon, children of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cinnamon, have been on the sick list for the past week; also Glen and Audrey Docksteader.

Mr. George Burchell, of Brockville, spent the week-end with friends here.

Mrs. Morton Stobo spent last Saturday evening at the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. D. Summers, Winchester.

Mr. Wallace Cinnamon is at present suffering from a very sore knee. We hope it will soon be healed again.

Mr. Fred Fawcett spent last Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dillabough.

SOUTH MOUNTAIN

Mrs. Frank Latourell and children of Pelton's Corners, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Shaver.

Mrs. Arnold Gilroy and little daughter spent a day last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cleland.

Mrs. Jas. Scott had Mrs. John Gilroy as a guest to celebrate her little son John's second birthday on Friday last.

Mrs. Arnold Porter and daughter had a duck dinner on Wednesday last in honour of Mrs. A. Porter's birthday.

Mrs. F. R. Barriger entertained a number of friends to a six o'clock dinner on Wednesday last in honor of Mr. F. Barriger's birthday.

The many friends of Mrs. Margaret Barry will be pleased to learn that the operation which was performed on her at Kingston hospital on Tuesday morning last, was successful. Her sister, Mrs. K. Houlehan, is spending some time with her.

Mrs. Lorne Boyd visited her sister, Mrs. J. Fader, of Winchester, on Saturday.

Mrs. Lyall Hess, Norma and John, of Heckston, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mulholland.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Berry and baby visited Mr. and Mrs. Orval Kirker, of Mountain, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Graham and Mrs. John Thorpe were guests of Mrs. Barkley, of Winchester Springs, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Boyd and Wayne visited friends at Brockville on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mulholland entertained Rev. and Mrs. V. Buchanan and family and Rev. and Mrs. Peebles, of Heckston, to a six o'clock dinner on Wednesday last.

Mrs. John W. Gilroy visited Mr. and Mrs. Asa Scott of Iroquois, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Christie have moved to their new home at Glen Stewart.

Mrs. A. Shaver, of Kemptville, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Mulholland.

The local skating rink is drawing large crowds this winter. A Carnival was held on Thursday evening last and attracted a large number. The prizes which were donated were very useful. Mr. G. A. Cumming donated the door prize, which was a $2.00 box of groceries, and was drawn by Stanley Marriner.

Miss Ruth Thompson, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thompson.

We are pleased to report Mrs. Victor Barton improved, after a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Gilmer, of Pleasant Valley, were guests of Miss J. Boyd on Monday.

Miss Kay Morgatroid spent the week-end with her parents near Iroquois.

Miss Flegg was a guest over the week-end at her home at Hulbert.

Mr. and Mrs. David Monteith and Douglas had tea on Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Len. Monteith.

We are pleased to report Mrs. Len Monteith is improving nicely after having been badly burned a couple of weeks ago.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Moore on Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Russell Fisher and family.

Callers at the home of Mrs. Len. Monteith on Saturday evening were: Mrs. Lyall Hess, of Heckston, and Mrs. Gordon Mulholland.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb McQuaig, of Hulbert, spent one day last week with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Beggs.

The Mayflower Mission Band of South Mountain held their February meeting at the home of the leader, Mrs. Gordon Monteith. There was a splendid attendane of members and a few visitors. Following the meeting, the children enjoyed a birthday party in honour of Joan Monteith.

Miss Eileen Moore spent the week-end with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Fisher.

SOUTH MOUNTAIN W. M. S. CELEBRATES 50th ANNIVERSARY

The South Mountain W. M. S. celebrated their 50th anniversary meeting at the home of Mrs. L. Monteith. Mrs. J. Baldwin, the president, was in the chair, assisted by the group leader, Mrs. J. Forrester, and secretary, Mrs. F. R. Barriger. The meeting opened with a hymn and the Lord's Prayer. The President took charge of the business period, and prayer was offered by Mrs. Baldwin and Mrs. Buchanan. Responsive reading was in charge of Mrs. H. Cleland, and prayer offered by Mrs. F. E. Gilroy. A temperance reading was given by Mrs. S. Marquette, and Mrs. Wynn had charge of the Study Book, "Thailand and French Indo-China." The meeting closed with a hymn and Benediction by the leader. Lunch was served by the committee. A two-storey candle-lighted birthday cake was made by Mrs. Len. Monteith and Mrs. G. Monteith.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wallace spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fader, of Hainsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Warren and family spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Wallace.

Mrs. Hilliard Gilmer is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Briggs, of Prescott.

Mr. Frank Davidson and Mr. Mansel Wallace took tea on Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Mary Gilmer.

Mrs. Jas. Gilmer and Miss Annie Gilmer and Mr. Percy Gilmer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Conley, of Prescott.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hunter and family were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gilmer.

The Young People will hold a Valentine Party in the hall on Friday evening.

Master Burt Hunter spent the week-end with his aunts, Misses Edna and Lou Hunter, of South Mountain.

Mrs. David C. Gilmer spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. David F. Gilmer.

HYNDMANS

Mr. Sam Hamilton visited his mother, Mrs. H. Hamilton, on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Harold Francis had a quilting bee on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Little Joan Grant was a Tuesday night guest of her cousin, little Sheila Grant.

Mrs. Lawrence Pelton entertained a few little ones on Thursday afternoon in honour of her daughter's birthday. Clare was four years old.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Wilson, of North Augusta, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Francis and sons spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grant.

Master Irving Robinson visited Mr. Dwight Cumming, of Hallville, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grant spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Francis.

Miss Jennie Francis, of Prescott, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Francis and daughter and Carl Sharra, of Brockville, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Francis on Saturday.

Mrs. Robert Grant is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Ed. McLaughlin, of Cardinal.

MELVINS

(Too Late For Last Week)

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Shaw and Helen, spent an evening recently with Mr. and Mrs. Orval Chrisite.

Mr. Clayton Froats spent last week-end with his parents at Froatburn.

Born on Thursday, Jan. 25th, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Paul St. Pierre, a daughtter.

Mrs. John Scott spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Poole at Winchester.

Mrs. Richard Scott took tea on Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Redmond.

The Red Cross met at the home of Mrs. Emerson Stewart last Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Darling, of the Boyne, took tea on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Beckstead.

Miss Elsie Coons spent a couple of days last week with her grandmother, Mrs. J. Scott, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Scott and family.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. John Woods had the misfortune to have three ribs cracked and one broken by a kick from a horse. We hope he will soon be able to be out again.

Mr. John Scott took tea on Saturday with Mr. Lyall Redmond.

MOUNTAIN

Mrs. Thos. Gibson and family spent the week at Kemptville.

