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Coming Events

DATES TO REMEMBER

Christmas Day Service.

Church Service will be held in the ocal Baptist Church at 10.30 o'clock n Christmas morning, for all de- omniations. You are invited to at- tend.

The Winchester Women's Institute sponsors the outstanding Comedy, "Aunt Tillie Goes To Town," presented under their auspices in Winchester Town Hall, Tuesday, December 29th, at 8 p.m., by the Matilda Institute Dramatic Group. Admission 25 cents. Reserve above date for an excellent entertainment. Buy tickets now. Watch for poster announcements.

BIRTHS

At the Grace Hospital, Ottawa, on Wednesday, December 23rd, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Quart (nee Beulah Kinkaid) a son.

At the Grace Hospital, Ottawa, on Tuesday, December 22nd, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred MacDonald, of Ormond, a daughter.

At Mountain, Ont., on Thursday, December 17th, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. George Bell, a daughter—Doris Jean.

CASS & CASS

F. M. CASS, M. A. W. J. CASS, K. C.

LAW OFFICES

Chesterville, Dial 371. Winchester Bank of Montreal Block. Phone 11

While Capt. Cass is on Active Service, Mr. W. J. Cass, K.C., will be in the Winchester Office every afternoon except Saturday and in the Chesterville Office every forenoon.

GREETINGS

In appreciation of our pleasant relations, we extend to you and your associates our wishes for a Joyous Holiday Season, and may your New Year be a Prosperous and Victorious one.

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WINCHESTER - ONT.

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Williamsburg, - Ont.

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For Next Week

MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

December 28, 29 and 30

"LADY FOR A NIGHT"

A warm, human story of a girl with ambition who wanted to be with quality folks, but she found her own kind were better. With Joan Blondell, John Wayne and Ray Middleton.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY

December 31, January 1 & 2

"BEYOND THE BLUE HORIZON"

Out of this world—to the tropics of love and loot. Starring Dorothy Lamour, Richard Denning, Jack Haley and Walter Abel.

Matinees Every Wednesday and Saturday Afternoon at 3 O'Clock.

Two Local Men Had Narrow Escape

Two local men, Messrs. Richard Lennox and Lloyd Kenney, had a narrow escape from serious injury and probably death last Wednesday afternoon, when the truck, in which they were riding, was struck by a freight train at a crossing a short distance from Renfrew. The men, both employees of the Fennell Feed Company, here, were on their way to Winchester after obtaining a large truck-load of Alfalfa from a Renfrew dealer, when the accident occurred. On leaving Renfrew they took the wrong road, otherwise they would not have had to cross the railroad tracks.

The road leading to the crossing where the truck was hit was down grade and Mr. Lennox, who was driving the truck at the time, did not notice the freight train approaching until the vehicle had started over the tracks. It was useless to apply the brakes on the slippery grade, so the driver stepped on the gas to get clear of the train which, at this time, was only a few feet away. The engine caught the truck just behind the cab and carried it down the tracks for a distance of about 150 yards before it came to a stop. By this time the truck had been thrown clear of the tracks and was resting on its side on the embankment.

Neither Mr. Lennox nor Mr. Kenney were seriously injured. Both received a severe shaking up and the former had a badly wrenched neck, bruised face and a couple of cracked ribs. The truck was badly damaged, although with a new frame and rack and some other parts, it can be repaired. The engine was not damaged. It was a 1942 model.

Following the accident, the men were given medical attention at a hotel in Renfrew, and were brought to Winchester the same afternoon by Mr. Eldon Fennell, who, accompanied by Jimmie Lennox, went to Renfrew, after being notified of the accident.

The truck and most of the bags of alfalfa, which were strewn along the tracks, were trucked here on Friday afternoon.

Both Mr. Lennox and Mr. Kenney admit the experience was one which they would not care to go through again. The train was travelling at 30 miles per hour when it struck the truck, and the miracle is that the occupants escaped with only minor injuries.

Mrs. W. S. Weary Passes In Montreal

Mrs. Eva Kate Weary, widow of Rev. William Sydney Weary, former minister of St. Matthias' Anglican Church, here, died at Montreal on Friday last, following a short illness.

Mrs. Weary was well known in Winchester and during the years she resided here, was active in church work. She was the former Eva Kate Ellacott, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ellacott, and was born and educated in Montreal.

Her marriage to the late Rev. W. S. Weary took place 34 years ago. Mr. Weary predeceased her in 1935. Prior to her marriage, Mrs. Weary taught school in Montreal for some years. Following her husband's death, she resumed teaching, and until recently had been on the staff of Shawbridge Boys' Training School, after which she moved to Winchester where she resided until a few months ago, when she returned to Ottawa.

Mrs. Weary is survived by two sons, Cyril and Charles Weary, of Ottawa; four brothers, Charles Ellacott, of Kingston; Rev. J. A. Ellacott, of Winchester; Ernest Ellacott, of Montreal, and Victor Ellacott, residing in the United States. Also surviving is a sister, Mrs. R. Travers, of Kingston, and six grandchildren.

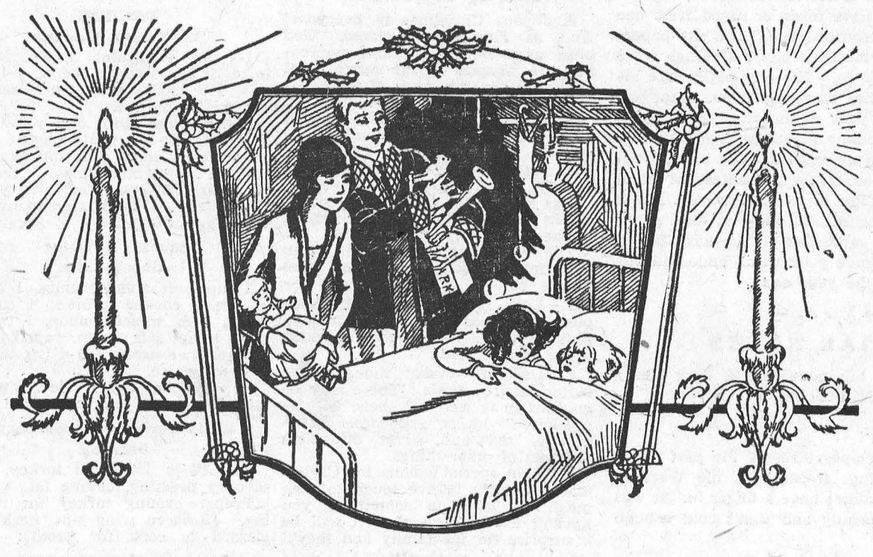
The funeral service was held in St. Matthew's Anglican Church, Ottawa, on Tuesday at 2 p.m., with a number of prominent Anglican clergymen of Ottawa taking part in the service. Interment was made in Pinecrest Cemetery.

Child Caught Arm In Electric Clothes Wringer

Junior Desjardine, 1½ year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ruggles Desardine, suffered painful injuries last Friday morning, when his left arm went through an electric clothes wringer as far up as the shoulder. He was attended by Dr. H. S. Gross. An examination revealed that no bones were broken, but that the arm was severely bruised and crushed.

Mrs. Desjardine, the mother of the infant, had started the washer in preparation to do the family washing. She went upstairs to get some clothes which needed laundering, and while she was absent from the room, the youngster pushed a chair over to the washer, climbed up on it and started the wringer. His arm got caught in the rubber rolls and he started to scream. The mother rushed downstairs and succeeded in turning the wringer off, but not until the youngster's arm had passed through as far up as the shoulder. While the injury was a painful one, it is not regarded as serious, and the child is making satisfactory progress at present.

It Was The Night Before Christmas



The Management and Staff of The Winchester Press Wish You All

A Very Merry Christmas

Six Members of Local Family In Armed Forces

What probably constitutes a record for this district, as far as the number of members in any one family serving in Canada's Fighting Forces is concerned, is held by Mr. and Mrs. George Marquette, of this place. They have six sons in uniform and one daughter doing important war work in a radio plant at Toronto.

Here is a list of their sons, serving King and Country: Tpr. George Marquette and Tpr. Clifford Marquette, on Active Service overseas with the Princess Louise Dragoon Guards; Staff Sgt. Willis Marquette, with the R.C.O.C., Debert, Nova Scotia; Pte. Cecil Marquette, R.C.O.C., Calgary, Alta.; Pte. Joe Marquette, R.C.O.C., Ottawa, and Pte. Keith Marquette, with the S. D. & G. Highlanders (R).

