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Coming Events

Remember the Anglican Bazaar in the in the Town Hall on Saturday, Dec. 10th, from 3 to 6 p. m.

ANGLICAN CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Trinity, Chesterville, Holy Communion, 10.30 a.m.; St. Peter's, South Mountain, Even Prayer, 3 p.m.; St. Matthias', Winchester, Even Prayer, 7 p.m.

UNITED CHURCH SERVICES

10.30 a.m., Fill up the family pew. Topic: "Family Reciprocity," "The Command with Life Attached." 11.30 a.m., Sunday School and Bible Classes; 3 p.m., Harmony; 7.30 p.m., "More Miracles." Can they still happen?

Monday, 4.15 p.m., Trail Rangers; 6.45 p.m., C. G. I. T.

Wednesday, 7.30 p.m., Cottage Prayer Meetings.

Thursday, 7.30 p.m., Y. P. U.

Friday, 6.30 p.m., Junior Choir; 7.30, Senior Choir.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The regular meeting of the W. I. will be held in the Town Hall at 7.30 p.m. on **Tuesday, December 13th.** Members please note change in date. Roll Call, "Christmas Don'ts." Special talk by Mr. Thos. Hawkins, and program in keeping with Christmas season. Visitors cordially invited to attend. The date—December 13th.

MIZPAH MISSION CIRCLE

The annual meeting of the Mizpah Mission Circle was held Wednesday in the Sunday School rooms with a large attendance. Mrs. D. MacLean, convenor of the committee, led the devotional period, the theme being: "For all of us the Saviour came, For all arose the Christmas star." A hymn was sung and Scriptures read by Mrs. Wesley Barclay and Mrs. K. Ault. A duet was sung by the Misses Flo. and Hazel Gordon, with Mrs. Howard Fetterly as accompanist.

Mrs. Lindsay gave a reading entitled: "A Christmas Thought."

The business part of the meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Sherwood. The treasurer reported that the allocation had been met together with a small surplus. A committee was appointed to buy winter clothing for needy children.

The advisory president, Mrs. J. W. Ault, presided during the election of officers, which resulted as follows:

Advisory president, Mrs. J. W. Ault; Hon. president, Mrs. W. A. Sherwood; president, Mrs. Bower Potter; 1st vice, Mrs. K. Carlyle; 2nd vice, Mrs. D. MacLean; 3rd vice, Mrs. R. McPherson; cor. secretary, Mrs. H. Flora; rec. secretary, Mrs. E. Kellogg; treasurer, Evelyn Fennell; pianist, Annie Walker; assistant, Mrs. H. Fetterly; press reporter, Mrs. K. Ault; Christian Stewardship, Mrs. C. Rice and Mrs. S. Lindsay; strangers secretary, Margaret King.

Dainty refreshments were served by the committee in charge, Mrs. D. MacLean, Mrs. K. Ault and Mrs. H. Keyes.

KITTENS FOR SALE

Two months old; house-trained. The ideal Christmas gift for the family. Prices reasonable. Apply to Mrs. J. Gemeroy, Winchester.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Greta C. Earle, who left us Dec. 8th, 1927.

The years may wipe out may things,
But this they wipe out never—
The memory of those happy days
When we were all together.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Earle and family. 32p.

Chesterville Loses Esteemed Citizen

LATE DAVID ALLISON

David Allison, organizer of the Chesterville and District Agricultural Society, and identified throughout his life with the political and social affairs of the community, died at his home at Chesterville on Monday evening following a lengthy illness. He was in his 70th year .

While Mr. Allison had been in failing health for some time, his death will occasion the keenest regret among his many friends and co-workers. In addition to being an active member of the village council for several years, Mr. Allison devoted much of his time to furthering the interests of Oddfellows Lodge, No. 288, Chesterville, of which organization he was formerly past district deputy grand master. He was also an outstanding Mason and belonged to Chesterville Lodge, A. F. & A. M., No. 320.

In recognition of his work in founding and organizing the Chesterville and District Agricultural Society, Mr. Allison a short time ago was presented with a service diploma by the society. He was president of that organization for three years, being forced to retire owing to poor health.

Born at Maple Ridge

Mr. Allison was born at Maple Ridge, the son of the late J. W. Allison and his wife, Gidianne Helmer. In 1899 he married Katherine Kearns, who survives. As a young man he came to Chesterville, entering the employ of Saunders, Soule and Casselman, drygoods merchants. Successively down through the years the name of the firm changed from Setterly, Fulton and Allison to Coyne and Allison and finally to Allison and Gillard, as the business is known today. In addition to operating the drygoods store, he was also an auto salesman.

Mr. Allison was also interested in sports and was a backer of the Chesterville junior hockey team and the High School team.

He is survived, in addition to his wife, by one brother, Alex Allison, Russell; and three sisters, Mrs. Enos Merkley, Nation Valley; Mrs. Samuel Fulton, Chesterville, and Mrs. Alex P. McLean, Finch.

The funeral service was held at his late residence in Chesterville yesterday afternoon at two o'clock. Interment was made at Maple Ridge cemetery.

ADDRESSED TEACHERS

Mr. W. J. Stewart, inspector of public schools for Dundas county, was the speaker at a round table meeting of the teachers of the Township of Matilda last week. The following officers were elected: Hon. President, Mr. Stewart; president, Stanley Waddell; secretary-treasurer, Cliff Pitt; executive, Miss Stella Irvin, Mrs. Olive Wallace and John McCarthy.

Mr. and Mr. A. D. Carkner Presented With Purse By Ormond Friends

Over 125 guests were present at a farewell reception held in the Baptist church, Ormond, on Tuesday evening, in honour of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Carkner, lifelong residents of the district, who are leaving this week for Ottawa, where they will reside in future.

Mr. and Mrs. Carkner received the wishes of their friends and neighbours throughout the evening, during which an address was read by Mrs. J. H. Cumming and the presentation of a substantial purse made to the esteemed couple by Mr. Hubert Carkner on behalf of the community. At the close, dainty refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Cargner have been outstanding citizens of the Ormond district for nearly seventy years and their kindly hospitality and keen interest in the community gained for them a host of friends who will learn of their departure with regret.

Mr. Carkner has been particularly active in public life. For over ten years he served as secretary of the Ormond School Board and his long experience and grasp of affairs made his assistance of great value to the Board. For many years he acted as Chairman of the Ormond Cemetery Board and devoted much time to the work of the Board. He was president of the Dundas Trustees & Ratepayers Association for the past decade and gave unstintingly of his time to the promotion of education in the county. Aside from his other activities, Mr. Carkner was keenly interested in the work of the Ormond Baptist Church and willingly served for ten years as clerk of the Board of Deacons.

Besides the responsibilities of her home, Mrs. Carkner took a real interest in church work. She held offices in former years in the Mission Circle of the church and for many years was a teacher in the Sunday School.

The Press joins heartily with their many friends in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Carkner the abundant blessings of health and happiness in their new home.

Now that the "slow driver" is sharing censure with the "speed fiend," it may interest you motorists to know exactly what the Highway Traffic Act says about slow rates of speed. It is this: "No vehicle shall be driven upon a highway at such a slow rate of speed as to impede or block the normal and reasonable traffic thereon except when such low rate of speed is necessary for safe operation having regard to all circumstances."

Churches Oppose Change In Pool Room By-Law

As far as members of the local municipal council are concerned, a by-law governing the operation of a pool room in Winchester will not be changed. This by-law, which was passed by a local council in 1891, is almost prohibitive, and has been successful in keeping Winchester free from pool rooms for 47 years. It states that anyone desiring to operate a pool room within the municipality must pay a license fee of $100 for the first table and $40.00 per table thereafter. In addition, the pool room cannot remain open after 9 o'clock on Saturday evening, nor after 10 o'clock on other evenings. The by-law is drafted in such a way that the owner of the pool room could have his license cancelled for the slighest infraction of of any rules set forth in the document. If a player uses profanity on the premises, or if a man enters the pool room under the influence of liquor, the owner of the pool room is responsible, according to the old by-law. No person under 18 years may be permitted to enter the pool room, and if any player is caught gambling, the owner of the establishment is liable to a fine in addition to having his license cancelled.

Application Received.

Council having received an application from George Conlin, a local restaurant owner, asking that the by-law be amended so that he could be permitted to operate a pool room at a reasonable license fee, brought a strong protest from several of the church organizations.

When it was learned that the Board would consider the application at a special Council meeting, held in the town hall on Monday night, a strong delegation was organized to wait on the Board and register a protest against any amendment to the present by-law being made, which would encourage the operation of a pool room in Winchester.

The delegation was headed by N. W. Beach, ex-reeve; with J. L. Mill and Rev. W. S. Atchison representing the United church; Bertram Smith, J. T. Elnaugh and Miss Rebecca Stenhouse representing the Baptist church; Robert Rennick and Clarence Deeks, the Wesleyan Church, and Mrs. J. D. Stewart, M.A., B.Sc., and Mrs. N. W. Beach, representing the W. C. T. U. Rev. W. D. Turner, who was unable to be present, instructed Councillor Dr. W. A. Sherwood to present his views on behalf of the Presbyterian Church. He strongly protested a pool room being opened across the street from the church, and was opposed to one being opened in any other part of the town.

Resolution Read.

In addition to several members of the delegation expressing their personal views on the question, all supported a resolution adopted by the W. C. T. U. which was read by Mrs. J. D. Stewart, and signed by the president, Mrs. N. W. Beach; Chairman of Citizenship, Mrs. J. D. Stewart; secretary, Mrs. E. J. Spinks; county president, Mrs. (Dr.) J. J. McKendry, and the corresponding secretary, Miss Mary Empey.

The resolution protested against the establishment of a pool room on the grounds that (1) a pool room had a demoralizing influence on the youth of the town; (2) that a pool room has a tendency to make idlers and possibly gamblers; (3) that a pool room provides an opportunity to waste money and offers no constructive value for the money spent.

Other clauses in the resolution were to the effect, that the youth would be attracted to the pool room and that the patronage of the community skating rink would be lessened, which would probably mean that the rink would become a financial liability in time. Regarding the time spent in the pool room by the young people, the resolution pointed out that, physically, the time could be much more profitably spent at the skating rink; mentally, the time could be much more constructively spent in the preparation of daily school lesson assignments; socially and spiritually, the various constructive church activities of today provide an ethical and moral uplift which must not be interfered with by any form of questionable amusement. This "questionable amusement" was the pool room, the resolution concluded, asking the council to give the matter its most earnest consideration before amending the existing bylaw.

Reeve Keyes assured the delegation that the council would not act too hastily in the matter and that the resolution presented would be given every consideration.

No Change In By-Law.

In dealing with the matter later on during the meeting, the council was unanimous in the opinion that the by-law could not be altered, in view of the strong protests presented by such a representative number of citizens and organizations, and it was decided that if Mr. Conlin desired to open a pool room, he would have to pay the license fee and operate it according to the several rules outlined in the present by-law.

Other Business.

Other business transacted by the Council during the meeting was the extending of the 1938 tax roll until January 9th, 1939, and the passing of $11,377.36 in accounts. Regarding the payment of two of the accounts, Councillor Cass took exception to the fact that one local merchant had been favoured with a much larger share of patronage than another merchant in the same business. He said he was strongly in favour of having this business equally divided. He also objected to the payment of an account presented by a local physician for an indigent patient who was taken to the hospital. "In my opinion," Councillor Cass said, "This physician should not be paid in excess of the amount charged by the local Medical Health Officer for a similar service"

The clerk, E. M. Shaver, read a letter from the municipal board at Toronto, regarding the capital expenditure of $9,000 for the purpose of enlarging the local high school, and which is to be voted on by the ratepayers at the forthcoming municipal elections. The letter stated that the board had no suggestions to offer, except that the debentures should not exceed 20 years.

