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TRUCK SPEEDING AT TIME OF ACCIDENT INQUEST FINDS

A coroner's inquest was held in the town hall, Iroquois, yesterday in connection with the death of John Whittle on June 22 last. County Coroner Dr. Peter McLaughlin of Winchester presided, assisted by Crown Attorney J. G. Harkness, K. C., Cornwall.

The verdict returned was as follows: "We, the undersigned jurors, find that John Whittle came to his death on the 22nd of June, 1937, as the result of a collision with a truck driven by Arthur Osborne at an excessive rate of speed at the intersection of College and Mary streets in the village of Iroquois."

Dr. J. R. Miller and Dr. E. H. Marcellus testified that the cause of death was a fractured skull. Other witnesses included Rufus Barton, Joseph Brontmir, Mrs. Sarah Everett Mrs. Alex. Armstrong, Harry Walker and Arthur Osborne.

The jury was composed of J. W. Marcellus, foreman, James Safford, Dwight Hamilton, Ira Beckstead George A. Bouck, Ernest Mills, Alton Locke, Edward Strader and Colin Cameron.

M. C. I. EXAMINATIONS

Class A indicates over 75 per cent Class B indicates over 66 per cent, Class C indicates over 60 per cent, Class D indicates over 50 per cent, Class E indicates over 40 per cent, Class F indicates under 40 per cent. This report covers all subjects and parents are reminded that first and second room promotion in June requires 60 per cent. Students who were recommended last June but not promoted completely are liable to be put back one room in some subjects at the beginning of the new year. Parents are asked to confer with the principal in the cases of students with too low a standing. Parents are invited to come to the school at any time.

Form V—
Class A—P. Garlough, S. Martin, M. Blancher.
Class B—E. J. Holmes, W. Meyer, G. Larmour, R. Phillips, A. Colquhoun.
Class C—D. Bowman, I. Pharaoh R. Merkley, M. Cameron, B. Finnie. K. Saddlemire, T. Wells, Betty Weston.
Class D—L. Marcellus, L. Sypes, E. Reddick, D. Weir, Blanche Weston.
Class E—C. Casselman, J. Hunter, M. McEwen.

Form IV—
Class A—B. Smith.
Class B—H. Barkley.
Class C—E. Larmour, R. Robinson, H. Robinson, R. Locke, M. Salmon.
Class D—P. Laurin, G. Coons and W. Coons equal; J. Robertson, J. MacDonald, J. Devaul, A. Hawkshaw, C. Wingard, O. McHaffie
Class E—E. Locke, R. Mattice, L. Carr, E. McMillan.

Form III—
Class B—M. Laurin, A. Smith.
Class C—M. Loucks, G. Carkner, C. Crober.
Class D—L. Laurin, M. Adey, M. Dewland, L. Foulds, Betty McIntosh Bert McIntosh, R. Foulds, I. Cochrane, R. Beckstead.
Class E—F. Weir, R. Reid, G. Barlow, and R. Colquhoun, equal; B. McGruer, M. Deeks.
Class F—M. Wells, I. Tuttle, E. Jarvis.

Form II—
Class A—C. Blancher.
Class B—A. Cochrane, R. Bowman
Class C—M. Gordier, J. Hummell, D. Reddick, R. Loucks, L. Clark.
Class D—R. Hummell, J. Carr P. Garland, E. Barclay, G. Froats, K. Utman J. Silman, M. Adams, G. Norval, M. Hill and M. Martin and N. Willard equal; E. Sypes, G. Bellefeuille, V. Robinson, P. Cochrane, R. Casselman, R. Colquhoun.
Class E—R. Warne, D. Robinson I. Deeks.
Class F—E. O'Shaughnessy.

Grade IX—
Class A—B. Gorrell
Class B—K. O'Brien; D. Becksted and M. Currie equal; C. Clark, A. Hawkshaw.
Class C—R. McKoy, B. Finnie D. McIntosh, D. Hutt, C. Merkley and K. Hawkshaw, equal, H. Cronmiller, A. Kerr and J. Cassell and B. Price, equal, H. Waldroff.
Class D—J. Merkley, S. Duval, E. Coligan, D. Zeron, D. Garland, M. O'Shaughnessy, F. Devaul, G. Crober, G. Lewis, I. Ing. H. Casselman, G. McPherson, and G. Bellefeuille equal; J. Coyle, J. Stubbs, R. Cameron, E. Eamon, R. Mullin, D. Barkley, R. Merkley,
Class E—D. Robinson, G. Froats, M. Larmour, R. Mattice, G. Whitteker D. Casselman.

Commercial Forms—
Senior Class—
Class B—D. McDonald.
Class C—D. Shennette, F. Devaul
Class D—D. Adams, E. Timmins.
Junior Class—
Class A—M. Clark, L. Jubb, J. Brodbeck, L. Robinson.
Class B—G. Foulds, J. Beckstead
Class C—D. Dawley, M. Dain, G. Casselman.
Class D—N. O'Shaughnessy.
Class E—J. Robertson, N. Dillon.
Class F—J. Gordier.

TO RENT

Two rooms with toilet, and three rooms with toilet; one brick house, 6 rooms, with bath. Also a five-room appartment with bath and hardwood floor on first flat. Possession Jan. 1st, 1938.

MRS. L. MALLEN.

WILLIAMSBURG FIRE DAMAGE IS $3,000

Fire, that for a time threatened the entire business section of Williamsburg, swept through the American Grill just before midnight Wednesday night, causing damage estimated at about $3,000, partly covered by insurance. The fire was brought under control about 1.10 Thursday morning with the assistance of local residents who formed a bucket brigade.

Starting in the attic of the two-storey frame structure, the blaze had a good start before it was noticed. It is believed to have been caused from an overheated stovepipe. A passerby, seeing smoke pouring from the roof about 11.30 rushed into the restaurant where the proprietor, David Lee, and his staff of four were serving a number of customers.

The alarm was quickly sounded and about 50 of the residents of the town formed a bucket brigade, bringing water from nearby wells. Six sturdy young men climbed ladders placed against the side of the building and pulled the buckets of water up with ropes, pouring them through holes they had made in the roof.

The fire, which at first, seemed to be confined to the back of the upper part of the building, quickly spread and the firefighters had a hard battle to keep the flames from spreading to nearby frame dwellings.

A number of the residents assisted in carrying refrigerators, stoves, tables, phonographs, dishes and other kitchen equipment from the building and very little of the contents of the lower part of the cafe were lost.

Town Constable L. Riddle, Provincial Officer Frank Rose of Morrisburg and County Constable A. Becker assisted in keeping the large crowd which turned out from getting in the way of the volunteer firemen.

The building is the property of Mrs. Claude Merkley of Toronto.

MRS. RICHARD WINETT

Residents of Morrisburg were shocked to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. Richard Winnett in Montreal on Sunday morning, December 12th.

Mrs. Winnett, the former Miss Annie Eliza Hummell, was born in Johnstown, Ont., 51 years ago, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hummell. When very young, the family moved to Morrisburg, where she resided until she married Mr. Winnett. After her marriage she moved to Whitman, Mass. She lived there for over a year, when she again returned to Morrisburg. About five years ago the family moved to Montreal where Mr. Winnett accepted a position with the Steel Co. of Canada.

A brief service was held in Montreal, on Monday afternoon, the remains being brought to Morrisburg on Monday night. The funeral service was held in St. James Anglican Church on Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. Sidney B. Holmes, Rector officiating. The remains were laid to rest in the Anglican cemetery.

While in Morrisburg, Mrs. Winnett was a member of St. James Church and always a faithful and tireless worker. She was for many years a member of St. James choir.

Surviving are her husband, three sons, Charles, Thomas and Carl; and four brothers: William, Herman and Charles, of Morrisburg, and Frank of Hamilton.

Among the relatives from out of town who attended the funeral were: Frank Hummell of Hamilton; Mrs. Harry Brown of Rockland and Mr. Charles Seymour of Prescott.

The pall-bearers were: John Harback, Edward Jones, Gilbert Jones Ernest Deeks, William Duvall and Ralph Hummell.

S. S. S. ANNUAL MEETING

The S.S.S. Class held their annual meeting on Thursday, Dec. 16th at the home of Mrs. Wiggins. The President, Miss Van Allen, ably filled the chair. The general routine of business was transacted. The president declared all offices vacant. Then followed the election of officers:

Teacher—Mrs. Merrill, assisted by Mrs. Hilliard, Mrs. G. H. Smith and Miss Carter.
Honorary Pres.—Mrs. Woodlands.
President—Miss Van Allen.
1st Vice-Pres.—Mrs. F. Hummell.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Timmins.
Rec. Sec.—Miss A. Barclay.
Treasurer—Mrs. Wiggins.
Corresponding Sec.—Mrs. L. Mullin.
Missionary Sec.—Miss C. Carter.
Emergency Sec.—Miss J. Taylor.

After business was attended to we enjoyed Carol Singing and Duet by Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Smythe. This was followed by some charades and a contest.