Their daughter, Miss Jean Marquette, is employed in the Radio Division of a War Industry at Leaside, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Marquette are to be congratulated on the contribution they have made to Canada's Armed Forces. Asked if he was proud to have so many of his sons in uniform, Mr. Marquette replied that he was, but that it gave he and Mrs. Marquette plenty to worry and think about.

Canadian Soldiers Get Raise In Pay

Announcement was made by the Defence Department last Wednesday of higher rates of pay for Canadian private soldiers, payment of cost-of-living bonuses to families of all Canadian servicemen and increase in dependents' allowances to the highest scale in the world.

Pay of a private soldier will be increased to $1.50 a day. Under the new scale of allowances, plus cost of living bonus, the dependent of a Canadian private, if she is a wife without children, will receive $59.40 per month.

If she is a wife with two children she will receive $84.60 per month. These amounts are considerably above corresponding figures for Britain, United States, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa.

New allowances and cost-of-living bonus will start Jan. 1 with assigned pay increases becoming effective Feb. 1. It is estimated the entire program will cost between $30,000,000 and $35,000,000 a year.

WEEK OF PRAYER SERVICES

The Universal Week of Prayer will be observed during the week beginning January 3rd, and ending Sunday, Jan. 19th, 1943.

The World Council of Churches has sent out a special appeal, calling upon congregations everywhere to meet jointly if possible in every community.

The general Theme that has been suggested by the World Committee, in view of world conditions, is Christian Unity.

Arrangements have already been made by the local committee of the four churches in Winchester, to meet each evening from January 4th to Friday, January 8th, inclusive.

A full schedule of meetings, topics and speakers, and the various places of meeting will appear in next week's issue of the Winchester Press.

CARD OF THANKS

Miss Freida Fawcett wishes to thank the many friends who were so kind to her during the time she was confined to hospital. Your personal calls, letters and gifts were all greatly appreciated. 34c

THE KING WILL BROADCAST A MESSAGE ON CHRISTMAS DAY

His Majesty King George VI will broadcast a message to the British people at home and throughout the Emipre on Christmas Day, it has been announced from Buckingham Palace. The broadcast will be heard in Canada at 10 a.m. Eastern Daylight Saving Time, and will be carried over Radio Station CBO, as well as other stations of the National network.

$100,000 Fire At Prescott On Sunday Morning Last

The worst fire in the history of Prescott claimed the life of one man and completely destroyed the Daniels' hotel, six business places, a dwelling and a large warehouse, early Sunday morning. The loss is estimated at more than $100,000.

Believed to have been suffocated as he lay in his bed on the third floor of the hotel, Henry Marseiles, 55, of Montreal, a C. P. R. yardman at Prescott, died in the disastrous blaze.

Owner of all the destroyed property is J. P. Doyle, who also managed the hotel and operated Doyle's men's clothing shop, adjoining the hotel. All but the warehouse, which is located on the waterfront, were on Prescott's main street.

The fire began shortly after three o'clock Sunday morning with the temperature at 30 degrees below zero. Its origin has not been determined. but the belief has been expressed that an explosion in a stove in the kitchen of the Daniels' hotel started it.

At the time of the fire there were 35 guests in the hotel. All escaped except one. Among the occupants of the hotel was a Winchester man, Mr. Hugh Knowland, who was a steady boarder. He escaped the flames but lost nearly all of his personal belongings.

Besides the hotel, a grocery store, a clothing store, two barber shops, a Chinese laundry and a tobacco shop were destroyed. Some of the property was covered by insurance.

TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS LIFTED FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES DURING HOLIDAY PERIOD

The 50-mile limit on bus travel has been lifted, as far as members of the armed services are concerned, between the period December 22nd and January 5th. During this period, soldiers, sailors, airmen and members of the R.C.M.P. may travel as far as they wish by bus as long as they can make proper connections. This privilege is also granted to the women in the armed forces.

Girl's Hands Frozen While Walking To School

While walking the 2 1-2 miles to Phelan's School, North Gower, in cold weather on Monday of last week, eight-year-old Kathleen MacKellar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James MacKellar, froze both her hands. It was first feared that amputation might be necessary.

The girl was rushed to the Ottawa Civic Hospital by Dr. W. J. Leach, of Manotick, shortly after her teacher, Mrs. Whaley, took the girl to the home of James Brownlee. At the Civic Hospital she was placed under the care of Dr. J. Pritchard. Hospital attendants later said no amputation would be required. Her condition is reported to be "improving steadily."

Business Places Razed By Fire At Iroquois

Causing damage estimated at more than $15,000, fire of unknown origin destroyed a clothing store, a large warehouse, a shoe repair shop, a large garage and three apartments, extensively damaged the interior of a restaurant and seriously threatened two residences at Iroquois on Saturday. Located on King street, main thoroughfare of the village, the buildings were all of frame construction. No one was injured.

The fire broke out at noon Saturday and was fought for nearly three hours before it was brought under control.

The clothing store was owned and operated by Abe Margolese, whose apartment was located above the store. Both were destroyed with most of their contents. Ray Parmenter owned and operated the shoe repair shop which, with his apartment, was destroyed, as well as most of the furniture and valuable machinery. The apartment of Mrs. Hubert Guay, located over the shoe store, was also destroyed, with all her clothing and furnishings. Furniture belonging to Mrs. Dan Roberts, Mrs. Elisha McIntyre and R. J. Thompson, was lost in the destruction of the warehouse owned by Mrs. Thompson. Three automobiles stored in the garage were removed before the flames touched them, but the building, also owned by Mrs. Thompson, was a complete loss. Fire reached the lunch room operated by Donald McDonald, and although some of the fittings were removed, most of them were burned. Next to the restaurant were two homes belonging to Mrs. Harold Dear and Mr. McDonald, from which the furniture was removed but which were saved from damage by the firefighters.

The damage was partially covered by insurance.

Mrs. Wm. Latimer Died On Saturday

In ill health for several years, five of which she was confined to her bed, Mrs. Wm. Latimer, a highly respected citizen of this place, passed away at her home on Church Street, on Saturday evening. Deceased was in her 82nd year, and was born at North Gower. She was the former Miss Janet McIntosh Thompson, daughter of the late Robert and Margaret Thompson.

Prior to coming to Winchester 49 years ago, she resided at Kars. Her husband died several years ago.

The late Mrs. Latimer was of a quiet nature and was highly esteemed by all who knew her. She was a member of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church.

She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Thomas Annable and Miss Maude Latimer, of Winchester; one son, Mr. Jack Latimer, of Cardinal, and one sister, Mrs. R. H. Patton, of Kemptville; also seven grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

The funeral took place on Monday afternoon, with service at the house conducted by Rev. W. MacKinnon, B.A., pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church.

Interment was made at Maple Ridge Cemetery. The pall bearers were: Messrs. Wm. Leslie, C. R. Robinson, Walter Moffat and Hugh McMaster.

Included in the floral offerings were wreaths from the following: Neighbours and Friends; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Christie; Mr. and Mrs. W. Workman and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wells, Cardinal; Reeve and Mrs. T. O. Keyes, Mrs. Thos. Annable and family; Mr. Jack Latimer and Miss Maude Latimer.

Boxing Day Not Proclaimed Here

Boxing Day will not be observed generally in Winchester, although some of the stores may remain closed on Saturday. According to an announcement in their advt., Bessin's will observe Boxing Day. The Council would have issued a proclamation calling for the observance of Boxing Day in Winchester, had such a request been forthcoming from the business men. It is being observed by practically every other town and village in Eastern Ontario. However, local business men felt that as Boxing Day preceded Sunday this year, it would not be fair to local and district citizens to have the stores, especially the grocers and meat markets, closed for three days in succession. It will, therefore, be "business as usual" in Winchester the day after Christmas.

PUBLIC SCHOOL PRESENTS ANNUAL CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The teachers and students of the local Public School presented their annual Christmas Concert in the Susie Annable Memorial Hall on Friday evening last. The chairman for occasion was Principal H. G. Graham. There was a large crowd present and the entertainment was thoroughly enjoyed. The complete program was as follows:

Opening Chorus: "Come All Ye Little Children"—Rooms D and E.

Welcome—Room E.

"Dollies March"—Room E.