Mr. Wm. Imrie, of Brockville, spent the week-end at his home here.

Mrs. George Imrie, Jr., spent Tuesday in Ottawa where she attended the funeral of the late Mr. Franklin Russell.

This community extends its sympathy to Mr. ad Mrs. Mason Casselman and family in the death of their beloved daughter, the late Mrs. Fred Wolfe.

Mrs. Geo. Imrie Sr. is spending the week-end with her son, Mr. and Mrs. James Imrie, of Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baldwin and Clifford, of Inkerman, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Imrie, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Smith and Caroline spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hyndman.

Miss Violet VanAllen, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Allen VanAllen.

HALLVILLE

Mr. George Martin and Mr. Byron Martin attended the Ontario Cheese Producers annual meeting in Toronto last week.

L.A.C. Jack Dougall, who has been stationed for six months at St Johns, Que., has recently been transferred to Victoria Island, Ottawa.

A Red Cross quilting party was held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Coleman on Tuesday, at which two quilts were completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt. Hastings spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bellinger.

The ladies of St. Andrew's Church held an "all day quilting" on Thursday.

The Young People of St. Andrew's United Church held a skating party at Mountain on Jan. 30th. Afterwards a lunch was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hyndman.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Martin were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Allen.

Pte. Bert Fetterly, who has been spending a thirty-day leave at his home in Hallville, returned on Sunday to Toronto.

Mrs. Lloyd Hyndman and Master Ronnie were guests of Mrs. Bert Hyndman on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hoy, of Cardinal, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Kerr.

The North Mountain Community Club held their regular social evening in the Community Hall on Friday evening. The orchestra, which was from Elma, supplied a short programme. Lunch was then served, followed by dancing.

A skating party, put on by the N. M. C. S., took place at Mountain on Jan. 31st. Afterwards, lunch was served in the Community Hall, followed by dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rennick spent a few days last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clive Rennick, of Winchester.

KARS NEWS

The next visit of the Mobile Blood Donor Clinic will be made on Wednesday, Feb. 21st, weather and roads being favourable.

Red Cross Shipment.

Kars Red Cross Unit shipped the following articles for January:—9 quilts, 9 suits men's pyjajmas, 98 pr. girls' bloomers, 2 high-necked long sleeved sweaters, 2 V-necked sleeveless sweaters, 4 pr. knickers, 2 pr. gloves, 2 pr. mitts, 1 pr. socks.

Annual Meeting Held.

Trinity United Church, Kars, held its annual congregational meeting on Monday afternoon in the Sunday School rooms. Rev. W. W. Jones presided, and Mr. Roy Wallace was acting secretary. In his report of the session, Mr. Jones stated that 15 new members had been received; there were 16 baptisms, 1 death and no weddings. The report of the treasurer, Cameron McCord, showed receipts of $1238.71, and expenses of $1059.66, and Missionary Maintenance, $166.75. Mrs. Harold Wallace gave the W. A. report, showing a favorable balance. During the year each enlisted member of the congregation had been sent a parcel, and Kars' share of the manse expenses had been paid. Mrs. Stan. Greer gave the W. M. S. report and Mrs. J. K. James read the Mission Band report. A motion to have the financial report printed was carried. Votes of thanks were extended to the choir and the treasurer, Mr. McCord.

The officers for this year are as follows secretary, Mrs. Geo. Greer; organists, Mrs. R. M. Wallace, Mrs. Lee Pratt; plate stewards, M. G. Wallace, C. Fennell; assistants, H. Barrows and S. Greer; auditors, J. K. James and Roy Wallace. The treasurer is to be appointed by the stewards. Ushers, H. Scobie, S. Lewis, C. Todd and S. Greer.

Presented Play.

The A. Y. P. A. of St. Paul's Anglican Church, Osgoode, presented their play, "Beacon Hill Billy" in the W. I. Hall, Kars, on Saturday night. The play was a comedy in three acts, and unlike the usual comedy, contained a good moral. Miss Mary Nixon directed the play and Rev. L. MacMorrine was chairman. The proceeds were turned in to the general funds of the church.

ORMOND

Mr. George Carkner underwent an operation for appendicitis last Wednesday. Latest reports were that he was doing nicely and would be home soon.

Mr. Joe Cayer is spending a few days in Cornwall, visiting relatives and friends.

There will be no evening meeting of the local Red Cross this month, but to meet the financial needs, a box will be on the counter of the store for our donations. Let us make our contributions as generous as possible.

It is hoped that the Ormond road to the highway will be plowed out within a few days. Travelling over it is very difficult at present.

Mr. J. E. Docksteader has been suffering from an infection in his jaw.

STYLES—BECKSTED

A quiet but pretty wedding of interest to their many friends was solemnized at high noon, Wednesday, Jan. 31st, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant P. Becksted, when their only daughter, Ruth Elizabeth, was united in marriage with James Harvey, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Styles, of Morrisburg. Rev. E. C. Lacey, Williamsburg, was the officiating clergyman.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length gown of turquoise blue taffeta. Her finger-tip veil was held in place by a bridal wreath, also of turquoise. She carried a bouquet of pale pink and white carnations, and her only ornament being a lovely cameo necklace, bracelet and earrings, the gift of the groom.

Miss Irene Baines, of Montreal, cousin of the bride, as maid of honour, wore an orchid street-length frock, black feather hat, shoulder veil and black accessories, and a corsage of Talisman carnations.

Mr. Lloyd Barkley, Morrisburg, was the groom's attendant.

The bride's mother wore a Chinese blue street-length dress with gold trimming and a corsage of variegated carnations.

The bridegroom's mother wore a cocoa brown two-piece dress with brown accessories, and a corsage of Talisman carnations.

The wedding music was played by Mrs. J. M. Carkner, and during the signing of the register she played "I Love You Truly," very beautifully.

Following the reception, the young couple left on a short honeymoon trip to Syracuse and other points in the U. S. A. The groom wore the bride's gift—a handsome gold wrist watch. For travelling, the bride wore a raspberry crepe dress, beige top coat, navy accessories and a corsage of American Beauty Roses.

OBITUARY

LATE MISS MARY ANDERSON

After an illness of two weeks, Miss Mary Anderson, highly esteemed citizen of "The Boyne" district, passed away at her home on Saturday morning last.

Born on the homestead where she resided all her life, she was 83 years of age and was a daughter of the late William Anderson and his wife, Isabella Robinson.

She was a member of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church and a charter member of the Ladies' Aid Society.

