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## Water & Sewerage Survey Report Topic For Lively Discussion At Chamber of Commerce Luncheon

At one of the liveliest luncheon-meetings in the short history of the Winchester and District Chamber of Commerce, held Monday evening in the newly-decorated Town Hall auditorium, an important motion concerning the water and sewerage survey of Winchester was unanimously passed by Chamber members, and stated that: "The members of the Winchester and District Chamber of Commerce now assembled do declare that the ratepayers of the Village should be given opportunity to express their opinions on the two proposed installations as separate projects as well as a joint project; and do instruct the Council of the Chamber and the Committee on Waters and Sewers which it has appointed, to so re-adjust its proposed plan as to enable submission of the plan to the proper authorities, and thence in a referendum to the taxpayers."

The motion was made by Mr. Herbert Meldrum and seconded by Dr. Stirling Dawley, and was upheld by every member present at the meeting.

In other words, the new motion means, simply, that the ratepayers will be given every opportunity to learn all the facts at forthcoming meetings, which will be properly planned and carried out in a way that will present the facts to the people in a more explicit fashion. The motion also stipulates that the ratepayers be given the opportunity to express their opinions on the two proposed systems as separate projects, as well as one combined project. Further, the motion was also an endorsement of the policy of the Chamber executive and the Water and Sewerage Committee.

A final interpretation of the motion also proposes that the present plan be re-adjusted as to enable submission, in complete detail, to the proper authorities (Municipal Council) and thence in a referendum to the taxpayers.

The large number of members present at the meeting were enlightened on several factors pertaining to the suggested systems at the panel discussion which followed the luncheon, served by the Ladies' Curling Club. Following a brief address to the members, Mr. Graham Reid, president of the firm which conducted the survey, led in this discussion and was besieged with pertinent questions originating from every line of thought towards the proposed installation. Mr. Reid, in his replies, touched on the importance of polluted well water, and also stated in his address about poliomyelitis, as was being determined in research, which may be greatly reduced with proper sewerage systems. Mr. Reid also stated that in 30 years' experience in the business of installing water and sewerage systems, ninety per cent. of the ratepayers were "hooked up" within two years after the installation was completed. Another point clarified was that debentures could be sold to the Ontario Improvement Corporation at par. The cost of water service works out to approximately 50c per 1000 gallons used, and the average house uses 50 gals. per person per day.

An interesting angle was brought up in the way of benefits regarding fire insurance. According to one respected business man, the rate on his property would be lessened about $300 per year, or approximately 20 per cent. For homes, the rates would probably be decreased from 15 to 20 per cent., or $1.50 per $1,000 of insurance.

The proposal was also made that at one big public meeting bath units and pipe lead-ins should be on display so as to clearly demonstrate how much it will cost the ratepayer for water and for a sewerage system. Mr. Reid indicated that the true cost of the system would not be known until the contract was let. He did say, however, that the cost should not exceed $250,000 for the installation of both systems.

President Robert Vice presided at the meeting and extended a welcome to those present. In addressing the gathering, Mr. Vice told of the Chamber's aims and policies, and asked members if they truly believed Winchester was keeping pace with present-day conditions. He said: "It is the Chamber's aim to promote and improve, the economic, civic and social welfare of our town." Continuing, he had this to say about the Chamber: 'It isn't our job in the C. of C. to build banks or stores or warehouses or factories or homes—it's our job to help build better communities." "But it isn't given to any small group to know what is best for the whole community—the merchants and garage operators and manufacturers and the labourers know what is best for them, but it takes the close scrutiny and constructive thinking of all citizens to put the community perspective in any matter. That is why we, your executive, have spent so much time getting information, and we ask that it be studied closely, to determine what water and sewerage can mean to you."

Mr. Vice went on to tell how this installation would affect different people, but said for all it would mean increased prosperity and a healthier life in the years to come. He concluded by saying: "Winchester has given much of its budding manhood to professions and to business in the International field. Are we going to continue to do this or are we going to provide opportunities so that we can keep some of this talent for the betterment of the town."

Mr. W. R. Workman, secretary-treasurer, gave a brief rundown of the Chamber's finances, stating that total receipts of the Chamber to date had exceeded $700.00. He also emphasized that the cost of the booklet was borne by the Chamber of Commerce and not by the Municipal Council, as was the opinion of some ratepayers.

Mr. Workman introduced Mr. Reid to the members, and the speaker was thanked by Mr. W. C. MacDonald, who also helped in leading the discussion. Other chief speakers were Messrs. F. M. Cass, W. J. Stewart, W. A. Rowat, Dr. S. Dawley, S. Ault, Howard Biccum, John Fader, W. R. Workman, H. T. Meldrum, Eldon Davidson, Eldon Fennell and R. W. Vice.

Prior to the water and sewerage discussion, a nominating committee was appointed, and consists of Messrs. Robt. Vice, Sam Ault, Herb. Meldrum and W. J. L. Boyd. Before luncheon was served, Grace was said by Mr. Boyd, and the meeting concluded with the singing of "God Save The Queen." Mrs. F. M. Cass was the accompanist.

## Coming Events

**VALENTINE TEA**

**The Evening Auxiliary will hold a Valentine Tea on Saturday, February 14th, in the United Church Sunday School Rooms, from 3 to 5 p.m. Everybody welcome.** 38c

**W. I. MEETING**

The regular monthly meeting of the Winchester Women's Institute will be held in the form of a Pot Luck Supper at the Town Hall, starting at 6.30 p.m. on Tuesday evening, February 17th. The roll call to be answered by a Valentine verse. Everybody welcome.

**NOTICE TO FARMERS**

**There will be a FREE Moving Picture on the New J. I. Case Farm Machinery, brought to you by Winchester Motors, your J. I. Case Dealers—in the Town Hall, Winchester, on Friday, Feb. 13th, at 8 p.m. Everybody welcome. Door Prizes.**

38c **DOUG ANGUS, Prop.**

**PUBLIC NOTICE!**

The Medical Notice, stating which doctor is on call on Wednesday afternoons, now appears on Page Four of the Press each week. Please consult it before calling a doctor on that day. 38-39c

**HOSPITAL AUXILIARY**

**RUMMAGE SALE**

**Friday and Saturday, February 13-14**

**Plan to attend the Hospital Auxiliary Rummage Sale, being held in the Suffel Block, formerly occupied by Miss Clara Anderson. Friday, Feb. 13th, from 1.30 to 6.00 p.m. Saturday, February 14th, from 9.00 a.m. to 10.00 p.m.**

**Mrs. P. Roberts, Mrs. G. Elliott,**
37-38c **Conveners.**

## Local Man's Parents Were Drowned In Holland Floods

Mr. Jack Van Nieuwaal, native of Holland, who took up residence here several months ago, received the sad news this week that his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Van Nieuwaal, were among those who were drowned during the recent floods in Holland. The message was sent to the son, here, by the reeve of Oudeponge, Holland, where Mr. and Mrs. Van Nieuwaal resided. The information stated that the bodies of the couple were recovered in the attic of the family residence, which had collapsed due to the severe water pressure and strong winds. The flooding was caused when the nearby dikes gave way. The elderly couple evidently had gone upstairs to the attic in their home to escape the flood waters, but were drowned when the home collapsed. Mr. Van Nieuwaal was 68 years old and his wife 66.

Mr. Van Nieuwaal was also notified that his two sisters and a brother and all members of their families, 12 in all, were reported missing in the flooded section of Holland, and may have been drowned.

**MR. AND MRS. THOS. M. KERR HONOURED ON ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. M. Kerr, of North Mountain, celebrated their 46th wedding anniversary recently, at their home, when only the close members of the family gathered to spend the day. The couple were married at Osgoode Anglican church. Mr. Kerr was born in that district 71 years ago. Mrs. Kerr, who was the former Maragret May Saunders, of Osgoode, is in her 70th year. They have one daughter, Mrs. Orme Beach (Dolly), of North Mountain; three sons, Harry Kerr, of Smiths Falls; Harvey and Thomas Kerr, of North Mountain, and 16 grandchildren. The couple received many beautiful gifts, as well as many cards, letters and messages of congratulations.

## Inkerman United Church Holds Annual Meeting

The annual Congregational meeting of the Inkerman United Church was held in the church on Wednesday evening of last week when reports from the various organizations were received. Mr. M. Peters presided, and opened the meeting with a period of worship, basing his remarks on "the Sermon on the Mount." Many people today are not attending Divine Service, and the only sermon they are getting is the sermon of your life and mine as Christian men and women. The secretary, A. R. Allison, read the minutes, which were approved, and the treasurer, E. Bailey, reported sending $289.40 to the M. & M. Fund, and a balance of $84.57 in the treasury. The Woman's Association, reported by Mrs. R. A. Crowder, held 12 meetings with a membership of 24, and raised $1024.07. Repairs and decorating had been done on the parsonage, and an electric stove purchased. In the church a new furnace had been installed, and a complete redecorating job done. Donations had also been given the M. & M. Fund, the Jno. Milton Society for Blind, and the Korean Relief. The Sunday School report, given by A. B. Allison, showed an average attendance of 32; sent to Missions, $36.86, and collections, $175.95. During the summer the church had been closed for re-decorating, and no Sunday School was held.

Mrs. Ray Brown reported for the W. M. S., which sent to the Presbyterial treasurer $186.90; and with the donations from the Junior organizations, a total of $251.28 was reached. Two large bales were shipped for overseas relief. A canvass was made for the New United Church Training School, and our share of $110.00 was forwarded.

The Trail Rangers, with George Suffel, as leader, held weekly meetings during the winter, and raised $33.76. The C. G. I. T., with Mrs. Geo. Suffel as leader, with a membership of eight, raised $94.88, gave the W. M. S. $5.00 at the time of affiliation and had a balance on hand of $52.54.

Mrs. Wallace Crowder gave the Mission Band report: 10 members, 10 meetings held, 21 World Friends subscribed for, and $38.38 sent in. The Baby Band, with Mrs. Gerald Crowder as leader, had 21 enrolled and sent in $21.00 (this included one new life member).

There were four baptisms, one marriage and three deaths on the Inkerman charge. Ten subscriptions to the Observer were sent in by the representative, Mrs. R. A. Crowder, and George Suffel, choir leader, reported the choir members had each purchased their own new song books.

Mrs. Russell Crowder moved a vote of thanks and appreciation to the organist, Russell Suffel, and his assistant, Mrs Wallace Crowder, and the choir leader, George Suffel, and all members of the choir for their faithful contributions to the worship service of the church, and to Mr. Peters for his splendid messages and work among the congregation.

The following are the officers for 1953: Recording Steward, A. R. Allison; Treasurer, Earl Bailey; Official Board: Roy Barkley, Fred Hutt, John Guy, W. R. McMenomy, A. B. Allison, Wallace Crowder, Lorne Guy, George McIntosh, Stanley Rennick, George Suffel, Earl Bailey, Roy Ennis, A. R. Allison, Frank Bailey, Russell Suffel, Ray Brown, H. McMenomy, the Supt. of the S. S., and presidents of the W. M. S. and W. A.

Elders—John Guy, Frank A. Barkley, Earl Bailey, Roy Barkley, Fred Hutt, Russell Suffel, Stanley Rennick, George Suffel and Harold McMenomy.

Stewards—Roy Barkley, Stanley Rennick, George McIntosh, Lorne Guy, Frank A. Barkley, George Corry, W. R. McMenomy, A. B. Allison, W. Crowder, Ray Brown, A. R. Allison and Earl Bailey.

The meeting was brought to a close with Mr. Peters pronouncing the Benediction, after which a social hour was enjoyed and lunch was served by the ladies.

**FATHER OF LOCAL TEACHER VICTIM OF CAR ACCIDENT AT OTTAWA**

Mr. Jean Baptiste Potvin, 70, of Ottawa, died in hospital Sunday afternoon, February 1st, three hours after he was struck by a taxi at Metcalfe and Somerset Streets.

Mr. Potvin was knocked to the pavement soon after noon as he was returning home from church services. He was taken to the General Hospital. Despite emergency treatment, he died later in the afternoon.

According to the police report, the taxi was driving west on Somerset Street. Mr. Potvin was walking north across the intersection.

A two-year-old girl was also injured as a result of the accident. After striking Mr. Potvin, the cab crashed into the northbound car of Robert Archambault, of Rockcliffe. The impact of the collision threw his daughter, Jane, against the windshield The force shattered the glass. The little girl's teeth were driven into her lip and she required medical attention.

Mr. Potvin was born in Gloucester Township, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Augustin Potvin. Except for a few years spent in Sorel, Que., he lived his life in the Ottawa district. He was married 49 years ago at Billings Bridge to the former Emilia Brullel, who survives. They would have celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary later this year.

For 24 years Mr. Potvin was on the headquarters staff of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. He retired two years ago. He was a parishioner of Christ the King Church and a member of the Third Order of Anthony.

Surviving besides his widow are five sons and four daughters. One son is Joseph Potvin, a teacher in the North Dundas High School District at the local High School.

## Local Juniors Win First Play-Off Game

Highlighted by a last period drive that saw four Winchester goals scored in two minutes and nine seconds, Doc. Dawley's charges pinned a 7-2 tag on Morrisburg Pontiacs in the first game of the Series A semi-finals of the St. Lawrence Junior Hockey League, played here on Monday evening.

The first one is the big one, and for a while the outcome of Monday night's contest was in doubt. So much so that for two periods it was a see-saw contest going back and forth, with nothing to offer from either side. Erratic shooting on the part of the Pontiac Juniors cost them the game in the first forty minutes. With the score all even at 2-2 going into the third, Lloyd Bailey found the range at the 1.09 mark. And then for the next ten minutes it was fast, hard-checking hockey, with both teams missing plenty of scoring chances, and both goalies performing brilliantly. Then the curtain fell for Morrisburg. At 17-11 Don. Duncan, back in the line-up with his wrist in a cast, got the first of four quickies. Thirty-six seconds later Bruce Steinburg got his second of three goals. At 19.18 Gord. MacMillan beat Coir for the third fast one. Ten seconds later, Bruce Steinburg finished it off by completing his hat trick, and it was all over but the cheering.

Winchester held a 2-0 edge at the end of the first session. Goals by Wells and Casselman put Morrisburg back in the game in the middle stanza.

Eight penalties were handed out, with the locals taking six of them, including a 10-minute misconduct to Boal for arguing with the referee.