The date for municipal nominations was announced for Friday, Dec. 23rd, with the election date set for Monday, January 2.

An application for relief by a local family was refused on the grounds that if the father can afford to drive around in an expensive automobile, he should be able to support his family.

It was decided to have a number of trees removed from the streets, in cases where they were a menace to public safety.

Council Balances Budget.

The clerk informed the council that the tax collector, R. M. Elliott, had reported tax collections greater than last year. He said that as near as he could figure at present, the council would have a surplus of approximately $3,000. at the close of the year, indicating that the board had balanced its budget for 1938, as there was a similar balance on hand at the beginning of the year.

The meeting was presided over by Revee T. O. Keyes, with the following members present: Councillors Dr. W. A. Sherwood, F. M. Cass, Ernest Christie and Albert Turner, and the clerk, E. M. Shaver.

Roy Nicholson Held On Vagrancy Charge

Roy Nicholson, 19, of Winchester Township, appeared before Magistrate John McCormick in court here on Monday afternoon last to answer to a charge of vagrancy. He was remanded to the counties' jail at Cornwall for one week.

The charge arose from Nicholson's inability to give a satisfactory account of his actions to the police. It is alleged that the young man wrote two letters, one to a Kemptville lawyer and the other to Judge F. Costello, of Cornwall, in which he stated that he was responsible for the recent damage to the High and Public School properties here. Both communications were said to indicate that Nicholson wished to exonerate Lloyd Bilow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bilow, who was recently sentenced to a term in the Ontario Reformatory for the offence.

When questioned on the matter by Provincial Constable Frank Rose, of Morrisburg, and Constable Herbert Helfer, Nicholson stated that both letters had been written by him in the cellar at Bilow's home and that Mr. and Mrs. Bilow had suggested what he was to write. It was intended that he accept the responsibility for the act and in that way obtain Lloyd Bilow's release from jail. Nicholson added that he was to get nothing for writing the letters but intended to go to Vancouver where it would be difficult for the police to get him. He indicated that the matter had been discussed several times by himself and Bilow's parents before the letters were written, and it was decided that he take the blame and avoid the police by leaving at once for Vancouver.

Further questioning by the police revealed that Nicholson was not even in Winchester the night the damage was done, but had taken the bus at 7.30 for Williamsburg where he spent the night. He did not return to Winchester until the following morning. He indicated that he knew nothing about the affair, and that the letters were false.

ELECTED REEVE OF MORRISBURG

Fred H. Broder, a former member of the council, was elected reeve of Morrisburg over George D. Howith at the elections held on Monday. Mr. Broder poled 414 votes to 338 for Howith. The contest was keen and considerable interest was aroused amongst the citizens during the brief campaign.

Councillors given acclamations were R. M. Morash, James R. Reddick, J. F. Christensen and John Harback.

Local Residence Damaged By Fire

Fire, believed to have originated from an overheated stove, badly gutted the interior of the apartment on Cameron Ave., occupied by Mr. and Mrs. John Deeks and owned by Dr. C. J. Locke, at noon yesterday. The fire was noticed by passers-by who turned in the alarm about 11.55.

The chemical truck and water pumper were soon on the scene and within fifteen minutes the blaze was brought under control. Damage to the building was considerable, amounting to approximately $300. Mr. Deeks estimates his loss at $500 with no insurance being carried.

WEEKLY CHEESE SALES ON DISTRICT BOARDS

Ottawa—Boarded 114 boxes white, 82 colored. All sold at 10 5-16 cents.

Cornwall—Boarded 484 colored cheese, sold at 10 7-16 cents.

Alexandria—Boarded 332 white, 146 colored. All sold, white at 10 5-16, colored at 10 9-16.

Belleville—Boarded 490 boxes white and 276 boxes colored. All sold at 10 1-4 cents.

Casselman—Boarded 300 boxes white and 53 boxes colored. White sold at 10 5-16 and colored at 10 7-16.

Delta—Boarded 245 boxes white and 570 boxes colored. White sold at 10 5-16, colored at 10 5-8.

Finch—Boarded 41 boxes white and 81 boxes colored. White sold at 10 1-4, colored at 10 7-16 cents.

Iroquois—Boarded 384 boxes colored and 72 boxes white. All sold at 10 1-2.

Vankleek Hill—Boarded 540 boxes of white and 367 boxes colored. White sold at 10 5-16, colored at 10 5-8 cents.

Kemptville—Boarded 403 white, sold at 10 3-8, and 837 colored sold at 10 1-2.

Winchester—Boarded 150 boxes of colored; all sold at 10 9-16 cents.

Boxed Gifts of All Descriptions From 50c up. Gifts Men Will Appreciate.
BUD TEC MEN'S SHOP.

IN MEMORIAM

In fond and loving memory of our darling daughter and sister, Dorothy Docksteader, who departed this life December 8th, 1932.

There the buds from earth transplanted
For our coming watch and wait;
In the Upper Garden growing
Just within the Pearly Gate.
Though our hearts may break with sorrow,
By the grief so hard to bear,
We shall meet her some bright morning
In the Upper Garden there.

—Father, Mother, Pauline and Edith. 32p.

CHRISTMAS TREATS

New Mixed Nuts, Fresh Peanuts, Table Raisins, Fancy Figs, Grapes, Sunkist Oranges, Grape Fruit, Cranberries, Apples, Delicious Fruit Cake, Mince Meat Stuffed, Plain or Assorted Olives.

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Correction

In our Christmas Gift Advertisement now going through the mails, C.C.M. and Clipper Skates are advertised at $2.98 set. This is an error in printing and should read "PRICED FROM $2.98 UP."

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$25.00-Prizes
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"HOW TO MAKE THE BIG STORE A BIGGER AND BETTER STORE?"
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Nelson Dixon Elected Master of L. O. L No. 862

The annual meeting of L. O. L. No. 862 was held last evening with the W. M., Bro. B Smith, presiding. The reports of the retiring officers revealed a year of progress in all departments, membership being increased and the financial condition good. After expressing his thanks to the other officers for their assistance during the year, the Worshipful Master declared all offices vacant, and called on Wor. Bro. E. M. Shaver to conduct the election of officers for the coming year, which resulted as follows:

I. P. M., Wor. Bro. Bertram Smith; W. M., Bro. N. H. Dixon; D. M. , Rev. Bro. W. S. Atchison; Chap., Wor. Bro. T. A. Bailey; Rec. Sec., Bro F. M. Cass; Fin. Sec., Wor. Bro. W. J. L. Boyd; Treas., Wor. Bro. E. M. Shaver; 1st Lect., Wor. Bro. G. T. Dixon; 2nd Lect., Bro. Orlan Coughler; Marshall, Bro. T. J. Ralph; Assistant Marshall, Bro. Arnold Dukelow; 1st Comm., Bro. E. P. Erratt; 2nd Comm., Bro. Wm. Leslie; 3rd Comm., Bro. H. W. Empey; 4th Comm., Bro. Wm McConkey; 5th Comm., Bro. Fred Fawcett; Tyler, Wor. Bro. Colin Hay; Sentinel, Wor. Bro. J. A. Crawford; Auditors, Bros. A. E. Goodfellow and Arnold Dukelow.

Wor. Bro. Boyd conducted the installation ceremony assisted by Bro. J. A. Crawford as Marshall, and the newly elected all spoke briefly expressing their desire to support the Wor. Master in all things pertaining to the welfare of the Order. A lunch prepared under the supervision of Bro. B. Smith, occupied the attention of those present for some time and the evening was ended by singing the National Anthem.

A Small Deposit Will Hold Your Purchase Till Christmas at The BUD TEC MEN'S SHOP.

Samuel Hurley Fatally Injured. Struck By Car Sunday Evening.

Struck by a car driven by Irwin Holmes, of Winchester Springs, as he was on his way to church Sunday evening, Samuel Hurley, 82-year old resident of that district, received such injuries that he passed away in the Ottawa Civic Hospital twenty-four hours later.

Mr. Hurley had left his home about 7.15 and was walking along the side of the road in company with Clifford Young. Apparently failing to see the approaching car, the man stepped out into its path in order to avoid a puddle of water. Holmes had no chance to apply his brakes.

The injured man was removed to the office of Dr. H. S. Gross, who ordered him to be taken to the Ottawa hospital immediately. Following his death on Monday evening, a preliminary hearing was conducted at the hospital by Dr. H. Dover, coroner. It was adjourned and transferred to Winchester where it will be re-opened at a later date.

The deceased was born in England, and as far as the Press can learn, had no living relatives in this country. Coming to the Winchester Springs district as a young man, he engaged in farming. He soon gained the friendship and respect of a wide circle of friends who will regret to learn of his death.

The funeral is being held this afternoon with interment taking place at Maple Ridge Cemetery.

MARRIED

At Elkerton, Md., on Wednesday, November 9th, 1938, Vera Bichy, niece of Mr and Mrs. Fred Riebel, of Baltimore, Md., to James S., son of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Utman, of Ottawa.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8th, 1938.

THE CONSERVATIVE LEADERSHIP

Political interest this week centres in the City of Toronto where over 1000 staunch members of the Conservative party are in session, to decide the leadership of the party. During recent weeks there has been considerable speculation as to the outcome of the convention with several names being prominently mentioned for the post. Chief among those, whose virtues will be thoroughly reviewed, are Col. George Drew and Hon. Earl Lawson, K.C., and it will not be surprising if one of this pair is the ultimate choice.

Col. Drew is a very able man, with recognized platform ability and a politician worthy to enter the lists with Premier Mitchell F. Hepburn. He is well versed on provincial matters and likes nothing better than a fiery debate with the Liberal chieftain. On the other hand, dyed-in-the-wool Conservatives frown upon his action in "bolting" from the prescribed party course prior to the last provincial election. Such distasteful conduct on the part of an aspirant to the party leadership is felt by many to detract from his chances of winning the Convention.

Also a seasoned campaigner and man of parts is Hon. Earl Lawson, who for some years has been prominent in the Conservative ranks. An outstanding speaker, Hon. Mr. Lawson is favoured widely by party stalwarts, and there is no doubt he will make a strong bid for the post. It should be borne in mind, however, that there are a number of entries "going to the post" and anything may happen. Sir John A. McDonald once said "Never bet on a horse-race or an election—too many things can happen!" and so it may be with the leadership race in this instance.

SHADES OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA

It would now appear that Italy is to follow the example of Germany and demand colonies around the Mediterranean. During the past few weeks numerous demonstrations have been staged and a spirited campaign waged in the Italian press for the annexation of the French colonies of Tunis and Corsica.

Premier Mussolini, who has become the second-best dictator in Europe, since the determined rise of Herr Hitler, apparently has learned that the way to get things any more is to demand and then take them. The result is that France views this clamour with alarm, and every indication would point to a crisis before the situation is finally adjusted.

Ever since the Munich agreements we have wondered why Hitler met the Italian premier at the border and spent the ensuing hours in earnest conversation with him prior to the conference with Chamberlain and Daladier. Could it be possible that the matter of Italian colonies was discussed as well as the question of Czechoslovakia?

The present agitation in Italy has a sinister aspect even to the casual observer. If Italy, backed, of course, by the Nazis, decided that these French colonies were to be seized at any cost, the world might very well be standing once again on the brink of another war. The agitation appears to be gaining ground in Italy and the resultant riots in Tunis and Corsica might very easily be turned to advantage by the Fascist leaders. Italian subjects must be safeguarded; the right of self determination would be used as a battle-cry, and the crisis is upon us.

There can be little doubt but the Rome-Berlin axis is functioning smoothly in spite of the Munich agreements or the "friendly" pact between France and her traditional enemy. The success of the German thrusts into Austria and Czechoslovakia may well have been the first in a series of such dramatic moves by the two dictators. It now appears to be Mussolini's turn and France and the rest of the world had best be prepared for any eventuality in this Italian effort to gain further dominance in the Mediterranean.