Chorus, "Up On The House Top"—Room C.

"Language Lesson"—Room D.

Solo: "The Song of the Danube"—June Rowat, Room A.

Piano Solo: "Sunflower Dance"—Barbara Fennell, Room A.

"Tiny Tim," Pantomime—Room D.

Dialogue, "Our Dollies"—Room C.

"Christmas Helpers"—Room E.

Dialogue, "Adopting a Child"—Room B.

Piano Solo, "Little Emerald"—Marjorie Crummy, Room A.

Dialogue, "Learning to Spell"—Room C.

"Six Little Milk Maids,"—Room D.

"Christmas Carols"—Rooms A and B.

Dialogue: "Living Christmas Tree"—Room C.

Dialogue: "Annoying Interruptions"—Room B.

Piano Duet: "Pixie King"—Christine Stewart and Joan Watson, Room A.

Dialogue: "Mrs. Rushington's Rest Cure"—Room A.

Senior Boys—Music—Room A.

National Anthem.

The accompanists for the evening were: Miss E. MacDonald, Miss M. Edgerton and Mrs. H. Fetterly.

32 Below Zero Here On Sunday Morning

Local and district citizens had good reasons to feel chilly on Sunday morning last. The lowest temperatures of the recent cold snap were recorded on that date, when the mercury dropped to 32 degrees below zero—some farmers report temperatures of 36 below on the same date. The coldest day in December last year was on December 22nd when 18 below was registered.

Official temperatures for the week December 14th to 20th, follow, with comparative temperatures of corresponding dates in 1941. Maximum temperatures are first figures and minimum temperatures second figures:

Dec. 14th—20 and 6 degrees; last year, 20 and 19.

Dec. 15th—28 and 18 degrees; last year, 28 and 13.

Dec. 16th—18 and 8 below; last year, 36 and 24.

Dec. 17th—2 and 22 below; last year, 37 and 10.

Dec. 18th—15 and 10 below; last year, 41 and zero.

Dec. 19th—4 and 25 below; last year, 39 and 32.

Dec. 20th—12 below and 32 below; last year, 32 and 4.

On Sunday night the mercury dropped to 20 below zero, but since then the weather has been moderating and the temperature at present is well above the zero mark.

Is one explanation of anti-British Darlan's attitude today that he disliked not Britain less but Hitler more?

No Milk Delivery On Christmas-New Year's

There will be no delivery of Milk on either Christmas or New Year's Day. Instead there will be a double delivery on the day preceding each holiday.

We also wish to take this opportunity to wish our many friends and customers A REAL MERRY CHRISTMAS and A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.

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Season's Greetings

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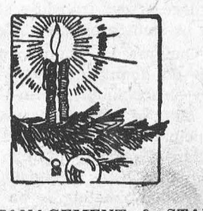

THE MANAGEMENT & STAFF OF THIS STORE EXTEND TO ONE AND ALL, BEST WISHES FOR A VERY

Merry Christmas

AND A

Happy New Year

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This Store Store Will Observe BOXING DAY and Will Remain Closed All Day Saturday

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THE CHRISTMAS STORY

And it came to pass in those days that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed. . . . And all went to be taxed, every one into his own city.

And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem (because he was of the house and lineage of David): to be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child. And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered. And she brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them:

"Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign unto you: ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger."

And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying,

"Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men."

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WHAT ABOUT NEXT YEAR'S COUNCIL?

With less than two weeks before town and township elections, citizens have to date shown very little interest or enthusiasm on the matter. In the town we believe that our reeve and councillors have done a good job during the past two years under difficult, war-time conditions. But we believe that there should be some new faces on next year's council—or at least a campaign whereby the citizens may elect those of their choice.

Although the present council is by no means "an old man's council," most of its members being well under three score years, there is a lot of good timber in a number of local young businessmen of the town. And it is about time that some of these young businessmen took a more active interest in the civic government of our community.

If you have a citizen in mind whom you think would serve our community well, tell him so and on nomination day see that his name is registered. The present world conflict with the principles of democracy at stake should more than ever make us realize the privilege of our franchise and the right to vote for the men or women of our choice.

Our present council has served the municipality well—no doubt the members could be persuaded to carry on for another term—but it isn't fair to ask them to. Most of the members would welcome a rest from municipal responsibility. They have served their day and are deserving of high praise for the manner in which they have administered the affairs of the town. Nomination meeting is on Monday evening next—let the citizens in general show a little more interest in municipal matters than they have during the past few years. We have plenty of good material here to relieve the present council of its duties. The trouble is there are too few men willing to take on additional responsibilities, but someone has to do it. How about you?

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SHOULD TAKE HOME NEWSPAPER

No man is too poor to take his local newspaper and it is false economy to try to get along without it, observes the Orangeville Banner. Hardly a week passes, that something does not appear in its columns which will be of financial benefit to the subscriber, and by the end of the year he may have made or saved from one to twenty times the subscription price. The city papers do not take the place of the local paper although some people seem to think they do. The city papers are alright in their way, but they do not give you what you are most interested in, in your community. You cannot learn from them when public meetings are held, who have died, who are marrying, and who are moving out and who want to sell land, in fact, hundreds of items which might be of particular importance to you. Such matters city papers cannot furnish, but your local paper does. If you are not a subscriber to the local paper, you should be. Plan to have your name added to our subscription lists before the year ends.

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EDITORIAL NOTES

This column wishes all its readers a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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With the sub-zero temperatures of the past week, there were a lot of things frozen that the Wartime Prices and Trade Board didn't have a finger in. It was 32 below on Sunday morning and that's cold enough to freeze an eskimo.

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When people obstinately refuse to consider the other man's point of view, it almost always means that in their heart they are uncertain about the truth of their own point of view. If your principles are really sound you can always afford to be tolerant.

. . . — V . . . —

If you are wont to observe that this town is not all that it should be, just ask yourself what you have done to improve matters. Even the best of elected officials cannot improve conditions as they would like without the co-operation of the public. Criticism of public officials is frequently carried to absurd lengths, but it is mighty seldom this same public pays a compliment for good work accomplished.

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Those who have least are likely to give most. In a well-known story, one of three characters who are in need, and are seeking shelter for the night, answers the doubt of one of his companions as to whether they may hope for anything of a poor artist to whose house they came, with the words, "Oh, you do not know the world as I do. The poorer the better, for us!"

What an abuse of our privileges if increased power to do good is allowed to deprive us of the joy and duty of doing it ourselves.

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At long last Butter has been placed on the rationed list—and this in one of the world's greatest dairying countries. It's hard to believe that there is an acute shortage of butter in Canada, and especially in the eastern part of Ontario, where milk production is greatest. But, shortage or no shortage, butter has been scarce for over a month now—at least we haven't been able to procure it from local merchants. At the present time there is a good surplus of cheese—why wouldn't it be a good idea to divert all milk into butter production for at least one week—that would certainly help to relieve the butter shortage. It would possibly mean that the rationing of butter could be abandoned.

THE MIXING BOWL

By ANNE ALLAN

Hydro Home Economist



THIS IS CHRISTMAS!

A Joyous Christmas to everyone! And, as Tiny Tim observed, "God bless us every one!" Let's remember the happier things for a spell and dwell on the spirit of good fellowship, of thought for others, of heart warmth and old-fashioned cheer—for this is Christmas!

Yes! We shall keep Christmas. This year we will celebrate it more quietly, more simply. But the boys across the world—on land, at sea or in the air—will be able to think of us, keeping Christmas for them.

The Christmas season will mean more to you if you follow these three simple rules:

1. Look back to your very happiest Christmas and say, "It will be that way this year—we've so much to be thankful for."

2. Decorate—even though the materials are simple. There may be no Christmas tree but there will be evergreen sprigs, popcorn, cranberries, red and silver streamers and lots of other things.

3. Plan special menus for Christmas, adding a festive touch to each meal. If this is something you haven't tried before, then it will be a surprise for the family and they'll love it.

RECIPES

Liverwurst Canapes

1-4 lb. liverwurst, 1 tsp. lemon juice, 1 tsp. scraped onion, 1-4 tsp. salt, 1-8 tsp. paprika, mayonnaise, crackers, 6 pickles.

Remove the skin, and mash the liverwurst to a smooth paste. Add lemon juice, onion, salt and paprika; moisten with mayonnaise. Spread on crisp crackers. Top with pieces of pickle. (A tasty accompaniment with vegetable juices).