Second game of this series was played last night in Morrisburg.

Winchester — Goal, K. Duncan; def., S. McKercher and M. Boal; forwards, J. Dawson, L. Bailey and D. Duncan; alternates, B. Steinburg, G. MacMillan, M. Cassidy, R. MacMillan, V. Lunny, W. Pominville.

Morrisburg—N. Coir, G. Foss, D. Moore, G. Kerr, A. Ing, G. Stitt, L. Wells, H. Cassell, J. McCormick, A. Tindal, A. Mattice, Lee Wells, J. Kirkwood.

Referees: F. Armstrong, Cardinal, and J. McFarlane, Prescott.

**PRESCOTT EDGES CARDINAL 4-2**

While Winchester was trimming down Morrisburg, Prescott shaved Cardinal 4-2 in the opener of Series B, played in the Starch Town. According to the reports, the game was a close contest and cleanly played, with plenty of good hockey. For the winners, Render was the ace marksman with a pair, with singletons going to Grant and L. McCauley. Cardinal lamplighters were Fraser and Gaylord. Five players were chased to the sin-bin, three of them from Prescott. Next game in this series is being played to-night in Prescott. The referees were Ron. Workman, Winchester, and Junior Cassell, Morrisburg.

## Pansies Still In Bloom Here

It may sound fantastic, but, believe it or not, we saw a local resident pick a bouquet of pansies from a pansy bed at the south side of his home on Saturday afternoon, February 7th. The flowers were picked by Mr. Archie Rice, who shares the home of Mrs. R. M. Elliott on Main Street. The editor and Mr. Harold Lannin were witnesses to this unseasonable act. The pansy plot was in a sheltered spot just south of the house. The foliage was just as green as it was last autumn. The pansies were all shades and fully developed. Although this district has had temperatures as low as 15 degrees bedow zero, this winter, there was no evidence of the flowers being damaged by frost. To pick flowers from an outside garden on the 7th day of February in this district is surely a record.

**EVENING AUXILIARY**

The Evening Auxiliary of the United Church met at the home of Mrs. Ken. Ault last week. Mrs. B. Dawson, the president had charge of the meeting. The worship service was under the direction of Mrs. Ken. Ault, with Mrs. Jas. Crummy and Mrs. K. Barrigar assisting.

Plans for the Valentine Tea, to be held on Saturday, February 14th, were made, with Mrs. Howard Willard and Mrs. Carl Rice as joint conveners. A committee of Mrs. R. Woods, Mrs. K. Ault and Mrs. Eldon Davidson will assist.

A social half hour was enjoyed, with refreshments served by Mrs. Ault, Mrs. Crummy and Mrs. Barrigar. The meeting closed with prayer.

## Weekly Farm Report For Dundas County

Recent snowfalls have given protection to new seedings and pasture lands, which up to now have been bare and very vulnerable to the weather. Farmers, in general, are busy working in the bush, taking advantage of what little snow there is.

Farmers in the County are short of hay and other roughages, the result being that some cattle are not being too well fed. This is further aggravated by the fact that most cattlemen are carrying a greater number of surplus stock than usual. Swinemen are a bit perplexed with some of our larger breeders selling most of their sows.

Clover and grass seeds are in good supply with the price being asked for No. 1 seed about half what it was last year. Registered seed grain is in short supply and farmers would be well advised to obtain their requirements for Spring as soon as possible. Demand for fertilizer is above normal, with many taking advantage of the discounts available on early orders.

Prices being received during the past week at Community Sales seem to have strengthened, especially as far as hogs are concerned. Condenseries have large stocks of processed milk on hand and it has been necessary to divert some milk to cheese and butter production.

**RECENT BIRTHS AT THE DISTRICT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL**

On Wednesday, February 4th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Ranson Slater, of Inkerman, a daughter.

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On Saturday, February 7th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Baker, of Crysler, R. R. 4, a daughter.

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On Saturday, February 7th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Aime Lafleur, of Winchester, R. R. 2, a son.

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On Saturday, February 7th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. William Hayes, of Williamsburg, a son.

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On Monday, February 9th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dawe, of Kemptville, a daughter.

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On Monday, February 9th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Swerdfeger, of Winchester, a son.

## Hospital Auxiliary Plans For Further Purchases Of Hospital Supplies

The February meeting of the Winchester District Memorial Hospital Auxiliary, which was held in the Town Hall, Winchester, on Thursday, Feb. 5th, was very well attended by interested members wishing to help with further progress of the work of the Auxiliary. The president, Mrs. F. M. Cass, was in the chair, assisted by the secretary, Mrs. Lyle Marcellus.

Cass Bridge, Chesterville, Melvins, Morewood, Mountain Ridge, Ormond, Winchester, Mountain and Inkerman units were represented. They answered roll call by telling of card parties, skating parties, a rummage sale, draw tickets on a beautiful quilt, variety concert, etc., that these units had put on, showing their activity in raising funds for the Auxiliary.

The treasurer, Miss N. Elliott, reported that after monies had been received and bills paid, there was $1921.70 on hand.

The purchasing committee had very ably completed the repair work at the hospital planned for at the last meeting, at a cost of $539.60. The convener, Miss Madge Coons, also brought to the notice of those present that some more things could be purchased to help in the good work already being accomplished at the hospital. These were: linens, brush dispenser, baker, lamps, table, and steam insulator. It was the wish of all to make the necessary purchases of linen, and the Auxiliary would pay for them.

With the approval of their respective units, Cloverdale and Harmony would supply the brush dispenser, and Ormond the baker. Morewood and Chesterville are to consult their members as to which of the remaining articles they are to give their funds for.

Miss C. Wilson, Superintendent, gave a very fine report for January at the Memorial Hospital. Many patients were cared for and much work done at this busy place in our community.

The value in donations in money, etc., to the hospital in 1952 was $8,925.42. Of this, $2,513.52 was for equipment, the greatest of which was the installation of the bell system at a cost of $1186.40.

The meeting adjourned with the singing of the National Anthem, with Mrs. Cass as accompanist.

## WEDDINGS

**KEYES—MUNROE**

Pink and white carnations and large ferns formed the setting in St. Paul's Eastern United Church, Ottawa, last Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock for the pretty February wedding of Miss Helen Munroe, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Munroe, Ottawa, and Mr. Harry Ralph Keyes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Keyes, of Winchester. The wedding ceremony was solemnized by the Rev. Dr. A. M. J. Gray, minister of the church, assisted by the organist, Mr. Percy Rutledge, who played the wedding music. Mr. Rutledge also accompanied the guest soloist, Mr. Ronald Workman, of Winchester, who sang "The Lord's Prayer," just before the bride entered the church, and "I'll Walk Beside You," during the signing of the register.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was charming in a floor-length gown of white ottoman cord, fashioned with a fitted bodice and a full skirt, stand-up collar and a V-neckline. The long sleeves ended in dainty lily points over the hands. Her finger-tip veil of tulle illusion was held in place by a white cap of velvet leaves and she carried a bride's bouquet of white carnations centred with a beautiful white orchid.

The matron of honour, Mrs. Graham McInnis, of Ottawa, and the two bridesmaids, the Misses Lorraine Ballantyne and Joan Silmser, of Cornwall, all wore similar floor-length gowns of mauve-rose taffeta and small mauve, white and black feather hats. Their bouquets were of white heather and mums.

Mr. Robert Keyes, Winchester, brother of the groom, was the best man, and the guests were ushered to the designated pews by Mr. Reginald Workman, Winchester, and Mr. Roy Campbell, Ottawa.

Immediately after the ceremony, a reception was held in the church hall for seventy-five guests. Centering the bride's table, which was adorned with lighted tapers, was a three-tier wedding cake, topped with a bride and groom image. The toast to the bride was proposed by her cousin, and responded to by the groom, who also proposed a toast to the bridesmaids and matron of honour.

For receiving, Mrs. Munroe, the bride's mother, wore a medium blue lace and crepe dress, with white and black accessories, and a white straw hat with black lace crown, and a corsage of white baby mums. Mrs. Keyes, mother of the groom, chose a two-piece British navy crescendo crepe dress with jacket top, printed in geometrical design, and a navy and white straw hat, with navy accessories. She wore a corsage of pink carnations and white hyacinth.

Later, Mr. and Mrs. Keyes left on a motor trip to the Southern United States, where they will spend their honeymoon. For travelling, Mrs. Keyes chose a coral wool dress with brown accessories and brown muskrat coat. She wore a white orchid corsage. On their return they will reside in Winchester here Mr. Keyes is the popular owner of Harry's Sport Shop.

Out-of-town guests were present from New Liskeard, Englehart, Renfrew, North Bay, Haileybury, Brockville, Cornwall, Montreal, Perth, Williamsburg and Winchester.

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**Miss Helene Munroe Honoured Before Marriage**

Those who entertained for Miss Helene Munroe prior to her marriage to Mr. Harry Keyes, which was solemnized Saturday in St. Paul's Eastern United Church, Ottawa, were: the Staff of Grant School, to a tea and presentation of a smoker; Miss Janet Tett, of Ottawa, a bridge and kitchen shower; Mrs. Graham McInnis, of Ottawa, to a tea and presentation of a Kenwood Blanket; Miss Peggy Dennis and Miss Louise Brown, of Ottawa, to dinner; Misses Lorraine Ballantyne and Joan Silmser, of Cornwall, to a tea and presentation of a Hostess tray and candle-sticks.

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On Sunday afternoon and evening, February 1st, Mrs. George Munroe entertained for her daughter at a trousseau tea at their home on Charlotte Street, Ottawa. Those who poured tea were Mrs. L. Howard and Mrs. L. Porteous, of Ottawa, and Mrs. T. A. Stafford, of Ottawa. Assisting were Mrs. Graham MacInnis and Miss Betty Farrell, of Ottawa, and the Misses Lorraine Ballantyne, Joan Silmser and Peggy Dennis, of Cornwall. The bride's table was adorned with pink and white carnations, pink snapdragons and lighted pink tapers. Assisting Mrs. Munroe in receiving the guests were her daughter, Miss Helene Munroe, and Mrs. J. H. Keyes, of Winchester.

**ST. PAUL'S LADIES' AID**

The regular meeting of St. Paul's Ladies' Aid Society for February was held at the home of Mrs. Alex Summers recently. The president, Mrs. C. R. Robinson, conducted the opening service. The corresponding secretary read letters of thanks for remembrances from several members. The farewell, flower and manse committees are the same as last year. The report of the committee in charge of repairs and improvements in the kitchen was unanimously accepted. This work is to be started immediately. The quilt and apron committees were appointed.

The meeting closed by repeating the Lord's Prayer.

## Metcalfe Curlers Win Merkley Cup In Local Bonspiel

The 15th Annual Merkley Memorial Cup Bonspiel, played last Wednesday at the Winchester Curling Club, was won by D. Ireland's Metcalf rink. Runner-up in the event was Fred Christie's team from Winchester. The Consolation award was won by another Winchester rink skipped by Howard Fetterly. Rinks from Morrisburg, Russell, Metcalfe and Winchester took part in the day-long competition, which saw some exciting finishes before the winner was declared. Members of the victorious rink were: C. Stanley, G. Fisher, H. Woods and D. Ireland, skip; the runners-up rink, Chester Robinson, Hugh Wilson, Lloyd Kenney and Fred Christie, skip; the consolation winners, Rev. T. N. Mitchell, Dr. D. L. MacLean, H. O. Balkwill and Howard Fetterly, skip.

Other competing rinks and their members were:

Morrisburg—N. Clark, R. Lewis, R. McKendry and A. VanAllen, skip; M. Ball, Chas. Crober, Fred Broder, J. L. Kinkaid, skip.

Russell—J. Little, R. Wade, W. Loucks, R. Phair, skip; A. Gain, R. Paul, B. Campbell, M. Wade, skip.

Metaclfe—F. Woods, R. A. McNabb, S. Bishop, D. Morris, skip.

Results by rounds were as follows:

1st Round—J. L. Kinkaid (Morr.) 11, M. Wade (Russ.) 10, extra end; D. Ireland (Met.) 11, H. Fetterly (Win.) 8; D. Morris (Met.) 17, A. VanAllen (Morr.) 2; F. Christie (Win.) 11, R. Phair (Russ.) 9.

2nd Round (Cup Play)—D. Ireland (Met.) 10,, J. L. Kinkaid (Morr.) 9, extra end; F. Christie (Win.) 14, D. Morris (Met.) 8.

Final Cup Play—D. Ireland( Met.) 9, F. Christie (Win.) 8.

Consolation— H. Fetterly (Win.) 10, M. Wade (Russ.) 9; R. Phair (Russ.) 9,, A. VanAllen (Morr.) 5.

Consolation Final — H. Fetterly (Win.) 13,, R. Phair (Russ.) 2.

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## The 7th Column

This is "White Cane Week." Give a thought to those who are handicapped through blindness. Any little courtesy or assistance you can extend to them will be greatly appreciated.

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An exchange asks: "Without the small towns and the farms of Canada, where would the cities be?" Not too prosperous—it is the rural population that is the backbone of the nation.

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Jack: "Since I met my new girl I can't eat, I can't sleep, I can't drink."

Jim: "Why not?"

Jack: "I'm broke."

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Members of Smiths Falls Town Council voted themselves an increase in their allowance of $100.00 each, at a recent Council meeting, and then, according to a report in the Smiths Falls Record-News, spent a major share of the remainder of the meeting in an argument revolving around salary increases of $120.00 yearly to the two Town Hall caretakers.

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Teacher: "Give an example to prove the fact that heat expands and cold contracts."

Johnny: "In summer when the weather is hot the days are long, and in winter when the weather is cold the days are short."

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If you are superstitious about the 13th day of any month falling on a Friday, then 1953 could be a bad year, because there are no fewer than three months of the current year which have the 13th falling on Friday. The months are February, March and November. Only once last year did the 13th fall on a Friday, and it will only occur once in 1954. Another unusual feature about 1953 is the fact that February will be a "perfect" month. That is to say, it has four complete weeks, starting with February 1st on Sunday and the last day falling on Saturday, resulting in four Sundays, Mondays, Tuesdays, etc. This type of arrangement is indeed a rare occurrence, as it can happen only in February when that month has 28 days. The last such "perfect" month occurred a great many years ago.