OUR LEISURE TIME

"We all want to laugh and be gay, to enjoy ourselves and to say 'good-bye' to trouble and care when we have the chance, but at all costs, we mustn't let pleasure interfere with our duties to others, and to ourselves," says the Carleton Place Canadian.

"Some think that travel, and money to spend on it, represents a good time, some would like more amusements, unlimited leisure for games and such like, while others, more modest, would be content with long walks, or a motor ride, or a boat for fishing expeditions on river or lake.

Those who work hard, to whom leisure is only a dream, have much sympathy with the old charwoman whose idea of heaven and perfect bliss was a place where you could sit still and do nothing for ever and ever. The idea of a good time is just degree and temperament.

There is undoubtedly more restlessness and discontent among all classes in these days, and the demand for a good time is universal. This is a natural reaction from the old bad times when leisure and good times were only available to the privileged few.

All the modern equipment of radio, abundant and well-well informed newspapers, and cheap travel, has awakened intelligence which half a century ago would and did remain dormant and even unsuspected. This should surely add to the happiness and usefulness of the human race, in spite of the old poet's warning: "where ignorance is bliss, 'tis folly to be wise."

As the summer season is now over we would like to comment on certain individuals' idea of a good time. They are the people who load up a car with noisy children on Sunday and drive out to a friend's summer cottage just as the owner is relaxing from a week of hard work, park there and become a general nuisance.

In the matter of having a good time it is essential to give it some careful consideration and to strike the happy medium. There is such a thing as demanding and exacting a good time at the expense of other people that is far too common among all ranks of society. It is the form of selfishness which causes those who are avid in the pursuit of pleasure to neglect even the most obvious duties, to heap unwarranted tasks on willing helpers, to take whatever they can get without caring about the rights of others."

EDITORIAL NOTES

The King's birthday is to be observed while he is in Canada, the date fixed is May 20.

This is the time of year the representatives are around checking up on radio licenses. So if you have been lax in getting yours, you better hurry or "the radio man will get you if you don't watch out."

People who buy their Christmas gifts early get the pick of the goods. The assortments are full, while those who delay buying will find that many of the most attractive articles have been snapped up by the early customers.

Parents and teachers should warn the boys and girls of the dangers of going on the ice before they are absolutely sure of its safety. Some of these days they will be wanting to try the ice at the quarry or the Nation River.

In the next ten years there will be too many white-collared professional men and not enough blacksmiths in leather aprons. The Ontario Plowmen's Association are doing a good piece of work in making the opportunity known to young men.—Farmers' Advocate.

A member of the British Cabinet stated in a recent address that England is beginning to realize that it is useless to talk conciliation with European dictators. Arms represent the only language they understand and the Mother Country intends to "increase her vocabulary" extensively in that regard.

According to despatches, Broadcasting House in Berlin is preparing to launch a series of special Christmas broadcasts upon the world, that will fairly drip with sugared sentiments of peace and good-will. It is doubtful if the Christian nations will pay much heed to Christmas cheer emanating from Germany, where barbarism has apparently supplanted common humanity in the treatment of the Jews.

We know that the Post Office Staff will appreciate your mailing your Christmas parcels as early as possible, thus avoiding the great big rush the last few days. If you have your parcels ready why not mail them?

If everyone would be considerate of all the store clerks, and Post Office staff the next couple of weeks by getting the shopping and mailing done early, they would be able to enjoy the Christmas festivities instead of being all fagged out —Be considerate!

The House of Commons is called to meet on January 12th and a promising session is in store. Two important measures that will be discussed at considerable length will be those relating to divorce laws and the matter of appeals to the Privy Council. Both measures have been introduced before and received indifferent treatment. It is just possible that a similar fate awaits them this session for such important matters as defence and unemployment, coupled with the approaching visit of Their Majesties, the King and Queen, will be given lengthy consideration.

A good many things have been said about the "small town" spirit—mostly in dreision.

City wiseacres have multiplied their jokes about it and those who come to the defence of it often do not get much support.

As small towns have pretty much the same type of community outlook everywhere, it is interesting to note what a New York newspaper has to say in a descriptive article about them:.

In short it is this: The small town man is an individual who "believes in the virtue of work and thrift and honest dealings." He speaks his mind with bluntness and keeps his eye sharply peeled on local civic affairs (seldom considered worth while in larger places); he will not tolerate graft. He takes a pride in living within his means and making the local government do the same thing. His life is "largely a matter of making an honest living.....educating his children so that they can do better in life than his parents have done.....living in peace and harmony.....and finding pleasure in the simpler things of life."—Bowmanville Statesman.

"In Lighter Vein"

Small boy (in hosier's shop): "I want a collar for Dada's Christmas present."
Assistant: "One like mine?"
Small Boy: 'No. A clean one, please.'

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Old Rastus settled himself in his chair and addressed his wife: "Yes, sas, Gal, dat boss done cut wages half in two again. Some ob de boys is kickin' mighty pow'ful 'bout it. But I ain't goin'ta kick none. Way I figgers it—half sumpin' is better'n all of nuffin'.

Two negroes were discussing the new minister.
"Well, Sambo, an' what jes' do you think of de new preacher?"
"He sure is a fine man. Why, he asks de Lawd for things de last preacher didn't even know He had."

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An English woman in hospital needed blood transfusions. A brawny Scot volunteered. She paid him $50 for the first pint and $25 for the second, so the story goes. When it came to the third time she had by then so much Scottish blood in her veins she just thanked him.

"What is a necessity?"
"A necessity is something you can go without in order to make a down payment on a luxury."

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The children had been photographed, and the teacher was trying to persuade them to buy copies.
"Just think how nice it will be to look at the photograph when you're all growing up," she said, "nd say: 'There's Rosie, she's maried,' or 'That's Billy, he's a sailor."
"And that's teacher, she's dead,' said a small voice.

"The Voice of the Press"

YULETIDE GREETINGS REVIVE MEMORIES

(Smiths Falls Record News)

Some people fail to see a great deal of use in the millions of cards that are sent out to convey the greetings of the Yuletide season. They think that people receive so many of these that they pay little attention to any of them, so the whole represents a waste of money and effort. But friendship is a precious thing, and it is something that is renewed from time to time. You can't go off and leave it and never exercise any of its activities and expect it to survive. The years pass by silently and swiftly, and each can realize that much has dropped out of his life. Friends with whom you once felt a close tie have become mere acquaintances.

The little Season's greeting cards is one means of bridging this chasm. When you receive one from some friend who lives far away, it proves that person has not forgotten you. You know that in that mind there is a little corner where memories of you still live. It is a heart-warming experience to look over these souvenirs and to think of days gone by, and to feel these relations still live.

RETORT DISCOURTEOUS

(Halifax Herald)

One of the most annoying—and futile habits of impatient motorists is that of excessive horn-blowing. Everyone is familiar with the driver who, caught far back in the traffic jam, begins to blow his horn noisily and continuously. The blowing adds to the general confusion but does not help one iota. A moment's thought should reveal to the driver that the other motorists ahead of him are not staying in the jam from preference but because they cannot help the delay. They are quite as anxious to be on their way as he.

This annoying habit has often caused other drivers to wish they had some fitting means of retort, short of indulgin an exchange of Billingsgate with the offender.

David O. Wilson, of Santa Monica, Calif., has invented a device he thinks will do the trick. The U. S. patent office recently bestowed its stamp of approval on the invention and Mr. Wilson believes he has something worthwhile.

The device is a jack-in-the-box which pops out of the rear end of the car, sticks out its tongue at the offender, and emits that derisive sound known as a Bronx cheer. Its description does not sound as though it were a dignified automobile accessory but most drivers will recall occasions on which they could have used such a device—if not with success, at least with great personal satisfaction.

YOUTH AND IDLENESS

(Deseronto Post)

What is the effect of idleness on boys and young men when they can't get a job? One boys' club official refers to a tendency on the part of many boys to become lazy, to lack initiative, and to accept the situation, hoping for a change rather than looking for a job. A prominent charity organization official remarks that there has been a break-down in the character and backbone of the youth.

Such conditions are about what might be expected when boys and young men try to get work and find there is none to be had. Many families avoid such difficulties for their boys by keeping them in schools and colleges, where their time is well occupied, and they are getting a better preparation for life.

What shall a family do when its boys finish school, if there is no job and not enough money to send them to college or technical school? Young Men's Christian Associations, Boys' clubs, and service organizations, have done wonders for such boys, but the country must think hard over its idle young men and ask what can be done to make a place for them. Youth comes to the world eager and ambitious, but if the world says it has no work for them, you can't wonder if youth sometimes does undesirable things.

The boys should never get discouraged and quit looking for jobs. Many of them are finding work, just by dogged persistence, and sticking to it. The business world is still looking for bright and energetic young men. Boys should take any kind of work that is offered, if they are able to do it, even if it isn't the kind of thing they want and have been preparing for.

CANADIANS MUST TAKE SHARE IN CARING FOR EUROPEAN JEWS

The course of events in Germany makes it clear that the assassination of a German diplomatic attache in Paris merely afforded the opportunity for the Nazis to put into effect plans for the destruction of the Jews and the confiscation of their property which had been hatching for some years. The tales of cruelty that come out of Germany rival in ferocity the stories of Indian torture of their enemies in the days when the Iroquois were wiping out the Huron nation. There is a growing suspicion that far from the indignation in civilized nations causing surprise, the persecution had been deliberately planned with the purpose of inducing the nations in which humanitarian motives still exist to offer the Jews a home, and so ridding Germany of them altogether.

The persecution of the Jews in Germany not only has put a complete end to the hope of a rapprochement with the Nazis, but it has thrown on the doorstep of the civilized democracies a most difficult problem. What is to be done to rescue and provide a refuge for the victims of Nazi terror before they are starved or "wiped out by fire and sword," as is their threatened fate. As usual, Great Britain has taken the initiative, and is exploring the possibilities of providing homes for them in British Guiana and in some of the African colonies, amongst others Tanganyika, which formerly belonged to Germany. British Guiana is an undeveloped portion of the Empire, and lies just to the north of Brazil in South America. It has an area of about 90,000 square miles, and Prime Minister Chamberlain has intimated that perhaps 10,000 square miles (equal to six counties like Simcoe) might be available. This consists of level savannah, or prairie, with woodlands along the rivers. The weakness is the lack of transportation, which is chiefly confined to the waterways. There are only 72 miles of railway. But when one considers the marvels that the Jews have accomplished in Palestine, where districts that have been desert for centuries have been transformed into garden land, there is every reason to hope that, if provided with capital by their compatriots, the Jews would transform British Guiana into one of the Empire's most productive areas. There are plenty of resources to be developed, and one of the features is a waterfall 822 feet high, or about three times as high as Niagara, where electric power could be developed. The climate is tropical, and malaria is common, but preventible. Of the present population of 332,000, about 120,000 are negroes and 140,000 East Indians. There are only 5,000 Europeans, aside from 11,000 Portuguese. The chief exports are sugar, rum and molasses, the sugar going to Canada, the rum to England, and the most of the molasses to Holland and the Portuguese possessions. Jewish enterprise might do much to develop this neglected colony, which was taken over from the Dutch at the close of the Napoleonic wars.

But while British Guiana may afford a refuge for some of the refugees, it is certain so undeveloped a country can not take them all. Other parts of the Empire will have to share in solving the problem. And Canada, with its vast unsettled areas, cannot decline to agree to do something for the distressed and persecuted peoples of Europe without sharing in the condemnation that falls on their oppressors. This is a Christian country, and we cannot escape the Scriptural challenge: "Whoso hath this world's goods, and seeth his brother have need, and shutteth up his compassion from him, how dwelleth the love of God in him?"—Orillia Packet & Times

The Poet's Corner

IF YOU WORK

You can climb to the top of the loftiest hill if you work,
O faith you must have rooted deep in your soul,
A purpose unshaken, a firm control.
Strive on without ceasing, you will reach to the goal,
If you work.