The ladies sat down to very dainty refreshments and a social time was enjoyed. A vote of thanks was tendered the hostess by Mrs. Merrill.

M. C. I. COMMENCEMENT

The Annual Commencement Exercises will be held in the Morrisburg Collegiate Institute, on Monday and Tuesday evenings, Dec. 20th and 21st

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Worthwhile Hobby

Mrs. Albert Matthews, new "first lady" of Ontario, admits her most important hobby is her husband. Husbands in general will appreciate such leadership.—Niagara Falls Review.

Sensible Decision

Able-bodied single men who refuse to work in Northern Ontario timber and pulpwood camps are refused relief by the Government. It is a sensible decision.—Ottawa Journal.

Canada's Farmers Lead

Canada has retained the world wheat championship at the Chicago International Exhibition. In addition the crowns for barley and oats have come to this country. Canadian farmers are still second to none.—London Free Press.

A Super-Toothache

The international situation is like an ulcerated jaw. And it starts up reflex actions in three teeth, Italy, Germany and Japan, either singly of all together, so that one doesn't know exactly where to lay the finger on the cause. It is a super toothache.—Hamilton Spectator.

Home-Owners Wanted

Not quite half of the householders of Stratford now own their homes. Moreover, the trend is downward. Which is not a healthful situation. A community of home-owners is the ideal toward which civic administration should direct its efforts.—Stratford Beacon-Herald.

Sports and Morals

A sporting city is generally a good moral city. The promotion of sports is both a civic and social duty. You promote civic patriotism by keeping the boys interested in home sports. Be a good sport and support the games. A good bunch of rooters helps to create a winning spirit. — Guelph Mercury.

Government Ad Absurdum

That the number of Canadian governing bodies—28,000—could be cut by two-thirds or at least by half must be apparent to every serious citizen taking the time took over the situation. Indeed, the more one thinks of it the greater the puzzle becomes. Why have we been so cool and indifferent toward the building up of such a vast number of organizations to handle public money? No matter how good the intention, you must have serious overlapping and extravagance under such a system.—Windsor Star.

Till the Next Depression

But it is all very discouraging to the man on the street. While the depression was at its height—or should it be depth?—we used to hear politicians and money magnates declare that a new system would have to be devised so that such a disaster could never, never occur again. Cheerfully, as the curve of business swung upward, they began to present us each with his own plan for assuring future immunity from the unhappier consequences of the economic cycle. And now when we believe we have emerged from the woods what do we find? The reformers are putting their plans back into pigeon holes and the financiers are in a huddle talking of how to soften the blow when the next depression comes.—Calgary Albertan.

"Lifer" Is Given Six More Months

"Additional" Half Year Added to Life Term When Prisoner Assaults Guard

KINGSTON.—Already serving a life sentence for attempted murder, Pasquella Ferratti, 36-year-old Italian, was sentenced to serve "six additional months" for getting drunk and assaulting a prison steward.

'He did not knock me down, but my head rang for a week," Assistant Steward Frank Ellis told Magistrate Ambrose Shea.

Ellis, who is in charge of the vegetable cellar at the big prison, said he had found a pail of brew-mash hidden among the potatoes and carrots. Ferratti, considerably intoxicated, came along just as the discovery was made and swung at Ellis with a powerful right fist.

Ferratti told the court he had obtained the "home brew from someone else," but that he had drunk "plenty."

Some of the most delicious of the seventy or so different varieties of da·; cannot be packed for export. They can only be eaten where they grow.

"It is the man who does not expect too much who is always happy."—Lin Yutang.

THE EMPIRE

Anglo-U.S. Deal

Britain will make a trade pact with the United States. There are many reasons for welcoming it. Friendship follows trade, and Britain and America need to be friends. The talks on which the terms of this New Deal will be based have been communicated to the Dominion Governments. At all stages they have been informed and, so far, no objections. British trade policy now rests (since the Ottawa Trade Treaties 1932) on three bases. First comes the British producer; next the Empire producer; third the foreign producer. If the new pact gives preference to the Americans above all other non-British traders, the Daily Express will welcome it. There are ways in which American industry and agriculture are complementary to our own. But let's be plain. Ottawa stands.—London Daily Express.

Sees Two Menaces

An amusing commentary of these claims to champion mankind against the Soviet menace is forthcoming in resolutions passed by a body calling itself the India Independence League of Japan, with headquarters at Tokio. This body, whose president is Mr. Rash Bihari Bose—a character whose patriotism is shown by the fact that he has become a naturalized Japanese citizen—has resolved as follows. "Whereas true happiness and contentment cannot reign among the peoples of Asia till British Imperialistic and Russian Communistic influence and domination are completely put an end to . . . this League hereby earnestly requests China to cease hostilities immediately, make up with Japan, and present a united front against British Imperialism and Russian Communism, both of which are a great menace to humanity."—Times of India.

Canada Lacking In Self-Reliance

Not Thrown Enough on Own Resources, Says Regina Editor

WINNIPEG, — Canada has come through a series of great physical achievements "but one of our troubles is that we have not been thrown enough on our own mental resources," D. B. MacRae, of Regina, declared, who addressed the Winnipeg St. Andrew's Society's 66th annual celebration of St. Andrew's Day at which the Hon. Norman Armour, United States Minister to Canada, spoke of Scottish history and related anecdotes of Scotland to the audience of nearly 600.

"What is it about that little country of Scotland that inspires such devotion — what quality in its air, what colour in its hills or sound in its streams that keeps it so fragrant in the memory of its sons and daughters?" asked Mr. Armour. "It is a sentiment all of its own."

Mr. Armour said that lowering the trade barriers was the first step towards eliminating discord among the nations.

Democracies Must Unite

"It is naturally foolish to erect barriers between nations and expect cooperation and understanding to follow," he said on his arrival here to address the St. Andrew's dinner.

He stressed the urgency of Great Britain, the United States, France and Canada coming as close together as possible. "I believe that never before in history has it been so essential for the democracies of the world to be as clearly united as possible," he said.

A fossilized crab, probably more than 50,000,000 years old, has been unearthed during excavation work on the Highgate Tube extension, London, England.

Number One Trotter of the Current Year



Greyhound, owned by E. J. Baker, is the fastest trotter now alive. He tied the world trotting mark for the mile, 1:56, recently.

Scientist Urges Study Of Life's Prolongation

Dr. Alexis Carrel Says That "Inner Time" Regulates Our Length of Existence.

Dr. Alexis Carrel, Rockefeller Institute scientist, who made small colonies of cells virtually immortal, last week forecast a new step in longer human life, by regulating "inner time," the human clock, whose hours are set by the blood and tissues.

Dr. Carrel spoke to the annual convention of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents. He proposed a new kind of scientific institute to study the process of ageing.

Body Must Have More Resistance

"The problem of longevity," he said, "is entering a new period of its history. So far increase in duration of life has resulted from hygiene and medicine. But these have nearly completed their work."

A few more discoveries, like preventing heart disease and cancer, he said, will bring further longevity, possibly to average into the 70's.

"Thereafter," he continued, "further lengthening of human existence will demand a new method. True prolongation will require improvement of the quality of tissues and blood; that is, more resistance to the body wearing out."

40 As Old As 60

This will be done by discovering how to regulate what Dr. Carrel named "inner time", also called the "physiological clock," by which some persons of 40 are really as old as others of 60.

The hands of this clock are the blood, its works are the tissues, its mainspring perhaps the mind. Its hours are age, and these have different lengths in different persons. This accounts, Dr. Carrel said, for the fact that the days of childhood seem very long, those of maturity and senescence disconcertingly rapid,

"Time Within Ourselves"

"Our time," he declared, "is not an outside event. It flows within ourselves."

That one of these hours can last indefinitely, perhaps forever, has been demonstrated at the Rockefeller Institute. But in a complex human being, for reasons not yet known, the hours do not last, even though, the well-known differences point to the possibility.

As an example of the hour that never ends, Dr. Carrel said a colony of tissue cells—that is, a bit of living flesh separated from the body—will live in a drop of serum. Left alone, the cells soon show signs of growing old. But if the waste products of the cells are not allowed to accumulate, "senescence and death are indefinitely postponed."

A bit of chicken embryo, taken from a heart in 1912, washed every few days ever since, is still growing as actively as twenty-five years ago at the institute.

News In Review

Urged to Forget Russia

BUCHAREST, Rumania — King Carol II and Premier George Tatarescu were reported to have warned French Foreign Minister Yvon Delbos last week that France must choose between close collaboration with Soviet Russia and faithful military support from Rumania.

Loyalist Victory

MADRID— Loyalist anti-tank gun crews were reported by the War Office to have blown to bits a squadron of "whippet" tanks which led a surprise rebel attack on positions in the Sierra Nevada Mountains southeast of Granada, last week-end.

The tank attack against the Government lines around Portugos and Pitres, 22 miles below Granada along the Trevelez River, was launched after rebel infantry suffered heavy losses in two attempts to storm the well-fortified loyalist positions.