The funeral was held on Monday afternoon from her late residence to St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, where service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. Wallace MacKinnon. During the service, Mrs. Robt. Empey and Miss Maude Latimer sang as a duet: "Some Of These Days."

Interment was made at Maple Ridge Cemetery. The pall bearers were: Messrs. Colin Hay, Robt. Empey, Walter Moffat and Wm. Watson.

The floral tributes were as follows: Pillow—Brother and Sister.

Sheafs—Mr. and Mrs. Carman Barkley, Mr. and Mrs. James Irving, Herbert Irving, Mr. C. E. Emmerson, W. J. Anderson, Calgary.

Basket—Tena, Kathleen, Jean, Clara and Stewart Anderson.

Cut Flowers—St. Paul's Ladies' Aid Society.

The late Miss Anderson is survived by one brother, William, with whom she resided, and one sister, Mrs. Margaret Irving, of Grantley.

LATE MRS. FRED WOLFE

The friends and neighbours of Mountain were shocked to hear of the sudden passing of Mrs. Fred Wolfe, the former Marion Irene Casselman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mason Casselman, of Mountain, at the early age of 23 years and 3 months. She was taken to the Brockville General Hospital on Monday, Jan. 15th, for an operation for apendicitis, and was doing quite well, but on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 24th, she passed peacefully away. She was of a kind and loving disposition and will be greatly missed in her home and community where she endeared herself to all who knew her. Her husband, Pte. Fred Wolfe, has been serving his King and Country for the past three years on active service overseas and is now in the hospital in Italy.

Those left to mourn her loss, besides her sorrowing husband, are her three small daughters, Shirley, aged 6; Geraldine, aged 4, and Betty, aged 3 years; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Casselman; two brothers, Cecil of Williamsburg, and Jimmie, of Brockville; also six sisters, Mrs. Geo. Summers, of Winchester Springs; Mrs. Claude Timmins, Mountain; Mrs. Ralph Coughlar, Morrisburg; Mrs. Alton Riddell, Brinston; Mrs. Wm. Jackson, Prescott, and Doris Casselman, at home.

The funeral was held on Saturday at 2 o'clock from the residence of her parents to the Mountain United Church where Rev. V. Buchanan spoke words of comfort to the hearts of those who mourn. During the service, Mrs. Duncan Cameron sang by request: "Will The Circle Be Unbroken?"

The remains were placed in the South Mountain vault to await burial in the spring at Maple Ridge Cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. Warren Craig, Claire VanAllen, Geo. Imrie Jr., James Declare, Orval Kirker and Eldred Richardson.

The floral offerings were as follows: Broken Circle—Husband and daughters; Pillow—Daddy, Mother, Doris, Cecil and June Casselman; Sprays—James and Audrey, Blanche, Ralph and family, Olive, Claude and family, Flossie, George and family, Dora, Bill and Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Casselman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Adams, Mountain Friends, W. M. S. and W. A. of Mountain United Church; Wreaths—Beatrice, Alton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Merkley.

ST. PAUL'S L. A. SOCIETY

The February meeting of St. Paul's Ladies' Aid Society was held at the home of Mrs. R. J. Empey with a good attendance. In the absence of Mrs. Cross, Mrs. Empey acted as pianist. Mrs. Cinnamon and Mrs. Robinson gave the devotional part. Mrs. Empey, cor. sec'y., read several letters and cards of appreciation to the Society for gifts and cards received.

A period of silence was observed in memory of Mrs. George Robinson, one of the Society's active members, who so recently passed to the "Home Beyond."

Mrs. S. Anderson gave the treasurer's report. The different booths and officers were appointed for the anpual bazaar.

The president expressed the appreciation of the members to Mrs. Empey for the use of her home for the meeting. Mrs. Workman invited the ladies to her home for the March meeting. The meeting closed by all repeating the Lord's Prayer

MAN'S POOR START

(Chatham News)

Physically man gets a very poor start. An ape is fully grown at five or six years of age. By that time it has all of the strength it will need, and it can fend for itself. But man has to go through some twenty years or more of youth before he is ready to go out into the world and take his knocks with everyone else.

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FOR SALE—Stewart-Warner Floor Model Radio. 6-tube vibrator set (battery) in good condition. May be seen at Alex Davidson's Jewellery Store. 40-41p

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FOR SALE—Eight Shoats, 4 months old. Also seven Springers. Apply to John Bolton, Winchester, R. R. 4. 40c.

FOR SALE—One good Cutter with little seat in front. Apply to Rowat Jones, R. R. 3, Winchester. Phone 145J4. 40c

FOR SALE—Eight Yorkshire Brood Sows, second litter; bacon type. All due to farrow from March 1st on. Apply to Roy Docksteader, Winchester, R. R. 1. 39-40p.

FOR SALE—Three Driving Horses. May be seen at my barn. W. C. MacDonald, Winchester. 39-40c.

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FOR SALE—Fuel Wood for sale. For particulars, write or phone J. E. Hobbs, Osgoode, Ont. 39-40c.

FOR SALE—Twelve Holstein Cows, to freshen in Spring. Apply to J. E. McLean, Ormond. Phone 196 W 12, Winchester. 39-40p.

FOR SALE—12 young Brood Sows, due between April 15th and May 7th; weight, 200 lbs and over. Two Chick Brooder Houses, nearly new, size 10 x 12. One Electric Brooder, 350-chick capacity. Also a quantity of Timothy and Clovers. Apply to Gordon Monteith, South Mountain, or phone 29 r 3. 39-41p.

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STRAYED—From "MacPhail" Farm, 1 three-yr.-old heifer, No. 99211P2, mostly white, with horns; and 1 black two-year-old heifer, with white bar across forehead, white stripes on right thigh, horns. Either can be positively identified. Disappeared separately from orchard about week of Nov. 20-25. Generous reward. Write or Phone 101W1 Winchester. 39-41c

NOTICES

IN MEMORIAM—In fond and loving memory of our dear parents, Mrs. Burnett Derby, who passed away on Feb. 9th, 1930, and Mr. Burnett Derby, who passed away on Feb. 7th, 1944.

With Christ they had communion,
Their faith was firm and true;
In life, and death, and sorrows,
The Christians' God they knew.

40c —Barton and Andrew.

CARD OF THANKS—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McVey and Gordon wish to thank all those who were so kind during Gordon's illness. The letters, cards, treats and visits were all deeply appreciated while he was in the hospital and since coming home. 40c.