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"You should have no difficulty with your childen. Just pretend they're someone else's — everyone knows how to bring up other people's children."

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In addressing the Rotary Club at Smiths Falls, recently, Mr. Gus. Dobbie, publisher of the Smiths Falls Record-News, outlined the responsibilities of a newspaper editor as follows: "The editor of a newspaper is responsible for the contents of each issue. The editor forms policy, must be a "walking encyclopedia," and "must be able to take verbal abuse, most of the time

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## THE VITAL ISSUES

What will be the issues in the coming Federal election, asks the Rural Scene.

It is hard to tell for, as far as the public can see, the thoughts of all parties are running in the same channels. The practice of stealing each other's clothes has gone so far that you can no longer identify a politician by his cloak.

There was a time when political parties held definite principles on which they were willing to stand or fall. If the people didn't like a set of principles they could vote against the party that held them.

But today the politicians measure their success by the skill with which they can feel the public pulse. Any policy wil do, so long as it promises to be popular.

As this trend develops, leadership disappears, for no one is willing to risk his popularity by taking a bold stand on any question until he is sure the people are for it.

This accounts in large measure for the present drift towards socialism in democratic countries. If socialism is to be the fruit of democracy, it will be a bitter fruit.

Among those who are vocal in regard to public affairs, the question seems to be not, are we doing the right things, but what is it costing us to do them?

Costs are important—but they are not everything. The direction we are going is even more important.

National defence, the expansion of governments into fields that don't belong to them, the sacrificing of citizens' rights by their elected representatives, the growing power of the pressure groups should all be definite issues in this election.

What party will undertake to raise them?

## MORE COLLEGE GRADUATES THIS YEAR

Although the soaring cost of education remains as high as ever, there will probably be a few more graduates come June than there were in the 1952 Varsity crop. Latest Department of Labour census of university enrolment shows that 12,400 students are registered in the 1952 class about to graduate, as compared with 11,500 last year.

However, taking into effect the usual 5 per cent. failure rate, commencement figures will probably not be much more than last year.

Registration figures show that graduating classes for the next few years will continue with little variation. Expected totals range between 10,400 and 12,100 until 1956.

After that, it's anybody's guess.

## A WAY OF LIFE

Just for today I will try to live through this day only, and not tackle my whole life problem at once. I can do something for twelve hours that would appall me if I felt that I had to keep it up for a lifetime.

Just for today I will be happy. This assumes to be true what Abraham Lincoln said, that "Most folks are as happy as they make up their minds to be."

Just for today I will adjust myself to what is, and not try to adjust everything to my own desires. I will take my "luck" as it comes, and fit myself to it.

Just for today I will try to straighten my mind. I will study. I will learn something useful, I will not be a mental loafer, I will read something that requires effort, thought and concentration.

Just for today I will exercise my soul in three ways: I will do somebody a good turn, and not get found out; if anybody knows of it, it will not count. I will do at least two things I don't want to do—just for exercise. I will not show anyone that my feelings are hurt: they may be hurt, but today I will not show it.

Just for today I will be agreeable. I will look as well as I can, dress becomingly, talk low, act courteously, criticize not one bit, not find fault with anything, and not try to improve or regulate anybody but myself.

Just for today I will have a program. I may not follow it exactly, but I will have it. I will save myself from two pests: hurry and indecision.

Just for today I will have a quiet half hour all by myself, and relax. During this half hour, sometime, I will try to get a better perspective of my life.

Just for today I will be unafraid. Especially I will not be afraid to enjoy what is beautiful, and to believe that as I give to the world, so the world will give to me.—Author Unknown.

## THE ART OF EDUCATION

Almost everyone admits that art of one kind or another has a place in Canadian life, but since smallness of population and a restrictive immigration policy have kept Canada too impoverished to support culture financially, it seems an easy way out to turn the job over to Ottawa where subsidies grow like fruit in the Okanagan vallley, (and their blossoms are watched over with the same paternal care).

It is understandable, if not excusable, that the Canadian voter, harried with his own problems of living, has raised so little protest about this, but there is not the same excuse for some of its political appointees in the various provincial fields. Art is education. The Harvard Committee on General Education phrased it clearly enough. "Precisely because they wear the warmth and color of the senses, the arts are probably the strongest and deepest of all educative forces." And in Canada education is still not constitutionally the affair of politicians at Ottawa.—The Printed Word.

## *Editorial Notes*

Strange weather these mild days of April we have been favoured with throughout the winter. Stranger still, at least to the Winchester Rink Company, is why these days of the extended January thaw all have to come on Saturdays. Since the rink was opened for the season the first part of January, there has been only one cold Saturday, allowing for good ice, and Saturday is the big skating night at the Winchester Arena.

A regular eye examination every year is advisable for those who do much close work. It is often advisable for such persons to wear glasses, prescribed by a medical eye doctor, who is able to discover symptoms of eyestrain or weakness and to treat the trouble. It is very unwise to use glasses that have not been individually prescribed by someone qualified to do this work. Glasses bought at a store counter, even for temporary use, may do the eyes irreparable harm.

Reports that the Provincial government is considering moves for the greater consumption of alcoholic liquors such as opening some liquor stores at night and allowing cocktail lounges for cities of 25,000 and over, do not fit in with the apparent trend of public thought in Ontario. In recent months, several municipalities have voted against the establishment of beverage rooms, liquor stores, brewery warehouses, which should be convincing proof that additional outlets for alcoholic beverages are not necessary, and are not wanted in most communities (including the Capital City of Ottawa).

This is a year of magnificence for Britain and the Commonwealth members. In June, the Coronation of our gracious Queen Elizabeth II will occur, and, at present, preparations are being made in London, and in most major Commonwealth cities, for the important day. Many of the smaller communities will also share the pageantry with special services or celebrations of some kind. If any group in this town believes that Winchester should fall in line with many Canadian towns and cities in having special Coronation-day proceedings, the time to prepare is now and not the week before the Coronation.

## PIED PIPER BY PACKAGE

Canada is becoming more and more conscious of the necessity for exterminating rats. Man has always fought a battle against these dangerous vermin but the rat's ever-increasing numbers show it to be the victor. Rats carry disease germs in their bodies and in the fleas which infest them. Millions of dollars' worth of food and merchandise are destroyed or contaminated annually by these rodents. The rat's extraordinary cunning helps him to outwit the humans who set traps or poisoned food for him but today there is a new chemical named "warfarin," developed in a university laboratory, which is proving successful in destroying these vermin. It is obtainable in commercial rat poisons which are harmless to domestic animals.




## *Gospel Gleanings....*

Behold, the day cometh, that shall burn as an oven; and all the proud, yea, and all that do wickedly, shall be stubble; and the day that cometh shall burn them up, saith the Lord of hosts, that it shall leave them neather root nor branch. For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men.

It is a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the living God; for the great day of His wrath is come and who shall be able to stand? Every transgression and disobedience will receive a just recompense of reward. Therefore, we ought to give the more earnest heed to the things which we have heard, for the end of these things is death, and if the righteous scarcely be saved, where shall the ungodly and the sinner appear? What shall the end be of them that obey not the gospel?

Ye serpents, ye generation of vipers, how can ye escape the damnation of hell? He that pursueth evil, pursueth it to his own death; therefore, shall they eat the fruit of their own way, and be filled with their own devices. He that soweth iniquity shall reap vanity; for sin, when it is finished, bringeth forth death.

The Lord of that servant shall come in the day when he looketh not for him; and shall cut him asunder, and shall appoint his portion with the hypocrites; there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

Then shall they begin to say to the mountains, Fall on us; and to the hills, cover us; when the Lord Jesus shall be revealed from heaven with his mighty angels, in flaming fire taking vengeance on them that know not God, and that obey not the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ; who shall be punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord, and from the glory of his power.

## The 7th Column

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with a smile." He added that the editor "must be able to weigh opinions and refrain from publishing thoughts of injurious condemnation or make libellous statements." In the weekly newspaper field, he must also know all angles of the mechanical end of the business, and in most cases is the "Master Printer." The hub from which the wheel spins, so to speak.

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Judy: "I want a man who is good, handsome, intelligent and wealthy."

Trudy: "You don't want a husband—you want a committee."

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Judging from the mild weather that has prevailed in this district since Candlemas Day, that legend about the ground-hog and his shadow does not always ring true.

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**Laugh It Off!**

Their marriage was a huge success
And blessed by children nine;
The daddy heartily agreed
That everything was fine.
But later when the stork came round
One dark and dismal day,
And left three bundles at their house
There was the deuce to pay.
The shocking grounds for this divorce
Were heartbreaking and daring,
The father of this brood did charge
His wife was OVERBEARING!

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Professor—"What would you administer to a person who had just taken a hydroyanic acid?"

Missionary Student—"The Sacrament."

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An exchange wonders why it is that when a woman complains to a doctor, about feeling tired and rundown, he always asks to see her tongue.

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The more one speaks of himself, the less he likes to hear another talked of.—Lavater.

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We keep wondering, says the Brockville Recorder & Times, what has happened to the instinct known as parental love—especially when we read of parents selling a three-year-old daughter, as well as a second child not yet born, to settle a poker debt of $250. The act itself is bad enough, but the paltry price, not even as high as for a pedigreed animal, is an insult to the human race

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**Home Town Paper**

When the evenin' meal is over an' the dishes put away,
An' a feller in his slippered feet loads up his Henry Clay.
There's nothin' does him so much good be fortune up or down,
As the little country paper from his ol' home town.
It ain't a thing of beauty and it's print aint always clean,
But it straightens out his temper when a feller's feeling mean;
It takes the wrinkles off his face an' brushes off the frown,
That little country paper from his ol' home town.
I read the daily papers and religious papers too,
An' sometimes ancient school books when I've nothin' else to do;
But when I want some real live news from all the country roun',
Give me the little paper from my ol' home town.
They say our good and bad deeds are recorded up on high,
So that God can classify us when it comes our time to die;
If that be true I know a chap who's goin' to wear a crown—
The man who runs the paper in my ol' home town.

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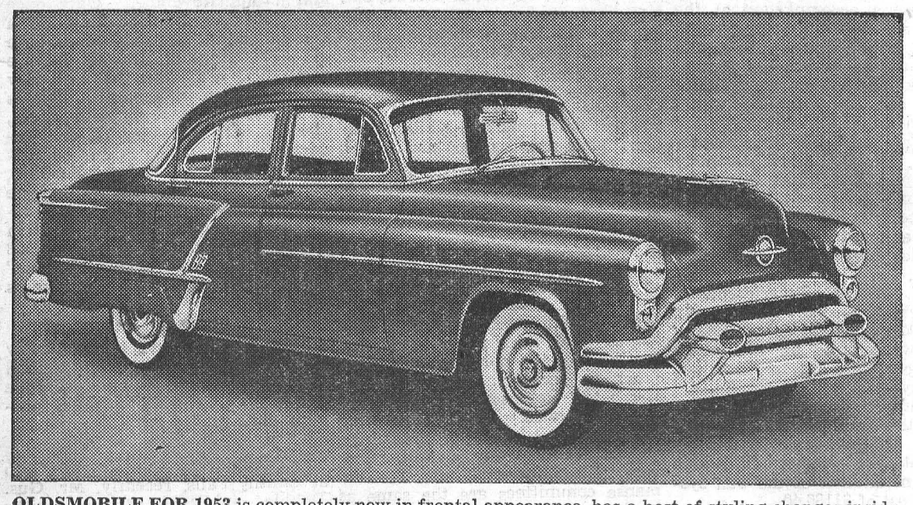
A woman came over from Europe and after she had been here a number of years she sent for her young niece to come to Canada. The girl could hardly speak English at all; therefore her aunt did not miss an opportunity to get her to learn our language.

One day she sent the girl to the meat market and told her to ask the butcher for pigs' feet. When she returned with the meat her aunt asked if she had any trouble making the butcher understand what she wanted.

"No, Aunt," she said in her native tongue, "I took off my shoes and stockings and when I pointed to my bare feet I made a noise like a pig. He understood what I meant."

"Thank heavens," said her aunt, "I didn't send you after ham."


## The New 1953 Oldsmobile



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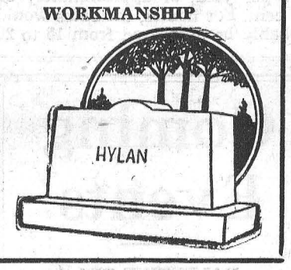


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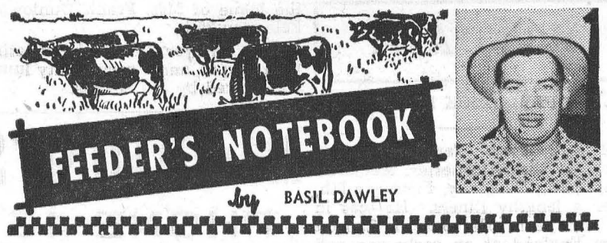


## COWS WILL PAY WELL FOR GOOD CARE AT CALVING TIME

Special care of cows at calving time can help boost milk profits all year and give them the start they need to keep them milking at bred-in capacity throughout their entire lactation periods.

Start preparing the cow for calving by giving her a two-month rest period and feeding a high quality dry and freshening ration daily. Feed one pound for each 100 pounds of body weight, even on a pasture. If silage is fed, it should be cut out two weeks before calving.

Put the cow in a clean, well-bedded, draft-free calving stall three days before she calves. It is very important that the stall be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected because the cow carries on her body and udder germs which may cause white scours in her calf. Continue feeding right up to the day of calving. Only hay and water should be fed that day. Give the cow plenty of water, lukewarm if possible, right after calving to help get her system working again. Leave some milk in her udder for three days.

During the month after calving, nature stimulates the cow to give lots of milk. Further stimulation by a milking ration can force her beyond the limit of her strength, and bring on udder troubles, throw her out of condition, or weaken her so that she may not be able to withstand disease. It is best to continue her on the dry and freshening ration for a whole month.

Give the cow a small amount of feed the day following calving. Increase the ration until she is getting one pound per 100 pounds body weight daily at the end of the first week. After a month, then change to a high quality milking ration and feed according to production.

### MIGHTY MIDGETS REMAIN UNDEFEATED

Winchester (Combine) Mighty Midgets handed Morrisburg a 4-1 lacing last Wednesday night in the River town to maintain their undefeated record and to win the St. Lawrence Midget League Crown. The Midgets now advance into the first round of Eastern Ontario playdowns. Marksmen for the local squad in last Wednesday's game were Keyes Smith, Earl Bilow, Jack Saunders and Francis Beckstead.