More Violence in Palestine

JERUSALEM— New acts of violence, including an attempt to bomb a freight train were reported in Palestine last week.

A bomb was discovered on the railway line between Jerusalem and Lydda shortly before a freight train passed over the spot. During its journey from Jerusalem to Lydda, the train was subjected to terrorist rifle fire. There were no casualties, however.

Terrorists again cut the Iraq pipeline, this time in the Jordan Valley. The agitators set fire to the oil which flowed from the breach.

News Parade

Commentary on the Highlights of the Week's News . . . by Peter Randal

BOOST FOR CANADA: "A fortnight's holiday on the east coast of Canada would give better value for the money spent, than a month in many overcrowded Continental resorts". Thus spoke the Duke of Gloucester to a Canada Club dinner last week in London, adding the hope that he and the Duchess might be able to come here in the near future. If the Duke had no real intention of sojourning in Canada, and made the remark merely to seem pleasant and agreeable, he will now be put rather on the spot, poor chap. At any rate his statement is a good advertisement for Canada, as a holida[illegible] resort.

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SHOWMANSHIP: A writer in the Toronto Financial Post leads a timely discussion of Canada's sad lack of "showmanship". The fifth largest trading nation of the world has fallen down badly, he says, in national advertisement. The exposition is suggested as a good medium. At the Paris show this year, our exhibits lacked the punch and glamor of modern showmanship — they "missed the boat", seemed dull and old-fashioned among more clever contemporaries. They overplayed the Indian, the trapper and the things of yesteryear when they should have told of our present development and the promise of the future. Canada will have other chances, however, at the Glasgow Exhibition in 1938 and the New York World's Fair the following year. Exhibits at these, the Post says, should be designed to represent present-day life in Canada, should assist exporters in the sale of goods, induce tourists to visit our country. May the Government lend an attentive ear to these constructive suggestions!

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FIASCO: Nobody really expected anything to come of the Brussels Nine-Power Conference convoked to settle the Sino-Japanese question. How complete a fizzle it turned out to be, however, is realized only when one learns that its sole accomplishment was the production of "A Report" — not a report on anything, just "A Report". It's the old fable once again of the mountain giving birth to a mouse. Even "A Report" was the result of heated wrangling, the American Ambassador fighting vainly to have it entitled, "A Report to the Governments Here Represented."

Not addressed to anyone, "A Report" covers twelve typewritten pages with an historical summary in which Japan and China are pictured as entangled in difficulties "such that solution can be achieved only by the co-operation of all countries interested in the Far East". "A Report" has indeed told us something, there.

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QUESTION MARK: Claiming that the whole future "is a gigantic question mark", Lammat du Pont, President of E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co., one of the wealthiest concerns in the United States, has proposed to his fellow manufacturers in all fields that a huge $25,000,000,000 program be instituted to create 3,000,000 new jobs, lend new expansion to industry. Before such a scheme can be launched, he said, the Government will have to dispel the fog enshrouding business and guarantee a reasonable amount of certainty upon which it can count in planning current and future operations. Further, "New jobs, new wealth and agricultural prosperity could be produced only through planned research, planned development and planned expansion of plant, sales and administration facilities. That meant, he said, "planned expenditure of capital months and years in advance of any penny of return." Mr. du Pont is now offering of his own free will to endorse that which President Roosevelt has all along been trying to induce big industry to do. The outcome may be that if Mr. Roosevelt turns down his offer, Mr. du Pont will be able to blame the New Deal for any further recession in business.

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GIVE HIM SIX YEARS: In spite of his continual talking and campaigning for colonies, Reichskanzler Adolf Hitler last week admitted that he didn't expect to have German demands answered for another six years at least.

Hitler is right in this, that for the present Britain and France are not ready (intimidated though they be) to rush forward and offer to make a gift of certain sections of their territories to Germany. Say Britain and France: "Germany's colonial demands require much more extended study'."

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HOW MUCH TO EAT: A nation-wide nutrition survey is soon to be made with the purpose of discovering what the food requirements are of the various stages of human development; what the Canadian workingman's requirements are and what resources are available to supply them. The data will be gathered by the 25 (approximately) members of the new National Council on Nutrition who will pick out 50 typical families across the Dominion and make an intensive study of their diet down to the last detail. Something very important will have been achieved when it is found out exactly how much each person needs as food. Then it will be our business as Canadians to see that every individual receives the proper amount.

To Qualify As President

DUBLIN, Ireland—A Czechoslovakian Count, whose ancestors left Ireland more than 200 years ago, prepared last week to become an Irish citizen so that he might be qualified to succeed Eamon de Valera as President of the Free State.

Count Edward Taafe, who recently sold his vast estates near Prague, is one of a half dozen men proposed for the Free State's first President under the new Constitution which will become effective December 29.

Amalgamation Wanted

WINNIPEG — Premier Bracken asked the Dominion-Provincial Relations Commission at its last sitting in Winnipeg ths week to make a thorough study of the proposal to unite the three Prairie Governments into one. He related the history of the abortive attempt of his Government in 1932 to get action on such a plan in order to have one Legislative meeting per year, instead of three; one university, instead of three; and one civil service staff, instead of three, to head the west.

May Join Fascist Axis

ROME—Fascist circles hinted this week that Premier Milan Stoyadinovich of Jugoslavia may recommend, after conferences with Premier Mussolini, that Jugoslavia withdraw from the Little Entente and join the Rome-Berlin axis.

Foreign diplomats said that the report, which would be a severe blow to the French security system in Central and Southeastern Europe if true, probably was mere "wishful thinking" on Italy's part. They admitted, however, that Stoyadinovich's week-long visit in Italy indicated closer collaboration among Rome, Berlin and Belgrade.

Urges Conservatives Reorganize

TORONTO—Hon. Dr. R. J. Manion, Conservative former Federal Railways Minister, addressing Conservative businessmen here this week declared "nobody knows what is the polity of the Federal Conservative party." The party must be reorganized, he said.

Disagree With Agreement

CALGARY—Protest to the Federal Government against the proposed new Dominion-Provincial relief agreement has been made by the Alberta Government, it is learned here.

New French Minister Here

OTTAWA—Count Robert de Dampierre, new French Minister to Canada, arrived last week to take up his post, and paid a formal call on Justice Minister Lapointe, acting head of the Government in the absence of Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

The province, according to word received by Mayor Andrew Davison from Hon. W. W. Cross, Minister of Health, has endorsed the recommendations of Alberta cities holding the agreement would be inequitable in comparison with the assistance given to other provinces.

Japanese Apology

LONDON—Japanese naval authorities this week-end apologized for the bombing of two British ships, the Tuckwo and the Tatung, at Wuhu, last week. One of the ships was so damaged it had to be beached. The British Government is considering an indemnity claim.

Junior Farmers Visit International Harvester Plants at Hamilton



62 winners of their own respective Farm Clubs throughout the Dominion of Canada journeyed to Hamilton from the Royal Winter Fair, to be guests of the International Harvester Company of Canada Limited. Here they were shown how farm implements and binder twine are manufactured. This picture was taken immediately following their tour through the two large plants. At a luncheon in the Company cafeteria, A. E. MacLaurin, General Secretary of the Canadian Council on Boys' and Girls' Club work, spoke on the work of the Clubs, made possible by a fund to which the Harvester Company contributed generously, to teach better methods to the 35,000 young farmers who now belong to the Farm Clubs. Accompanying these 62 winners were J. C. Magnan, President of the organization, and other officials. F. M. Morton, Vice-President of the Company and Honorary President of the Canadian Council on Boys' and Girls' Club work, was the official host and invited the winners in future years to visit Hamilton again. The picture includes representatives from a number of Ontario Clubs.

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Physician Gave Himself Cancer

Hopes to Prove Theory That Cancer May Be Transmitted by Direct Inoculation

A little, grey-haired Cuban physician sat in his study at Havana the other night, occasionally rubbing several little hard spots on his left arm which may eventually cause his death from cancer.

But to Dr. Matias Duque, Cuba's first Secretary of Public Health, these little risings under his skin meant something more important than the life of one human being.

He hopes they will prove his theory that cancer may be transmitted from one person to another by direct inoculation and thus provide a specific clue for the development of a cure for the disease that takes hundreds of lives annually.

Voluntary "Guinea Pig"

Last October 9 the 70-year-old doctor became a voluntary "human guinea pig" for cancer experiment. He had himself inoculated four times with "filtrates of cancerous elements," taken from a cancerous tumor removed from a woman patient.

Small subcutaneous hardnesses are now appearing where he was inoculated. They have been developing slowly for nearly a month.

Dr. Duque says he cannot yet classify the little clots, but believes they may be the beginning of a cancerous growth.

The doctor gave up regular practice years ago to devote the rest of his life to cancer research, after two members of his family died from the disease.

Boars Win From Bears In Battle

A fight to the death between wild boars and bears recently occurred in Yugoslavia. The boars won.