Auction Sale

FARM STOCK AND IMPLEMENTS AND PURE BRED JERSEY CATTLE

Having sold my farm, I will sell without reserve on Lot 24 in Con. 7, Township of Osgoode, 4 miles North of Vernon, 1 mile off Metcalfe Road, on Ottawa-Morrisburg Highway, on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20th, 1945

Commencing at 12.00 o'clock, noon, sharp, the following:

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1 team matched roans, mare and gelding, rising 5 and 6 years old, weight about 3400 lbs.; 1 grey mare, weight about 1600 lbs.; 42 head of Pure Bred Jersey Cattle, 32 head to freshen in March and April; 10 yearling Jersey heifer calves.

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1 davenport, 1 Chesterfield suite, 1 kitchen cabinet, 2 kitchen sofas, 1 kitchen table and chairs, 2 bedroom suites.

1 grindstone, 1 set harvest slings, a quantity of potatoes, 2 feed barrels, forks, shovels, hoes, whiffletrees, logging chains, and numerous other articles.

TERMS—CASH.

HOWARD MORRIS, Prop.

J. W. JAMES, Auctioneer. 40-41c

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10.30 a.m.: "Faint, yet Pursuing."

11.30 a.m., Sunday School Session.

3 p.m.—Service at Harmony.

7.30 p.m.—"The First Word From The Cross."

Miss Isobel Brown, Organist and Choir Director.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. W. MacKinnon, B.A., Minister.

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.

11 a.m.—Morning Worship.

230 p.m.—Worship Service in Knox Church, Winchester Springs.

7.30 p.m.—Evening Worship.

Miss Clara Irving, Organist and Choir Director.

ANGLICAN CHURCH

Holy Trinity, Chesterville, Holy Communion at 10.30 a.m.

St. Matthias' Church, Winchester, Evening Prayer at 3 p.m.

St. Peter's Church, South Mountain, Even Song at 7.30 p.m.

Rev. J. A. L. Ellacott, Rector.

WINCHESTER W. M. CHURCH

Preaching at 10.30 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

Wednesday, 7.30 p.m., Prayer Service.

Friday, 7.30 p.m., Young People's Meeting A cordial welcome to all.

Rev. D. W. Summers Pastor

BAPTIST CHURCH

10.00 a.m., Sunday School.

11.00 a.m.—Public Worship.

2.45 p.m.—Service at South Gower.

7.30 p.m.—Worship Service.

Wednesday—Mid-week Service at 7.30 p.m.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH

Hallville

2.00 p.m.—Sunday School.

2.45 p.m.—Worship Service.

Wednesday, 730 p.m.—Prayer Service.

Inkerman

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.

11.00 a.m.—Morning Woship.

7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic Service.

Tuesday, 8.00 p.m.—Prayer Service

Friday, 8.00 p.m.—Young People's.

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"AGRICULTURE'S POST-WAR CHALLENGE"

By Alex McKinney, Jr., Honorary President, Ontario Federation of Agriculture

Will the Canadian farmer meet the challenge of the difficult years ahead? Of that I have no doubt. His sons in the armed forces maintain Canadian honour in the world-wide struggle for freedom. His daughters assist in essential industry. In the past, he has not only bought Victory Bonds but with characteristic thrift he has held them and with less labour has materially increased his production of food stuffs. It is his proud claim that he has met and exceeded every request for increased production—in fact, his production of food per capita is probably higher than anywhere else in the world.

Canadian workers have more money today than at any time since the 1920's. That is also true of the Canadian farmers. Not only has he received more money for his increased volume of production but he has spent less. In normal times, seventy per cent. of his income is immediately spent on the farm business, on feed for his livestock, fertilizer for his fields, new machinery, repairs to buildings, wages for farm labour, conservation of soil, etc.

In other words, he keeps his home, feeds his family, educates his children, and provides for his old age with thirty per cent. of his gross income. A farmer maintains both farm and home, and therefore thirty per cent. of his gross income is his living—the equivalent of the wages of the worker or of the salary of the professional man.

But during war time, new machinery is not available. Building materials are scarce and labour is not obtainable to repair barns or build fences or cut weeds or otherwise maintain farms in proper condition and efficiency.

One reason why farmers have more money today is because they have been unable to spend it. Eventually these expenses will have to be met. Sooner or later we must make up the accumulated repairs of four or five wartime years. This is equally true of our farm homes. All of this will require the expenditure of considerable sums of money.

Agriculture is changing. Since the last war the radio, telephone, motor car and farm tractor have been accepted as farm necessities. There will probably be even greater changes in the years to come. Today, hydro is in general use and we hope will soon be available to all, because hydro makes possible water systems, refrigeration and many household conveniences which will brighten farm homes and make living more pleasant as well as making available new equipment for the barn and dairy. We are rapidly becoming more mechanized. After the war there will probably be available many improved types of farm machinery. We will need to make not only repairs but improvements; to make not only replacements but to avail ourselves of every bit of labour-saving machinery which will add to our efficiency.

It is impossible to foresee what market conditions will be after the war—but we do know that competition will be keen and that only by the most efficient methods of production can the farmer hope to keep pace.

Methods of marketing are changing and we must be equipped to produce quality products—and market them efficiently! That means both expenditures on farm machinery and adequate organization. We must organize to produce quality, to secure premium recognition of quality—and we will need to co-operate with our fellow farmers here and with organized farmers in other countries.

I am confident that farmers will meet the challenge of post-war conditions. This means paying off our indebtedness NOW. That is good business. It also means building up reserves for future needs. Buying Victory Bonds is an excellent way of doing this because they permit us to do a twofold job; first, assist in the prosecution of the war and, second, accumulate the savings which will enable us to maintain our place as Canada's major industry.

I am certain Canadian farmers will not forget to fill their lamps!

MODERN ETIQUETTE

1. Is it necessary for a bride-to-be to write notes of thanks when a shower is given in her honor and she thanks each one who presents her with a gift?

2. If a salad fork or a dessert fork is the only silver on the table, where should it be placed?

3. Is it in good taste for a man of limited income to give extravagant tips?

4. Is it obligatory for a guest to speak to her hostess before leaving a reception?

5. If the employer in a large office is to be married, should an employee give him an individual gift?

6. If a person is invited to a housewarming is he supposed to spend the night?

Answers

1. No. A verbal "thank you" is sufficient, but genuine appreciation must be shown, and the girl must be very tactful in showing no partiality to any certain gifts, paying less attention to others. 2. To the right of the plate. 3. No, this is vulgar, particularly if he makes a display of it to impress his companions. 4. Yes, she should express appreciation of the pleasure she has had, unless it is a very large affair and the hostess is engaged in receiving or entertaining other guests. 5. It would be better to suggest to other employees that a contribution be given for the purchase of one gift from all. 6. Not unless he has a definite invitation to do so.