In seven undefeated games this year, the Midgets scored 41 goals while having only 15 scored against them.

Two Irishmen came over from the old country. They stopped at a hotel for the night and found the bedbugs were so thick that they could not sleep So they went out on the porch to sleep.

After a few minutes Mike punched Pat and pointed to some lightning bugs as he said, "It's no use, Pat, they're coming after us with their lanterns now."

## *Says 25 Per Cent Of Children Have Eye Defects*

"Between 20 and 25 per cent. of all children have visual defects," Dean E. J. Fisher of the College of Optometry, Toronto, said recently.

Dean Fisher was addressing the Ottawa meeting of the Ontario Optometrical Association at the Chateau Laurier, and said that this was



Dean E. J. Fisher

revealed in school surveys which have been conducted by optometrists in South Ontario schools.

He stressed that children sometimes have defects about which they don't complain because they have never experienced proper vision.

Dean Fisher discussed methods of correcting visual defects, with the group. He stated that proper attention at an early age may correct children's eyes.

About 70 per cent. of all knowledge comes to the person through the eyes," Dean Fisher said. Therefore, much of the child's school success depends on his eyes.

Dean Fisher was introduced by Ron McPherson, chairman of the meeting.

### UNITED CHURCH W. A.

The regular meeting of the W. A. of the United Church was held on Tuesday, February 3rd. The meeting opened with the theme song, followed by the devotional period. Mrs. Angus presided, and the minutes were read and approved. The treasurer's report was heard, and the visiting committee reported making eighteen calls on members and shutins. Mrs. George McIntosh and Mrs. Karl Helmer volunteered to visit for the month of February.

During the business discussion it was decided to hold a Home Cooking Sale on February 28th, with Mrs. Scott as convener, and Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Moffat, Mrs. Durant and Mrs. K. Ault as committee.

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer. Mrs. Percy Durant and Mrs. Nellie Lannin conducted a couple of interesting contests, and lunch was then served. Mrs. J. W. Ault thanked the ladies in charge for the nice lunch and entertainment.

## CANADA'S health

### PREPAREDNESS

While Canada may never experience a disaster calling for all skills and knowledge now being acquired in today's civil defence training, this knowledge, especially that of first aid, can prove of inestimable value on many occasions in the ordinary way of life. Accidents, fire or national emergencies such as floods, call for presence of mind and a knowledge of what to do to lessen danger and save lives. By joining the civil defence training program in progress in most provinces, citizens may learn what action to take and how to do promptly those things that will help to alleviate any emergency.

### CHANGE IN OUTLOOK

Mental illness has not changed during the past century, but the public attitude has changed considerably. Thanks to the developments in medical science, mental ills are now regarded in the same light as bodily ills. Not so long ago, the person who showed signs of mental disturbance was apt to be condemned to a life of confinement, a source of embarrassment to his family and friends. Today, a large percentage of emotional ill health is treated successfully and the patient restored to normalcy. The old "lunatic asylum" has gone out of style, together with its miserable and hopeless inhabitants. Today's mental hospital is a place to go for cure, not incarceration.

### BONE BUILDER

Small bodies—and larger ones—need the aid of Vitamin D to help form strong bones and teeth. Vitamin D, contained in cod liver oil, helps the body to utilize the calcium in food and prevent rickets. From birth to the age of sixteen, every child should have his daily dose to aid his growth and development.

### QUIET MEAL

Mealtime should be a pleasant period of relaxation, not a battlefield for argument over whether or not Junior should eat his food. If a youngster flatly refuses a certain food, it is a good idea to treat the matter casually and, after a reasonable time, remove his plate. By not making an issue of the matter, he may have forgotten his objection by the time he is given the same food in the future, especially if he is hungry at the time.

### AVERTING DEAFNESS

Impaired hearing may result from accident, illness or prenatal conditions. Once cause may be infection in nose,, ear or throat. A short passage known as the Eustachian tube, running from throat to ear, may carry infection forced through by violent sneezing or coughing. Any symptom of ear trouble in child or adult should have immediate medical attention in order to prevent serious developments.

### NEW TECHNIQUE

The old way of brushing teeth by vigorously scrubbing to and fro horizontally doesn't help the teeth at all. To cleanse them properly, the stroke should be from the gum out to the biting edge, a one-way movement. This will remove all those particles of food which might otherwise form acids that cause cavities. Since these acids form in a matter of minutes after eating, brushing should be done immediately after eating. If a toothbrush is not handy, rinsing the mouth with water will help.

## *Local Juniors Win Here, But Lose Last Game At Morrisb'g*

Playing their final league game here of the season, Winchester Juniors eked out a 7-5 overtime decision last Wednesday night against Morrisburg Pontiacs. Both teams were short-handed.

With close checking predominating, the game was a see-saw battle for the regular 60 minutes. Each team scored four times in the first period, went scoreless in the middle session, and finished off with a goal a piece in the last twenty. Morrisburg came from behind twice. Pominville, of Winchester, banged home the winning goal at the fifteen-second mark of the overtime stanza, and Gord. MacMillan sewed it up at the 7.04 mark of the ten-minute period. Jack Dawson and Lloyd Bailey paved the way in regulation time, with Bailey netting a hat trick, and

Morrisburg marksmen were led by Ing, who dented the twine three a pair going to the Blond Flash. times, with Kerr and Mattice getting solo efforts.

Sam McKercher and Vince Lunny were chased for Winchester, while Tindal was the Morrisburg bad boy with two minors.

The line-ups were:

Winchester—Karl Duncan, Sam McKercher, V. Lunny, J. Dawson, L. Bailey, W. LaPorte, B. Steinburg, G. MacMillan, M. Cassidy, G. Berry, W. Pominville, B. MacMillan.

Morrisburg—N. Coir, L. Wells, A. Tindal, G. Kerr, A. Casselman, A. Ing, G. Foss, D. Moore, H. Bowman, H. Cassel, A. Mattice.

Referees: Ron. Workman, Winchester, and Junior Cassel, Morrisburg.

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On Friday night, Morrisburg turned the tables on Winchester with a 7-6 decision on their home ice.

### THREE OTTAWANS AT MEETING OF OPTOMETRISTS

Three prominent Ottawa optometrists took part in the mid-winter congress of the Optometrical Association of Ontario, which coincided with the formal opening of the new College of Optomery in Toronto a few days ago.

The Ottawa delegates were H. W. Algate, G. M. Belanger and J. A. Ryde. The three-day congress was attended by optometrists from all parts of the province who heard guest lectures from leading educational institutions in the United States and Canada.

Seminar and lecture discussions centred around the visual problems of the school child.

A number of leading government figures took part in the opening ceremonies of the new College of Optometry. Recognized as the finest of its type in Canada, the new college is designed to provide the most modern optometric research facilities and eye clinic services. It will also serve as an educational centre for the professional training of students in the expanding field of optometry.

Little girl: "A package of dye, please."

Druggist: "What color?"

Little girl: "Any color, I guess."

Druggist: "For woollen, silk or cotton?"

Little girl: "It's for my mother's stomach. The doctor says she has to diet."


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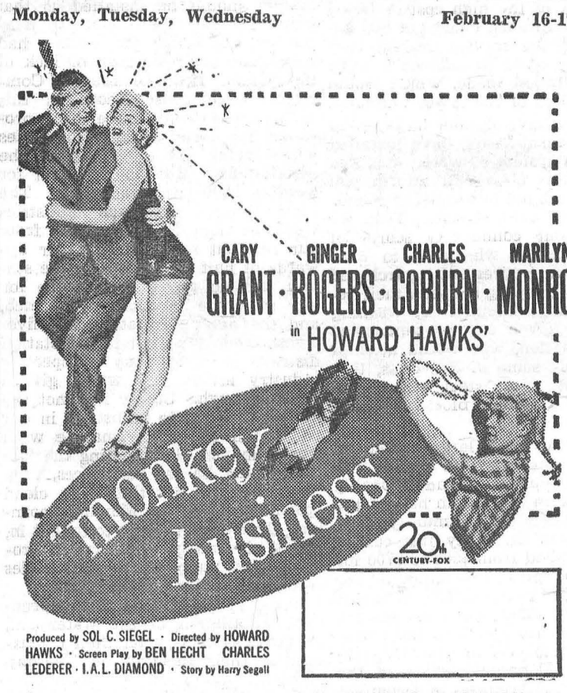


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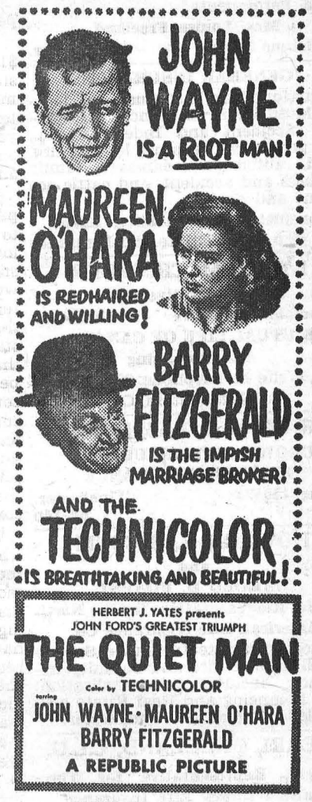


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## Letters to the Editor

### WATER AND SEWERAGE

Winchester, February 7th, 1953.
To the Editor of The Winchester Press:—

When your Chamber of Commerce, through the Press, extended your ambiguous invitation to the citizens to attend a public meeting at the Town Hall on Feb. 10th, explaining where to procure their tickets, a Chamber official and the Press were asked and they agreed to make it plain that the public meeting would begin at 7.30, thus leaving the one hour for the Chamber's banquet. But when the Press appeared this week, the Chamber withdrew its invitation for the public meeting, and made it clear that the general public would not be welcome at the Feb. 10th meeting. A large group of citizens had planned to be present at that meeting to take part in the discussion of the proposed installation of the water and sewerage project. This large group of irate citizens requested me to make an analysis of the prospectus which each householder has received, and to send a copy to the Chamber of Commerce, and also one to the Press. To meet their request I submit the following:

Taking the estimates as they appear in the prospectus—

Total cost of water installation, $147,000; total cost of sewerage installation, $103,000; total cost of maintenance, annually, $160,000; interest on debenture payments for 20 years, $200,000. The total cost would be for the installation and maintenance, $610,000.

From this must be deducted the prospective revenue—now we come to the big pill that cannot be swallowed. It states that the possible installations would be 288, which would mean that every living quarters and business establishment in the community would have the installation made. We citizens know that we have scores of widows and pensioners owning property in our community and who, under present conditions of the high cost of living and the additional charge of $60 annually, as the service charge, very few if any could be induced to have the installation made, which would cost upwards of $50 to $60 annually.

Then we have another large group who, in recent years, have installed their own system of water, etc., and most of this class will inform you that they are not interested in spending another hunk of cash. Then we have in our community scores of retired farmers, who came to Winchester on retirement, purchased nice homes, hoping to spend their remaining days happily. A warning should be given any proponents of the installation, who would attempt to persuade some of this class, that they should wear steel helmets, or they may get their blocks knocked off.

Then there is the largest group of all to be considered as impossibles for the installation—and probably would take in more than half of the householders of the community. They will tell you that they just cannot afford to spend from $500 to $700 for installation plus $60 annually for service. The exceptionally high cost of labor and materials at present for the outside installation to the premises, then the cost of plumbing inside, and the reconstruction of the interior of the premises to accommodate the installation . They say that they just cannot afford it, and who cannot blame them under such conditions? So, when the impossibles total is deducted from the estimated possibles, we have only about 100 possibles for installation.

These 100 installations, paying each annually $60, would provide a total revenue during the 20-year life of the debenture of $120,000. Deducting this from the cost total of $610,000, leaves a balance of $490,000, which would be the debenture issue, spread over the 20 years, and would call for 20 equal annual payments of $24,500 each year. On the present total assessment of the community of $906,000, it would require $27 on each $1000 assessed value of property each year for 20 years. But to this 27-mill rate must be added the regular tax rate of not less than 45 mills, which is $72 on each assessed $1000 value of property. So when the housholder has paid the 72 mills annually for 15 years, he has paid more in taxes than the assessed value of his property, and has still to continue paying at the same rate for another five years.

Some citizens, with apparent foresight, are establishing residences and businesses beyond the community borders, but this, as yet, is only a trickle. But IF, and WHEN, the installation is made, Winchester will have attained the unenviable record of being the community with the highest tax rate in Canada,—that present trickle will develop into a great exodus, greater than the great Exodus of the Children of Israel across the Red Sea to escape persecution.

As regards the proposed water supply—we are told in this prospectus that we need not fear any failure in the water supply from a civic well, and the old St. Lawrence would always take care of that and never let the water level sink under Winchester. Well, the old St. Lawrence must have gone dry last fall, for the Ault well, which is the deepest in the community (about 300 feet), failed in its supply, and they had to draw water in tanks from the quarrie. Then there are many householders who, during the past three years, have had to drill their wells deeper to get water for the household. These citizens can verify the statement that the water level under Winchester has been lowered upwards of 8 feet during the past two years. When the Ault well failed, they got in touch with the Dept. at Ottawa and asked if the water in the well at the station could be used. That well at the station is the deepest in this district. It was drilled there by a company which was going to locate a big industry at Winchester. But, for several reasons, principally not sufficient inducements to have them locate here, Chesterville opened her arms, and the big Condensery located in Chesterville four years previously.

It may be that that well could be cleaned out and could augment the diminishnig supply required for fire protection and for filling some cisterns. The original name of this district upon which Winchester is now located was Bates' Corners, the old farmhouse on the big farm was located north of our town hall. The name Bates' Corners, was a misnomer, it should have been called Bates' Valley, for that really is a valley, with no natural outlet to take away the flood water and sewage. Much work has been done towards this end, but much more blasting is needed back north to provide a good exit for waste disposal from this community. Nothing in the prospectus indicates that any consideration was given for establishing the sewage disposal plant at the municipal dumps, which would be the ideal place for it. It would require only a small incinerator to consume the weekly sewage sediment, using the inflammable loads of papers, boxes, etc., taken out there every Monday. Then there would be no unpleasant odor.