The battle followed a huge drive by peasants against the animals which had been doing tremendous damage to crops in the district. This hunt led to several families of bears and a pack of boars being cornered in a forest glade. Then the fun started. The animals forgot the hunters and started a free fight.

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Tolerance, Faith Needed To Solve Our Problems

Declared Hon. Newton Rowell at Opening Session at Winnipeg of the Royal Commission On Dominion-Provincial Relations.

The same spirit of tolerance, courage and faith which enabled the Fathers of Confederation to achieve Canadian unity 70 years ago, will enable the Canadian people to solve all their present problems, Hon. Newton Rowell declared at Winnipeg before the initial session of the Royal Commission on Dominion-Provincial Relations.

Commission's Task

He declared the commission's task was:

1. To re-examine the economic and financial basis of Confederation and the distribution of legislative powers in the light of economic and social developments of the last seventy years.

2. To investigate the character and amount of taxes collected from the people of Canada and to determine whether taxation as at present allocated and imposed is as equitable and as efficient as can be devised.

3. To examine public expenditures and public debts in general in order to determine the ability of the Dominion and Provincial governments to discharge their constitutional responsibilities within the frame work of the present allocation of powers or on the basis of some form of reallocation thereof.

Seek Balance of Relationship

4. To investigate the whole question of Dominion subsidies and grants to provincial governments. This necessarily involves the question of whether a system of subsidies and grants to provincial governments is the best method of enabling provincial governments to discharge their responsibilities or whether there are more effective alternatives.

5. Following these inquiries the commission is instructed "to consider and report upon the facts disclosed by their investigations and to express what, in their opinion, subject to the retention of the distribution of legislative powers essential to a proper carrying out of the federal system in harmony with national needs and the promotion of national unity, will best effect a balance of relationship between the financial powers and the obligations and functions of each governing body and conduce to a more efficient, independent and economical discharge of governmental responsibilities in Canada."

HAVE YOU HEARD

CHRISTMAS TIMES

Oh, what joy there is in living on Christmas;
What a charm there is in living on Christmas.
What a pleasure 'tis to see children dancing
Merrily 'round the decorated tree on Christmas.

Is your heart becoming a little more soft?. . . That's the spirit of Santa Claus, coming only once a year, but splendid even for so short a while.

Visitor—Do you think it is proper to use profanity to a mule?

Farmer—So far as my own feelings are concerned it is highly improper. But when you are trying to get along with as sensitive and exacting an animal as a mule, you've simply got to humor him.

"Of all the things you wear, your expression is the most important."

She—Funny no one semed to realize what a bad egg he was while he was rich.

He—My dear, a bad egg is only known when it's broke.

The English laugh at a joke three times—

First—When they hear it.
Second—When they tell it.
Third—When they understand it.

All the world loves a fat man, if he answers to the name of Claus.

Student — (looking up from his book)—More than five thousand elephants a year go to make our piano keys.

Landlady— Really? It's remarkable what those beasts can be trained to do.

Poor— Were you presented at court when you were in England?

Rich—Yes, and I had to pay five pounds' fine.

Bill — What's that noise over there?

Ted — Oh, Battling Bloke, the fighter, is having a tooth pulled.

One of the big secrets of happiness is to tackle our work joyously. To attack it with gusto and a smile. To wade into it with the spirit of a conquering chief. When one works joyously at the wood pile, the ledger, or the typewriter, the hours flash by, the sunshine enters our heart and the world seems a good place in which to live.

To come to our work with a grouch, a frown, and inward reluctance, is to cramp our creative energies and stifle our power to think. The joyous spirit is the spark that gets things done! It releases a flow of ideas. It makes the chips fly. Joyousness attracts the best.

Tourer—So your daughter is going around the world during the Christmas holidays. Is she prepared for the journey?

De Tourer—Well, she can say "NO" in 12 languages.

"Of all sad words of tongue, or pen, the saddest are these:—"Don't open till Christmas."

Traveler—Can I get anything to eat in this dump?

Negro Waiter—Yes, sah, yo' sho' kin..

Traveler—Such as what?

Negro Waiter—Such as it is, sah.

The train roared past the station. Above the noise the station agent heard a yell. Rushing out to the platform, he saw a man sprawled out alongside the tracks. A little girl was standing:

Agent— Did he try to catch the train?

Little Girl—He did catch it, but it got away from him.

We give up luxuries for war. Do we give up luxuries for peace?

Hare Cycles Said Ten Years Apart

Northern Snowshoe Rabbits Are Found to "Die Off" Every Decade

The popular belief that the snowshoe rabbits of Canada's north woods die off every seven years is challenged in a report on a four-year study of hare periodicity, just published. The cycles are nearer 10 years in length on the average, it is stated.

The study was made by Dr. D. A. MacLulich under the joint auspices of the department of biology, University of Toronto, and the Royal Ontario Museum of Zoology.

Vary In Different Areas

It concerned only the varying hare, Lepus Americanus, which also is called the snowshoe rabbit. This is the common hare of Ontario from Muskoka northward and of the north woods of Canada generally. It turns white in winter.

The report of Dr. MacLulich found that hares do not reach their peak of abundance or begin to die off in the same year in all parts of Ontario. Hare populations were found to vary from about one to a square mile in times of extreme scarcity to more than 1,000 in the same area in times of abundance. Highest number encountered was in the north part of Frontenac County in July, 1932, when there were 3,400 to the square mile.



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Thief Sells Goods In Owner's Absence

A furniture dealer was recently asked to call at a house and value some goods. When he arrived he was met by a woman in a dressing-gown who showed him round and offered him some real bargains. The dealer jumped at the offers, loaded the bargains on his van, paid cash and drove away.

Two days later he discovered that he had not removed all the goods he had bought. He went back to the house but could get no reply. Then out came a neighbour who informed him that the tenants were on holiday. The police are still searching for the woman in the dressing-gown, who was really a burglar. She was selling the furniture of the owners while the house was unoccupied.

Chance For Life Given Ontario's Children By Hospital For Sick Children

Paralysis Epidemic Reminds Province of Type of Service Given Every Day For 62 Years

Like a spectre out of the dark ages, Infantile Paralysis (Poliomyelitis) appeared in Ontario homes late last July.

Rich and poor, old and young city dweller and farmer—all were hit. Appearing without warning, striking where least expected, the horror spread. By late August an epidemic of major proportions was with us.

School opening was postponed over a great portion of Ontario. Children died before they could be rushed to hospitals.

Nearly every parent in the Province was concerned and took what precautions seemed best to have children avoid contacts which might bring the ghastly plague to them. But mystery still shrouds the way in which this dread disease is spread.

Then, the Iron Lung became front-page news. In all Ontario there were only three Iron Lungs available. Telephone enquiries to Boston and Montreal manufacturers produced the indefinite promise that MAYBE in ten days or two weeks ONE could be shipped.

But children were in danger, lives were at stake. IRON LUNGS were needed at once. So the officials and staff of The Hospital for Sick Children decided to build IRON LUNGS themselves.

In less than eight hours, a crude but workable wooden lung was finished—less than 30 minutes before the doctor had said a little patient would die unless a respirator could be provided.

Four more Iron Lungs (wonders in design and operation) were rushed to completion in as many days. Enthused workmen gave up Saturday, Sunday and the Labor Day holiday to fabricate the steel shapes and parts under the direction of Hospital officials. These machines went into instant service.

The Provincial Department of Health then asked that twenty-three more IRON LUNGS be built with all possible speed, so that children from every part of the Province might be provided the only possible chance for life during the later stages of the disease.

Thus was the emergency met by The Hospital for Sick Children when many lives were at stake. There was no thought of expense or human limitations. The job had to be done, and was done despite the fact that it meant night and day service for many, many weeks.

But this is just typical of the service The Hospital for Sick Children has rendered for over 60 years.

Every hour of every day and night some emergency must be met. The life of a child, precious to some family, is at stake. It is only when dozens of similar cases occur at the same time that the work becomes "news," and can be called to the attention of the public by the press in a spectacular manner. Nevertheless, the work goes on hour after hour until the days and months and years total decades of service to the needy children of the Province.

Every emergency situation creates costs which mount up far beyond the normal provisions of government and municipal grants. But, unlike most other hospitals, The Hospital for Sick Children has no large group of Private Ward beds from which to draw extra revenue which can be applied to Public Ward service.

Over 400 of the 420 beds are in Public Wards.

No help is received from the fund collected by the Toronto Federation for Community Service, as patients are taken from all over the Province.

Sick and crippled children must be given medical attention and hospital care no matter what their circumstance. No one would deny them this right.

This worthy institution has just started its annual Christmas appeal for funds to enable its work to be continued in just as effective a manner as in the past.

Those who have investigated all agree that The Hospital for Sick Children makes most careful use of charitable donations and bequests—a world-wide recognition for efficiency and economical operation has been earned.

Your gift should be mailed to the Appeal Secretary, The Hospital for Sick Children, 67 College street, Toronto.