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MOUNTAIN RED CROSS ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Mountain Township Red Cross Branch was held in the I. O. O. F. Hall, Mountain, recently, with the president in charge. Due to the extreme weather conditions and bad roads, four of the units were not represented, namely, Vancamp, Inkerman, Mulloy's and Reid's Mills.

The treasurer's report showed total receipts for the year to be $4162.87; expenses, $3452.43, leaving a balance og $710.44.

The secretary's report of the year's work was given. 2040 yds. of material and 150 lbs. of yarn, 280 quilt batts and 1100 yards of quilt lining were used.

In the early part of October, 93 boxes were sent from the township to boys overseas. The people of the township have responded well to the call for Blood Donors at the Mobile Unit held in Winchester.

Six cases of Cod Liver Oil were purchased from Toronto. It is to be distributed among the children through the schools. The supply is also available for pre school age children. The executive of our Provincial Red Cross strongly recommend the distribution of Cod Liver Oil to the growing children of our rural districts. It is known as one of the Peace Time Projects. They urge that the health of the children be kept at the highest possible level and feel that the distribution of Cod Liver Oil s one splendid way to do this.

During the year the following articles were forwarded to Toronto: 245 large quilts, 7 crib blankets, 24 cot covers, 376 handkerchiefs, 3 pr. girls' bloomers, 40 boys' overcoats, 10 ladies' skirts, 1 officer's shirt, 45 pr. boys' shorts, 30 pr. rompers, 264 diapers, 380 sanitary napkins, 30 pr. pyjamas, 1 dress (donated), 7 pr. 18-inch seamen's socks, 30 pr. 26-inch seamen's socks, 139 pr. service socks, 99 sweaters, 56 helmets, 87 pr. gloves, 46 pr. mitts, 4 girls' sweaters, 3 pr. child's mitts, 10 toques and 31 scarves.

The officers for 1945 are—Hon. president, Lieut. D. E. Beggs; president, D. L. Berry; 1st vice pres., John Milne; 2nd vice pres., Dan Shaver; 3rd vice pres., Mrs. W. McMeomy; secretary, Mrs. J. P. Milne; ass't. sec., Mrs. F. Hyndman; treasurer, Dr. C. Stirtan; convenors: South Mountain—Mrs. L. Monteith, Mrs. Roy Graham and Mrs. John Thorpe; Hallville—Mrs. F. Hyndman, Mrs. B. Black and Mrs. Wm. Cooper; Mountain—Mrs. E. Durant, Mrs. P. Coughlar and Mrs. S. B. Simms. The convenors of the units not represented were left the same as last year, the units to make changes if necessary.

It was decided that packing night be changed to the second Thursday of each month. Thanks were extended to the I.O.O.F. for the free use of the heated hall for packing, also to Mr. and Mrs. E. Durant for splendid assistance given during the year.

CROP MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the Dundas Field Crop Improvement Association was held in the Oddfellows Hall, Williamsburg, on Tuesday, January 30th, at 2 p.m. The Vice President, Mr. Eric Casselman, occupied the chair. Considering the state of the roads, a successful meeting was held.

Messrs. Chas. Marcellus and Eric Casselman reported on the state of the permanent pasture mixture sown on their farms in 1944. Due to the extremely dry summer, it was hard for the co-operators to say just how successful the germination of the seed applied would be. Mr. Charles Harkness presented the report on his plot by letter.

The main speaker, Dr. P. O. Ripley, of the Dominion Experimental Farm Staff, was introduced by Mr. H. W. Graham, the Agricultural Representative for Dundas.

Dr. Riplpey's address on "Alfalfa and Soil Conservation" was most enlightening and very much enjoyed. Mr. Charles Marcellus, on behalf of those present extended to Dr. Ripley a hearty vote of thanks.

The election of officers and directors was presided over by Mr. Graham, the results of which are as follows:

Township of Matilda — Messrs. Chas. Harkness, John Thompson, Mahlon Zeron, Acil Hanson.

Township of Mountain — Messrs. Wm. Cleland, Fred Hutt, Donald Sullivan, Leroy Berry.

Townshp of Williamsburg—Messrs Chas. Marcellus, John Wells, Edward Deeks, John Barclay.

Township of Winchester—Messrs. E. B. McMillan, Angus Smith, Eric Casselman, Howard Kittle.

President, Eric Casselman; Vice President, Howard Kittle; Sec'y.-Treasurer, Mahlon Zeron.

It was decided following the election to hold another meeting later on to discuss the 1945 programme.

BARN MEETING

The fourth and final barn meeting, sponsored by the Dundas Holstein Club, was held at the home of Mr. George Hill, Williamsburg, on Thursday, February 1st, at 2 p.m. Fifty breeders and their friends were in attendance.

Mr. Grant Smith, the Eastern Ontario Holstein Fieldman, demonstrated on breed type. He also took charge of a three-year-old class in a judging competition. The other class of two-year-olds was under the charge of H. W. Graham.

The following were tied in the judging competition — Messrs. Thos. McCadden, W. O. Dixon, W. McElroy, Lyle Jarvis, Grant Casselman. The following prizes were awarded by Mr. George Brook—Ensilage fork, stable fork, shovel and a hammer.

A vote of thanks was extended on behalf of those present to Mr. Hill for the use of his herd and barns by Mr. H. W. Graham.

VENTNOR Y. P. U.

Ventnor United Y. P. U. met on Monday evening at the home of Miss Estella Sloan. The new officers were in charge of the meeting. The president, Mr. Earl Brown, called the meeting to order, and the devotions were in charge of Miss Isobel Webster. A Bible reading was given by Eileen Gilmer,; a poem read by Doreen Riddell and prayer by Miss Webster. A committee composed of Rev. Mr. Lambert, Mrs. Earl Brown and Miss Webster were to be responsible for the finances. Stress was laid on Missionary giving. A missionary reading was given by Miss Estella Sloan. Recreations were led by Florence Christie and Doreen Riddell. Hot dogs and sodas were enjoyed. A vote of thanks was voiced by Donald Christie and James Henderson.



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STARTS OPERATIONAL FLYING AFTER LONG WAIT

After three and a half years of waiting, F.O. A. A. Desormeaux, of Winchester and Ottawa, recently started operation flying with the R.C.A.F. "City of Windsor" Squadron in Italy. The Canadian Spitbomber squadron of the Desert Air Force operates over the Italian Adriatic front in close support of Eighth Army troops.