There was an extravagant statement in a letter in the Press—"The majority of the wells in Winchester are polluted—contaminated." Well, there has not been an epidemic of typhoid or any other such disease caused through drinking bad water, in Winchester, since the author of that statement started to wear the three-cornered badge of babyhood. Test drilling to locate a satisfactory supply of good water is an uncertain and expensive operation. There were three wells drilled on the hospital grounds to provide usable water. The curling rink was taken to a new location where they could get surface water, free from the heavy sediment which bothered them when located beside the Ault plant.

A letter in the Press, designed no doubt to stir up the civic pride, stated that the water and sewerage system should be installed so that industries could be brought to Winchester, and stated that several had turned us down because of lack of the system. If the Chamber of Commerce were conscientious in this matter, they would have made provision for locating such industries when laying out the plans for the installations. But no provision for locating industries was made. The ideal location for such industries would be along No. 31 Highway from our resident south margin, for upwards of half a mile out to the station, but no provision is made for any sewerage pipe on this stretch, and the only installation is a five-eighths inch pipe out to the station district, at which any prospective industry investigator would give a derisive laugh. Surely it is not the intention to locate industries in our residential districts. Imagine what would happen. Surrounding the factory would be the residences, then the ladies put out their nice clean sparkling wash on Monday mornings, then when they go to take it in, find it all smutty. This would probably start many of our good ladies swearing on Monday mornings.

If the proponents of this impractical installation of the water and sewerage systems, after their discussion at their meeting on Tuesday night, decide to still try to impose their will upon the great opposing force of the citizens, then there should be made available in Winchester that new kind of glasses, a wonderful new invention, which greatly improves the foresight of the wearer. These would be of great use in helping them to see the folly of their course and they could then direct their efforts to regain the greatly-diminished prestige of our Chamber of Commerce among the great majority of the citizens of Winchester.

Personally, when I have analyzed a proposed project and find it feasible, practical, and of real benefit to the community, (and I have analyzed over one hundred), I then take off my coat and help push it across, but if I find it impractical, and a detriment to the community, I then take off not only my coat but also my shirt so as to work harder to kill it.

Yours in the struggle,
(Dr.) S. A. MERKLEY

## Elma

Mrs. Harry Carruthers spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Charles Martyn, of Ottawa.

Mrs. Morley McPherson, of Dunbar, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Graham McPherson and daughters.

Friends and relatives from here attended the funeral of Mr. Jack Hill, at Williamsburg, on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaler Heagle, of Morrisburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. James O. Beckstead, recently.

Mrs. Melvin Dillabough is spending a few days at the home of her daughters, Mrs. Harold Brown, Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid McMillan and Heather visited Mrs. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald McIntosh, Lynn and David, at Brockville, on Thursday.

## Cass Bridge

A Skating Party, sponsored by the ladies of the Cass Bridge Unit of the District Memorial Hospital, will be held at the rink on Saturday evening, Feb. 14th. Lunch will be served at the Town Hall and a hearty invitation is extended to everyone.

Mrs. Sherwood Coons is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Foster, of London, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hindley and family, of Rockwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Morton, of Kingston.

Mrs. Gladys Smail spent the week-end with Mrs. Frank Hogaboam and family.

Miss Edna Coons, of Ottawa Normal School, spent the week-end at her home.

Mrs. Frank Hogaboam, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hogaboam and Billie, and Mr. George Turner and Mr. Lornie Pemberton spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Munroe and Rae.

Mr. Elgin Bowman, of Deseronto, spent the week-end at his home.

## Mountain

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. John Clark on the birth of their daughter, on February 7th, a sister for Patricia.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Levere and family, of Glen Stewart, spent Saturday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Byrd.

Mrs. Broder Workman, who is at present in the Winchester hospital recovering from a fractured hip, is reported feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Simms, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Simms and Sally spent Saturday visiting friends at Kingston.

A large crowd attended the Euchre, sponsored by the Women's Institute, held in the I.O.O.F. Hall on Friday evening, the proceeds of which are to be given to the Memorial Hospital at Winchester.

Mrs. John Lang and granddaughter, of Brockville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Allan Ronson.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. Wm McConnell is feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. George Imrie and girls spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baldwin, of Inkerman.

Mr. Wm. McConnell visited Mr. Wilson Hoy, who was a patient in the Winchester Hospital, on Sunday.

Mr. Oscar Milne visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Milne, on Monday.

Mrs. A. Allen and Bobby, of Kemptville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Morris Carlyle on Sunday.

The Farm Forum was held at the home of Mr. Eldred Clark on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Montroy and baby spent Sunday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Bellinger visited their son, Mr. Stanley Bellinger, in Smiths Falls.

Miss Ethel Coughler, of Kemptville, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Workman.

The Mountain Y. P. U. held a skating party at Winchester Arena on Thursday last. Lunch was enjoyed afterwards at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Moorehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Beckstead and baby, of Hulbert, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Coughler on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Byrd received a card from their grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Christie, who are now in St. Petersburg, Florida.

Mrs. John Berry, Sandra, Warren and Jacqueline, Mr. Jerry Jakes, Mrs. Eva Carkner and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Byrd visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Byrd on Sunday.

Mr. Donald Merkley called on Mr. and Mrs. Byrd recently.

**Mission Band Meeting**

The Mountain Mission Band held their February meeting in the church hall. The meeting opened with everyone repeating the Mission Band Purpose.

The vice president, Miss Wilma Imrie, and the secretary, Miss Clara Milne, presided for the business. The Band received their 13th year Seal from Mrs. T. D. Ross, Presbyterial Secretary for Mission Bands. A good attendance was recorded. The roll call was answered with a vegetable or fruit grown in Africa.

Miss Anne VanAllen gave a reading pertaining to Peace. Another chapter of the Study Book on Africa was read and discussed by Mrs. L. Coughler. The meeting closed with a prayer for missionaries by Mrs. D. W. Cameron.

**W. M. S. Meeting**

The monthly meeting of the Mountain W. M. S. was held at the home of Miss McCamie Rose. The meeting opened with the minutes of the last meeting. The roll call was answered and the cards read. The hospital and home visits were reported, and plans were made for the World Day of Prayer.

Mrs. J. Milne gave a report on the executive meeting, which was held at Kemptville. The treasurer's report was given and the collection taken. The reading course was planned and books ordered. Readings were given by Mrs. D. Cameron and Mrs. J. Milne. Mrs. Wright gave a reading on Intercessory Prayer. Mrs. Wm. Woods and Mrs. Geo. Imrie took charge of the Study Book, which was on "The Church of Christ in Angola." Mrs. G. Carlyle gave the Scripture reading, and Mrs. A. Norton and Mrs. Wm. McIntyre gave readings on the Study Book. This was followed with a prayer by Mrs. J. Milne. A hymn was sung and Mrs. G. Imrie closed the meeting with the Benediction. A dainty lunch was served by the lunch committee.

## Pleasant Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bolton, Heckston, spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Gilmer, and Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Gilmer and Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnston Cieland, of South Mountain, were tea guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ken. Hunter one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gilmer spent an evening recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gilmer, of Brinston.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam R. Hamilton spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Robinson, Hyndmans.

Mr. and Mrs. David F. Gilmer were callers on Tuesday evening at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Jack Guy, and Mr. Guy, of Inkerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Sears spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sommerville, of Groveton.

The L. and L. held a very enjoyable Bingo in the Hall on Friday evening. A good crowd was present and some good prizes were won.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam R. Hamilton took tea on Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kennedy and Mrs. M. Kennedy.

The Y. P. Society will hold their regular monthly meeting on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Gilmer.

This community extends congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Workman, of Cardinal, on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary on Wednesday. Mrs. Workman is a sister of Mrs. Robert Wallace of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wallace spent Sunday at Brockville.

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## OBITUARY

### LATE FREDERICK FARMILOE

Mr. Frederick Farmiloe passed away in the Winchester Memorial Hospital on Thursday, February 5th, after a lengthy illness. He was in his 77th year. He came to Canada from England at an early age and spent the remainder of his life in Morewood.

The funeral was held from his late residence on Saturday at 2.30 p.m. to the Morewood Presbyterian Church. Service was conducted by Rev. Wm. Fitzsimmons, of Cardinal, assisted by Rev. D. L. Gordon, of Morewood United Church. Interment was made in the Presbyterian Cemetery. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Jake Steen, Harry Hutchinson, Bert Weegar, Harold Hillis, Wilfred Hutt and Dwight Feeley.

The late Mr. Farmiloe is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Elvin LaSalle, of Chesterville; Monica, at home; Mrs. Milton Barkley, of Winchester, and Myrtle, of Montreal; two sons, Grant, at home, and George, of Ottawa; ten grandchildren and thirteen great grandchildren. His wife, the former Fanny LaSalle, predeceased him in 1947, also one daughter (Lillian) Mrs. Clare Brown, of Winchester.

Many beautiful floral tributes testified to the high esteem in which he was held in the community.

### BEREAVED OF BROTHER

Mr. M. R. Black received the sad news on Wednesday, Feb. 4th, that his younger brother, George W. Black, had died, following an operation in December. He was 77 years of age. He had lived in Denver, Colorado, since retiring from business in Greeley, Colo., a few years ago.

Surviving are his wife, the former Anna Beatty, and two brothers, S. H. Black, of 16502 Cheyenne St., Detroit, and M. R. Black, of Winchester; also four nephews and two nieces.

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### ST. MATTHIAS' GUILD

The monthly meeting of St. Matthias' Ladies' Guild was held at the home of Mrs. Ken. Summers. Mrs. Ralph McPherson presided. The meeting opened with the Guild prayer. Several plans were discussed for the year's work.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Dunlop on February 25th.

Mrs. Carryer closed the meeting with prayer, and a very dainty lunch was served by the hostess.


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# South Mountain

The many friends of little Louise Porter will be pleased to know that she returned home from the Winchester hospital and is improving nicely.

Mrs. Alice Gates has returned home after visiting her daughters at Kemptvilie.

Mrs. G. A. Montgomery and Mrs. Doris Berry were visiting friends at Montreal recently.

Mr. Donald Graham, of Montreal, was a recent visitor at his home here.

Miss Jessie Cleland, of the C. S., Ottawa, has been spending some time at her home here.

Mrs. Percy Ellis, of Hulbert, called on Mrs. Lloyd Montgomery on Saturday afternoon.

The many friends of Mr. Lorne Boyd will be pleased to hear that he is improving, after suffering a hard fall and injuring his head.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Nesbitt visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Nesbitt, at Prescott, on Wednesday last.

Miss Gwen Porter, whose marriage took place on Saturday morning, was guest of honour when her aunt, Mrs. Archie McRae, and a number of girl friends, entertained on Thursday evening at a miscellaneous shower at the former's home. The bride-elect was presented with a number of beautiful gifts.

Married on Saturday morning in the R. C. Church, by the Rev. Father F. J. O'Neil, Miss Gwen Porter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Porter, of this place, and Mr. John Gannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Gannon, of Inkerman.

Mr. W. J. Workman is spending a few days with Mr. Norman Barnhart.

Miss Ruby Porter, of Prescott, was a week-end visitor at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Berry, of Toronto, visited over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Berry.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Barry and family, of Iroquois, were Sunday visitors with his mother, Mrs. H. E. Barry.

Monday guests of Mr. T. Thompson were, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Thompson and Mrs. Max Cavanaugh of Smiths Falls; Mrs. Floyd Williams and Sharon, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., Mrs. R. Milne, of Kemptville, and Mrs. Archie MacRae.

Mrs. Campbell Young and son, Tommy, of Ottawa, are spending some time with her father, Mr. W. Thompson, who has just returned from hospital.

Miss Ruth Harper is spending a few days in Toronto.

Dr. and Mrs. G. Ferguson are holidaying in Florida at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken. Hunter and family were tea guests of Misses Lou and Edna Hunter on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Barriger and Mrs. Dean visited Mrs. Merl Foster, of Iroquois, on Saturday.

We are pleased to see Mr. Wm. Robinson around again after his recent accident.

The W. M. S. held a meeting at the home of Mrs. Lorne Boyd on Thursday, Feb. 6th, at 2 p.m. Mrs. Larsen was in charge of the meeting.

**Church News**

Canon Gordon Carryer conducted the service in St. Peter's Church at 11 a.m., Feb. 8th, on Sexagesima Sunday. Holy Communion was dispensed by the Rector. Mr. Carryer explained the significance of this Sacrament in the Christian Church as a memorial service of a sacrifice made by God the Father and that our sharing in this memorial helps us realize the effect of the sacrifice as being present now. This effective memorial requires (1) Preparation—prayer and worship to fit ourselves to receive this Unspeakable Gift; (2) Participation — by receiving the earthly elements we are partakers of Christ's suffering; (3) Thanksgiving—praise and adoration for this great gift. Filled with gratitude we receive the Peace that passes all understanding.

Next Sunday Service will be at 2.30 p.m.

In the Presbyterian Church, Rev. Eric Larsen spoke from Gal. 3:15: "Though it be a man's covenant, no man disalloweth or addeth thereto." Christianity is written-up covenants. In Scotland, the Covenanters had a Covenant with God and one another to keep the liberty that set them free. The first Covenant was made with Adam as a Covenant of Creation, giving him dominion over all the earth; Second Covenant was one of preservation with Noah. Third Covenant was one of selection, made with faithful Abraham; Fourth Covenant was given 430 years after in the Law of Moses—the schoolmaster to lead us to Christ. Fifth Covenant makes us Sons of God through Faith in Christ and constitutes Christian unity.

**South Mountain W. M. S.**

The monthly meeting of the W. M. S. was held on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Lorne Armstrong with a large attendance. The new president, Mrs. M. Wright, was in the chair, assisted by the recording secretary, Mrs. F. Barriger. The meeting opened with the Doxology and repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison. The president conducted the call to worship and the devotional part of the meeting. A number of items were dealt with. Two of the members, Mrs. J. Gilroy and Mrs. Arnold Gilroy, were presented with Life Members' Certificates by Mrs. L. Monteith. The Prayer partner for 1953 is Miss Winnifred Warn, of Manitoba. The Literature secretary, Mrs. V. Stirtan, had a good supply of new reading books, which she distributed to different members to read. Attention was drawn to the World Day of Prayer on Feb. 20th in the afternoon at the United Church, and plans were made for the occasion. Roll call was answered by a verse of Scripture.