A chance for health and happiness is the greatest possible Christmas gift to childhood.

CELEBRATES 93rd BIRTHDAY

To very few is given the joy and distinction of celebrating their 93rd birthday, but this honor in life came to a most highly esteemed resident of Williamsburg, in the person of Mrs. John A. McIntosh, who on Wednesday, December 15th, celebrated her ninety-third natal day at the home of her son, Edgar McIntosh, near Williamsburg Village.

Mrs. McIntosh, who before her marriage, was Miss Diana Casselman was a daughter of the late William Casselman, and his wife, Eva Casselman, pioneer residents and settlers of Matilda township. Mrs. McIntosh was born in Matilda township on December 15th, 1844 and is the last surviving member of the family of which there were nine children, four brothers and five sisters. On October 24th, 1865, she married John Alfred McIntosh of Williamsburg, who passed away on February 3rd, 1907. After her marriage she came from nearby Matilda to her present farm home where she has since resided. She has always enjoyed excellent health and in all these years has very seldom needed the services of a physician. During the past few months, Mrs. McIntosh's health has been slowly declining, but despite this and her advanced age she is quite active.

She is the mother of eleven children; six sons and five daughters; three daughters and a son have passed to their reward. Mary and Ira who died in infancy, Mrs. James Cook (Mina) and Mrs. (Dr.) J. S. Dickey (Annie). The members of her family still living are, Edgar, on the homestead, Angus of California, Isaac of Williamsburg, Dr. Adam McIntosh of Strasbourg, Sask., and John W. McIntosh of Ottawa; Mrs. Alice Strader of Ottawa and Miss Florence McIntosh at home. She has twenty-six grand children and four great grand children. On Wednesday Mrs. McIntosh spent her birthday quietly at the home of her son with the members of the family, where she received many good wishes and expressions of congratulations from her many relatives and friends.

CELEBRATES 97th BIRTHDAY

On Monday, December 13th, 1937, Mr. George Edward Merkley, a highly respected, and a former resident of Williamsburg, and sow of San Diago, Calif., where he resides with his son William, where he received the congratulations and best wishes of a host of friends on having ceulebrated another mile-stone in his life's history, when he reached the patriarchal age of 997 years. Though only three years short of the centenary mark, Mr. Merkley is enioying good health, is quite active and takes long walks almost every day.

Mr. Merkley was born in Williamsburg on December 13th, 1840. He was the son of the late Henry Merkley and his wife Sarah Jane Thom, pioneer residents and settlers of the township of Williamsburg. He is the last surviving member of the family of which there were eleven children, five boys and six girls: Robert S, James H., Jacob D. and Joseph Merkley; Mrs. Wm. Deeks (Rozan); Mrs. Wm. J. Casselman, (Mary Ann) Mrs. Dow Hanson (Jane) Mrs. Levi Thom (Elizabeth) Mrs. John Kelly (Nency) Mrs. Dr. Cryne (Ellen).

In early life Mr. Merkley married Miss Jane Ford and they settled on a farm just south of Williamsburg Village, where he they resided until Mrs. Merkley's death. About fifteen years ago he went to san Diago to live, and to spend his remaining days with his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Merkley. There were four sons and one daughter in their family. The daughter, Miss Clara Merkley, and two sons passed away several years ago. The two sons living are: Mr. Robt. G. Merkley of Morrisburg and Mr. William Merkley of San Diago.

Mr. Merkley was the recipient of numerous messages of congratulations and good wishes from his many friends and relatives.

SUMMARY OF ELECTION EXPENSES

The following is a summary of Election Expenses of Mr. P. R. Barnhard and Mr. G. H. Challies in the Provincial Election held October 6th, 1937, according to accounts and statements furnished me and at hand in my office:

P. R. BARNHARD—

Hall rentals	$141.00
Personal travelling and living expenses	118.00
Telephones	70.01
Postage	48.00
Radio	14.25
Printing	239.87
Total	$631.13

G. H. CHALLIES—

Hall Rentals	$ 38.00
Personal travelling and living expenses	100.00
Taxi Service	25.00
Gasoline	13.83
Telephones	43.08
Postage	90.00
Printing	115.08
Total	$424.99

Dated at Iroquois this fifteenth day of December 1937.

EWART A. McINNIS.
Returning Officer for Grenville--Dundas.

MR. CHAS. C. FORWARD

Charles Carman Forward, assistant chief analyst of the Dominion Department of Healthand one of the best known and most esteemed members of the Civi Service, died on Saturday at a hospital in Ottawa after an illness of ten days' duration. He was in his 55th year.

Mr. Forward was born in Iroquois, the youngest son of the late John N. Forward and his wife Maria Carman. He was a graduate of the Toronto School of Practical Science in 1906, and entered his departmental work in 1908 in Ottawa.

On the opening of a branch in Halifax in 1915 he took charge and remained there until 1935, when he was transferred to Ottawa to occupy the position of assistant chief Dominion analyst. He filled this responsible post with great credit and was highly esteemed by his fellow officials.

Surviving him are his widow, the former Olive Elizabeth Brown of Ogdensburg, N.Y.; two sons, Arthur and Charles, and a daughter, Mary at home, 74 Stanley avenue; three brothers, Arthur J. Forward of Vancouver, B.C., Walter J. of Iroquois and Edwin A. Forward, Montreal, and a sister, Miss Edith M. Forward, Iroquois.

The funeral took place on Tuesday at 11 a.m. from his late home, 74 Stanley avenue, Ottawa, to Iroquois for interment. Rev. John MacKay of MacKay United church officiated.

IN MEMORIAM

Deeks, Alma—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, who passed away, December 15, 1933:

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TWO MINISTERS DECLINE CONGREGATIONAL CALLS

When the presbytery of Brockville Presbyterian church met this week in the vestry of First Presbyterian church, under Rev. H. P. Maitland, Spencerville, the moderator, it was announced that Rev. Dr. M. E. Roy Boudreau of Caledonia, Ont., had declined to accept the call extended to him by the congregation of the Prescott Presbyterian church, while Rev. Alexander Nimmo, Athelstan, Que., had refused the call extended to him by the congregations of Iroquois and Dixon's Corners. Additional candidates for both pulpits will now be heard by the congregations concerned.

WINCHESTER W. M. S. OFFICERS ELECTED

Mrs. F. F. Davidson was elected president of the United church Women's Missionary Society, at the annual meeting held in the Sunday school hall on Thursday afternoon.

Other officers elected for 193. are as follows: Vice- presidents,, 1st Mrs. R. Dukelow; 2nd, Mrs. J. H. Faith; 3rd, Mrs. R. M. Scott; recording secretary, Mrs. Wm. Lannin; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Thos. Annable; treasurer, Mrs. H. L. Hughes; Christian stewardship secretary, Mrs. Karl Helmer; community and friendship secretary, Mrs. E. Merkley; literature secretary, Mrs. T. O. Keyes; temperance secretary, Mrs. O. Wallace; missionary monthly secretary, Mrs. R. L. Suffell; associate helpers, Mrs. M. Fennell; press secretary, Mrs. G. E. Earle; supply secretary, Mrs. P. Durant, Mrs. E. Steele and Mrs. E. M. Shaver;; advisory president of mission circle, Mrs. J. W. Ault; affiliated C.G.I.T. secretary, Mrs. W. S. Atchison; Misson Band leader, Mrs. W. J. Stewart; Baby Band leader, Mrs. E. Fennell; pianist, Miss Mabel Allison.

The report of the nominating committee was presented by Mrs. P. Durant, while Rev. W. S. Atchison presided over the election and during the installation of officers.

On motion of Mrs. R. M. Scott and Mrs. F. F. Davidson, a vote of appreciation was extended to Mrs. Atchison, the retiring president.

A memorial service in memory of seven members of the W.M.S. who had passed away during the year, was conducted by Mrs. G. E. Earle.

The allocation of $750 for the coming year was discussed and accepted. Mrs. N. W. Beach had charge of the program which followed the business session, after which refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

DUNBAR W.M.S. ANNUAL

There was a large attendance at the annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of Dunbar Presbyterian church, held at the home of Mrs. Delbert Dillabough on Wednesday of last week, and was presided over by Mrs. George Brownell. Officers elected for the coming year are as follows: President, Mrs. Alvin McIntosh; secretary, Miss Eva Carlyle; treasurer,, Mrs. Charles F. Marcellus; welcome and welfare secretary, Mrs. Myles Marcellus; Home Helpers' secretary, Mrs. Delbert Dillabough; organist, Mrs. M. Marcellus.

LIVELY TIME WITH BEAR NEAR TWOY'S HILL

(Old Time Stuff in Ottawa Citizen)

The scene of this story is near Twoy's Hill west of Williamsburg, and the date is back in 1862. The story was told by Mr. Casselman, who was a young man of 20 at the time and lived near Williamsburg.

Four Casselman boys, Sephranus, John, Ira and Ezra (the youngest) had been over to Towy's Hill to attend the meeting of the Orange Lodge there, and were on their way home through a flat elm bush, when the incident occurred.