Savoury Dressing

(without butter)

2 cups soft bread crumbs, 1-2 cup of sliced cooked prunes, 1 grated apple, 1 tb. minced onion, 1 tsp. of sage, 1 tsp. salt, 1 tsp. paprika, 1-4 tsp. summer savoury, 1-4 tsp. thyme, 1-2 cup water.

Mix together lightly; do not mash. Enough for a 4-lb. fowl.

Roast Turkey with Savoury Dressing

One 12 to 15 pound turkey, salt, savoury dressing, baking fat.

Prepare young turkey for roasting. (Reserve wing tips, neck and gizzard to cook for broth). Rub well with salt. Stuff with Savoury Dressing. Sew securely. Rub outside with baking fat. Place on shallow pan and into a cold oven. Turn switch to Bake and set control for 325 degrees. Cook, timing turkey 20 minutes per lb. If a larger turkey, lower temperature to 300 degrees and cook 18 minutes per lb. An old turkey should be cooked for a longer period—20 to 25 minutes per lb.

Turkey Soup

Break turkey carcass in pieces, removing all stuffing; put in kettle with any bits of meat that may have been left over. Cover with cold water, bring slowly to boiling point and simmer 2 hours with switch turned to "Low." Strain, cool, remove fat, and season with salt and pepper. One or two outer stalks of celery may be cooked with carcass to give additional flavour.

TAKE A TIP:

1. Make red oilcloth place mats for the Christmas table. They may be placed on top of the linen cloth for everyone's plate—the cloth must do for the holiday week.

2. Where will Santa Claus put the presents this year? Around the fireplace, on the decorated buffet, or in a huge snow ball made by two hoops covered with sheets and sprinkled with artificial snow, open at the side.

3. Trim the table with an idea in mind—a miniature church, an original floral arrangement, or tiny cardboard uniformed girls or men, if one of your guests is in uniform.

THE QUESTION BOX

Mrs. B.: Your question has been answered and mailed to you direct.

Anne Allan says: May I thank each and every one of you for your Christmas messages and letters of appreciation received throughout the year.

Anne Allan invites you to write to her in care of The Winchester Press. Send in your questions on homemaking problems and watch this column for replies.

A SAFE HOLIDAY

Here are some "Safety First" hints for Christmas and the days that follow:

Give your children all the toys they need and all you can afford, but buy wisely. Be sure that tiny tots aren't given small articles that they can swallow or inhale. Look out for pins in cheap dolls.

Youngsters love Christmas trees but hundreds of fires take place every year because of carelessness, such as using candles; failure to place the tree on a firm base and using tissue or crepe paper for decorating purposes. Non-inflammable snowflakes should take place of paper and cotton. Electric lamps should be substituted for candles.

When trimming the tree, use a stepladder, not a rocking chair or box.

Wrapping paper and excelsior should be disposed of immediately.

Dispose of the tree before the second day of January as when it has dried out, it is highly inflammable.

PICOBAC
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"YES, we're doing without our Long Distance calls to Mary and Dan this Christmas"



THE exchange of Christmas greetings by Long Distance telephone had become a peace time tradition in many a Canadian home.

But such calls are a luxury in war time—and luxuries have no place in a war economy. War needs the wires you'd like to use for Christmas messages. War business, and the boys in camps who will be calling home from all parts of Canada, will be delayed unless *you* avoid your usual Christmas telephoning.

If you really must send your greetings by Long Distance, won't you please do so a few days *before* or a few days *after* Christmas—not on Christmas day.

This will be part of your contribution to Canada's war effort.

On Active Service — Giving Wings to Words

Our Column

An ideal for life consists of a faith fit to live by, a self fit to live with, and a purpose fit to live for.

An old, familiar question brought up to date: "Butter, butter, who's got the butter?"

Why is it that the squirmiest member of an audience always picks out the squeakiest chair on which to sit?

Doubtless many a young lady will hang up her rayons Christmas eve, hoping to find nylons in them next morning.

Mr. Bracken promises a scientific approach to Canadian problems. He'd better start right away with butter supply.

"It's difficult for a man to tell a woman's exact age," remarks a magistrate. It's practically impossible for a woman to do it.

What a war! It is announced from Ottawa that a sergeant hairdresser has been appointed to the Woman's Auxiliary of the R.C.A.F.

Hitler's plunges and end runs were doing all right for a time in Russia but he seems to have fumbled again on the five-yard line.

Despite the iron said to be in his spinach, Junior complains he has not been permitted to contribute his portion to the Nation's salvage pile.

Good news for the youngsters. Castor oil, cod liver oil and milk of magnesia are to be restricted as to size of containers procurable by dad or mom.

Ottawa Journal: And supposing the Conservative party were called the Pros and Cons!" Shouldn't a party look at all aspects of every question, study all sides?

Since wartime rationing has prevented excessive eating of rich foods and drinking, gout has practically disappeared in the British Isles. It's a hard price to pay for health.

Ottawa, December 21, 1942

EFFECTIVE NOW

BUTTER

IS RATIONED BY COUPON

The ration is one-half pound of butter per person, per week.

On and after December 21st it is unlawful to sell or buy butter at retail without the surrender of the proper coupons.

Brown coupons, Nos. 1 to 11, "Spare 'C'" from Ration Book Number 1 now in the hands of the public, are to be used for this purpose.

Each Brown coupon, Nos. 1 to 11, "Spare 'C'" entitles the holder to buy one week's supply. Only Brown coupons, Nos. 1 to 11 "Spare 'C'" can be used for the purchase of butter.

Each coupon becomes good on a definite date and expires on a definite date . . . and can be used only within its prescribed period, as given below.

The system for butter is different from that applying to Sugar, Coffee and Tea, where coupons have no specified expiry date.

Dates When Butter Coupons Become Useable—and Expire

Coupon Number	Good for Purchase beginning on	Not Good for Purchase After
1	December 21	January 3
2	December 28	January 3
3 and 4	January 4	January 17
5 and 6	January 18	January 31
7 and 8	February 1	February 14
9 and 10	February 15	February 28
11	March 1	March 14

NOTE: Brown Coupon No. 2, "Spare 'C'" will be good for use only during a 7-day period—December 28 to January 3. Brown Coupons Nos. 1, and 3 to 11, "Spare 'C'", can be used within 2-week periods.

Coupons for butter, like those for Sugar, Coffee and Tea (the red and green coupons) must be detached by, or in the presence of any seller of butter or his employee. If desired, consumers may lodge their butter coupon sheets with their retailers, so that the latter may detach the required coupons when delivering.

Temporary Ration Cards

All Brown Coupons on Temporary Ration Cards issued to members of the armed forces on leave, visitors to Canada, etc., are good after December 21.

Butter Holdings Exceeding More Than One Pound per Person Must Be Reported and Coupons Surrendered

Consumers or non-registered boarding houses having in their possession the equivalent of more than one pound of butter for each person in the household, must before January 3, 1943, report their holdings to the nearest office of this Board. They must forward with their reports the number of butter coupons representing their butter holdings. If the quantity of butter in possession of such persons represents more than the eleven brown coupons in Ration Book No. 1, which will be good for butter, they must in their reports undertake to detach from future ration books, additional butter coupons equal to the remainder of the surplus.

Special Notice to Retailers

On and after December 28, retailers must establish their right to purchase new supplies of butter from their suppliers by turning over to the supplier currently valid ration coupons equivalent to the poundage of butter ordered from the suppliers.

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THE WARTIME PRICES AND TRADE BOARD

THERE ARE HEAVY PENALTIES FOR BREAKING THESE REGULATIONS

Church Notices

United Church
Rev. T. A. Halpenny, B. A. D. D.
Minister.

10.30 a.m.—Public Worship.
11.30 a.m., Sunday School Session.
3.00 p.m.—Service at Harmony.
7.30 p.m.—Public Worship.
Monday, 8.15 p.m.—The Y. P. S.
Wednesday, 7.30 p.m., Midweek Service for Prayer and Bible Study.

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. MacKinnon, B.A., Minister.

10.00 a.m., Sunday School.
11.00 a.m., Morning Worship.
2.30 p.m., Service at Winchester Springs.
7.30 p.m., Public Worship.
Miss Clara Irving, Organist and Choir Director.