Stewardship was dealt with by Mrs. J. Gilroy and Mrs. E. Shaver, and Intercessory Prayer by Mrs. Thorpe. A duet, by Mrs. J. Forrester and Mrs. G. Cleland, was enjoyed, with Mrs. H. Boyd as accompanist. Mrs. G. Mulholland was in charge of the Study Book, assisted by Mrs. Gallagher, Mrs. D. Monteith, Mrs. H. Boyd, Mrs. V. Stirtan and Mrs. F. Gilroy. Mrs. Mulholland closed with a short poem and thanked all who had helped in the programme, and for the use of the home. A birthday collection was taken, and the meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. J. Gilroy, and a hymn.

A beautiful three-layer cake, in honour of the 58th birthday of the W. M. S., decorated with lighted pink candles, was presented. Lunch was served and a soical hour enjoyed.

**Presentation To Organist**

On Monday night of last week the members of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Choir met at the home of Miss Edna Hunter, who had recently tendered her resignation as organist, after many years of faithful service.

After an evening spent in games and music, an address was read by Mr. Murray Graham, as follows:

Dear Edna—We, the members of the Choir, have gathered here tonight to honour you for faithful service. To many of us, you have always been our organist, and so it was with our deepest regret we accepted your resignation. Yes, we shall miss you a great deal, but our prayer is that God may richly bless you. And now we ask you to accept this gift as a token of our esteem for you, and as a remembrance of the years when you were our organist.

Signed on behalf of members of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Choir.

Mr. Ray MacRae made the presentation of a beautiful electric lamp.

Entirely taken by surprise, Miss Hunter replied in a few well-chosen words of appreciation, after which all joined in singing "For She's A Jolly Good Fellow." Refreshments were served, and after a pleasant evening spent,, all joined in singing "Blest Be The Tie That Binds."

**Fox Hunting Activities**

In the local meadows,
In forest, brook and lane,
There are roaming hunters,
Hunting for big game;
They stalk from early morning
Till the stars come out,
And when they see their quarry,
There is a mighty shout.
The hare, the skunk and rabbit
Have taken second place,
For fox-hunting Boyd
Is Master of the Chase.

# Ormond

Recent meetings held at various homes were, the Ladies' Aid at the home of Mrs. John Angus, and the Mission Circle held at the home of Mrs. Dan. Campbell.

Mrs. A. K. MacDonald and Mrs. Wm. Stewart and daughters, Linda and Kathy, spent a day recently with Mrs. Almeda Hutchinson, at Morewood, and had tea with Mrs. Alex McConnell.

Mrs. J. C. MacGregor spent a couple of days with Dr. and Mrs. Allen Younger, of Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray MacIntosh and children visited on Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Carkner.

Mrs. Erwin Cumming and son, Jimmie, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Harrison McIntosh, of Mille Roches.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McLeod, Mrs. Dave Wooldridge and Mr. Ken. Hunter, of Morewood, were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Feeley at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ball and daughter, Fern, of Hilton Beach, Ont., spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Cumming.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McConnell, Mr. and Mrs. Hume McConnell, of Morewood, were Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stewart.

# Melvins

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Erratt, of Riverside, had tea with Mr. and Mrs. Morley Erratt on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Fowler and dauhgters spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Durant, of Gouverneur, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Scott had tea on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Scott in Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Black and Arden spent an evening last week with Mrs. Adam Gainer and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gainer recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Stewart and Gail visited Mrs. Annie Byers, of Cannamore, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Scott spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Kendrick.

Miss June Mullen spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mullen, of Iroquois.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Redmond spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. R. Scott.

Mrs. Emmanuel Cayer entertained a number of friends to a quilting bee on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons.

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# Williamsburg

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carruthers, of Elma, had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Merton Saddlemire and Beatrice on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Myles Marcellus, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allison, of Chesterville, attended the funeral of the late Jack Hill.

Mrs. Lydia Hanson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac J. McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Arden Trickey and family had dinner on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Trickey.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crowder, of Cornwall, attended the funeral of the late Jack Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Barkley and family, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Barkley.

Mrs. Wm. Alexander, of Newington, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Forward.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Loucks, Sarah Ann and Almeda Whitteker, spent Sunday evening with Mr. Herman Whitteker, of Cornwall.

**United Church W. M. S. Holds Monthly Meeting**

The monthly meeting of Williamsburg United Church W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. Merton Saddlemire last Thursday evening.

Following the roll call and minutes of the last meeting, the program convener, Mrs. Wilbur Garlough, took over the meeting, which opened with an African hymn, translated into the English language. Mrs. Garlough gave an interesting talk on "The Church of Christ in Africa," explaining that all Protestant denominations were members of this church. She also told of the work of the United Church in Africa, especially in Angola. Churches are self-governing and largely self-supporting in Africa.

At the business session, an Easter pageant was discussed, and preliminary plans were made. A discussion was also held regarding the World Day of Prayer. An item was read on Temperance by Miss Eva Myers. An extra collection was made to provide money for a bale to go to Balla Conla, B. C.

The next meeting of the W. M. S. will be held at the home of Mrs. Strader McIntosh. The program conveners will be Miss Ethel Deeks and Mrs. E. L. Deeks.

Following the W. M. S. meeting, a brief meeting of the W. A. was held with a short business period. Mrs. George Wingard donated patches and material for the Dresden Plate quilt. Lunch was served by the hostess and the committee in charge.

**Final Tribute Paid To Late Jack Hill**

The auditorium and Sunday School Hall of Williamsburg United Church were filled with a host of relatives and friends who paid a final tribute to the late Mr. Jack Marcellus Hill, at the funeral service on Sunday afternoon.

One of Williamsburg's most popular and esteemed citizens, the late Mr. Hills' sudden passing on Friday, at his farm, one mile east of Williamsburg, was received with much sorrow by all who knew him. A young man, only 43 years old, Jack Hill had been enjoying perfect health until the day of his death when he suffered a heart seizure while working at the barn, and died almost instantly.

Born in Dunbar, he was a son of Mr. George Hill and his wife, the late Fannie Marcellus. Receiving his education in local schools, he chose farming as a career, which he carried out well until his death. He was a member of Williamsburg I. O. O. F. and of the United Church. In 1948 he married the former Doris M. Strader, who survives. Other survivors are; his father, Mr. George Hill; two daughters, Mary Lynn, age 4, and Shaler, 11 months; three sisters, Mrs. Trevor Crowder (Rose), of Morrisburg; Mrs. Phil Strader (Clara), Smiths Falls, and Mrs. Howard Hanna (Mae), of Addison, Ont.

Rev. George Dunlop conducted the funeral service and took as his text John 9:4: "The night cometh when no man can work." The choir sang "Come Ye Disconsolate," accompanied by the organist, Mrs. Maefred Merkley, who also played for the congregational hymns, "The Lord Is My Shepherd," and "What A Friend We Have In Jesus."

Interment was made in Maple Ridge Cemetery where the graveside service was also conducted by Rev. Mr. Dunlop. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Fernley Johnston, Elton Barkley, Clifford Casselman, Aden Casselman, Ralph Casselman and Claude Casselman.

Many beautiful floral tributes testified to the high esteem in which the deceased was held.

**Unique Service Held In Lutheran Church**

A unique service was conducted in St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Williamsburg, on Sunday evening, Feb. 1st, when "Church Seasons" was presented in picture and song. The pictures portrayed the seasons from Advent to Ascension, and climaxing with "All the Festivals finding their meaning in Good Friday," and the "Crown of the Festivals in Easter." Those taking part were, Lois Whitteker Jean and Rita Barkley, Elsie and Ruth Cougler, Carol McIntosh, Ileen Barkley and Clara Garlough. The church choir very ably assisted with hymns suitable to the portraying of each picture.

**Women's Institute Meeting**

Thirty-three members attended the February meeting of Williamsburg Women's Institute, held in the I.O.O.F. Hall on Tuesday evening. Following the usual opening, the roll call was taken and the minutes read. The treasurer's report indicated that there was a bank balance of $784.98.

A letter was read acknowledging the gift of money for the Brownie Group. At the business session, the Course, "We Call It Human Nature," was discussed, and which will be held March 11th. It was decided to purchase 5 tickets to Canada Day to be held in Toronto on August 21st.

A motion was passed that the Institute will sponsor a Wolf Cub Group if suitable leadership and a place of meeting can be found. Mesdames Walt. McGowan, Walt Whitteker and Clair Alguire were nominated as a committee to enquire into the feasibility of sponsoring such a group. A committee was also appointed to look after refreshments on March 11th, to be convened by Mrs. Clifford Casselman. A motion was passed that the Institute should donate food to the Brownie Food Sale on March 14th. Mrs. Irwin Empey suggested that the Institute have a Food Sale on March 28th for the purpose of raising necessary funds. A possible donation to the Winchester District Memorial Hospital was also discussed. Mrs. Hugh Thompson led in a sing-song prior to Mrs. Kirchhofer introducing the guest speaker, Mrs. Funke. In addressing the members, Mrs. Funke spoke of her homeland, "Switzerland," and compared the various aspects of that land with Canada. She was thanked by Mrs. M. W. Locke.

The meeting concluded with lunch being served by the committee in charge. A vote of thanks was extended by Miss B. Saddlemire.

**Lutheran Women Hold Meeting**

The monthly meeting of the Lutheran Women of the Church was held at the home of Mrs. Edwin Whitteker with 25 members and two visitors present.

The roll call was answered in the form of word knowledge, and the treasurer's report showed that the bank balance was $196.73. Mrs. Bernard Whitteker presented the topic: "Literacy Among the Loma People." She was assisted by Mrs. Arthur Loucks. A life membership pin and certificate were presented to Mrs. Edwin Whitteker by Mrs. Kirchhofer and Mrs. Clifford Casselman.

It was decided that a quilting party will be held Thursday (today), February 12th. All donations are to be left with Mrs. Hilda Johnston.

Because of the extreme tragic conditions in the lowlands of Europe, it was decided that quilts would be sent to the flood areas in England and the Netherlands. A clothing and money drive will be sponsored by the Women of the Church for the same cause.

The cutlery committee was instructed to buy stainless steel utensils for the church kitchen. The meeting closed with the Benediction and lunch was served by Mrs. Walt. Whitteker and the acting committee.

# Marvelville

The C. G. I. T. Group held a Mother and Daughter Banquet on Wednesday evening in the Orange Hall. The guest speaker was Mrs. Ralph Collins, a missionary home on furlough from Angola, Africa. Also invited were the C. G. I. T. members and their mothers from Russell and Kenmore, and Rev. and Mrs. Carr, of Kenmore. Miss Eleanor Stearns president proposed a toast to the Queen, followed by Miss Phyllis Wynn, of Kenmore, proposing a toast to the Church. Rev. Mr. Carr responded. Miss Shirley McCormick proposed a toast to the Mothers, which was responded to by Shirley's mother, Mrs. Norman McCormick. Miss Fitsman, of Russell, proposed a toast to all leaders, and Mrs. Scott responded with a toast to the guests. An enjoyable time was spent by all.

Rev. Mr. Carr, Willis McCormick, mentor of the Trail Rangers, and some of the group attended a banquet on Monday night at Fisher High in Ottawa, given in connection with Youth Week.

The W. M. S. held their monthly meeting on Thursday at the home of Mrs. Sharp, with a good attendance.

Miss Louise Ottowell, of Ottawa, spent the week-end with Mrs. Elwin Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Campbell, Mr. Lloyd Shelp and Miss Carole Mabee, all of Kingston, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman McCormick.

We are pleased to report Mr. Eric Beattie home from the Civic Hospital and is well on the way to recovery.

Miss Shirley McCormick spent Friday evening in Ottawa at the home of her girl friend.

Mrs. Frank Wylie, of Ottawa, ited at the home of her cousin, Mr. Norman McCormick, on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Latour, of Russell, visited with Mrs. Latour's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Stanley, on Sunday.

# Nation Valley

Rev. Mr. Reid, of Winchester, was calling in the Valley last week.

Mrs. Leslie Holmes, of Toyes Hill, visited her brother, Mr. Chas. Gray, and Mrs. Gray, recently.

Mr. Fred S. Cass, of Portland, Oregon, spent a few days last week with his cousins at the Jamieson home.

Miss Gertrude Rae and brother, Mr. Donald Rae, visited relatives in Winchester Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clark and son, Mr. Harold Clark, and Mr. Percy Rae, of Cass Bridge, and Mr. Leonard Bell and daughter, Miss Joan Bell, of Inkerman, spent one evening last week in the Valley.

Mrs. H. Nottell visited her cousin, Mrs. G. O. McElheran, of Winchester Springs, recently.

Mrs. John Allison ,of Maple Ridge, visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allison and son, Malcolm, on Saturday evening last.

Miss Helen Jamieson and Mr. Chas. B. Jamieson entertained a few relatives and close neighbours on Friday evening last in honour of Mr. F. S. Cass of Portland, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Grey spent Wednesday with Mrs. G. O. McElheran, of Winchester Springs.

Messrs. Bruce Rae and Edwin Forward attended the Oddfellows' Euchre in Chesterville on Friday evening of last week.

Miss Winnifred Shaver, of Montreal, was here to visit her aunt, Miss Agnes Jamieson, who is a patient in the Memorial Hospital, Winchester.

A euchre party, in aid of the Hospital Auxiliary, was held in the school-house last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Summers and Mr. Corrigan, of Eganville, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Summers and Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nottell and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rae on Sunday.

Mr. Donald Rae visited Mr. and Mrs. Preston Rae, of Belleville, last week.

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## CARD OF THANKS

**CARD OF THANKS**—I would like to take this opportunity to thank my friends, neighbours, doctors, the hospital staff, fellow patients and all others for the fellowship I enjoyed while at the District Memorial Hospital. May God bless you all.—Hugh Porteous. 38p

**CARD OF THANKS**—We wish to thank all our friends and neighbours for the lovely cards, letters and personal visits while our father was a patient in the Kingston General Hospital and Winchester Memorial Hospital. Also for the many acts of kindness shown by his friends and neighbours. Special thanks to Dr. Berry and Dr. Justus and the nursing staffs. — The Farmiloe Family. 38p

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**IN MEMORIAM**—In fond and loving memory of our dear brother, John K. Kerr, who passed away February 18th, 1951.