The 26-year-old ex-dairy farmer joined the R.C.A.F. in August, 1941, and worked through basic aircrew training at Valcartier, Victoriaville, Cap de Madelene and St. Hubert in Quebec. A staff instructor's job at MacDonald, Man., came his way after winning his wings in September, 1942. Advanced flying training at a United Kingdom base in the Midlands and a trip to the Middle East and operational training in Egypt were slated before Desormeaux was hustled back to Italy for his first tour of ops. with the "Windsor" squadron.

Mr. J. E. Woods Heads Metcalfe Agricultural Society For 21st Term

Mr. John E. Woods was re-elected for his twenty-first term as President of Metcalfe Agricultural Society, at the annual meeting, held at Metcalfe on Friday last.

Acting as chairman of the meeting, Mr. Woods spoke briefly of the year's success and expressed his appreciation to the Board of Directors for their co-operation. Reports from the various committees were highly satisfactory and the secretary, J. Eldon Craig gave the number of paid memberships for 1945 as ninety-two. The financial statement presented by the treasurer, Mrs. W. J. W. Woods, showed a balance of $1935.17 with all obligations met. Total expenditure for the year was $4742.04, of this amount $2375.70 being paid out in premiums, while goods valued at over $80 were also awarded. Of the gate receipts on Fair Day, 20%, amounting to $333.00, was donated to Osgoode Township Red Cross Unit, as in previous years.

In review, the Carleton-Russell "Black and White" cattle show was considered a highlight of the Fair, and the "Red and White" show, held for the first time, under the Ottawa Valley Ayrshire Breeders' Club, was also an important feature. Both of these classes will be sponsored at the 1945 Fair.

The Field Crop classes in potatoes and corn, and the Junior Farmers' Calf and Swine Clubs each had satisfactory entries. In the 1945 competition for Field Crop, oats will be included, and it was also decided that the Calf and Swine Clubs of Gloucester would be sponsored.

Tentative dates for the Fair were set as September 14 and 15, and plans for enlarging classes and exhibits were considered. These included the holding of a Poultry Show, which has been discontinued for the past three years.

It was announced that the Eastern Counties Seed Fair would be held at Metcalfe on April 4, 5 and 6, and a committee under the convenorship of J. Leslie Dowser, was appointed to make necessary arrangements.

A report of the Convention of Fairs held in Toronto was given by J. E. Woods and Allan K. Johnston, and delegates to this year's Convention were named as J. E. Woods, Robert Goth and J. C. Stewart.. .

Election of officers for 1945 resulted as follows:—President, J. E. Woods; vice presidents, Frank R. Stanley and Harry C. Latimer; secretary, J. Eldon Craig; treasurer, M. S. Woods.

Board of Directors—Milford Whiteside, James D. Cameron, John F. Ralph, Donald M. Stewart, Walter R. Stanley, Wm. R. Loney, A. Carman Blair, Stewart Whyte, Harry E. Craig, J. Archie Waddell, Arthur M. Cameron, Robin Campbell, Allan Johnston, Edgar Craig, John W. Hughes, Emmett Stapleton, J. Leslie Dowser.

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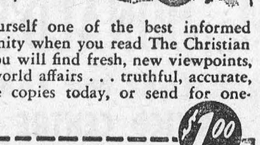

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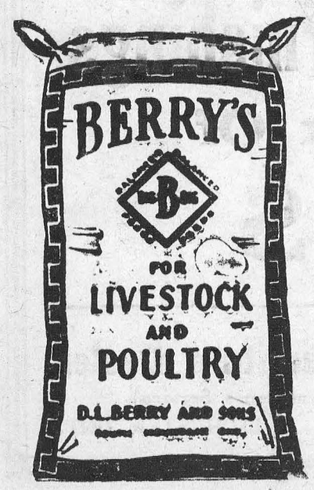

HINTS FOR THE HOME

Rust Stains

To clean rust stains from a white enamelled sink, rub the spots thoroughly with fine coal ashes.

The Hands

A few drops of vinegar put into the rinsing water on washday will prevent the hands from becoming rough.

Washing

Turpentine is one of the most useful aids on wash days. It will loosen dirt without the slightest injury to fabrics.

Olive Oil

Olive oil will not become rancid if two lumps of sugar are put in one quart of olive oil as soon as the can is opened.

Bananas

Never keep bananas in the refrigerator. They will not only flavor every uncovered eatable, but will soon turn black.

Coat Collars

Coat collars can be cleaned perfectly by moistening them with benzine and after they have dried thoroughly sponge with soap suds.

Adhesive Tape

After cementing any china or glass that has been broken, apply adhesive tape to hold all the parts in place until the cement is thoroughly dry.

Carrots

When peeling carrots try using a coarse grater instead of a knife. It will take the skins off much quicker and easier than any other method.

Creole Potatoes

Add minced green pepper, a little corn and a few lima beans, with strips of pimento, to boiled potato cubes, and cream in the double boiler

Food Chopper

If the food chopper slips when screwed on the table, place a piece of coarse sand paper (rough side up) under the clamp and it will not work loose.

Aluminum

To clean aluminum apply a mixture of ammonia, borax and water with a soft cloth, wash in warm, soapy water, allow it to dry and then polish with whiting.

Paint Brushes

Wash a used paint brush in turpentine or gasoline, followed by soap and water, preferably naphtha soap. Rinse in clear water and then press the bristles into shape.

A Shoe Hint

To prevent a shoe from slipping at the heel, gum a small piece of velvet to the inside of the heel. This will make the shoe cling to the stocking without slipping.

Homemade Paste

More satisfactory than either flour or cornstarch paste is one made with potato finely grated. Add boiling water enough to make it clear and then boil for five minutes.

Rubber Raincoats.

When cleaning rubber raincoats scrub with lukewarm water and white soap. Wipe off with clear water and hang out to dry. Never use benzine or gasoline on rubber.

An Ironing Suggestion

When a starched garment must be ironed immediately, sprinkle it, roll in a damp cloth or paper bag and place in a warm oven for a few minutes to steam. It will then iron nicely.

Wall Paper

Old wall paper can be renovated by using a heaping tablespoonful of saltpeter to a gallon of hot water and apply freely with a flat brush. Keep the water hot and the paper can be pulled off easily.

Mashed Potatoes

When preparing mashed potatoes, if the potatoes are sliced in thin strips (the same as for French fried) instead of leaving them whole or merely cutting them in half, both time and fuel will be saved.

Egg Malted Milk.

Put one egg into a mixing glass, add one ounce of vanilla or chocolate syrup, two heaping teaspoonfuls of malted milk, two ounces of cream and enough milk to nearly fill the glass. Shake thoroughly and serve with shaved ice if desired very cool.