Church of England

Holy Trinity, Chesterville, Holy Communion at 10.30 a.m.
St. Peter's Church, South Mountain, Evening Prayer at 3 p.m.
St. Matthias, Winchester, Even. Song at 7.30 p.m.
Rev. J. A. L. Ellacott, Rector.

Wesleyan Methodist Church

Preaching at 10.30 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
Wednesday, 7.30 p.m., Prayer Service.
Friday, 7.30 p.m., Young People's Meeting. A cordial welcome to all.
Rev. D. W. Summers. Pastor.

Baptist Church
Rev. R. F. Willson, Pastor.

10 a.m., Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—"Christ The Lord."
2.45 p.m., Service at South Gower.
7.30 p.m.—"Finally . . . ."
Wednesday, 7.30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting.

Wesleyan Methodist Church
Inkerman Charge.
Rev. L. M. McCorriston, Th. B. S. T. M.

10 a.m., Sunday School.
11 a.m.—Morning Worship.
7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic Service.
A Cordial Welcome To All.

MOREWOOD UNITED CHURCH
Rev. T. A. Woods, Pastor.

10.30 a.m., Public Worship.
7.30 p.m.—Worship Service.

Has your Subscription expired?

Classified Ad. Column

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FOR SALE—Black Fox Robe, suitable for cutter or car. In good condition—never used. For sale reasonable. Apply to Miss Mary Empey, Centre St., Winchester. 34-35p.

FOR SALE—1 Findlay Circulator, No. 25. Apply to Orlan Coughler, Winchester. 34-35p

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NOTICES

CARD OF THANKS—Mrs. Peter Wyatt wishes to thank the many friends and neighbours who were so kind to her during her recent illness. Everything was deeply appreciated. 34p

CARD OF THANKS—The family of the late John Lang wishes to thank the many friends and neighbours who were so kind to them during their recent sad bereavement, also those who sent flowers, cards, letters and other messages of sympathy. Special thanks is extended to Mrs. D. Hurley and Mr. J. McKee. 34p

CARD OF THANKS—For the kindness and sympathy extended to them during the illness and death of their beloved mother, the family of the late Mrs. Wm. Latimer wishes to express their sincere appreciation. 34p

INCOME TAX

Income Taxes for the year 1942 computed for each quarter and filed. Consultations.

John D. Stewart.
Mary Ker Stewart, B.Sc., M.A.
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Notice To Car Owners

Under the Government's New Regulations C. S. 4 J., we are still permitted to repair and Vulcanize a blowout or cut on all sizes of automobile or truck tires or tubes. We have good used tires: 600 x 16 and a few other sizes for sale. If you are eligible to buy used tires, call and see us. Farmers without trucks may purchase these tires. I can procure certain sizes in new tires for those eligible. Let us explain the tire regulations to you.

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WINCHESTER SPRINGS

Mrs. Wm. Barkley returned home from Cornwall Hospital and is progressing favourably.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Johnston and Mrs. Elburn McIntosh spent Saturday in Ottawa.

Mrs. Michael Casselman is spending a few days with her daughters, Mrs. Clarence Thompson and Mrs. Ward Whittaker.

Mrs. Joe Davidson spent Wednesday with her father at Dundela.

Mrs. A. E. Holmes returned to her home after spending a couple of weeks with Rev. and Mrs. Nathaniel Holmes, at Yarm, Que.

Mrs. O. Casselman spent Wednesday the guest of Mrs. A. Coleman, at Toyes Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Elburn McIntosh and Mrs. L. McIntosh spent one day recently in Ottawa.

Mrs. Aden Casselman entertained a few of the ladies to a quilting bee on Friday afternoon.

The many friends and neighbours in this community are pleased to know that Mr. Clifford Robinson is able to leave his room.

Mrs. Aden Casselman is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Riddell, at Dundela.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Steele and Ronald left for Hamilton, and while there will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Durant over the holidays.

CLOVERDALE

Mr. and Mrs. David Lamoureux, of Garrison, are visiting friends here.

Mrs. Hugh Porteous, of Ormond, spent one day last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stobo.

We are sorry to report that Mr. Chas. Dillabough is on the sick list.

Mrs. Ira Docksteader spent Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hughes.

Dr. Dalton Docksteader and Mr. Roy Cumming were visitors at the home of the former's parents, Mr. Thos. Docksteader, on Sunday.

Mr. Thos. Stobo spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dillabough.

Miss Doris Fawcett spent the week-end at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. A. B. Cinnamon.

The past week has been a trying time on the wood piles and coal bins.

The School and Red Cross Concert last Friday night was a real success.

CASS BRIDGE

Mrs. Archie York and daughter, of Nation Valley, spent a few days this week with her aunt, Mrs. Bernice Casselman.

Miss Mabel Robinson spent last week-end with friends in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Hogaboam spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Strader. Miss Audrey Strader returned home with them, after spending a few days here.

We are sorry to report Miss Helen Baker is confined to her home with the mumps.

Mr. James Bowman called on Mr. Frank Hogaboam on Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Durant spent Sunday with Mr .and Mrs. Ernest Durant.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Durant and Freida had dinner Sunday with Mrs. Florence McIntosh at Winchester Springs.

METCALFE

L. O. L. Annual Meeting

At the annual meeting of L. O. L. No. 205, held recently, the following officers were elected for 1943: Wor. Master, William A. Loney; Deputy Master, H. Pritchard; Chaplain, Rev. H. A. Bunt; rec. secretary, Fred Quaile; fin. secretary, John Warren; treasurer, Albert Stanley; marshal, Wm. H. Carson; lecturers, Harry C. Latimer, George E. Morris; Committee, Albert Stanley, J. E. Woods, Arthur Baker, A. R. Boland, R. R. Scharf.

W. M. S. Annual Meeting.

Mrs. H. A. Bunt was re-elected president of the Women's Missionary Society of Metcalfe United Church at the annual meeting, held on Tuesday evening. Reports of the year's activities were very encouraging, the financial statement showing increased contributions in spite of small membership.

Rev. H. A. Bunt presided for election of officers for 1943, who are: Vice presidents, Mrs. D. J. Kidney, Mrs. B. L. Reaney; secretary, Mrs. W. J. W. Woods; treasurer, Mrs. A. C. Blair; Community Friendship secretary, Mrs. Robt. McKeown; Christian Stewardship, Mrs. A. C. Casselman; Temperance and Citizenship, Mrs. A. J. Scrivens; Supply, Mrs. B. L. Reaney and Mrs. J. C. Byers; Missionary Monthly, Mrs. Robt. N. Woods; Associate Helpers, Mrs. D. J. Kidney; C. G. I. T. Leader, Mrs. R. A. F. Blair; Mission Band Leaders, Mrs. C. E. L. Morrow, Mrs. J. E. Craig; Baby Band, Mrs. H. A. Bunt; Pianists, Mrs. A. J. Scrivens and Mrs. R. A. F. Blair.

Mrs. James Lee Re-Elected.

Mrs. James Lee was re-elected President of Greely Unit of Osgoode Township War Services Committee at the annual meeting held recently.

Work convenors presented reports showing an increase in sewing and knitting work done during the year and the treasurer's statement gave cash receipts to be $151.85.

Other officers elected were: vice president, Mrs. J. O'Brien; secretary, Mrs. John Smith; treasurer, Mrs. Wm. Johnston; sewing convenors, Mrs. E. Scharfe and Mrs. F. Randall; knitting convenors, Mrs. W. Stanley and Mrs. Wm. Straby.

Late Mrs. Wm. R. Stanley

The funeral of the late Mrs. William R. Stanley, of Greely, was held on Friday from the family home to All Saints' Church, where service was conducted by Rev. R. R. Strachan. Interment was in the adjoining cemetery.

Mrs. Stanley died on Wednesday, after only a few hours' illness.

Formerly Bertha Woods, she was a daughter of Robert Woods and his wife, Amelia Brown, early settlers of Goulburn Township. Her entire married life was spent in Greely district, where she took an active interest in church and community work.

Surviving are her husband, two sisters, Mrs. M. Mudeman, McLeod, Alta, and Mrs. E. Brown, Kemptville; and one brother, David Woods, of Almonte,.

OBITUARY

LATE WM. ERNEST JAMIESON

Mr. William Ernest Jamieson, of Barford, Sask., who was a patient in the Queen Victoria Hospital, Yorkton, Sask., passed unexpectedly but peacefully away to his Eternal rest at noon on Friday, December 11th.