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# Sunday In The Churches

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15th, 1953.**

**"Influence"**

Joseph Parker, unveiling a tablet in the City of Bath in memory of William Jay and using the text, "Behold now, there is in this city a man of God, said: "The men of God in any city are its strength. Their God is with them and their character is a continual emanation, an outgoing fragrance that finds its way on the winds that blow through the lowliest places of the city and carry odors from roses that grow in the garden beyond the blue."

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
**Rev. William Reid, Minister.**

Winchester: Sunday School at 10.00 a.m. Service of Worship at 11.00 a.m. Four Young Men from Presbyterian College, Montreal, will take charge of the service, it being Student Sunday. Mr. Martin Ives, B. Sc., B.D., will be the speaker. Nursery and Supplementary Sunday School at 11.30 a.m. Service of Worship at 7.30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 12th, Young Couples' Club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Cross at 8.00 p.m. Friday, Feb. 13th, the Young People will entertain at a Vaentine Party in the Sunday School Hall at 8.00 p.m.

**Winchester Springs: Sunday School at 1.30 p.m. Service of Worship at 2.30 p.m.**

**UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA**
**Rev. T. N. Mitchell, Minister.**

Winchester: Public Worship at 10.30 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sunday School at 11.30 a.m. Mid-week Service on Wednesday at 7.30 p.m.

Harmony: Sunday School at 2.30 p.m. Public Worship at 3.00 p.m.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**
**Pastor Ben. Richardson, Minister.**

Sunday School at 10.00 a.m. Public Worship at 11.00 a.m. Evening Service at 7.30 p.m. Prayer Service on Wednesday at 7.30 p.m.

**CHURCH OF ENGLAND**
**Canon Gordon Carryer, Incumbent.**

South Mountain: St. Peter's, Evensong at 2.30 p.m. Winchester: St. Matthias, Evensong at 7.30 p.m.

**WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH**
**Rev. Henry Kielty, Minister.**

Winchester: Sunday School and Y. M. W. B. at 9.45 a.m. Morning Worship at 10.45 a.m. Evangelistic Service at 7.30 p.m. Prayer and Fellowship Service on Wednesday at 7.30 p.m. Youth meets each Friday at 7.30 p.m.

Hallville—Bible School at 2.15 p.m. Afternoon Worship at 3.00 p.m.

**KNOX W. M. S., MOUNTAIN**

The January meeting of the W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. A. H. Clark on Thursday afternoon, with a good attendance. The meeting was opened with prayer by the president, Mrs. Allen Kerr, followed by a hymn. Mrs. H. T. Graham led the devotions, the theme being "Daily Responsibilities." This was emphasized by verses of Scripture read by the members. The roll call was answered by the paying of membership fees. Mrs. E. Larsen gave a report of the Annual Meeting, held in Brockville. After the singing of a hymn, Rev. E. Larsen closed the meeting with prayer.

Lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. Harold Clark, assisted by Mrs. Hugh Blaine and Mrs. John Clark.

The officers for the year are as follows: Hon. president, Mrs. E. Larsen; president, Mrs. Allen Kerr; vice president, Mrs. W. H. Clark; recording secretary, Mrs. H. T. Graham; treasurer, Mrs. H. Richardson; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. V. Carlyle; supply, Mrs. R. Madden; Home Helpers, Mrs. A. H. Clark; Glad Tidings, Mrs. A. Workman; Welcome and Welfare, Mrs. J. Kerford; Literature and Library, Mrs. H. T. Graham.


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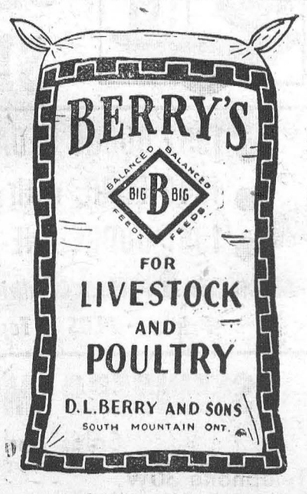




# OBITUARY

**THE LATE FLOYD SHAVER**

Mr. Floyd T. Shaver, 61, prominent Iroquois farmer, died at his home on Wednesday of last week, following a long illness.

Mr. Shaver was born in Winchester Springs, a son of the late John H. Shaver, but had lived nearly his entire life in Iroquois. In charge of a rural mail route for many years, he was well known throughout the entire community.

Mr. Shaver was a member of the Masonic Order and the Oddfellows. He was a past district deputy of the Oddfellows' Lodge.

Mr. Shaver was married in 1916 to Kathleen Banford, who survives. Also surviving are two sons, Garnet Shaver, of Prescott, and Ramon Shaver, of Iroquois, and two daughters, Elinor, of Richmond Hill, and Doris (Mrs. L. L. Sykes), of Kemptville.

The funeral service was held from the Iroquois United Church on Sunday at one o'clock. Interment was made in Maple Ridge Cemetery.

Prior to the funeral service the Masonic Order conducted a quiet service at the late residence of Mr. Shaver on Friday evening. Members from Iroquois and Winchester lodges attended. The late Mr. Shaver was a nephew of Mr. C. B. Timmins, of Winchester.

**WINCHESTER TOWNSHIP COUNCIL**

The regular meeting of Winchester Township Council was held in the Town Hall, Winchester, on Monday, February 2nd, with the Deputy Reeve, Mr. Basil Dawley, in the chair on account of the absence of the Reeve, Mr. E. B. McMillan, on County business. The minutes of the last regular and special meetings were adopted as read and signed by the deputy reeve.

By-law No. 824, a by-law appointing Mr. Gordon Fraser as trustee of the Morewood High School for the unexpired term of Mr. Bert Weegar who had resigned, was finally passed, signed and sealed.

A resolution was passed and the clerk instructed to forward same to the Association of Rural Municipalities asking that the association petition the Provincial Government to enact legislation whereby municipalities giving relief to persons receiving Baby Bonus cheques or Old Age Pension cheques or Unemployment cheques, that these be paid to the Relief Officer to apply on the relief given these persons, as much of this money is used for purposes other than as designated.

The Tax Collector and Treasurer were instructed to make application to the Department of Municipal Affairs at once for permission to register Tax certificates against all properties in the township three years or more in arrears of taxes, so that one year from date of registration, if taxes and costs have not been paid the properties automatically become the property of the municipality.

The following accounts were passed and paid: Roads and Bridges, $1,028.57; Relief and Hospitalization, $386.53; Fox Bounty, $6.00; Drainage, $17.60; Salaries, $45.00; Miscellaneous, $146.95.

Council adjourned to meet in Chesterville on Monday, March 2nd, at 10.30 a.m.

# BOWLING SCORES

(By Uncle Ezra)



In the Craig Group on Monday, Marg. Boyd walked off with all the ladies' honours, having strings of 244, 168 and 129 to cross 541. Phyllis MacIntosh had 528-208. Harry Joule had games of 161, 272 and 182 to cross 616 and take both men's honours.

Carrie Isaac rolled a high single of 213 and other games of 154 and 129 to cross 496 and take the ladies' honours in the Fennell Group. Ray Thompson had 565-235 to take the men's honours.

In the Robinson Group Elva Woods had 473-194 to take both ladies' honours. Earl Morgan led the men with 571-282.

Marjorie Crummy continued to lead the Community League on Tuesday rolling a high single of 312 and other strings of 255 and 235 to cross 802. Lula Dawley had 565-245, Norah Sleivert 554-235, Inez Davidson 550-222. Earl Cartier took the men's cross with games of 214, 235 and 263 to cross 712. Cliff. Churchill rolled the men's high single, a 282, and crossed 619. Lloyd Kenney had 706-274, Mel. Scott 623-243, Jim McCloskey 613-259, Arnie Rielly 604-262.

In the South Mountain League on Wednesday, Jean Beamish was out in front with two strings of 255 and a 207 to cross 717 and walk away with all the ladies' honours. Marjorie Fisher had 650-236, June Graham 223, Eileen Clifford 213, Irene Marriner 210. Chas. Hyndman rolled games of 253, 187 and 237 to take the men's cross with 677. Orval Kirker had a triple of 661 and rolled the high single, a 256. Stan. Berry had 652-232, Cliff. Berry 648-243, Stan. Marriner 637-235, Keith Beamish 630-229, Father O'Neil 619-233.

In the ladies' Thursday Afternoon Group, Eva Workman took the high cross with games of 144, 188 and 187 to cross 519. Beth Sawyer roled a 203 to take the high single. Marge Crummy dropped in late and rolled a string of 246 just to show her mother how easy it is.

In the Morewood Mixed League on Thursday evening, Jean Countryman rolled a high single of 233 and other games of 177 and 125 to cross 535 and take both ladies' honours. Zola Levere had 493-208. Glen MacGregor took all the men's honours with a cross of 697 made up games of 201, 250 and 246.

In the Glamour Girls' League, Marge Crummy rolled the high cross, a 678, made up of games of 246, 204 and 228. Lula Dawley crossed 610 and rolled the high single, a 262. Jean Cummings had 626-230, Ann Marshal 621-230, Florence Helmer 572-206, Phyllis Henderson 562-207, Annalea MacGregor 517-205, Grace Cleveland 494-213.

Chas. Hyndman rolled a high single of 318 and put other games of 222 and 183 to cross 723 and take all the honours in the Country Gentlemen's League. Chas. Binda had 702-253, Gordie MacDonald 682-245, Lorne Sawyer 620-253, Bill Porteous 613-225, Sam Gilbert 600-251.

In the Finch Mixed League on Friday, Eva Ruppert rolled strings of 146, 199 and 180 to take the ladies' cross with 525. Eva Ouderkirk had a triple of 505 and rolled the high single, a 224. Chas. Binda took the men's cross with 647, made up of games of 203, 205 and 239. Andy Egan rolled the men's high single, a 242, crossing 640.

Success is never final, and failure never fatal. It's courage that counts.

# *Mr. C. O. Dow New President Metcalfe Fair*

The Metcalfe Agricultural Society held its annuall meeting in the Community Center with a large attendance. The president, W. R. Wilson, was in the chair and reported another successful year. Treasurer Stan. Hicks presented the financial statement.

It was agreed to join the Light Horse Association again this year. Dates set for the 1953 Fair are Sept. 17, 18 and 19.

Five members were appointed to attend the Association of Fairs' Convention in Toronto, W. R. Wilson, J. E. Craig, J. L. Dowser, Mrs. F. Dowser and Mrs. Sid. Bishop.

By virtue of a new clause in the constitution of the Society, a president can only hold office for two years. The work of the retiring president, W. R. Wilson, was highly commended.

The 1953 slate of officers follows: President, C. O. Dow; 1st vice president, S. Whyte; 2nd vice president, Edgar Craig; secretary, J. E. Craig; directors, W. R. Wilson, H. C. Latimer, Wm. R. Loney, A. M. Cameron, A. C. Blair, J. A. Waddell, Edgar Craig, Robin Campbell, John Campbell, D. M. Stewart, A. K. Johnston, John Hughes, J. L. Dowser, W. R. Stanley, Robert Goth, Alfred Carson, J. M. Tomkins, Stirling Bishop, Robt. Little, Ken. Dow.

Chairmen of Committees: Reception, W. R. Wilson; gate and tickets, H. C. Latimer; advertising, A. C. Blair; sports, J. A. Waddell; concessions, S. H. Bishop; grounds, A. Cameron; ring and program, R. W. Stanley; heavy horses, R. Goth; light horses, C. Mansfield; cattle, John Hughes; sheep, Ken. Dow; swine, A. Carson; junior dept., J. M. Tomkins; agricultural hall, A. C. Blair.

There was considerable discussion concerning necessary improvements. It was pointed out that still more stable room was required and it was hoped that in the near future the Curling Club might be moved up beside the Community Center and the rink part could then be used for stable room at Fair time. It is understood that the curlers themselves are very anxious to make just such a move.

## Hyndman's

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Robinson and Dale spent Sunday with friends in Lansdowne.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lattimore and Mrs. Janet Lattimore.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Cecil Sommerville is confined to her bed with a lame back.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnston Cleland spent Sunday with friends in Ottawa.

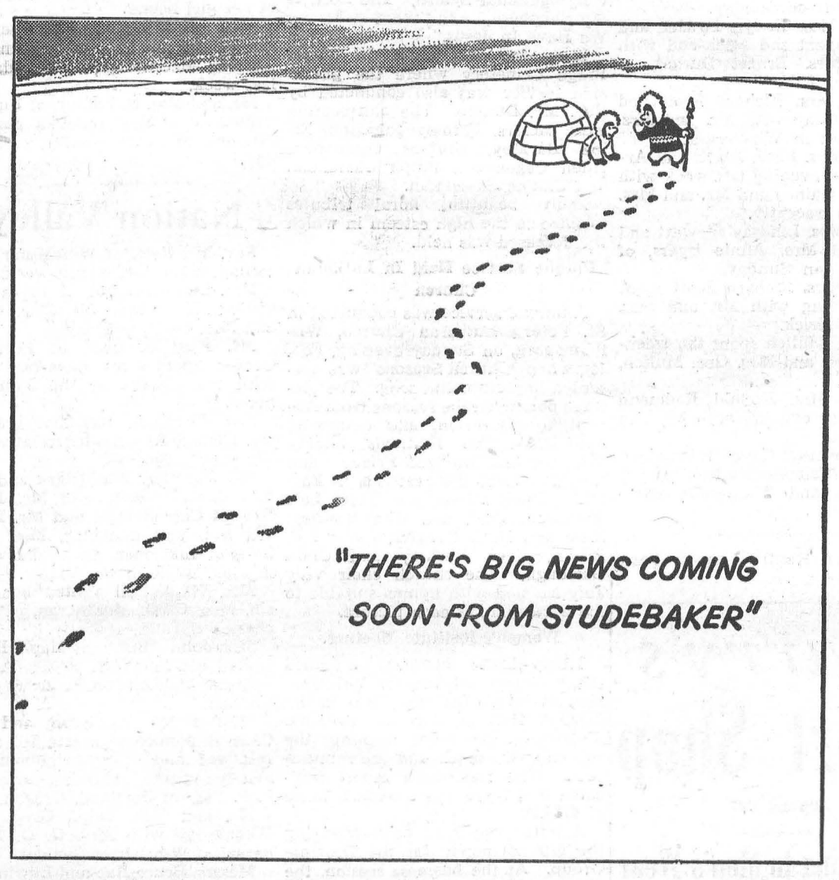
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Robinson and Mr. Alex Brown visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conley on Thursday evening.