It was about 11 o'clock on a moonlight night in October. The party had a dog with them but no firearms. Suddenly the dog dashed off and began to attack some animal. A few seconds later three bear cubs ran across the path in front of them, and climbed up an elm tree. The Casselman boys picked up sticks and began throwing them at the cubs in an effort to knock them down.

The Bear Next

Then came the bear with the dog snapping at its heels. The bear went for the four men wh ododged behind trees. If it had not been that the dog worried the bear greatly, some of those men would not have gone home that night, as the bear was in a very wicked humor.

It was arranged that while three of the men were to entertain ( ) Mr. Bruin the fourth was to run back to Towy's Hill and get help. John did the get-away and soon made the distance, a couple of miles, to Towy's Hill, where help was quickly obtained.

Was A Bad Bruin

Four Twoy's Hill stalwarts, with two shotguns and another dog, hurried back with John. The bear was still playing ring-a-rosy with the three Casselman men, who were shouting loud enough to scare off a dozen bears. But this animal was hopping mad and simply wouldn't be scared off.

Arriving on the scene, the help from Twoy's Hill began blazing away with their shotguns. The shooting diverted the bear from the Casselman contingent and gave them time to pick up stout sticks both for defence and attack. The two dogs and the eight men closed in on the bear. The buckshot had as little effect on that bear as an attack with snowballs. It only made it more vicious. It dashed this way and that at its enemies, who retreated judiciously.

Broke the Cordon

Finally the bear decided that eight to one and two dogs was unfair and perhaps it feared reinforcements. Anyway it suddenly made a dash through the cordon, upsetting two of the Twoy's Hill men and injuring one of the dogs—and was away, leaving the cubs in the tree. The three cubs were captured alive. Two of them fell to the Casselman party and were kept for quite a while.

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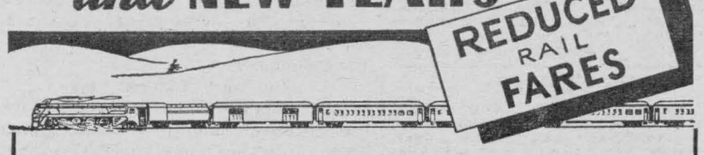

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Mr. and Mrs. Hebert McIntosh and family of Winchester Springs were last Saturday guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. P. E. Beckstead and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Froats and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowman spent a few days last week on an enjoyable motor trip to New York State, visiting at Watertown, De Kalb Junction and other points.

Mr. Alfred M. CCasselman of Kemptville was a recent week-end visitor with his mother, Mrs. R. C. Casselman.

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. James Boden of Cornwall who are leaving shortly for Montreal to take up residence, Mrs. Boden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richie Tupper entertained the members of their family at a nicely arranged turkey dinner at their home last Sunday. The members of their family present were: Mr. and Mrs. James Boden, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Arze Beckstead and baby Hilda, of Dunbar, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tupper and family of Boucks Hill, Mr. George M. Tupper of Winchester Springs and Miss Zola Tupper and Mr. Jacob S. Tupper.

Mr. M. S. Beckstead made a business trip to Toronto last week.

Congratulations are in order for Mr. W. E. Trickey, manager of the Williamsburg Cheese and Butter Factory No. 644, for winning the highest score in the Instructional group of W. J. Coby's of the Eastern Ontario Cheese Association. Mr. Trickey was also successful in winning a silver cup in 1934.

Rev. C. R. Cronmiller, Mrs. Cronmiller, Shirley and Vern and the former's mother, Mrs. Wm. Cronmiller were guests for six o'clock dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Casselman on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Sara Merkley of Chesterville is a guest for the winter months with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. W. Strader and Mr. Strader.

The Misses Meda and Sarah A. Whitteker were visitors to Morrisburg on Tuesday afternoon last.

Congratulations are in order for Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Whitteker, highly esteemed residents of Williamsburg, who celebrated the 37th anniversary of their marriage on Wednesday, December 15th.

Rev. C. R. Cronmiller, Mrs. Cronmiller and family, and the former's mother, Mrs. Wm. Cronmiller and Mrs. Agnes Merkley were guests for six o'clock dinner recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Whitteker.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Whitteker, Floyd Whitteker and Walter Whitteker of Williamsburg, Miss Olive Casselman of Winchester Springs, Miss Iva Whitteker of Ottawa were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moorehead's of Iroquois, last Sunday in honor of Mrs. Ray Moorehead's (Eva Whitteker) birthday. A charmingly arranged dinner table was centred with a beautiful birthday cake, being one of the gifts from her sister, Iva Whitteker of Ottawa.

Miss Maxine Tennant and Miss Iva Whitteker of Ottawa, Miss Olive Casselman of Winchester Springs, Mr. Walter Whitteker and Roy Casselman of Williamsburg and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moorehead of Iroquois were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Whitteker Williamsburg.

We regret to learn that Mr M. S. Beckstead is confined to his bed through illness. Miss Nettie Thom, R.N., of Elma, is in attendance during his illness.

R. M. D. WILLIAMSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Whitteker and family spent Tuesday night at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Casselman's

Misses Dorothy and Gertrude Casselman and Mr. Orval Casselman and Master Billie Casselman spent last Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hunter's.

Mr. and Mrs. James Forsyth had tea Sunday evening at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Casselman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cunningham and family and Mr. Walter Casselman spent Sunday at Mr. Ford Cunningham's.

Recent visitors at Miss Ella Beckstead's were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hall, and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Beckstead, daughter Goldie, Mrs. Stanley Casselman and Mrs. A. Haynes and Mrs. Wm. L. Casselman.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Barkley and family of Spencerville spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Casselman's.

Misses Dorothy and Gertrude Casselman and Lola Hess, Messrs Dwain and Lyle Hess and Orval and Billie Casselman called Sunday afternoon at Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitteker's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Whitteker and grandsons, Charlie, Clarke and Gordon of Dundela and Mrs. Jas. Forsyth of Finch spent Saturday at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Casselman's

Mrs. Alex. Shaver and family spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Mahlon Casselman and Mr. Casselman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Shannette spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shannette's.

Mrs. Wm. L. Casselman and sister, Mrs. James Forsyth, spent the week-end at Morrisburg with Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ball.

Mr. Walter McKinnon spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitteker's.

Miss Sola Hess and Messrs Dwain and Lyle Hess spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Casselman's

CEDAR GROVE

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Dafoe were: Mr. and Mrs. R. Handren, and Miss Frances, Mr. W. Drake and Mr. Austin Nicholas, of Cornwall.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Neil, Gallingertown, spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dafoe.

Mrs. Lillie Dafoe is at present visiting her sister, Mrs. R. C. Bogart, and Mr. Bogart, Berwick.

Service in Gallingertown United Church will be held Sunday, December 19, at 7.30 p.m.

Robert Dafoe recently visited Mr. Hezekiah Gallinger, of Finch.

Mr. C. Hart and Mrs. C. Cryderman of Wales, spent one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wereley.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvinza Crites of Farran's Point, were visitors on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. Beaupre.

Mr. Wm. Brownell, Gallingertown called at the home of Frank Dafoe, Friday.

Miss Greta Dafoe left on Saturday to spend a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dafoe, Massena.

PAYNE VALLEY

Samuel Wells and Master Murray and Findlay Papineau, of Aultsville called on the former's sister, Mrs. George Eligh and Mr. Eligh, Sunday.

Mrs. Colin Cameron and baby, Mrs. Milward Cameron and baby, and John McLeod and Mrs. Lyle Hunter, Morewood, called on Mr. and Mrs. Harris Rupert on Sunday.

James McMillan spent a few days in Cornwall last week on the jury. Mrs. McMillan accompanied him and visited friends for a few days.

Kenneth Dolan of Cornwall, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Campbell.

Rev. Donald McMillan and Mrs. McMillan, of Dunvegan, called at Mr. and Mrs. Neil McMillan's on Monday.

Wallace Hazely spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Angus McMillan.

Hughie Cameron called on Mr. and Mrs. Dan Campbell one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Milward Cameron and baby, of Goldfield, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cameron.

Mrs. Alex. McLean of Finch, spent a couple of days with Miss Cassie McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eligh spent Monday in Cornwall. Mrs. James Benning and daughter, Eva, accompanied them.

We are glad to report Mrs. Hughie Shaver on the mend, after her recent illness. We hope for a speedy recivery.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. MacIntosh, of Martintown, spent Sunday at the home of the latter's brother, Allan McMillan.

STRADERS HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hanson called at Mr. Homer Patterson's at Winchester Springs on Monday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Lister and Miss Ruth Lister, of Dundela, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hanson.

The Women's Association of Dundela United Church held a social evening at the home of Mrs. Wilbert Strader on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Wilbert Strader spent a couple of days recently at Mr. Homer Patterson's at Winchester Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Foster called at Mr. Wilbert Strader's on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hanson and Edward spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitteker.