The late Mr. Jamieson was in his 54th year and was the youngest son of the late Mr. John Jamieson and his late wife, Sarah Rae. The remains arrived at Winchester on December 15th and were taken to the J. L. Dixon funeral parlours and brought out to the home the same afternoon.

The funeral service was held on Thursday afternoon at 2 p.m. at the home of his brother in Nation Valley.

The late Mr. Jamieson was a member of several men's organizations, and a liberal and enthusiastic supporter of sports and community activities. In politics, he was a staunvh Conservative, and in religion he was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

His pleasing and genial personality made for him a wide circle of friends everywhere. The late Mr. Jamieson spent most of the past thirty years in Western Canada, but came east several times to visit his old home and renew old acquaintances.

In the absence of the minister from St. Andrew's Church, Chesterville, Rev. Mr. MacKinnon, of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Winchester, conducted the funeral obsequies and spoke very comforting words from the text: "In my Father's House are many mansions." The service of song was under the direction of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Choir, Chesterville. Mrs. I. Cross sang "The Beautiful Land," a special favorite of the deceased. The hymns were the 19th Psalm and "Forever With the Lord."

The pall bearers were cousins of the deceased, Messrs. Donald, Malcolm, Norman annd Murray Rae.

Among the floral tributes were:

Pillows—Agnes, Helen, Jean and Charles; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Jamieson;

Basket—Aunt Ida and Cousins.

Wreaths—Mr. and Mrs. David Jamieson; O'Connell family; Buccaneer Golf Club; Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Munro; The Staff of Jamieson-Dansereau Ltd.

Sprays—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Halliwell; Mr. and Mrs. Enos Munro; St. Andrew's W. M. S.; St. Andrew's Church.

The family who survive are, three sisters, Mrs. J. A. Shaver, Misses Agnes and Helen Jamieson; four brothers, Mr. Jno. A. Jamieson, of Drinkwater, Sask.; Mr. Jas. Jamieson, Portland; Mr. David Jamieson, Montreal, and Mr. Chas. B. Jamieson of Winchester.

The remains were placed in the Vault at Maple Ridge Cemetery, awaiting interment in the Spring.

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Not lost, not dead, not gone, not even sleeping,
Tho' we have laid him in the grave with weeping,
No sharp despair our chastened hearts can fill
For he is with us still.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE JOHN HENRY LANG

The funeral of the late John Henry Lang, who was instantly killed in a motor accident on Monday last, was held in the United Church, Inkerman, at 1.30 o'clock on Wednesday, December 16th.

Rev. Mr. Gervin, pastor of Inkerman United Church officiated, using for his text, "A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches," speaking in very feeling words of the deceased. Rev. L. McCorriston, of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, assisted. Interment was in South Gower Cemetery.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. Willis Riddell, Frank Milne, Daniel Shaver, Ralph Allison, Frank Barkley and David Hurley.

Mr. Lang had been engaged in carpenter work for the Redfern Construction Company, and was spending his week-end at his home in Inkerman. He was enroute to Ottawa, accompanied by Miss Freda Fawcett, Misses Vivian and Lorna Timmins, all of Inkerman, when he was involved in a head-on collision with an Air Force Ambulance from Uplands, which proved fatal to him.

Mr. Lang was in his 56th year and moved to Inkerman three years ago from Vancamp where he had been engaged in farming for 26 years.

He was a lifelong member of the United Church and a devoted teacher of the Bible Class in Sunday School.

He was also a member of Mountain I. O. O.F. Lodge No. 315, for a number of years.

He was keenly interested in all social and public affairs in the community, and a kind father and loving husband.

The late Mr. Lang leaves to mourn his loss, besides his wife, the former Mabel Richmire, two sons, Chester Lang, of Ault's Creamery Staff, Winchester, and Lorne Lang, of the Phillips Plant, Brockville; three daughters, Miss Audrey, Reg. N., Protestant Children's Hospital, Ottawa; Mrs. Allan Ronson, Mountain, and Miss Norma, at home; and one sister, Mrs. Alex Adams (Margaret), of Eatonia, Sask.

The many floral tributes show the high esteem in which Mr. Lang was held by all who knew him:

Pillow—Wife, Audrey and Norma.

Wreaths—Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lang and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Lang, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Ronson; I. O. O. F. No. 315, Mountain; Inkerman Red Cross; The United Brotherhood of Carpenters Joiners, Local Union 93; The Boys from the Rubber Dept., Phillips Electrical.

Sprays—Mr. Henry Lang and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Raney and family; United Sunday School; The Y. P. U.; Staff of Protestant Children's Hospital, Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Herb Froats and family; Teachers and Pupils of S. M. C. S.; J. K. Ault; Vancamp Neighbors; Neighbors and Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Lang, Brockville.

Basket—Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Brady, Brockville.

G. M. ANNABLE, NATIVE OF WINCHESTER, PASSES IN WEST

Well known in the Kootenay because of his former business interests in this District, George Malcolm Annable, of Vancouver, died there Tuesday Dec. 8th, at the age of 84 years. Funeral services were to be conducted by Rev. F. P. Clark from the Nunn & Thompson Chapel on Thursday afternoon.

He was the brother of the late J. E. Annable, of Nelson, and of Humphrey F. Annable, now residing here, but formerly of South Alberta. At one time he had a lumber operation in the District, operated a mill in the Trail vicinity, and was in partnership with H. H. Clough, in a large ranch near Castlegar. The settlement of Annable adjoining Trail and Tadanac, was named for him.

Though born in Winchester, Ont., he came West as a young man, and always called Moose Jaw his home. He arrived at Moose Jaw a few months before the railway in 1882. There he shipped horses into the area, and shipped beef to Vancouver. Previously he had spent some time in Winnipeg and Broadview, Man.

Mr. Annable was a member of the North West Territories Legislature in 1901, and 1902, sitting for Moose Jaw, and later was a candidate for Parliament. In 1902 he formed the Saskatchewan Land Company, a company that bought half the acreage of 78 township from the C. P. R. From 1879 Mr. Annable had been a Freemason. He made his home at Vancouver a few years ago.

He leaves his wife; two daughters, Mrs. H. Adamson, at Winnipeg, and Mrs. L. B. Ness, at Camrose, Alta.; a son, George, a lawyer, at Vancouver; two brothers, H. F. Annable, at Nelson, and J. H. Annable, at Calgary.—Daily News, Nelson, B. C.

KARS NEWS

Christmas Concert Held.

The puipls of Kars Public School held their annual Christmas Concert on Wednesday night, Dec. 16th. The severity of the weather caused a smaller attendance, but there was a fair crowd of interested friends.

The concert was well presented. A cantata, which included pupils from both rooms, was well executed, and much credit is due the teachers, Mrs. Templeton, Miss B. McLeod and the music teacher, Mrs. Porteous.

Mr. C. Todd was chairman, and despite the cold weather, Santa Claus made his regular visit.

NORTH MOUNTAIN CON. SCHOOL REPORT

Grade I

James Beatty, Audrey Hyndman, Evelyn Taylor, Earl Roach, Margaret McGill, Janice Spong, Reginald Kerford, Ray Simzer, Anita Lawrence, Isobel Hoy, Kenneth Dillabough, Lester Andrews, John Bilow, Jack McCargar.

Grade II

Joyce Martin, Muriel Madden, Shirley Wylie, Velma Hoy, Donald Moorhouse, Dorothy Woods, Jean Carlyle, George Kerr, Fredrick Anderson, Ross Andrews, Victor Patenaude, Burl Bilow, Mary Billings, Lester Dillabough.

Miss Montgomery, Teacher

Grade III

Gweneth Beatty 73, Jackleen Billings 71, Albert Patenaude 67, George Juby 67, Muriel Kerr 66, Charles McGill 65, Gerald Milne 63, Clinton Coleman 59, Mervyn Allen 54, Robert Billings 53.

Grade IV

Donalda Lawrence 81, Evelyn Desjardin 77, Helen Hoy, 76, Violet Rodford 75, Charles Simzer 69, Nettie Kerr 68, Alex Richardson 67, Lloyd Madden 65, Gordon Billings 64 Jessie Hoy 64, Bernice Kerr 60, George Billings 51.

Marion Pollock, Teacher.

Grade V

Barry Powell 84.9, Lila Beatty 84.8, Edwin Taylor 81.8, Sylvia Black 81.3, Elma Cumming 77.4, Marion Allen 75.8, Eric Evans 67.8, Reta Crowder 62.1.