WHAT A SMILE CAN DO

A smile is quite a funny thing,
It wrinkles up your face,
And when it's gone, you never find
Its secret hiding place.
But far more wonderful it is
To see what smiles can do;
You smile at one, she smiles at you,
And so one smile makes two!
She smiled at someone since you smiled,
And then that one smiles back,
And that one smiles, until in truth,
You fail in keeping track!
And since a smile can do great good
By cheering hearts of care,
Let's smile, and smile, and not forget
That smiles go everywhere!

WHEN MA 'U'D GO A-VISITIN'

I'm thinking 'bout the neighbours that we had when I, a boy,
Was livin' 'way back home upon the farm where life was joy,
They wasn't any nearer than a couple-a fields or so,
But that made little difference when a-visitin' ma'd go.

Now there was old aunt Betsy, when ma'd call 'u'd say: "Do tell!
Come in! Say! Land-a-Goshen, you do be be a-lookin' well,
Take off yer duds an' sit right down, I'm just a-havin' tea,
An' you must stay an' have some too; there's lots fer you and me."

An' ma'd go over, mebby fore 'twas dinner time some day,
An' talk an' chat an' mebby knit, an' stay, an' stay, an' stay;
An then along 'bout five she'd say: "Good lands, I don't know
'Twas that time, jes' look at that clock I must pick up an' go."

An then aunt Betsy smile an' say: "Ah, don't be hurryin' 'way,
That clock's a leetle fast, so while yer here yeh might's well stay.
Yer girls ken get the supper an' yer boys can milk an' chore,
Come on out to the kitchen an' we'll visit little more.

"I'll put the kittle on an' set the table, cuz the men
Will soon be comin' in an' they'll be hung-er-y agen."
Then after we'd the chores done we'd hitch the ol' gray mare
An' go and fetch ma home—ah, them wuz happy days back there.

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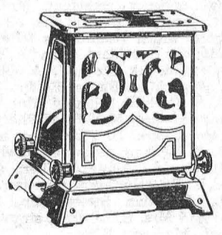

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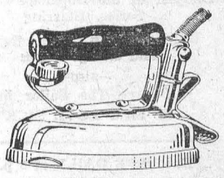

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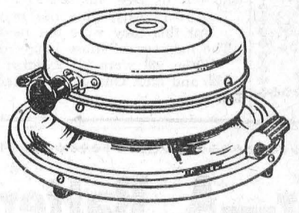

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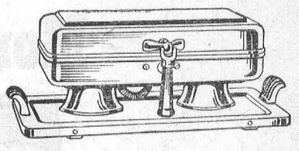

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Visiting for the week will be as follows:

Tuesday .....3.30 to 4.30 p. m.
Thursday .....7.30 to 8.30 p. m.
Saturday .....3.30 to 4.30 p. m.
Sunday .....3.30 to 4.30 p. m.
and 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

Visiting on legal holidays will be as for Sunday.

By Order of the Board of Governors,
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CASS BRIDGE

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kenney recently were Mrs. Sam Kenney, Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Kenney, Mr. Bert Link and Messrs. George and Eldon Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Gainer of Melvin Settlement, Mr. Donald and Miss Grace Dillabough, of Elma, Mr. Harold Cassel-Mr. and Mrs. Jack McDiarmid during Mrs. Gordon Baldwin, were guests of man, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gainer, Mr. and the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Casselman and baby is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Casselman, at Elma.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet McLean and family, of Chesterville, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Johnston.

Miss Fern McOuatt, of Iroquois, spent Sunday with her parents.

Mr. Lloyd Kenney, Miss Hazel Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Blaney, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Coons and Douglas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kenney during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Errington, of Iroquois, spent Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McOuatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kenney had Sunday dinner with his parents.

HULBERT

The Willing Workers Class held a quilting bee in the Sunday School room on Wednesday.

Master Keith Flegg is spending some time with his cousin, Master Walter Froom, of Shanly.

Miss Grace Froats, of Chesterville, visited her parents Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robin Campbell and Mrs. John Campbell, of Vernon visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Flegg on Saturday.

MOUNTAIN

Miss Lorraine Marquette, of Inkerman, spent a few days with her aunt, Miss Mabel Marquette.

Miss Lorna Dougal, R. N., of Kingston, spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. C. W. VanAllen.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Fader were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fader, of Iroquois.

A number from here attended the Y. P. U. Rally held at Hallville on Friday evening.

Mrs. A. Bouck entertained a number of women to six o'clock tea on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Siers and family of South Gower spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Durant.

Mrs. A. Bouck, Miss Violet VanAllen, Mr. and Mrs. Herb VanAllen and family of Vancamp were Saturday guests of Mr and Mrs. Herman Hamilton of Iroquois.

Miss Mabel Whitley, of Prescott, was a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. Allen VanAllen.

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DISTRICT NEWS

PLEASANT VALLEY

Mrs. Mary Francis and Miss Jennie Francis, of Hyndmans, spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Hannah Hamilton.

Mr .and Mrs. Gordon Gilmer attended the funeral of her aunt, the late Mrs. Edgie Frooms, of Shanly, on Wednesday.

Mr .and Mrs. Thomas Irving and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Irving of Ventnor, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Hamilton.

Mrs. Hannah Hamilton is spending this week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Francis, of Hyndmans.

Mrs. Mary Gilmer and Miss Lillian Gilmer spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. John McGowan, and Mr. McGowan, of Brinston.

Mr. Frank Davidson called on Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hannah recently.

Mrs. Hannah Hamilton was a recent visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hamilton of Glen Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam R. Hamilton and Enid were entertained to a six o'clock dinner at the home of Mrs. Tillie Thorpe and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Thorpe of Hulbert on Friday evening.

Those who attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Edgie Frooms from here were, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. John Gilmer, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gilmer and Mr. Stanley Stewart, also Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gilmer, Irene and Dwight Gilmer, and Messrs. Sam H. Hamilton and Mr. Robert Corker.

Miss Hazel Hamilton is on the sick list this week but we are pleased to report is on the gain.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Gilmer and family, of Iroquois, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Gilmer and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. McIntyre of Dixons Corners.

Miss Annie Gilmer spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gilmer.

METCALFE

Mrs. J. H. Craig spent the week-end with friends in Napanee.

Miss Evelyn Cameron, nurse-in-training in Cornwall General Hospital, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Mr .and Mrs. S. H. Bishop were week-end guests of friends at Dunrobin and Carp.

Mrs. J. Eldon Craig and son, Douglas, spent the week-end in Toronto, and have visited friends at North Gower during the week.

The Weekly 'Bridge' was held on Monday night at the home of Mrs. J. A. Waddell, the prize for highest score going to Mrs. R. K. Runnels. The hostes; was assisted at lunch hour by Mrs. G. A. Latimer.

Seguin—Pilon

Friends of Mr. Arthur Seguin will be interested to hear of his recent marriage to Miss Martha Pilon, of Rockland, which was solemnized in Christ the King Church there, on Saturday, November 26. Rev. Ernest Bechard, P.P., officiated and Rev. J. A. Lapointe celebrated the nuptial mass, during which solos were sung by Miss Boucher, a friend of the bride. Miss L. Cardinal presided at the organ during the ceremony.

The bride wore a grey tailored ensemble with grey lynx trimming. Her accesories were in navy blue, and a corsage of orchids and lily of the valley was worn on her coat.

Following the ceremony, the bride's sister, Miss A. Pilon, was hostess at a suitable reception in the rectory of Christ the King Church, after which Mr and Mrs. Seguin left on a short motor trip. On their return they took up residence near Vernon.

Daisy Mission Band

The annual meeting of the Daisy Mission Band of the United Church was held on Saturday afternoon, with the leader, Mrs. R. A. F. Blair, in charge, assisted by Mrs. H. A. Bunt. Encouraging reports of the year's work were given, showing that with a membership of twenty-two, the allocation of $25 had been forwarded to the Presbyterial treasurer, a large parcel of children's clothing, books and Christmas toys had been shipped and a 'Daisy' autograph quilt in Mission Band colors was nearing completion. Officers for 1939 were elected as follows: President, Elizabeth Woods; Secretary, Grace Woods; assistant secretary, Vivien Craig. It was decided that the Mission Band would join with the Sunday School in holding a Christmas party on Friday, December 23rd.

Late Mrs. John Cameron

Many friends and relatives paid tribute to the memory of the late Mrs. John Cameron on Sunday afternoon, when the funeral was held from the family home at Spring Hill to Vernon Presbyterian church, where service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. Mitchell. Interment was in Spring Hill cemetery. Mrs. Cameron was in her 82nd year, and passed away after a long illness.

Formerly Margaret McPherson, she was a daughter of the late James McPherson and his wife, Anne Crerar, and had been a lifelong resident of Spring Hill district where, as a kindly neighbour, she had many friends throughout the years. Her husband predeceased her about three years ago. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. J. A. Dalgleish, Vernon, Mrs. L. C. Dalgleish, Cornwall; two sons, Jas. D., of Metcalfe, and Harvey, of Spring Hill. There are also ten grandchildren.

Pall bearers were Wm. Creighton, Austin McRostie, Willis McRostie, John C. Campbell, Howard Morris and Frank Hanes.

Late Mrs. Robert Morrison

Following an illness of only a few hours, Mrs. Robert Morrison passed away on Monday, Nov. 28th, at the home of her son, Mr. Henry Morrison, of North Osgoode. In her 78th year, Mrs. Morrison was formerly Elizabeth Corneil and had been a lifelong resident of the district, her parents being among the earliest settlers of that part of the Township of Osgoode. During the years, Mrs. Morrison had always taken a deep interest in the affairs of her immediate neighborhood, especially in the activities of the church of which she was a faithful member. Her husband, the late Robert Morrison, predeceased her about twenty-five years ago.

Serviving are, three daughters, Mrs. Wm. Hitsman, Russell; Mrs. Howard Wallace, Metcalfe; Mrs. Gordon Waddell, Edwards; five sons, Arthur, Henry, David and Allan, all of Edwards district, and Wm. R., of Metcalfe.

The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon to the Holiness Movement Church, where the service was conducted by Rev. S. Woodland, of Haley's Station, assisted by Rev. Mr. York, pastor of the church. Rev. W. S. Greenwood of Edwards, Rev. W. Shirley of Metcalfe, Rev. W. S. Atchison of Winchester, and Rev. H. A Bunt of Metcalfe, were also present During the service a solo, "We are going down the Valley," was sung by Mr. H. Smith, of Ramsayville. Interment was made in the family plot in Spring Hill Cemetery.

Ladies' Guild Annual

Mrs. S. H. Bishop was re-elected president of the Ladies' Guild of Holy Trinity Church, at their annual meeting held at the home of Mrs. E. Wilson on Thursday afternoon. Other appointments for the year are vice president, Mrs. F. B. Dowser; secretary, Mrs. F. R. Stanley; treasurer, Mrs. A. Latimer; Dorcas Secretaries, Mrs. W. J. Fisher. Mrs. S. S. Latimer; organists, Mrs. G. Dowser, Mrs H. A. Irwin; Sick Visiting committee, Mrs. Jas C. Woods, Mrs. R B. Stanley, Mrs. G. Dowser.

The meeting was opened with prayer by the rector, Rev H. A. Irwin, who also presided over election of officers. Reports of the year's activities were very satisfactory, the financial statement presented by Mrs. F. R. Stanley, showing all obligations met and a creditable balance on hand. The sum of $5. was voted to the A. Y. P. A. to assist in providing a Christmas treat for pupils of the Sunday School.