Saturday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grant were Mr. and Mrs. T. Canning, Lawrence Wallace, of Pleasant Valley; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conley, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Canning and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Conley and Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lattimore, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Francis, and Mr. Carl Grant, the occasion being Mrs. Grant's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grant, Sheila and Carl, and Mr. John Smith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Canning.

**HULBERT W. M. S.**

The monthy meeting of the Hulbert W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. James Burden on February 4th at two p.m., with the president in charge. The Scripture lesson was read by Mrs. H. McQuaig, and readings were given by Mrs. D. Sullivan, Mrs. Ira Ellis and Mrs. Neil Ryt. Following the minutes and roll call, the Study Book was given by Mrs. Nelson Scharfe, Mrs. Percy McQuaig, Mrs. Ira Ellis and Miss Florence Roode. The meeting closed with a hymn and the Benediction. Lunch was served and a social hour enjoyed.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With the soup goes a basket of crisp toasted crackers, of course. Folks like the crunchiness of crackers as contrast to hot soup. The crackers also call for wedges of cheese or cheese spreads. And then for a fuller meal, perhaps grilled franks and citrus fruit salad.

For some soup menu suggestions, try these. Fine fixings for many a lunch and supper.

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*Milk Coffee*

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*Crackers 'n' Smoked Cheese*
*Scrambled Eggs*
*Lettuce-Cucumber Salad*
*Apricots Cookies*
*Milk Coffee*

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**Combine Spaghetti, Shrimp:** For a grand good spaghetti dinner, to serve during Lent, fix this. Brown ½ cup minced onion and 2 tablespoons minced green pepper in ¼ cup hot shortening. Stir in about 1 cup cooked or canned shrimp, and 2 cans (15 fluid-ounce size) spaghetti in tomato sauce with cheese. Season with 1 teaspoon vinegar, 4 drops Tabasco sauce, ¼ teaspoon salt, and pepper. This makes dinner for 4. Goes well with buttered Italian bread, and salad of lettuce, green pepper and cucumber

## CANADIAN PLOWMEN ABROAD

by ROY SHAVER Past President
ONTARIO PLOWMEN'S ASSOCIATION





Douglas S. Reid



Algie Wallace

Roy Shaver, of Finch, Ont., past president of Ontario Plowmen's Association, accompanied Douglas S. Reid, of Brampton, and Algie Wallace, of North Gower, Canada's champion plowmen, on their trip to the British Isles, Eire and France. This is the fourth of a series of five weekly articles he has written as team manager about their experiences and impressions.

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(By Roy Shaver)

Fame touched us fleetingly late in November when we were staying at the Gresham Hotel in Dublin, and for a brief minute or so it looked as if Canada's champion plowmen and their team manager were going to be called to another and more glamorous career.

Registered with us at the Gresham was—as the placards around Dublin cried—"the incendiary American blonde," Betty Hutton, and her party. I must confess that the visit by Doug. Reid, of Brampton, Ont., champion tractor plowman, Algie Wallace, of North Gower, champion horse plowman, and their team manager, Roy Shaver, of Finch, was rather overshadowed by this party. The American group was the reason for our new-found fame—if such it can be called.

Young Dubliners seemed to hang around the hotel all day to catch glimpses of the glamorous Miss Hutton, and one day as we emerged onto the street in our tall, white Western hats, we heard a shrill cry: "Oh, look! There's Miss Hutton's cowboys!" Though their legs were not bowed in the traditional Lone Star State manner, Doug and Algie carried off their new roles with a fine air of nonchalance.

However, though we sat at the next table in the dining room, we received no bids from Miss Hutton, and so recrossed the Atlantic as dairy farmers instead of cowpunchers.

Soon after our return to Canada someone asked Doug which part of the trip he would choose if he were allowed just one section of it over again. Without hesitation he said, "The trip to Ireland." Algie enthusiastically concurred. Their choice had nothing to do with Miss Hutton. It was because, as Doug said, "The Irish really did us proud."

That is not meant to decry or belittle our reception elsewhere in the British Isles. Far from it. Wherever we went we were welcomed with open arms. I can only say that the general enthusiasm with which we were received speaks volumes for the teams of Canadian plowmen who made the trip in previous years. The teams that went before us left wonderful impressions of Canada and Canadian plowmen.

So I don't think it was because the Irish did anything more to make us feel at home than anyone else, it was just that they did it with a Gaelic zest that is probably peculiar to Irishmen.

Without arguing the pros and cons, or the ethics, of gambling and sweepstakes, all of us were very interested to see the headquarters of the famous Irish Hospitals Sweepstakes. It has been said that more goes in prizes than is given to the hospitals, but I know nothing of that. One thing I did not realize, though, was that the livelihoods of thousands of people are wrapped up in this gigantic enterprise. In one vast room in the modern office building that houses the Sweepstakes, we saw 2,000 clerks busily sorting and checking counterfoils, names and addresses.

Doug immediately bought six tickets, one for each member of his immediate family, including his two young children. He bought them even after Mr. Sheenon, the manager, told us that each ticket has one chance in ten million of being drawn from the huge barrel in which the counterfoils are placed. Doug refused to be squashed by these odds, and as he placed his counterfoils in the drum, he grinned and said, "Here comes number ten million!" I hope he's right.

He seemed so sure of his chances that I began to wonder whether he and Algie had picked up some special information straight from the horses' mouths. Earlier that day we had visited the National Stud of Ireland and watched some of the finest horse flesh in the world put through its paces. One horse, Roya Charger, was valued by the Stud at over $120,000, which, as Algie remarked, is "a mighty lot of horse." We saw many other famous horses, the names of which I am ashamed to say I have forgotten; but then, I am not a racing man.

Touring in the British Isles and Eire is like stepping back into the pages of history. I know we have our own history, but apart from Montreal and Quebec, it has always seemed to me that we have never paid much attention to preserving historical sites and places. Doug made a similar observation the day we visited a castle in Ulster where once William of Orange had lived. We felt much the same the night we attended a play in that famous old playhouse, the Abbey Theatre. In fact, one gets so imbued with this idea of living in the past that it is often quite a shock to come across modern hydro-electric plants.

In all, we spent six days in north and south Ireland, and we were sorry when the time came for us to board the packet boat for Liverpool. However, England soon produced its compensations for leaving the friendly Irish, and one of the first was a visit to the Shakespeare country at Stratford-on-Avon. We browsed around the cottage of Ann Hathaway and leaned out of the casement window in much the manner that Fair Ann was supposed to have done when she was courted by William Shakespeare.

From the Bard's country we slipped by car through Warwickshire and had tea in an old Abbey standing in the shadow of Warwick Castle. We would liked to have had time to have looked over this beautiful 700-year-old structure, but unfortunately our schedule would not let us. That night we had supper with the John Camerons. Mrs. Cameron's father had lived in Canada for many years, and went overseas with the Princess Pats in the First World War. The Camerons live in a 400-year-old house with the delightful name of Tinker's Hatch. They had just had some restoration and redecoration carried out and the ancient oak beams gleamed warmly in the electric light. And I might add it was one of the few warm things about the house, for it was exceptionally difficult to heat. However, to an Englishman, that is nothing, not having been bred on central heating. Perhaps our more modern buildlings have some compensations.

Just outside Cambridge we met Mr. E. J. Shropshire, an elderly farmer, who 50 years ago had homesteaded at Carman, Manitoba. Even yet he talks nostalgically of the prairie country, though today he has a very successful farm, on which he raises fat cattle and large white hogs. While visiting him we saw our first flint stone house, for farmhouse was built of, some 400 years ago.

History again and a visit to the ruins of the old abbey at Bury St. Edmunds where the English barons gathered in 1214 to draft the Magna Charta, and then on to Newmarket race track, the oldest registered race course in Britain, where hundreds of thoroughbreds are trained, and Charles I wagered his realm away.

If there is ever a competition for the strangest farm on earth, David Allston, who lived nearby, could legitimately expect to place within the first 10, for he shares his grain farm with a disused airdrome. Originally he had 700 to 800 acres, but during the war the American air force took over his farm and built an airdrome. Across 250 acres of his land still stretch the concrete runways the Americans laid down, and several other acres are taken up by hangars, one of which he uses as a store house and granary. The government won't release the land, so Mr. Allston is still farming between the runways.

### WOODMEN OF THE WORLD RECEIVE CHARTER AT VERNON

Friday, January 30th, was an historic night for Vernon village when 40 members of the Woodmen of The World received their Charter. The Head Consul Commander J. F. Clouston, of London, Ont., presented the charter to Past Consul Cmmdr. Roy Merkley, who in turn handed it ot Consul Cmmdr. Gerald Holmes. Mr. Clouston also presented the Past Consul Commander's Jewel to Sovereign Charles E. Cross, of Winchester. In making the presentation, Sovereign Clouston gave great praise to Sovereign Cross for the work he had done in the progress of the district Blue Spruce Camp, which was organized less than a year ago. Sovereign Cross thanked the camp for the honour conferred on him, and said he attributed the achievements largely to the splendid co-operation and support given him by the District Deputy Morley Beckstead.

Six new members were initiated at the gathering, held in the Vernon Hall. A luncheon followed the meeting, with H.C.C. Clouston reciting the Scotch Grace. During the soical hour Sovereign Clouston entertained with humorous recitations. It was announced that the Camp would hold a Valentine Dance.

### THE AJAX PLAN

Ajax is Canada's first industrial city to be planned from the grass routes up and in minute detail. The idea was conceived in 1949 and already a glittering new community of over 5,000 people with 21 factories employing 1,400 people has sprung to life. Slums are outlawed, along with traffic congestion, land speculation, and wildcat housing schemes. The story of the rise and growth of Ajax is told in the Toronto Star Weekly of February 14, by staff writer Harold Hilliard.


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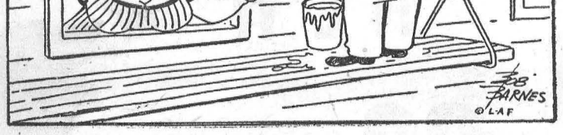


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# Curling News

After a lull in curling activities last week, having come to the end of the first schedule, the club has started on a new schedule this week, playing for the sixteen cups and saucers which come to the club annually. New rinks have been drawn up, and a busy time will be in store for the curlers during the remainder of the season.

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A rink, skipped by H. O. Balkwill, and comprising H. Fetterly, H. Wilson and D. L. MacLean, challenged the holders of the Club Pins on Monday evening, but after the smoke of battle had cleared away, the pins were still with the defenders. The game ended 9-7 for Lloyd Kenney's team, consisting of R. Wylie, C. Cross and A. Duncan.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Mack and little son, Larry, of Inkerman, were supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Droppo on Thursday of last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Barkley and sons, Donald and Larry, of Iroquois, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Droppo.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mac Biccum, of Findlater, Sask., are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Stoodley.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Thoms and Mrs. M. Miskell, of Ottawa, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stoodley on Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lewis, of Dunbar, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Campbell on Monday.

## WINCHESTER BOY WELL UP IN JUNIOR JUDGING COMPETITION

Ralph Fawcett, of Winchester, a member of the Mountain 4-H Club, scored 138 out of a possible 150 points in the Junior Judging Competition, sponsored by the Holstein-Friesian Association of Canada, in connection with the selection of All-Canadian Holsteins. Ralph was tied for 34th place amongst the 531 boys and girls who took part. Close behind was Franklin Milne, of Mountain, with 134 points, also a member of the Mountain Club.


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## LOCAL AND GENERAL

**Patient In Hospital.**

The many friends of Mrs. Clarence Deeks will be sorry to learn that she is a patient in the District Memorial Hospital. All will wish her a speedy and complete recovery.

**Will Undergo Operation.**

Mr. Aaron Stoodley, Sr., of the Vernon district, is a patient in the Kingston General Hospital, where he will undergo an operation this week-end. His many friends will wish him a speedy and complete recovery.

**Flew To Florida.**

Mr. Dave Melvin, Vice President of Melvin Motors Limited, made a flying trip to Fort Lauderdale, Florida, last Friday, via Trans-Canada Airways, to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hart Melvin, who are vacationing there. He returned home yesterday.

## HULBERT

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mellan on Sunday night were, Mrs. Chris. Mellan, Mrs. Harold Mellan, Donald and Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mellan, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Ellis and girls, Miss Lois Helmer, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Mellan and Mr. Jas. Haggerty, the occasion being Mr. and Mrs. Mellan's 25th Wedding Anniversary.

Mrs. Wesley Flegg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Royal Froom.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Miller and sons were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Graham and Mrs. Arthur Graham on Sunday.

The Y. P. U. held a skating party down by the church on Monday night. Lunch was served afterwards at the school-house.

## BORN

On Thursday, February 5th, 1953, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rendall (nee Edna Smith), of Whittier, Calif., formerly of Edmonton, Alta., a daughter.

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# Russell Crowder Tendered Farewell

Prior to his departure from the staff of Ault Creamery, where he has been employed for the past five years, Mr. Russell Crowder was honoured at a farewell party last Friday afternoon by the management and staff.

About four oclock he was called to the Locker Room where he was given an ovation by fellow workers. Mr. Sam Ault, co-manager of the plant, read an appropriate address, and a presentation of an electric razor was made by Mr. Sam Cowan on behalf of the management and staff.

Mr. Crowder, in thanking his friends, said that his relationship and job with the Ault Creamery couldn't have been better in the five years he was employed there.

He will shortly take up residence in Cornwall.

Following is the address:

Dear Russell:—It was with considerable regret that we learned several days ago that you were severing ties with your present employment and moving to Cornwall to engage in a new occupation.

During the past several years that you have been an employee of this plant, you have proved to be an honest and conscientious worker and an agreeable and cheerful co-worker.

We ask you to accept this gift as a token of the esteem in which you are held by your employers and by your fellow workers.

In closing, may we wish you good health and a successful future in your new home and work.

Signed on behalf of the Management, Employees and Staff of the Ault Creamery Limited.

## APOLOGY AND CORRECTION OF ERROR

With regret, and sincere apology, we wish to correct our error, in omitting the names of Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Stewart and Family in the list of floral tributes, in the obituary of Mrs. Ira Ennis, in last week's Press.—Ira Ennis and Family.


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