A CHILD'S SOUL

A Builder builded a temple,
He wrought it with grace and skill;
Pillars and groins and arches,
All fashioned to work his will.
Men said, as they saw its beauty,
"It shall never know decay;
Great is thy skill, O builder,
Thy fame shall endure for aye!"

A teacher builded a temple
With loving and infinite care,
Planning each arch with patience,
Laying each stone with prayer.
No one praised her unceasing efforts
None knew of her wondrous plan,
For the temple the teacher builded
Was unseen by the eye of man.

Gone is the builder's temple,
Crumbled into the dust;
Low lies each stately pillar
Food for consuming rust.
But the temple the teacher builded
Will last while the ages roll,
For that beautiful, unseen temple
Is a child's immortal soul.

Little Iodine -:- -:- -:- By Jimmy Hatlo



THE MIXING BOWL

By ANNE ALLAN
Hydro Home Economist



Hello Homemakers! A Valentine's Day Party may be in the offing at your home, in which case you will already be thinking of special menus. To any homemaker the success of a party depends to a large extent on food—carefully planned and prepared. If you are entertaining the "Teen-Agers" at a buffet supper, here are some food fancies we esppecially like, because they are so decorative and so easily prepared.

Potato Salad

In setting up Potato Salad for Valentine's Day, we use beets for a basis. Slivers of cooked beets are steeped for 20 mins. in hot vinegar to which a bag of whole spices has been added. When chilled, put in lettuce cups placed in heart-shaped design on a platter. Press potato salad around to keep the lettuce in position. The salad could be served in the centre of a large platter surrounded by assorted cold cuts. Spread each slice of meat with cheese filling (use cottage or cream cheese mixed with salad dressing and seasonings), then roll and secure with toothpick.

Relish Tray

This platter could be accompanied with a relish tray made up of small gherkins, celery curls dipped in paprika, and thin triangles of white turnip. Chill in separate containers in the electric refrigerator for one-half-hour before serving.

Glaze for Rolls

If you want a rich glaze to dress up ordinary rolls, measure 1-4 cup butter and 1-4 cup corn syrup into a saucepan. Boil for 3 minutes then pour over the rolls. This glaze will top 12 rolls.

Cherry Petal Squares

An upside-down Prune Square, served hot, is just about the prettiest hot bread we make. For the glaze beat together 2 tablespoonfuls butter, 2 tbsps. brown sugar and 2 tbsps. corn syrup. Grease an 8 x 8 inch pan and spread the bottom with the butterscotch mixture. Into it press alternate rows of cooked, pitted prunes and maraschino cherries, cut petal-wise. To petal the cherries, drain well then cut up toward the centre into 5 petals. The cherries and prunes should make a regular pattern. Roll out two 8 inch squares of dough, either tea biscuit or bread, about 1-2 inch thick. Cut each in four strips. The first four strips lay crosswise of the pan; the second four strips weave lengthwise of the pan so that when finished it looks like a piece of rather amateur mending. Bake in a hot electric oven for 15 minutes, then reduce the heat and finish baking. Invert while still warm so that all the butterscotch mixture glazes over the square. Serve warm. It's quite lovely—the golden glaze, the dark prunes, the bright red cherries.

TAKE A TIP

1. Candles won't drip if chilled several hours in an electric refrigerator before lighting.

2. Wipe piano keys with a cloth slightly dampened with denatured alcohol—soap stains ivory.

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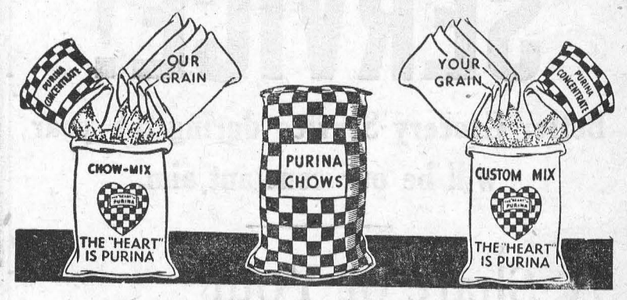

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Geo. McLaughlin, of Cardinal, was a recent guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. J. McKendry.

Able Seaman James Lennox is spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lennox.

Mr. John Christie, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his father, Mr. E. J. Christie, and brother, Fred.

Cpl. Lloyd G. Holmes, of Scoudouc, N. B., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Holmes.

Mrs. J. Quart spent a few days last week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Quart, at Cornwall.

Miss Pauline McKendry, Reg. N., of the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, spent the week-end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. McKendry.

Mr. Howard Biccum, local agent for the North American Insurance Co., attended the Insurance Agents' Banquet at the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa, recently.

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Miss Marion Helmer and friend, Miss Dorothy Hamilton, of Avonmore, spent the past week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Erle Helmer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clifford A. Wylie, of Winchester; Mrs. Irwin Baker, of Chesterville, and Mrs. Frank Leizert, of Cardinal, attended the funeral on Monday of their cousin, Will Nottell, at Bishops Mills.

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Sgt. Gordon Johnston, of Toronto, spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnston. He has been discharged from the R.C.A.F. and will resume his duties in the Bank of Nova Scotia at Timmins, where his wife resides.

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Mrs. G. Fordyce, of Sarnia; Mrs. S. Mahon and Mrs. H. Holloway, of Toronto, have returned home, after spending a few days with their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Currie, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lawrence, Mountain.

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LOCAL AND DISTRICT NEWS

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Baptist Church Service.

Dr. McIntosh will preach in the local Baptist Church on Sunday morning. Service at 11 a.m. You are welcome to attend.

Will Collect Ashes.

On Monday next the local garbage collector will collect ashes only—no garbage. This is just a reminder for the benefit of householders who might be in doubt what to put out for collection next week.

Curling Bonspiel.

The annual District Curling Bonsiel took place at the local Curling Rink yesterday. The games started in the forenoon and it was nearly midnight before the finals were completed. Teams from Morrisburg, Metcalfe, Russell and Winchester took part. Lunch was served by the Ladies Curling Club. The results of the Bonspiel will be published next week.

Royal Bank Improved.

Through the handiwork of the Bank's carpenters, the interior of the local branch of the Royal Bank has been greatly improved. The main portion of the work was completed a few weeks ago, and the installation of grill work and painting will be done in the near future. With the new arrangement of office fixtures, the bank is now equipped with two teller's "cages." Mr. Stevenson, the local manager, requested the changes several months ago, in an effort to give better and quicker service to the bank's patrons.

Enjoyed Sleigh Ride.