At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed, refreshments being served by Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Jas. Woods and Mrs. Porteous. An invitation from the president to hold the January meeting at her home was accepted.

TOYES HILL

Mrs. Byron Steele spent a few days in the city.

Mrs. Ida Coons and son, Wilburn, of Methodist Street, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kirkwood on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wylie, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kirkwood, Mr. Jos. Hunter and Miss Lulu Hunter spent Friday in Cornwall.

Mrs. R. S. Peterson is spending the week with Mrs. B. Holmes of Shanly.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Casselman and Norma, of Winchester Springs, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Arloa Coleman.

Mr. Milton Harper and sister, Ruth, and Miss Vera Haggerty spent the week end in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wylie and family, Mr. Jos. Hunter and Lulu Hunter, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murphy, of Haddo.

Mrs. Wm. Steele entertained the Y. P. S. of Winchester Springs and the Hy Shy Ny Club of Toyes Hill at her home on Tuesday evening.

WINCHESTER SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hess and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Coons.

Miss Melba Casselman took tea Sunday evening with Miss Ruth Harper at Toyes Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stetson motored to Ottawa recently and spent some time with their son, Billie, at the Civic Hospital.

Mrs .Florence McIntosh is convalescing from her recent illness.

Mrs. Alfred Wilson took tea Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Aden Casselman.

Mrs. Victor Riddell of Dundela, spent Saturday with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Keyes spent Thursday at Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Harper and family of Westboro, took tea with Mr. and Mrs. Aden Casselman on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bell, of Brinstons, and Mrs. Stanley Adams, Mainsville, spent one day recently with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Adams.

SOUTH MOUNTAIN

We extend sincere sympathy to Mrs. Thos. Armstrong on learning of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Edgerton Froom, of Shanly.

Mr. Harold Hoy, who has spent the past season as assistant cheesemaker with Messrs. John ad Tan Cameron, has returned to his home at Hallville.

Mrs. A. Moulton is spending some time with her son at Cardinal.

Mrs. Ida Pillar is leaving this week to spend the winter at Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lennox, and Miss Nelda Lennox, of Pleasant Valley, Miss Eileen Wert of Riceville, and Mr. Brook Hains, of Brinston, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Murdock.

We are pleased to report Mrs. R. W. Boyd improving after being ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thompson and Miss Greta Thompson, of Hainsville, were Sunday callers of Mr .and Mrs. John Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Kirker and Garry were week-end guests of friends at Maitland.

Miss Shirley Shaver spent Sunday with her cousin, little Bebee Murdock.

Mr. John Kirker and Mrs. Marjory Boyd, of Hainsville, were guests Monday ow Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cameron and Miss Doris Cameron spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Hess.

Mr. and Mrs. Erroll Barnhart, Eric and Erma, of Ottawa, visited Mr. and Mrs. Norman Barnhart on Sunday.

Dr. Locke, of Winchester, is making a number of professional calls in our vicinity.

SILVER CITY

Mrs. Ellis, of Hulbert, has been visiting her daughters, Mrs. Ray Francis of his place, and Mrs. Cecil Hess of Heckston.

Some from here attended the bazaar and play held at Heckston on Tuesday night, put on by the Ladies' Aid. A good display of fancy work, aprons and cooking was disposed of.

Mrs. Lytelle Crowder and daughter, Laura, is spending some time with Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Brown, of North Gower.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beggs called on friends in this neighborhood recently.

Mr. Edwin Jackson spent Sunday with his parents, Mr .and Mrs. Elisha Jackson.

Mrs. Elisha Adams, of Ventnor, called on Mr. Arlow Beggs recently.

Mr. Samuel Grant is spending this week with his daughter, Mrs. Arlow Beggs.

Mr. Wm. Beggs of Morewood, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Miss Addie Grant visited Miss Marguerite Crowder on Saturday afternoon

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lattimore spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Arlow Beggs.

Mr .and Mrs. Percy Dillabough visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Workman recently.

Mr. Duncan Simser is at present engaged in painting and papering the home of Mr. Ernest Boyd.

Miss Hazel Carr and friend and Miss Addie Grant and friend spent Monday evening with Shanly friends.

Mr. Wellington Robinson is at present engaged wiring the home of Mr. Arlow Beggs.

MOREWOOD

Mr. Harold Allison and Mr. James Cheney motored to Montreal on Thursday.

Mrs. Albert Glasgow, of Cannamore spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jervis.

Miss Sybil Dillabough, of Portland, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Abner Dillabough.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex McConnell, Mr. and Mrs. Hume McConnell visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Dillabough.

Mrs. Ward Bilow is spending this week with friends in Ottawa.

The regular meeting of the Morewood Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Allan Thompson on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 13th.

Bazaar and Supper Held.

The annual bazaar and supper was held on Friday evening last in the United church hall. The articles for sale such as aprons, towels, cushions, etc., and also home made baking and candy. The C. G. I. T. group also had a booth of perfumes, powders, flowers, Christmascards and other dainty articles. A hot supper was served by the ladies, and a large sum of money was realized.

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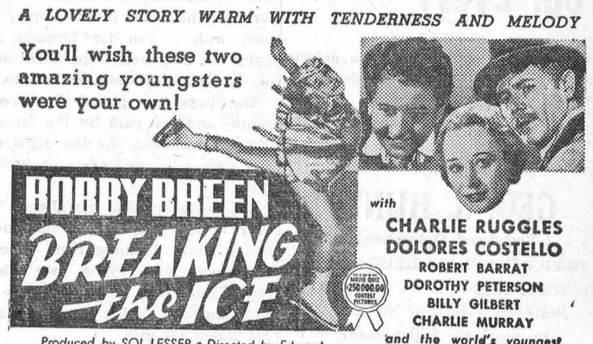

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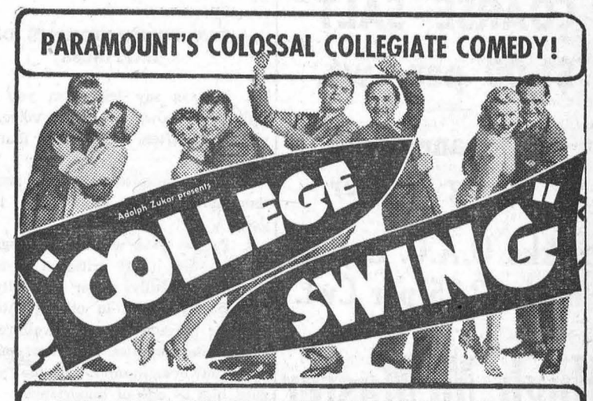

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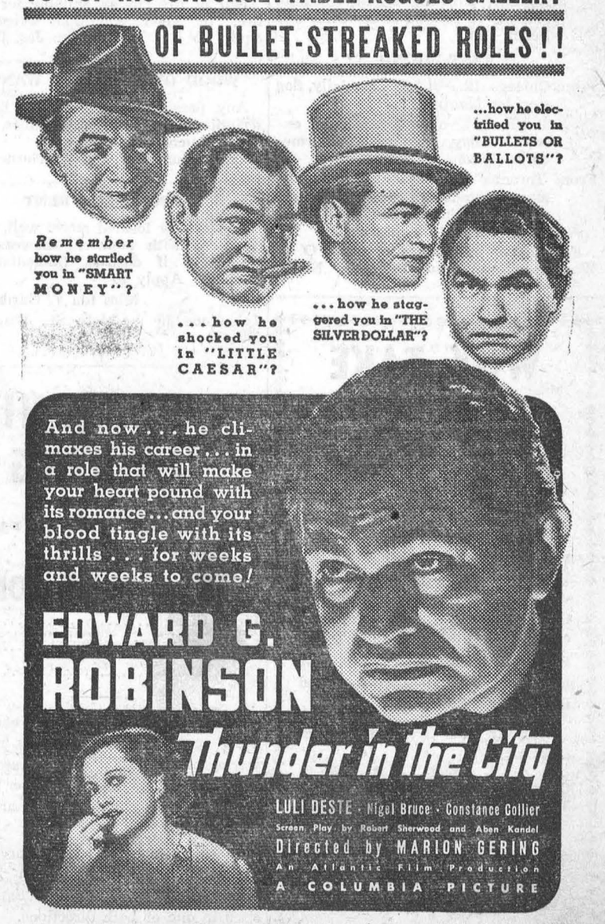

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Boys, if you are interested in stock raising, fruit, poultry or any branch of farming, write to A. Maclaren, Department of Labor, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

TEN COMMANDMENTS OF HAPPINESS

1. Always say less than you think. Cultivate a low, persuasive voice. How you say it often counts more than what you say.
2. Make promises sparingly and keep them faithfully, no matter what it costs you.
3. Praise good work done, regardless of who did it. If criticism is needed, criticize helpfully, never spitefully.
4. Be interested in others; interested in their pursuits, in their welfare, their homes and families. Let everyone you meet, however humble, feel that you regard him as one of importance.
5. Be cheerful. Hide your pains, worries and disappointments under a smile.
6. Preserve an open mind on all debatable questions. Discuss, but not argue. It is a mark of superior minds to disagree and yet be friendly.
7. Discourage gossip. Make it a point to say nothing of another unless it is something good.
8. Be careful of another's feeling. Wit and humor at the other fellow's expense are rarely worth the effort, and may hurt where least expected.
9. Pay no attention to ill-natured remarks about you. Simply live that nobody will believe them.
10. Don't be too anxious about your dues. Do your work, be patient and keep your disposition sweet, forget self, and you will be rewarded.

SKUNK KILLED, BLINDS TERRIER

A terrier owned by Mr. and Mrs. David Grant, Pine Street, Gananoque, has gone totally blind as a result of an encounter with a skunk, which visited the Grant backyard. The dog tackled the skunk and killed it, but at the same time was sprayed heavily. It is believed that some of the liquid got behind the eyes, causing loss of sight. Dr. William Nichols, veterinary surgeon, stated that he was sure the liquid could cause the loss of sight. "I have known of three similar cases," he said.

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WORLD HALTS IN ARMISTICE DAY, FORGETS ORIGINATOR OF IDEA

When millions of persons all over the world stood at attention to observe the two-minute Armistice Day silence, they unknowingly were fulfilling the ideal of an Australian journalist.

Edward Honey, once an ace reporter, was down to his last shilling. He was sitting in a tiny Fleet Street restaurant.

"Cease Fire' had sounded months before, but the official peace had yet to be signed. Statesmen were wrangling at Versailles. To Mr. Honey it seemed pitiful that the world already should be forgetting the million men who had fallen on the battle field.

"The world needs something to make it stop and think for five minutes," he mused.

Silence! The idea came.

Mr. Honey waked out of the restaurant with his head higher than it had been for months. As he strode up Fleet Street he visualized the roar of traffic suddenly ceasing, hurrying crowds halting in silent thought for five minutes.

He sold an article on his idea. It was read by Sir Percy Fitzpatrick who was in England working for the South African Government. Sir Percy showed the article to King George V who approved of the idea.

Mr. Honey was called to attend a rehearsal at Buckingham Palace. The Grenadier Guards tried to stand at attention for five minutes.

After three minutes they became restive, and after four minutes even the guards, acuestomed to standing for long periods, found the strain of silence too much. So a two-minute period was was agreed upon.

The man who was responsible for bringing half the world to a standstill for two minutes, and bringing tears to the eyes of hardened campaigners, soon was forgotten.

Before the second anniversary of the Armistice came round, Mr. Honey had passed on.

HYNDMANS

Mr .and Mrs. Bert Lattimore, Mr. and Mrs. James Lattimore visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown on Monday evening.

Mr. Harry Daw, of Cardinal, called on Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grant Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hempenstall, of Pleasant Valley, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown on Wednesday.