Misses Doris and Ruth Strader and Lyell Strader called at Mr. George Foster's on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lonnie Foster is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Marcellus at Rowena.

Mrs. A. Cooke, Mahlon and Evelyn spent Sunday at Mr. John F. Casselman's.

Mr. Patrick Houlahan spent Sunday with Mr. Phil Strader.

DEAF DRIVERS SAFE

Deafness is not a handicap when it comes to driving a car. On the contrary a deaf motorist is usually much more observant and quicker in reactions than a driver with normal hearing, according to tests and observations carried out by the British Automobile Association. It is now an offence to sound a horn at night, in England, and this has made drivers rely more on sight than on hearing. There are many stone-deaf drivers in the country and observation seems to prove that their ability is just as high as that of the normal drivers.

15 YEAR OLD BOY CATCHES DEER

James Henderson, 15-year-old son of Mrs. Stanley Henderson, of Spencerville, had the very rare experience last week of capturing a small buck deer with his bare hands.

The animal had evidently been chased by dags and came into Mrs. Henderson's barnyard for shelter where Stanley was able to approach him and carry him into the barn. Game Warden Roy Baker was called and the deer later released. He was reluctant at first to leave the property but was finally driven away.

HANESVILLE

Mr. Fred F. Deeks has returned home after spending a few days visiting friends in Ogden, N.Y.

Mrs. Deeks and Allan Deeks spent Saturday with friends and accompanied Mrs. Deeks home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Fader and Clifford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Robison.

Married—At Cardinal, on Wednesday, Dec. 1st, by R. W. E. LaLacey, Miss Bertha Anderson of Hanesville and Mr. Fred Fossitt of Hulbert—Congratulations.

Mr. Alex Johnston spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. Bert Casselman of Glen Becker spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. Fred Deeks.

Mrs. Wm. Barkley and Stanley and Mrs. Arnold Fader were recent visitors of Mr. Sydney Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kennedy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Billings.

Mrs. Fred Vancamp spent Thursday visiting friends in Iroquo-s..

Don't forget the Christmas concert on December 22nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fossett spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Murdock.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Riddell spent Saturday in Williamsburg.

Qute a number from here are ening their first leigh ride for this season.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gilmer, on Dec. 13th a son—Congratulations.

IN MEMORIAM

Merkley—In fond and loving remembrance of my dear mother, Mrs. J. Merkley, of Dunbar, who went to rest one year ago.

She never failed to do her best;
Her heart was true and tender.
She did her best for everyone,
That's something to remember.

I mourn for her in silence;
No eyes can see me weep,
But many a silent tear is shed
While others are asleep.

Inserted by her daughter,
MRS WILLIE CASSELMAN.
ap

FOUND

Two Holstein heifers yearlings strayed on to my property. Owner can have same by paying cost of this notice and feed.

WILFRED ZERON.

TIME EXTENDED FOR -937 LICENSE PLATES

Announcement was mode today by Hon. T. B. McQuesten, Ministerf o Highways, that the 1937 motor car markers will be valid up to and including Jan. 15, 1938.

This two weeks' extension of the operating time limit was due, Mr. McQuesten stated, to his department's reluctance to interfere in any way with the Christmas shopping season.

No further extension was likely, however, he added, in view of the fact the fact that the 1938 markers had been on sale since Oct. 1. The 1938 plates will be good until March 31, 1939.

News & Information.

Reports by Counties

Halton County reports fall wheat going into winter with a very light top. In Huron County the volume of poultry being marketed is 15 to 25 per cent lighter than last year, but quality is well up to avehage. The acreage of fall wheat is down somewhat in Brant, with very little top. Lincoln reports a good demand for dressed poultry, as well as live poultry, especially well-fleshed young cockerels. In Middlesax the demand for butcher cattle has been practically at a standstill as many drovers took substantial losses on cattle bought in November. Wheat has been selling there at 95c a bushel, oats and mixed grains at $1.20 per cwt., barley at 55 to 65c per bushel. In Peterborough County the acreage of fall wheat has increased about 15 per cent. and while there are a number of very fine stands, the majority of fields do not shaw the usual amount of top. In Frontenac surplus stock in gradually being marketed and prices are lower as a consequence, market hogs there being about $7.00 per cwt, and dry milch cows from $30 to $40. The Egg and Poultry Assn. in Renfrew is holding weekly pools at two centres in th ecounty and managers report increased shipments over last year. Milk-fed A chickens were down in price recently, butet netted the farmers 22c lb. The Manitoba Co-operative Turkey Growers' Association have more birds listed than last year. They plan to sell two full carloads of Christmas dinners in Toronto early in December. A total of 44,000 lambs left Rainy River District this fall at an average of $7.00 per lamb to the farmer. Several carloads of hay have been brought into the Sudbury district costing about $15.00 a ton to the farmers.

Selling the Products from The Farm Woodlots

(By I. C. Marritt)

There is more guessing with the sale of timber and fuelwood than with any other farm product. There are several reasons for this and people who are selling timber and fuelwood should know them. The farmer is equally at a disadvantage with the sawmill and fuelwood operators as many of them only sell a woodlot once in a lifetime, while the buyers have bought many woodlots in the past.

1. Selling a woodlot for a lump sum.

Many bushes have been sold for a stated sum. The buyer has the right to cut everything, while the ownership of the land remains the same. This system is all right if the land is to be cleared for cultivation, but is economically wrong if it is to be left in woodland. There are many trees 2 inches and six inches in diameter that have a very small monetary value now if cut, but their potential value is high, as they are 20-50 years old and if they are cut it will mean that it will be 20-50 years longer before there will be merchantable timber again. Also, the less valuable trees such as poplar paper birch, ironwood and pin cherry get a start in a clean-cut woods.

Fuelwood is often sold this way privately or by public auction, This plan usually brings substantial financial returns. The man buying the lot pays a fair price, because he does not put much value on his labor as the work is carried on during the winter months when other work is not pressing. The bids on these lots are influenced largely by the number of large trees. The seller could reserve the small trees and he would receive about as much for the lot. A better way would be to measure and mark the trees on the lot that are to be sold. This information would be given at time of sale and would eliminate much of the guesswork when the lot is auctioned.

3. Selling all trees above a certain diameter.

This method is much better than selling with no restrictions as the small trees are left. The objection to this method is that there are usually many trees above this diameter limit that should be left and some below that should be left and some below that should be left and some below that should be removed.

4. Marking the trees to be cut and selling for a lump sum or at a stated price per thousand for the timber and cordwood.

This method should be used more as it is fair to both the seller and buyer and the time required to put it in operation would be well spent. The selling by the thousand feet and by the cord eliminates guesswork. An estimate of the standing timber may be made as there are volume tables that give the board foot contents and cordwood in trees of different diameter and heights.

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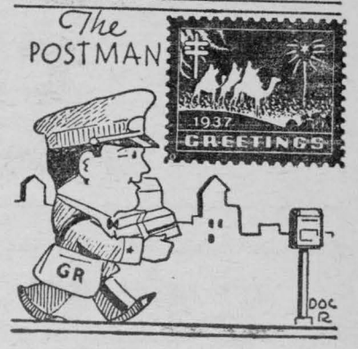

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		Bologna, lb.	15c
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SKY GIRL

By NELLIE GRAF

Elinor Ames tries to escape the heartbreak of her postponed marriage to Dr. Norman Rogers by becoming an air stewardess. Dr. Rogers' mother approves an alliance between Norman and wealthy Francine Bayliss. Norman is jealous of Jack Newton, the pilit who helped Elinor get her job. Leola Rogers, Norman's sister, is in love with Jack, and Elinor tries to help her. Another stewardess, Judith Blair, a former sweetheart of Jack's, is jealous of Elinor, and starts a bitter campaign against her. Elinor is asked peremptorily to report to the office of the Chief Stewardess.

CHAPTER III

When Elinor reached the office of the Chief Stewardess, Sally Nelson cleared her throat.

"There's a report," she said "that you've been smoking in uniform outside the rest room. I thought I explained that this is a violation of a strict company rule?"

"Smoking!" Elinor exclaimed. "Why Sally, I don't smoke at all. Never have. I can't imagine who would say such a thing."

"I hoped it was an error," Sally spoke in a relieved tone. "Must have been one of the other girls. I will try to find out."

Elinor tried to dimiss the incident but it kept recurring to her mind, till she reached her apartment, where she found Leola Rogers in tears.

"Why, Leola, what is it?"

"It's — it's Jack," sobbed Leola. "He has been coming to see me a lot lately and I thought that he acted like he cared and then —"

"Then — what?" prodded Elinor.

"I — I — got a job."

"Is that all?" Elinor grinned. "I'm sure Jack does not object seriously to working girls."

"But it isn't that." Leole sat up and dried her tears abruptly. "It's that Ned Cathney got the job for me. You see I'm receptionist for the Cathney Powder Company. Ned is the president's son. We've been going around together lately."

"So Jack is jealous," Elinor teased. "I should say that is a good sign."