On Friday evening last the following young people enjoyed an old-fashioned sleigh ride, after which they were entertained to a sumptuous lunch at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Bell, assisted by Mrs. Clark Hutt, followed by games, music, etc.: Lillian, Helen, Marguerite, Murla, Woodrow and Murray Holmes, Ruth Churchill, Roma Fawcett, Eileen MacDonald, Marjorie Crummy, Joyce Crawford, Hilton Reid, George Quart, Marion Helmer and Dorothy Hamilton, of Avonmore. The young people all report an enjoyable time, even though they had to walk part of the way, owing to the heavy condition of the side roads.

Curling Schedule Ended.

Final games were played on Monday night in the local Curling Club schedule, and the teams finished the season in the following order: Harold Helmer, 12 points; W. Moffat, 10; A. Johnston, H. Fetterly and Rev. A. Peebles, 8; H. Strader and W. J. Cass, 7; C. Cross and R. D. Ledgerwood, 6. An elimination series will be played tonight between the three teams tied for third place to determine a winner to meet W. Moffat in the semi-finals. The winner of the semi-finals will meet H. Helmer's team in the finals for the Goodfellow Trophy. In the consolation series, which started Tuesday night, W. J. Cass' rink defeated H. Strader 7 to 6, while C. Cross' team won over R. D. Ledgerwood by a score of 10 to 3.

Swallows False Teeth.

Mr. Earl Bowman underwent an unusual experience on Saturday evening last, when he swallowed his false teeth while enjoying a nap at his home. Earl had been asleep on the couch only a short time when he awakened to find that his throat was irritated. Discovering that the plate containing two false teeth was missing from his mouth, he came to the conclusion that he must have swallowed them while he slept, so he consulted a local physician. An examination revealed that the teeth were lodged deep in the throat. He was taken to the Ottawa Civic Hospital on Sunday morning, where specialists succeeded in retrieving the plated molars. Earl is little the worse for his experience, but would not care to have it repeated.

Developed Pneumonia.

We are sorry to report that Pte. Bert Locke, who has been stationed at New Market, is at present confined to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lannin with pneumonia. Bert's many friends will wish him a speedy recovery.

Has Beautiful Geraniums.

Miss Mary Empey reports that she has two Geranium plants at her home that measure 4 feet each in heighth, and so far this winter have produced 23 blooms. They are of the American Beauty species. Miss Empey takes great pride in her house plants and we have no doubt that the two Geraniums referred to are real beauties.

Donation To Legion Fund.

The local Legion acknowledges with thanks a donation of $25.00 to the Legion Memorial Hall Fund from Cpl. M. C. Robinson, recently returned from overseas and at present a patient in Christie Street Hospital, Toronto. In a letter which accompanied the donation, Cpl. Robinson praised the Legion for the services they were maintaining both in Canada and overseas, and expressed the hope that the Memorial Hall Fund would receive the backing it justly deserves from the citizens of this district. Donations of $50.00 each are also gratefully acknowledged from Hon. Geo. H. Challies and the Royal Bank of Canada, and $25.00 from Mrs. Geo. McEwen, of Ottawa.

HOCKEY NEWS

(Continued from Front Page)

Monday's game, but we'll just mention one more, and that is about players who go around carrying "a chip on their shoulder." Revenge may be sweet, but it's no good in a hockey game. A player is no good to his team sitting in the penalty box. More attention to the puck, and less effort in trying to "get a certain player" is the best policy to follow if you want your team to win.

Winchester has some hard games to play before the league title is decided. Our team has the ability to take that title this year if it settles down to real hockey, and we don't mean individual style. We sincerely hope that some of the players are not too stubborn or "bull-headed" to see that their faults must be overcome if the team, as a whole, is to develop into a championship squad.

The Inkerman scorers in Monday's game were: Ralph Hurley 4, Percy Armstrong 3, Lyle Pitt 2, and George Whitteker 1.

The line-ups were:

Inkerman—Goal, Barkley; def., G. Whitteker and L. Pitt; centre, Crowder; wings, Hurley and Armstrong; alternates, Hume, Fawcett, Seguin, Guy, Patterson and G. McIntosh.

Winchester—Goal, Bolton; def., D. Levere and Campbell. centre, Hitsman; wings, R. Workman and G. Workman; alternates, Edwin and Erwin Duncan, Gibbons, Fader and Keyes.

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Skating Party

Last Thursday evening the High School held its annual skating party at the Arena.. After the skating the students assembled at the Town Hall where a hot lunch was served. Dancing added to the evening's entertainment, and according to all reports, a very enjoyable evening was had by all.

Hockey

Last Thursday afternoon in a closely contested hockey game, the Aces and Wolves played to an 8-8 tie. The previous week the Wildcats defeated the Bombers 8-2.

War Savings Stamps

War Savings Stamp sales in the school amounted to only $23.25 in the last two weeks. The sale of War Savings Stamps being stressed this month by the Food Industry of Canada should be an added incentive for W. H. S. students to invest more in stamps than they have been doing.

School Radio Program

On Friday mornings the Lower School students are privileged to listen to a radio programme on Canadian Artists. Not much opportunity is given in the school curriculum to learn about Canada's cultural attainments. In order to appreciate our country, our young people must know what great Canadians in all fields of culture have accomplished. Last week's programme told about the excellent French-Canadian artist, Clarence Gagnon, whose interests included handicraft, etching, book illustrations and painting.

BORN

At the Grace Hospital, Ottawa, on Wednesday, January 31st, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Link (nee Mabel Robinson) a daughter.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

Mrs. Lloyd Kenney and the Misses Jessie Gordon, Iris Summers and Jean Hodgson were hostesses at a delightfully arranged miscellaneous shower, tendered to Mrs. Clark Curtis, nee Sybil Summers, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Randall Wylie, on Thursday evening last. About 75 lady friends of the young bride were present. After being escorted to a seat of honor by Miss Iris Summers, Mrs. Curtis was presented with numerous gifts, which included a trilight lamp, kitchen utensils, linens, pyrex, etc., by Misses Jean Wyatt and Jean Hodgson and Mrs. Kenney, while an appropriate address was read by Miss Gordon.

In replying to the address, Mrs. Curtis thanked all for the beautiful gifts.

Home-made candy was served, and all present registered their names in a beautiful bride's book, designed by Miss Wyatt.

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On Tuesday evening Mrs. Curtis was presented with a beautiful entree dish and cornflower cake plate by the staff of the local Bell Telephone office, of which she is a member. Miss Jessie Gordon read an address which was enclosed in a bell-shaped bride's book. Following the presentation, refreshments were served.

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