Mr. Sam Grant visited his daughter, Mrs. Arlow Beggs, of Silver City, a few days last week.

Born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Noffke (nee Helen Francis) a son.

Mrs. Ed. Francis returned home on Sunday after spending a few days with friends in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grant and Stanley, Mr. Graham Desjardin of Groveton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Peeples and family of Smiths Falls, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Francis and Mr. and Mrs George Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Collison of Brinston, had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. George Francis on Sunday.

VANCAMP

Miss Audrey Lang is holidaying at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lang.

A number of the young people from here attended the Young People's Rally held in Hallville United Church on Friday evening last.

We are sorry to report Mrs. Archie Levere on the sick list and wish her a complete recovery to health.

Died on Dec. 2nd, 1938, Bernard Clair, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Trotter. Funeral service was held on Sunday at the home with burial in Vancamp cemetery.

Mr .and Mrs. Hilliard Ferguson and daughter, Mary, of Easton Corners, were guests on Monday and Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Morrison.

Mrs. Willis VanAllen spent Tuesday in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Swerdfeger and Carl were guests to tea on Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leason, of Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Christie and baby, of Pelton's Corners, were visitors one day recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Byrd.

Master John Trotter was taken to the Cornwall Hospital on Sunday and underwent an operation for appendicitis.

MELVINS

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Steele and children, of Toyes Hill, and Mrs. J. R. Johnston of Cass Bridge, spent Sunday at the home of the latter's daughter, Mrs. Dalton Robinson.

Mr. Rice and Mr. Morley Erratt, of Ormond, had dinner on Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Erratt.

Mrs. Richard Scott spent Thursday and Friday with Mrs. John Scott, of Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Greer, of Chesterville, had tea at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. S. A. Greer, on Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Gemeroy and son, Herb, of Winchester, had dinner on Monday at the home of Mr .and Mrs. A. Christie.

And an old man nearing his grave declared:

I'd rather not
Have lived at all,
Than have it said
At my last call—
"For all his bigness
He was small."

Letters to the Editor

Winchester, Ontario,
December 5th, 1938.

To the Editor of The Winchester Press:

Dear Sir:—There appeared in a recent issue of the Press two items of interest which should have been read by cheese factory patrons of the county, as cheddar cheese making is one of Eastern Ontario's most important industries.

We've been hearing a lot lately about the Canadian butter surplus. Perhaps the amount of time and energy used in describing the serious effects of having a surplus has been greater than the time and energy used in trying to evolve a solution to the problem. Granted there is a problem—a surplus is always a problem, and the greater the surplus, the greater the problem. It has been known for some months that butter stocks were accumulatng. Nothing was done and butter continued to accumulate. Now we are told the situation is acute, and before the butter problem becomes as serious as at present, the correct procedure for the Ontario cheese producers' association would seem to be to push cheddar cheese sales, at least in National Cheese Week, or whenever the butter market begins to get sluggish instead of after, the surplus has accumulated. While the Ontario cheese producers' association is an organization too young to become stale, it is quite evident, according to press reports from the various resolutions being forwarded from cheese boards and county cheese factory patrons' meetings throughout Ontario, that the association has become old enough to be on trial. The Ontario cheese patrons' association and its Dundas county executive should at least make some efforts to learn what the cheese factory patrons of Dundas county are shouting about.

—OBSERVANT CHAP.

WINCHESTER TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

The regular meeting of Winchester Township Council was held in the Community Hall, Chesterville, on Monday, Dec. 5th, with all the members present. The minutes of the last regular meeting were adopted as read and signed by the Reeve.

The Reeve and Clerk were authorized to make a settlement with Finch Township for work done on the boundary during 1938.

Council decided to extend the date for the final payment of 1938 taxes to December 21st, 1938.

Council decided to be more strict in the enforcement of the Pedlers' By-Law of the Township of Winchester, as some are peddling from door to door without the necessary license, while others have paid for one.

The following accounts were passed and paid:

Roads and Bridges, $1,286.38; Drainage, $29'.80; Printing Voters' Lists and Advertising, $104.25; Relief, $70.06; Hospital Account, $335.13; Sheep killed, $10.00; Salaries, $100.00; Fence Viewers, $12.00; P. V. Morewood, $10.00; Refund Taxes, 37.43; Miscellaneous, $53.34; Total amount $2,286.39.

Council adjourned to meet at Chesterville on Thursday, December 15th, at 11.00 a. m.

WINCHESTER SPRINGS W. M. S.

The annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the United church of Winchester Springs, was held Tuesday afternoon in the church with Rev. Mr. Smith in charge. After the Devotional period, Mrs. George Myers, convenor of Nominating Committee, brought in the slate of officers. They were approved as read:

Hon. president, Mrs. Dora McIntosh; president, Mrs. A. Adams; 1st vice, Mrs. H. C. Robinson; 2nd vice, Miss E. Webb; rec. secretary, Mrs. Ralph Allison; treasurer, Mrs. A. Casselman; cor. secretary, Mrs. A. E. Holmes; Missionary Monthly Secretary, Mrs. A. Bailey; Birthday Secretary, Mrs. Aden Casselman; Community Friendship Secretary, Mrs. I. Casselman; Christian Stewardship, Mrs. C. Thompson; supply secretary, Mrs. Alvin Steele; press secretary, Mrs. Cecil McIntosh; pianist and assistant,Mrs. Clarence Thompson and Mrs. Cecil McIntosh; Mission Band Leader, Mrs. Clarence Thompson.

The business part of the meeting was in charge of the president, Mrs. Adams, The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. George Myers.

THE UNITED CHURCH

Rev. W. S. Atchison, in addressing the children on Sunday morning, impressed upon them that God's Hand is upon us to help us along the slippery ways of life and we can obtain a sure footing by attending God's House on the Sabbath Day. Speaking on the fourth Commandment he emphasized 'Remember' which is an essential element in our Christian life. Worship stimulates our heart for work. Gambling and the pool room were strongly denounced. The best way to celebrate the Lord's Day is to worship Him in His house. There is no better evidence of what a man is than the way he uses his Sundays. Give God His place in thought, service and prayer.

At the evening service the pastor was assisted by members of the Melvin Suday School—Mr. John Barrett, who led in prayer and extended an invitation to members of this congregation to visit their School; Mrs. Sherman Christie, who read the 2nd chapter of John's Gospel, and Mrs. Elgin Black, who read a poem on God's Word.

Beginning a series of sermons on the Miracles of Jesus, Rev. W. S. Atchison took John 2:5 for a text and spoke on Christ's first miracle. If we are willing to listen, the Master speaks, and if we are wise we respond. Our part is to obey. Jesus was interested in common folks and came to transform people and things. The pastor said his conviction is that we should have a strong church here. It depends upon the minister and members working in co-operation with God. How are we to help Jesus Christ bring this transformation in our lives? In this way: "Whatsoever He saith unto you, do it."

The choir contributed a selection at the morning service and Mr. S. Lindsay sang a solo in the evening, with Mr. F. Johnson at the organ.

BUSINESS BACKS UP MONDAY HOLIDAYS

Added weight to the move for celebrating certain statutory holidays on a Monday instead of having them "float" through the week, was given last week by the Ontario Associated Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce, says the Financial Post.

Meeting in annual convention at Toronto the Association gave unanimous approval to a resolution urging the federal government to "pass the necessary legislation to authorize the holding of certain satutory holidays on Monday irrespective of the date upon which they actually fall."

The three holidays named specifiically were Victoria Day, King's Birthday and Dominion Day.

No change was suggested in religious holidays such as Good Friday or Christmas Day. Armistice Day was also omitted from the resolution, it being felt that this was a special observance so strongly bound up with the date as to lose its significance if changed.

It is now six months since the Financial Post urged the government to take definite steps to implement a policy long advocated by this paper. Since that time over 30 columns of editorial press comment have appeared in trade and daily newspapers almost unanimously favoring the change. These comments have appeared in some 60 different papers representative of every part of Canada. Metropolitan dailies in large centres such as Montreal, Winnipeg and Toronto have carried on their own campaigns to educate public opinion along these lines, with remarkable success.

What remains to be done is for the and prepare legislation immediately in federal government to heed these views readiness for the forthcoming session of Parliament.

To delay as was the case last year would be to jeopardize the chance of achieving a reform that is obviously of wide benefit to all citizens.

"Gus," said Dooley, as he caught up with him on the way back to camp, "are all the rest of the boys out of the woods yet?"

"Yes," said Gus.

"All six of them?"

Yes, all six of them."

"And they're all safe.?"

"Yes," answered Gus, "all safe."

"Then," said Dooley, his chest swelling, "I've shot a deer."

STEVENSON OFFERS GOOD ADVICE

To be honest, to be kind, to earn a little and to spend a little less, to make, upon the whole, a family happier for his presence; to renounce when that shall be necessary and not be embittered, to keep a few friends, above all, on the same grim condition, to keep friends with himself—here is a task for all that a man has of fortitude and delicacy.—Rogert Louis Stevenson.

PLANS GAELIC COLLEGE

Rev. A. W. R. MacKenzie, a former minister of the Spencerville Presbyterian church, who is now in charge of the congregation at Baddeck, N. S., is chairman of a committee which has as its object the erection of a "Gaelic Foundation on the site of the home at St. Ann's N. S., of the Rev. Norman McLeod, a famous pioneer Scott of that part of Canada.

An exchange tells of a lady who purchased a new fangled coffee pot from a peddlar a few days ago. In the evening, being very much pleased with her purchase, she brought it out to show her husband, who by the way is a hardware merchant. On asking the price paid he told her quietly that she paid just double the price that they were asking for the same article. "Well," she exclaimed, "Why don't you advertise, nobody ever knows what you have for sale, it serves you right."

Never put an open package of tea near strong-smelling foods, such as onions, cheese or spices. Tea absorbs odors readily and should always be stored in a covered container.

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Coconut Cookies Appeal to Menfolks

By Frances Lee Barton



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Jumbo Coconut Cookies

2 cups shredded coconut, cut; ½ cup heavy sour cream; 2½ cups sifted cake flour; 2 teaspoons double-acting baking powder; ¼ teaspoon salt; ½ cup butter or other shortening; 1 cup sugar; 1 egg, unbeaten.

Add ½ cup coconut to cream; let stand. Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift again. Cream butter thoroughly, add sugar gradually, creaming until light and fluffy; then add egg and beat thoroughly. Add flour, alternately with cream mixture, stirring well after each addition. Chill. Roll ½ inch thick on slightly floured board. Cut with floured 3½ inch cutter and place on ungreased baking sheet. Sprinkle with remaining 1½ cups coconut. Bake in hot oven (400° F.) 12 to 14 minutes. Makes 2½ dozen cookies.

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That I have ever seen.
They're hanging at the windows
And on the Christmas tree,
But there is something 'bout them
That greatly bothers me.

For bells were made for ringing,
Yet now at Christmas-time
These bells are all so silent
And never ring or chime.
I hope when dear old Santa comes
And finds them hanging there,
He'll touch each little Christmas bell,
Then soft upon the air
Will sound some fairy music,
And as they swing and sway
The bells will play, before we wake,
Glad songs for Christmas Day.
—Florence B. Steiner in "Toy Balloons"

GODS SAVING WORD

By Thomas Curtis Clark

Unto a world of doubt and fear,
Of poverty and greed,
There came a vision—God came near
To meet man's bitter need.
While kings and despots ruled in pride,
While cries of war were heard,
There rang, through regions far and wide,
A penetrating Word.

It was a Word of love and cheer,
A Word of sympathy.
From distant lands, through deserts drear,
The Wise-men came to see
A little Child—a Word of God—
Divine Love come to men.
That we might walk the way they trod
And find God's love again!