Grade VI

Donna Hyndman 87.7, Jean Kelso 77.8, Marion Milne 76.8, Bill Hyndman 74.1, Donald Poole 68.4, Ernest Anderson 68.2, Frank MacDonald 57.6. Willie Skuce 55.2, Martha Kerr 53.7, Howard Madden 50.5, Gordon Hoy 47.8, Bruce Cumming 46.9.

G. D. Kerford, Teacher.

Grade VII

Georgena Evans, Clarence Morgan, Ross Taylor, Hilda Hoy, Jack Milne, Donald Allen.

Grade VIII

Bobby Beggs, Georgena Hoy, Marion Coleman, Elva McGill, Jean Taylor, Margaret Allen, Barbara Loughlin, Lorraine Ford, Betty Andrews, Dwight Cumming.

W. R. Lennox, Principal.

HARMONY PUBLIC SCHOOL REPORT

Grade V—*Donald Merkley 86, John Kennedy 85, *Eddie Servais 84.
Grade IV—Edna Merkley 96, Jessie Carkner 95, Jean Poole 92, Shirley Acres 89.
Grade III—Billie Carkner 80.
Grade II—Thressa Servais 75.
Grade I—Bobby Porteous, Douglas Helmer, Helen Helmer.
"*" means absent for 1 exam.

Mrs. Lawrence Helmer, Teacher

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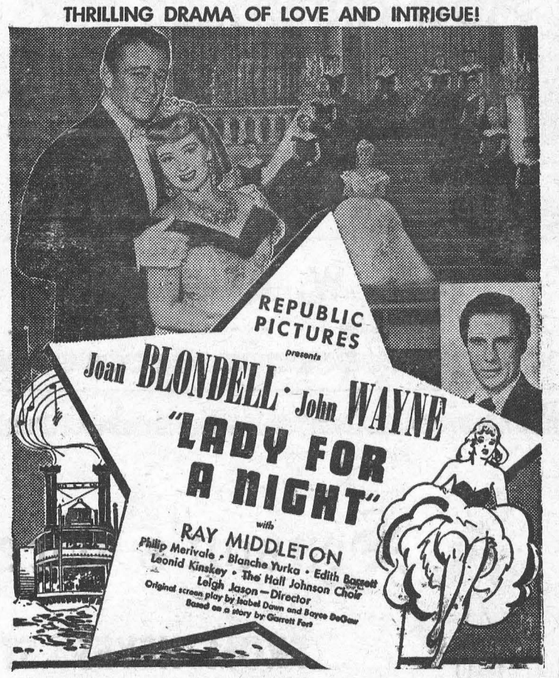

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY



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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Jas. H. Ross is spending the Christmas season with relatives in Kingston.

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Sgt. Harold (Chub) Workman is spending the Christmas holidays at his home here.

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Messrs. William Spinks and James Spinks, of Toronto, are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Spinks.

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Miss Betty Crowder, who has been spending the past five months with her sister, Mrs. Russell Harris, Toronto, has returned home.

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Staff Sgt. Willis Marquette, of the R.C.O.C., Debert, N. S., spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Marquette.

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Mrs. (Dr.) H. B. Marshall and daughter, Mary, of Toronto, are spending Christmas with the former's parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Halpenny.

WINCHESTER SPRINGS L. A.

The Ladies' Aid of Knox Church, Winchester Springs, met at the home of Mrs. Earl Johnson recently. Mrs. P. Walker, president, opened the meeting with a hymn, and Mrs. Joe Davidson led in prayer. Mrs. Walker the Mission Study.

It was then discussed and decided to remember the boys of Knox Church who were in uniform with a Christmas gift. Boxes have already been packed and sent to those who are overseas.

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Some Christmas parcels were sold and a social hour was then spent. Sandwiches, pie and apples were passed.

CASS BRIDGE RED CROSS

The following list of goods completed during the year by Cass Bridge Red Cross Unit, was unintentionally omitted from the report in last week's Press:

6 girls' jumpers, 2 girls' tailored coats, 6 hospital coats, 4 men's shirts, 22 baby diapers, 20 baby nightgowns, 11 prs. boys' trousers, 20 girls' blouses, 14 boys' blouses, 1 skirt, 92 face masks, 9 jersey jackets, 3 men's bed jackets, 8 men's dressing gowns, 2 girls' jumpers, 1 doz. bandages.

A Ditty Bag, valued at $6.75, was also filled by this unit, and a box sent overseas to one of our boys during this last year.

CHRISTMAS COMES AGAIN

Once again we welcome in the happy
Christmas time,
Hopefully we listen to the joy-bells'
merry chime;
How their happy clamour seems to
banish grief and pain,
Chiming, "Joy be with you, for old
Christmas comes again."

Once again we gather round the
yulelog's cheery blaze,
Happily on all the faces dear to us
we gaze;
As the sparks fly upward, we can
hear the bells' refrain:
"Love and Peace be with you, for
old Christmas comes again."

Whistling winds and snow-wreaths
cannot reach the ingleside.
Home, sweet home, is weeter now,
where love and joy abide;
From each happy homestead, as the
bells sing their refrain,
Send forth Peace and Goodwill, for
old Christmas comes again.

—Alice Wise.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbours who so greatly assisted us at, and since the fire, which destroyed our home; also for the many gifts of clothing, bedding, fruit, vegetables, etc.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Hoy and Family. 34c

LOCAL AND DISTRICT NEWS

Christmas Church Services.

Christmas Services were held in most local churches on Sunday last, but the extreme cold weather kept a lot of people from attending. In St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, the special Christmas Services are being held on Sunday. December 27th.

Anglican Church Services.

Christmas Services will be held in the Anglican Churches of the district as follows: St. Matthias' Church, Winchester, at 11.45 o'clock on Christmas eve; St. Peter's Church, South Mountain, at 9.00 a.m. Christmas morning; Holy Trinity Church, Chesterville, at 10.30 o'clock Christmas Day.

Observes 96th Birthday.

The Press joins in extending congratulations to Mrs. Elizabeth Powell, mother of Mrs. F. F. Davidson, who on Tuesday, December 22nd, observed her 96th birthday. Mrs. Powell, in spite of her advanced years, is still enjoying fairly good health. She has been residing here with her daughter, for some time.

Send Us Your Personals.

The Press is anxious to have a complete list of holiday visitors for its next issue. If you have Christmas or New Year's visitors, let us know as early in the week as possible. If you are leaving town for the Christmas holidays—let us know about it. Send your personal items in without delay or phone 21 or 103.

Many Have Arrived Overseas.

While no official word has yet been received by their families here, it is believed that Lieut. Sam Ault and Lieut. G. D. (Bud) Utman were among the Canadian Forces which arrived overseas on Tuesday. The arrival of the convoy has been made public and it is known that a number of boys from this district were among the troops it carried.

"The Silver Cloud"

The above is the title of Dorothy Sproule's latest book of poems, a complimentary copy of which was received by the Press this week. The booklet contains a fine collection of Mrs. Sproule's latest poems, and is a credit to the poetess, who is rated among the best on the continent today. To Mrs. Sproule, we wish to express our appreciation for a copy of "The Silver Cloud."

Home Destroyed By Fire.

In the sub-zero temperature of last Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Hoy and family, who reside a short distance from Mountain, were forced out of their home when it was completely destroyed by fire. The blaze, which is believed to have started from overheated stovepipes, occurred after three of the children had gone to bed. The fire spread so rapidly that the youngsters were unable to don all their clothing, and were rushed to the home of neighbours, in what attire the parents could get their hands on. Some of the household furnishings on the lower floor were saved. The children were awakened by the smoke and they gave the alarm to their parents, who were downstairs.

HARMONY W. M. S.

The annual meeting of the Harmony W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. Roy Docksteader, with the President, Mrs. Emerson Lough, presiding. The meeting opened with a hymn, and prayer was offered by the President. The Scripture reading, Matt. 2, 1-12, was read by Mrs. Henry W. Cinnamon.

A reading entitled, "Only A Boy," was given by Mrs. Hugh Porteous. A poem, "There Was No Room," was read by Mrs. Ira Docksteader. Two readings were then given: "Today in Old Jerusalem," by Mrs. Wallace Cinnamon, and "Soldier and Slave," by Mrs. Gordon Cumming. A hymn was sung, followed by readings by Mrs. T. Docksteader and Mrs. Benson George.