Today our hearts are troubled sore
By hate and grief and loss:
We walk faith's thoroughfare no more,
We spurn God's living Cross.
Ours is a world of doubt and fear,
Of poverty and greed,
But God—through Christ—is hovering near
To save us in our need!

THINGS WORK OUT

Because it rains we wish it wouldn't
Because men do what they often shouldn't,
Because crops fail, and plans go wrong—
Some of us grumble the whole day long
But somehow, in spite of the care and doubt,
It seems at last that things work out.

Because we lost where we hoped to gain
Because we suffer a little pain,
Because we must work when we'd like to play—
Some of us whimper along life's way.
But somehow, as day will follow the night,
Most of our troubles work out all right.

Because we cannot forever smile,
Because we must trudge in the dust for awhile,
Because we think that the way is long
Some complain that life's all wrong
But somehow we live and our sky grows bright,
Everything seems to turn out all right.

So bend to your trouble and meet your care,
For the clouds must break, and the sky grow fair,
Let the rain come down as it must and will,
But keep on working and hoping still,
For in spite of the grumblers who stand about,
Somehow, it seems, all things work out.

A curious inquirer wanted to know what are the sister States, and the country editor answered:

"We are not quite sure, but we should judge that they are Miss Ouri, Ida Ho, Mary Land, Callie Fornia, Allie Bama, Louisa Anna, Della Ware, Minnie Sota and Mrs. Sippi.

HINTS FOR THE HOME

Fancy Jellies

A rose leaf, geranium leaf or bit of pineapple or quince may give its especial flavor to apple jelly. To keep leaves suspended in jelly, so arrange a fork, that it will hold them in place until the jelly is almost cool.

Jelly in different colored layers may be made by tinting fruit jelly with fruit coloring, as green or red, and adding one layer after the under one has become set. Maraschino cherries, sliced very thin, may be dropped into clear jelly when it is beginning to stiffen. Mint jelly may be made by adding mint extract to apple jelly. The juice of two or more fruits may be combined to make a "different" jelly.

To Brush Walls

The ordinary cleaning of walls and ceilings consist of brushing down the dust from them with a soft wall brush or broom covered with a soft cloth, such as cotton flannel. Use light, overlapping strokes to avoid rubbing the dirt in or streaking the walls. For especially soiled spots, as over a radiator register or stove, dab lightly with cotton fluff, which should be turned as it becomes soiled.

Aluminum

Acid removes the stains from aluminum, as you have found when you make rhubarb sauce in an aluminum kettle. If you want to brighten aluminum articles, boil them about five minutes in water to which vinegar or cream of tartar is added, about two tablespoons of vinegar or two teaspoons of cream of tartar to each quart of water.

For Oilcloth

If you use oilcloth on your kitchen table or cupboard shelves, you may make this last much longer by giving it a treatment of linseed oil. Rub the oil well into the oilcloth and let it dry thoroughly before use.

An Ironing Board

When travelling, one sometimes desires to do a little pressing in his room. As an ironing board for this purpose, the botttom of a dresser drawer will serve. Take out one of the large drawers, cover it with a Turkish towel and use your small electric traveller's iron. This will harm nothing. No considerate traveller would use a table or dresser top for this purpose.

HERE'S A NEW SUNDAY SUPPER DISH

Canadian Sardines with Mushrooms and Potatoes

Keep Sunday supper light and save work and please the family! That's a good recipe to maintain Sunday as a day of rest for mother and a day-to-look-forward-to for the family. Tuck the preparation in between your baking on Saturday morning, and then all you have to do is heat a can of soup on Sunday evening. This is easy, and little toast points will make a decorative garnish, and what flavour the dish contains:

Canadian Sardines in Potato Baskets
1 can Canadian sardines.
½ teaspoon mustard.
6 medium-sized potatoes.
1 can condensed soup, (mushroom or tomato soup).

Parboil the potatoes, cut in half and hollow out to form cups. Mash the sardines, combine with the inside of the potato cups, season and add mustard. Fill the potato cups. Keep in a cool place until ready to serve. Heat the soup as it comes from the can, stirring to blend well and pour into a deep fireproof platter or oblong dish. Place the potatoes on top gently, so the contents of the cups do not spill and place in a warm oven for a few minutes until potatoes are cooked through. Serve garnished with triangles of buttered toast and slivers of sweet gherkins.

Now with that cake you baked on Saturday morning and a cup of tea or hot chocolate, you're all ready. This is a family supper special, or a highlight for a late Sunday tea when you have a few intimate friends drop in.

Try it this Sunday and see how the family enjoy it!

AUSTRALIAN MACHINE CAN COUNT MONEY

A machine which sorts, counts and tests mixed coins has been installed at the head office of the Bank of New South Wales in Sydney. It is claimed to be the only machine of its kind in the world.

At a demonstration, it handled hundreds of coins—pennies, florins, shillings, sixpences and threepenny pieces—and, without faltering, threw each kind into a separate bag, counting them separately, and rejected all the spurious coins.

Each coin was tested electrically in one-tenth of a second and on the mixed lot the machine worked at the rate of 1000 pounds an hour. It is estimated that this machine will do in three hours the work that took two sorters and 20 counters to do in a day.

HINTS FOR THE FARMER

WINTER FEEDING OF PIGS

Winter feeding of swine presents several problems which are not of the same importance in summer hog production. First, adequate housing accommodation is essential in order to grow the pigs quickly and economically. Second, suitable feed mixtures are necessary, and and third, particular care must be taken in feeding and caring for the pigs.

The housing accommodation for winter pigs should provide dry and reasonably warm sleeping quarters. Draughts should be avoided and the bed should be well bedded with dry straw. Do not crowd too many pigs into a small pen, but allow sufficient pen space and trough space so that all can have an equal chance.

In the feeding of the pigs a suitable mixture of grains properly supplemented will go far in keeping the pigs healthy and thrifty. Provide a mixture of grains such as oats and barley, and possibly a mill feed or wheat, and supplement with a protein supplement such as skim-milk, buttermilk or tankage. Include with the meal mixture at the rate of 1 to 2 pounds per hundred a simple mineral mixture such as equal parts iodized salt, ground limestone, and bone meal. Roots and good quality legume hay—alfalfa or clover—are valuable in small amounts to supply succulence and maintain the pigs in a thrifty condition. These should not form the main feed but should be used in small amounts as an addition to a good feed mixture.

Finally, good care is necessary in the feeding and management of the pigs in order to keep them in a healthy vigorous condition. Supply nutritious feed at a rate that they can handle it but do not attempt to force the pigs.

JUDGING CLOVER, GRASS SEEDS

With good quality predominating in the production of clover and grass seeds this year, C. L. S. Palmer, noted seed expert, gives some timely advice to prospective exhibitors on how small seeds should be prepared for show purposes.

"Clover and grass seeds are judged from the standpoint of freedom from weed seeds, particularly those prohibited and noxious under the Seeds Act. They are also judged on freedom from other crop seeds; germination and general appearance," said Mr. Palmer in an interview recently. He stated it was almost impossible to clean out Dodder, Campion, Chicory, Field Peppergrass, etc., in clovers and timothy unless special cleaning machinery was used. Certain other crop seeds were hard to remove—white clover and timothy in alsike, red clover in alfalfa and vice versa. Therefore, seed containing too large a percentage of other crop seeds should not be used for exhibition purposes.

Germination is indicated by color and lustre, Mr. Palmer stated. Size, plumpness and uniformity of seed are obtained and increased by the use of wind and screens.

For show purposes, the screens and sieves used should be oversized, larger than the ones used for commercial cleaning. Red clover, alfalfa and sweet clover are commercially cleaned over a 4 by 24, but the show sample can be improved immeasurably by cleaning over a screen one size larger, 4 by 22. These oversized screens also help to eliminate many more weed seeds.

Seed for show should not contain brown seed, either plump or shrunken. The one indicates that the seed has been weathered during harvest and the other that it lacks maturity or has sprouted. Samples containing such green seed should not be chosen as it indicates immaturity. Most judges of alsike and red clover prefer the dark purple type of seed. Timothy, of course, should be silvery in color and contain as little hulled seed as possible; alfalfa and sweet clover should be a honey yellow.

Dullness in seed indicates it has been weathered during harvest, Mr. Palmer declared. Consequently, it has lost that lustrous shining, vital look. Lustre is an indication of vitality.

While color of seed cannot be improved except by eliminating light immature seeds, lustre sometimes can be brought back by artificial means, such as churning the seed in a churn where a piece of velvet has been placed over top with the pile side turned in. The seed can also be shined by being placed in a long cotton bag and tilted from one end to the other so that the surface is rubbed against the sides of the bag.

KEEPING EGGS CLEAN DURING THE WINTER

Even on the best managed farm the task of cleaning eggs cannot be entirely avoided. At Cornell University a series of tests were made a few years ago to determine just what nesting material would give the cleanest eggs. A mixture of straw and shavings came out on top, but the most significant thing to the practical poultryman was that about 40 per cent. of the eggs still required some cleaning in the best of the pens.

On a poultry plant of a thousand birds or more, the cleaning of the eggs runs into several hours every week. The production of the farm flock may call for a lot of cleaning time from someone, —probably the busy housewife. Every move that will reduce cleaning is worth while.

Generally speaking, the more nests the cleaner the eggs. One nest to each 6 hens is desirable. These nests should be deep enough to allow room for three inches of nesting material in the centre of the nest. A mixture of straw and shavings has been found much better than straw alone, no matter how frequently the straw is replenished. A couple of times a week fresh shavings are added.

Every minute spent in freshening the nests saves five or ten minutes cleaning eggs.

At a large plant in Norfolk County, Ont., a sack of shavings is hung on a rail near the nests. The manager explained that only in this way could he get the men to keep the nests clean. Other factors in clean eggs are clean litter on the floor, wire under the roost perches and feeding so as to ensure strong shells.

Frequent gathering will do more than any other one thing to keep eggs clean, but it is not possible on a busy farm. Gathering the eggs before instead of after dinner makes a big difference in the amount of cleaning. Most of the eggs are laid around the noon hour and if they are allowed to stay in the nests, there will be many soiled and broken eggs.

RECIPE FOR CHRISTMAS CAKE

The following recipe for a Christmas Cake is considered one of the best by baking experts.

3-4 lbs. butter
1 lb. sugar (2 cups)
7 eggs
1 cup of sour milk
1 teaspoon of soda
1 teaspoon of salt
1 grated nutmeg
1 teaspoon of ground cloves
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1-4 lb. orange peel
1-4 lb. citron peel
1-4 lb. lemon peel
1-2 cup blanched and chopped almonds.
4 cups of flour (1 lb.)
1 1-2 lbs. seeded and chopped raisins.
1 1-2 lbs. currants

Thoroughly cream the butter, add the sugar, gradually creaming together. Beat in the eggs one at a time, beating until light and foamy. Add the milk and salt. Sprinkle the fruit with a small amount of the sifted flour and sift soda into the flour. Add spices to the moist mixture, then the fruits and nuts and mix thoroughly. Bake in a moderate oven for two to three hours, depending on the size of the cake. The recipe makes quite a large cake, three medium or four smaller cakes.

TODAY'S YOUNG MAN'S IDEAL

Specifically, what are some of the qualities the up-to-twenty-five young men are looking for in future marriage partners? Here's the answer, in Mrs. Gertrude Chambers' opinion:

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"They want a wife who has enough personality to impress friends.

"They want a wife who will share their enthusiasm.

"They want her to be attractive looking. Smartness gets as much attention with today's young men as prettiness.

"They want a wife who can understand what they are talking about when they discuss business. (If her ideas are good, they'll even say "Thanks" when they borrow them.

"They want a wife who knows how or is capable of learning to stretch a dollar.

"They want to marry a woman who will make a go of the social side of marriage.

"Many of them from necessity want a wife who can bring home a pay check, for a while at least."

Mrs. Chambers thinks a girl should not resent such demands, for meeting them will keep the girl on her toes.

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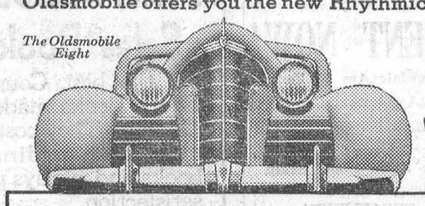

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Our Column

Nothing good or bad can come without a start.

Great institutions have their beginnings in great men.

No wind is favorable to the man who has no port in view.

"One cannot always be a hero, but one can be a man."—Goethe.

A coward manages to dodge a lot of things that are headed his way.

Don't run into debt as long as you can find a stone wall to run into.

A Man Enjoys Gifts From A Man's Shop.—BUD TEC MEN'S SHOP.

When a man gets the matrimonial fever he catches it from some woman.

All who joy would win
Must share it—happiness was born a twin.—Lord Byron.

The worst ordeal the small boy has to face is plenty of pie and a limited capacity.

The best way to keep good acts in memory is to refresh them with new.—Cato.

It's after the tenants move out that the landlord sees the handwriting on the wall.

Often times the muzzle placed on a dog would do better service if placed on the master.

The office seeker doesn't try to fool all the people. He just tries to fool enough to elect him.

Girls these days spend almost as much time making up their faces as they do making up their minds.

"Man as he is at present is incapable of using wisely some of the best gifts of science, as a child is incapable of using a sharp knife.—Bishop of Winchester.

"Show me the man you honor and I will know what kind of a man you are, for it shows me what your ideal of manhood is, and what kind of a man you long to be."—Carlyle.

The doctrine of human equality reposes on this: that there is no man really clever who has not found that he is stupid. There is no big man who has not felt small. Some men never feel small, but these are the few men who are.—C. K. Chesterton.

To be billed through the mail for one cent owing on his taxes was the unusual experience of a Midland man the other day who cheerfully paid the copper. The citizen had paid his taxes in the spring, but in checking over it was discovered he had paid one cent too little.

ST. PAUL'S LADIES' AID

The annual meeting of St. Paul's Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. Margaret Moffatt, with a large number of members present. The president, Mrs. Bouchard, opened the devotioal period with a hymn, Miss Empey presiding at the piano. After the Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison, the secretary read correspondence and minutes of last meeting, after which the treasurer gave a detailed account of bazaar recently held. A very interesting and successful report of the year's work was then given by the secretary and a gratifying financial statement by the treasurer. Mrs. Turner took the chair for election of officers, and before doing so thanked the retiring officers for their efficient services during their term of office, and also the president for her splendid work. Mrs. Wilson, convenor of Nominating Committee, brought in a slate of officers as follows: Hon. Presidents, Mrs. Margaret Moffatt, Mrs. F. Elliott and Mrs. Edgerton; President, Mrs. L. Bouchard; 1st vice, Miss M. Empey; 2nd vice, Mrs. Wm. Johnston; 3rd vice, Mrs. Emmerson; secretary, Mrs. Stewart Anderson; treasurer, Mrs. J. J. Gray; pianist, Miss Ida Gardner; press reporter, Mrs. C. R. Robinson; committee of management, Mrs. A. Edgerton, Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. R. Justus Auditors, Mrs. Geo. Angus and Mrs. R. M. Elliott.

It was moved by Mrs. Wm. Johnston and seconded by Miss Algate that the officers as named be elected for the coming year, after which Mrs. Turner gave the dedicatory prayer.

In taking the chair for another year as president, Mrs. Bouchard thanked all who had so freely given of their services throughout the year, especially the retiring officers, and warmly welcomed the new ones. Mrs. C. R. Robinson and Miss Empey were appointed a committee in charge of Christmas cheer boxes. The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Angus.

The meeting closed with the Doxology after which refreshments were served by the hostess and Miss Johnston, assisted by Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. C. R. Robinson. A very hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. Moffatt and her committee.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

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The many friends of Dr. Margaret O'Hara will be very sorry to learn that she is confined to bed having suffered a stroke recently. A speedy recovery is hoped for Dr. O'Hara, who until her recent illness had enjoyed good health. —Smiths Falls Record-News.

Dr. O'Hara is well known here and was guest speaker at the United church Missionary Thank-Offering Service a few years ago.

Miss Kate Mowat of Inkerman, celebrated the occasion of her 71st birthday on Friday afternoon, Dec. 3rd. Those who convened to express their respects and good wishes were: Miss Lizzie Brandmire, Miss Helen Clark, Mrs. John Crowder, Mrs. Michael Dunlap, Mrs. Asa Hanes, Mrs. David Hurley, Mrs. John Hurley, Mrs. Asa Hutt, Mrs. Thos. Mulloy, Mrs. Mac Poirier and Mrs. Harry Saunders. Refreshments were prepared and served by Miss Katie King.

Miss Mowat, although partly invalided as a result of a fall, about two years ago, continues to enjoy the best of health and spirits.

BIRTH

At the Ottawa Civic Hospital, on Wednesday, Dec. 7th, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Stoodley, of Vernon, a daughter.

BOYS ENJOY THEMSELVES

Last Friday evening "the Jones Boys" Tuxis Square and the "Livewires" Trail Ranger Camp held a joint meeting in the Town Hall. Large delegations of boys from the Morewood and Morrisburg Tuxis and Trail Ranger groups were guests of the local boys. Following the Trail Ranger opening ceremony, conducted by Chief Ranger Frank Kellogg, Hartley Allison led in a devotional period assisted by Bob Barkley, George Carlyle, Raymond Annable, Earl Empey and Raymond Clement, with Miss Mabel O'Neil of the C. G. I. T. at the piano. The business period with roll call revealed that fifty boys, six mentors and six visitors were present. For the scavenger hunt which followed, the boys were divided into four sides, and for an hour scoured the town for black cats, pumpkin pie and other equally elusive articles. Finally Dave Melvin turned up with the pie and Ritchie Allison with the cat.

Assistant Tuxis Mentor Dave Melvin, being chairman for the next part of the meeting, introduced seven scenes by the Tuxis while the Trail Rangers, under the direction of Mentor Gordon Strader, produced two charades.

The member of the 1938 Older Boys Parliament for Dundas County, Mr. Wendell Atchison, was introduced to the boys and delivered a very eloquent appeal to his constituent to consider the problems of today and remember that the boys of today are the men of to-morrow. The speaker of the evening, Mr. Irwin Haskett, of St. James United Church, Ottawa, introduced by Mentor Gordon Strader, prefaced his remarks with a very stirring recital of one of the adventures of our great Sir Richard Grenfell on the Labrador. Mr. Haskett stressed the heritage of freedom and happiness enjoyed by our nation and cautioned his hearers against the inroads of those ideas fostered by such as Hitler and Mussolini.

After games, judged by Messrs. J. L. Mill and W. J. L. Boyd, and conducted by James Carlyle and Leslie Summers, refreshments were served by the boys, and prizes presented. Rev. Mr. MacAskill, of Morewood, and Rev. W. S. Atchison addressed a few words to the boys and the meeting closed with the Mizpah Benediction.

The meeting was arranged by a committee consisting of Mentors Gordon Strader and Fred Cass, Tuxis Ed. Boyd, Bob Barkley, Bob Stewart, Raymond Clement and Leslie Summers, and Trail Rangers Frank Kellogg and James Carlyle.

VISITING HOURS RE ST. LAWRENCE SANATORIUM

On and after December 15th, 1938, the visiting hours for the St. Lawrence Sanatorium on Thursday will be changed from the afternoon to evening.

Visiting for the week will be as follows:

Tuesday .....3.30 to 4.30 p. m.
Thursday .....7.30 to 8.30 p. m.
Saturday .....3.30 to 4.30 p. m.
Sunday .....3.30 to 4.30 p. m.
and 7.30 to 8.30 p. m.

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Mrs. Harold Droppo visited her parental home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Barkley and little sons spent Sunday with Mrs. Barkley's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barrett had dinner on Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Summers.

Mr. Lloyd Drinkwater, of Montreal, was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Hitsman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ennis, of Brinston, spent Sunday the guests of Dr. ad Mrs. J. A. Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Enos Munro, of Bethune Bush, will celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Monday next.

Mrs. C. S. Hook, of Bridgeport, Conn., who is visiting her son in Montreal, spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Hutt.

Rev. D. W. Summers was a guest at the home of Mrs. Almon Summers on Friday evening last, and christened Mr. and Mrs. Claire Summers' baby, David Andrew.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Flora, of Winchester, and Mr. Sparling Summers and daughter, Irene, of Williamsburg, had tea at the home of Mrs. Almon Summers on Thursday evening last.

HALLVILLE LITERARY SOCIETY

The Hallville Literary Society met in the Assembly Hall of the North Mountain Consolidated School on Friday afternoon, Dec. 2nd. Middle School had charge of the program.

The meeting was opened with the singing of O Canada. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Mr. Brown was appointed critic for the meeting. A chorus, "When Mother Nature sings her Lullaby," was sung by III and IV Forms. Olive Dagg gave a splendid talk on "Hitler's School for Hate." A translation of the French play "La Grammaire," was presented by the following cast: Trevor Thompson, Corienne Hyndman, Clarence Hovey, Charles Brooks and Walter Allen.

A piano duet, Liselotte, was rendered by Corienne Hyndman and Trevor Thompson.

The critic commended Middle School very highly for their efforts in the preparation and presentation of the Literary Program. The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

ST. PAUL'S MISSION BAND

The annual meeting of St. Paul's Presbyterian Mission Band was held in the Sunday School hall on Friday evening with a good attendance of members and visitors present. The president, Reggie Workman, presided, with Bob Stewart presenting the treasurer's report, and Miss Sybil Empey as secretary.

Mrs. Wm. Watson, the leader, took charge during the election of officers, which resulted as follows: President, Miss Mona Robertson; vice presidents, Misses Wilda Barkley and Florence Wyatt; secretary, Miss Beth Churchill, treasurer, Miss Betty Anderson; press reporter, Miss Ruth Watson and Colin Churchill; organist, Miss Sybil Empey. Following the election, the new slate of officers were installed by Mrs. W. D. Turner.

During the meeting a life membership certificate was presented to Edward James Emmerson, by Mrs. Wm. Scott, of Ottawa, while a third year seal was presented to Lois Wilson by the Mission Band, which also presented Wilda Barkley with a life-membership certificate. Other life-membership certificates were presented to Ronald Workman, Mac Anderson and Colin Churchill by Miss Iris Errey, Mission Band nurse in a hospital at Arnkhut, India, at the Mission Band Rally, held at Kemptville recently.

Following the business period, a program of music and recitations was given, including the following numbers: piano solos by Reggie Workman and Sybil Empey; guitar selection by Lyle Redmond; trio by Mona Robertson, Wilda Barkley and Sybil Empey; recitations by Jackie Anderson, Dickie Justus, Ruby Baker, Audrey Durant, Gerald Wright, Mac Anderson, Florence Wyatt, Beth Churchill, Betty Anderson, Ruth Watson, Joan Watson and Colin Churchill.

During the program, prizes for perfect attendance were presented to Ruth and Joan Watson and Betty Anderson, by Mrs. W. D. Turner.

At the close of the program refreshments were served by members of the Mission Band.

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NOTICE!

The time for payment of the 1938 Taxes, Township of Winchester, has been extended to Wednesday, the 21st day of December, 1938.
J. STEEN,
32-33c Township Clerk.

CARD OF APPRECIATION

A. D. Carkner and Mrs. Carkner, of Ormod, are expressing their appreciation of the many tokens of "good will and love" toward them as shown in the last few days.

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