The election of officers followed the secretary's and treasurer's reports, and resulted as follows:

President, Mrs. Emerson Lough; vice president, Mrs. Tom Docksteader; secretary, Mrs. Gordon Cumming; treasurer, Mrs. Benson George; organist and mite box secretary, Mrs. Chas. Dillabough.

The Mizpah Benediction was repeated in unison, after which the meeting closed with the singing of a hymn.

WEDDINGS

GRIFFIN—SMITH

The marriage of Miss Gladys Mary Smith, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Smith, of Smiths Falls, to Mr. Harold Edward Griffin, only son of Mrs. P. Sercion and the late Mr. Griffin, of Gananoque, was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, 149 Main St. E., Smiths Falls, on Friday, December 18th. Rev. J. G. B. Armstrong, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiated. Mrs. Armstrong played the wedding music.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and was attended by her sister, Miss Jean Smith, as bridesmaid. Mr. Clarence Griffin, uncle of the groom, was best man.

The bride wore a street length dress of Royal blue crepe appliqued with white wool flowers. Her corsage bouquet was pink roses.

The bridesmaid chose a street length frock of beige crepe and wore a shoulder bouquet of red rosebuds.

The bride's mother wore a street length dress of blue crepe with a shoulder bouquet of red rose-buds.

Mrs. P. Sercion, mother of the groom, wore a gown of black crepe appliqued with white, and a shoulder bouquet of red roses.

The rooms were decorated with pink and white streamers, and pink and white baby 'mums.

Following the ceremony, a wedding luncheon was served. After a short honeymoon, the young couple will take up residence in Gananoque.

Wins Cheese Trophy.

For the second consecutive year, Mr. Garnet Summers, son of Mrs. Maude Summers and the late Almon Summers, has been awarded a beautiful silver cup for making the highest scoring cheese in the Province of Alberta. Garnet is a cheesemaker at the Raymond Co-operative Cheese Factory, which recently opened a new plant valued at $15,000. It is located at Raymond, Alberta.

Rink Open For Christmas.

Unless the weather turns unusually mild, the local arena will open for the season on Christmas afternoon. The cold weather of the past week has enabled the caretaker to lay a good sheet of ice and everything is set for the opening on Christmas afternoon. For season's tickets, apply to Mr. H. L. Flora. There is nothing definite about the formation of a hockey league yet, but town league officials have high hopes of getting one started early in January.

Suffers Sprained Ankle.

Mrs. Duncan McMartin, of the Vernon district, suffered a severely sprained ankle, on Wednesday evening last, when the taxi in which she was a passenger, crashed into the rear end of a Colonial Coach, which was stopped at Greely. The taxi was carrying two passengers who were trying to catch the bus, which they missed at Ottawa. The other passenger was a Cornwall resident, who was not injured. The driver of the taxi was Mrs. Georgina Lebresque, of Ottawa, employed as a driver for Robert Dickie Taxi Cabs. As she pulled up behind the parked bus, she applied her brakes, but owing to the slippery condition of the highway, the car didn't stop until it crashed into the bus.

Mrs. McMartin received medical aid from a Metcalfe physician before returning to her home.

In the crash, the motor of the bus was damaged somewhat, and it was necessary for another bus to be despatched from Ottawa to Greely, where the passengers were transferred. As a result, the bus was two hours late when it arrived here.

SOUTH MOUNTAIN

We are pleased to know that Paul Morrow is home again after his recent operation at Brockville Hospital.

The euchre, which was held in the I. O. O. F. Hall last Wednesday evening was largely attended and a pleasant evening spent by all. The prizes were won by Mrs. Victor Barton and Mr. Grant McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thompson, Jr., are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thompson, Sr.

Mr. Chas. Hyndman's many friends are pleased to have him in their midst during his stay. Mr. Hyndman is in training at Vancouver.

The many friends were sorry to learn of Mr. Archie Levere being stricken ill, and wish for his recovery.

Miss Glenna Murdock, of Mountain, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. A. Marriner.

There passed away at his home at Carleton Place, Mr. Calvin W. Moore, one of the town's leading grocers for the past twenty-five years. He was in his 52nd year. Deceased was a son of Mr. Abe Moore and the late Mrs. Moore, of South Mountain, where he spent his early boyhood. He was a nephew of Mr. John Hunter, of town.

Social Evening Held.

On Tuesday evening, December 15, a social eveining, in connection with the Y. P. U., was held at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Buchanan. No business was discussed, as the meeting was entirely a social evening. Mrs. Buchanan had charge of the evening, and several contests were held. Refreshments, consisting of coffee and cookies, were served. A vote of thanks to Mrs. Buchanan, extended by Mabel Vancamp, was seconded by a hearty applause. The meeting closed with the singing of "God Save the King."

South Mountain W. I.

The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. J. Morrow for the December meeting. The president, Mrs. H. Barry, presided, and Mrs. T. W. Robinson, the secretary, assisted. The roll call, "How to make someone happy at Christmas," was answered by 19 ladies. Mrs. Robt. Robinson gave the Red Cross report.

A committee was appointed to write the boys overseas, composed of Mrs. Asa Scott, Mrs. Robert Robinson and Mrs. A. McCrae. Mrs. T. B. Lunny reported for the sick and visiting committee.

It was decided to invite Brinston W. I. back to put on their play for the Red Cross the first week in January.

The following ladies were appointed as Red Cross convenors: Mrs. G. Mulholland, Mrs. F. E. Gilroy, Mrs. Asa Berry, Mrs. R. Berry and Mrs. M. Moore.

The executive had charge of the programme. Mrs. F. R. Barrigar gave a very interesting demonstration on making "A Substitute for Butter." Mrs. Roy Graham gave a reading on the work of Sister Elizabeth Kenney on "Infantile Paralysis." Current events were given by Mrs. Justin Morrow. Mrs. Roy Graham gave reports from the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, and distributed some news letters. Mrs. G. Mulholland gave a demonstration on making a filling for a lemon pie. The meeting closed with The National Anthem.

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Village of Winchester Nomination Meeting

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Electors of the Village of Winchester for the Nomination of Reeve, Councillors, and Public School Trustees, for the Village of Winchester, for the year 1943, will be held in the Town Hall in the Village of Winchester on Monday, December 28th, 1942, between the hours of 7.00 and 8.00 o'clock in the evening.

If a greater number of candidates qualify than are necessary to fill the several offices, a poll will be opened at the several polling places in the Village of Winchester on Monday, January 4th, 1943, at the hour of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and remain open until 5 o'clock in the afternoon to receive the votes of the Electors.

Dated at Winchester this 16th day of December, 1942.

EDWARD M. SHAVER,
33-34c Returning Officer.

Winchester Skating Rink To Open Soon

Why Not Join In The Fun Right From The Start?

Season Tickets are now available at H. L. Flora's Store or at the refreshment booth at the rink, which are good at all times except at Hockey Matches or on Special Occasions, at the following prices:

Gentlemen	$3.00
Ladies	$2.50
Children, under 14 years	$2.00
Family of Two	$5.00
Family of Three	$6.50
Family of Four or More	$8.00
Two or more children in one Family, under 14 yrs.,	$1.50 each

GENERAL ADMISSION

Skating—Adults, 20c; Children, 10c

Town League Hockey—Adults, 15c; Children, 10c. (If League operates).

Music will be furnished for skating every night by a loud-speaker system, which is being installed in the rink.

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ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

Effective December 21st to January 5th inclusive, the fifty-mile limit on interurban bus travel will be suspended for uniformed members of the three armed services: army, navy, air force, and for the R. C. M. P.

Colonial Coach Lines Limited were forced to make drastic curtailments to many of their services following application of the fifty-mile travel limit, and many drivers have left our employ.

We therefore do not now have the driving staff to restore our services to a "pre-order" status and naturally cannot assemble the staff just to give services for such a brief period. Furthermore, we have transferred many of our coaches to other territories.

We respectfully request that members of the armed forces or R. C. M. P. who are considering travelling by bus should, in order to avoid any disappointment, contact their nearest bus agency and ascertain what services are being provided and the amount of accommodation available.

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To you, thereefore, as a loyal friend, we say "Thank you—Thank you sincerely."

Our wishes are: "A Merry Christmas and a New Year full of Health, Happiness and Prosperity to you."

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Season's Greetings

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