"But he isn't," Leola said angrily. "He just doesn't like Ned. He told me I'd have to get another job. And I won't be bossed. I won't!" Leola angrily stamped her foot. "Not by anyone. So we—we quarreled." Leola's tears came again. "And I told him I never wanted to see him again."

"The course of true love doesn't run smooth," quoted Elinor, " and never is a long time. I'll talk to Jack."

"Unnecessary Friendliness"

Elinor did talk to Jack, but she found him very stubborn. "I never did like Ned Cathney," he declared, "and as for that firm — there is more than one shady deal credited to it. I don't want Leola to work there."

"Then explain your reasons to her," Elinor pleaded. "She cares for you, Jack. Surely, you are not going to let this spoil everything."

They were standing in the doorway of their ship's cabin. Elinor moved close to Jack as she spoke and placed her hand on his arm.

Glancing out just then, she saw Judith Blair.

Evidently, Judith had just got out of her own ship. Sally Nelson was standing nearby. She turned, quickly, after Judith spoke to her and then looked at Elinor and Jack.

Elinor took her hand from Jack's arm and moved away. Seen with unfriendly eyes, that earnest gesture must have looked like the "unnecessary friendliness" which was stressed as undesirable in the company rule.

Elinor jumped out of the plane and went toward the girls.

"Hello, Sally. Hello, Judith."

Judith deliberately turned her back.

Sally Nelson's voice was distinctly cool. "Hello, Elinor. Better get back to your ship. It's almost time to leave." There was disquieting disapproval in the Chief Stewardess' voice.

Elinor studied her load manifest in an effort to dismiss the incident. She paused at the name, Chet Worthing. Why that was the young man to whom Norman had introduced her as being engaged to Francine Bayless. Leola had said later that Chet "had given Fran the air."

When he came out with the other passengers, Elinor knew him instantly. Nattily dressed, debonair, — that was Chet.

He gave Elinor a casual glance as he got in the plane and began going through some papers he carried in a case. It was when she adjusted his safety belt that he recognized her.

"Well, if it isn't Dr. Rogers' girl and Fran's pet peeve. How's things?"

Elinor flushed. "I didn't think you were going to recognize me."

"Who could forget such a sweet child?" Chet replied. "How about a date when I get back to Chicago? I'll tell you all about your doctor friend and Francine. She's putting on her angel act, and is he falling!"

"I must be going." Elinor hoped her face did not reflect how heartsick his words made her.

A Foursome

Chet did not forget. Elinor had not been back in Chicago an hour when he called.

"We'll go to a night club. Put on your glad rags."

Elinor put on a new formal. It was a stunning gold creation of shimmering satin, which accentuated the gold of her hair, the rich brown of her eyes. Norm would like this dress. Oh, Norm — she caught her breath. If only Norm were calling!

Later, in the rest room of the night club, a startled voice exclaimed, "Why Elinor!"

She turned to face Leola Rogers.

"Oh, are you and Jack having dinner here?" Elinor asked.

"I'm with Ned," Leola answered.

"I'm sorry, because I know that Jack intended to phone you this evening. Listen, how would you like to come out to my apartment for dinner tomorrow evening? I'll have Jack also. I must get you two together."

"I'll be there," Leola hugged her. "But don't forget Jack and I are not speaking, so you'll have to be a diplomat. Now, I'm going to tell you a secret. Norm has learned to fly."

"Fly!" Elinor was genuinely surprised. 'He hasn't told me."

"It's a secret," Leola continued. "Mother is furious and Fran is displeased.

"I wonder why he has taken up flying," Eleanor mused.

"Hobby," Leola answered, "with its roots in wanting to please you, I suspect. In fairness to him, Elinor, he doesn't realize Fran's game.

"I know," Elinor sighed.

Leola abruptly changed the subject "Whom are you with? Why don't you join Ned and me?"

Elinor agreed. They made it a foursome. She tried to join in the gay banter about the table even as she noticed that Leola was much too gay, almost hysterical. And she didn't like the way Ned Cathney looked at Leola.

Footsteps Approach

The next evening Elinor made hurried preparations for the dinner to which she had invited Jack and Leola. She set the table carefully — for two. Two. Jack and Leola did not even know it, but this was to be a make-believe evening. They were to play at housekeeping. Elinor would be the maid. They'd forget all their differences. Make-believe — to win two rebellious hearts. Elinor had planned every detail.

Jack came early. So he was that anxious to see Leola! Elinor chuckled as she tied an apron about him with the words: "Whip this cream, and I'll find something else for you to do."

The house phone rang. Must be Leola. "Answer it, Jack." Elinor smiled.

"Come up and be quick about it," Jack said into the phone.

Presently they heard the elevator, then footsteps. Elinor wrinkled her forehead. That was not Leola. She peered out. It was — was —

"Norm! Norm!" Elinor ran to meet him. 'Norm, why didn't you write? "I ——"

Suddenly she was conscious that Norman was not looking at her, but at Jack, behind her.

(To be continued)

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But there is one drawback to all this fun as every housewife knows and that is the work involved in preparing and serving the food for all the different occasions when people gather at her house.

We have prepared two menus here which will take care of almost all occasions and the recipes are designed to leave the hostess free to enjoy the party as much as the guests. It will take some planning and preparing in advance, but that is certainly worthwhile when you are rewarded by peace of mind and an assurance that everything will taste marvellous and you don't get flustered preparing things at the last minute.

First occasion for food is when old friends drop in to help you trim the Christmas tree. Whether they come in time for supper or do the work and eat later, this supper will be a pleasure to serve and eat.

Cream of Tomato Soup
Scalloped Oysters
Jellied Spanish Relish
Stuffed Celery
Bread and Butter Sandwiches
Ice Cream and Cookies
Coffee, Tea, Hot Chocolate

Scalloped Oysters

4 cups fine soft bread crumbs
¼ teaspoon salt
Dash of pepper
Dash of paprika
½ cup melted butter
1 pint oysters, drained
1-3 cup oyster liquor
½ cup top milk.

Combine bread crumbs, salt, pepper and paprika. Add butter, tossing lightly to mix well. Sprinkle 1-3 of crumbs in bottom of greased baking dish. Arrange ½ of oysters on crumbs. Sprinkle second third of crumbs over oysters. Add remaining oysters. Combine oyster liquor and milk and pour over oysters. Top with remaining crumbs and sprinkle lightly with paprika. Bake in hot oven (450 degrees F.) 30 minutes. Serves 8.

The beauty of this whole menu is that you can prepare it early. Put the oysters, butter, crumbs and seasonings into the baking dish and leave in refrigerator until just before baking. Then heat the milk before you add it and the oysters will bake more quickly than usual.

The celery can, of course, be stuffed ahead of time with cream cheese relishes, the sandwiches prepared and covered with a damp cloth and set in refrigerator and the relish can be made hours before serving time.

Jellied Spanish Relish

1 package quick-setting jelly powder
1 pint warm water
1½ tablespoons vinegar
Dash of Cayenne
½ teaspoon salt
2 pimientos, finely chopped
½ cup white cabbage, finely chopped
1 cup celery, finely chopped
½ cup sweet pickles, finely chopped.

Dissolve jelly in boiling water. Add vinegar, Cayenne, and salt. Chill. When slightly thickened, fold in pimientos, cabbage, celery and the pickles. Turn into individual molds, filling them half full. Chill until firm. Unmold. Makes 12 half-molds.

For your Watch Night supper, plan a buffet meal, something like this:

Tomato Juice Cocktail
Chicken Pot Pie, Carrot and Cabbage Salad
Baking Powder Biscuits
Angel Food Cake
Coffee Tea Cider

Chicken Pot Pie

2½ tablespoons quick-cooking tapioca
¼ teaspoon salt
Dash of pepper
Dash of Paprika
2 cups cooked chicken, cut in pieces
1¼ cups milk or chicken stock
2 tablespoons melted butter
8 unbaked baking powder biscuits, rolled ¼ inch thick.

Combine ingredients. Turn into greased casserole; bake in hot oven (425 Deg. F.) 25 minutes, stirring twice during first 10 minutes. Place biscuits on top of chicken mixture after it has baked 10 minutes; return to oven and bake 12 to 15 minutes longer, or until biscuits are browned. Serves 4.

Carrot and Cabbage Salad

1 package quick-setting lime jelly powder
1 pint warm water
2 tablespoons vinegar
1 teaspoon salt
1 cup raw carrots, grated
1 cup raw cabbage, finely chredded.

Dissolve jelly powder in warm water. Add vinegar and salt. Chill. When slightly thickened, fold in the carrots and cabbage. Turn into individual molds. Chill until firm. Unmold on crisp lettuce. Garnish with mayonnaise. Serves 8.

Romance Yardstick Selection Method

Boston University Professor Works Out a "Mate-Chart"

A Boston University professor has worked out a "yardstick" for selecting a mate.

Dr. David D. Vaughan, Chicago-born professor of social ethics at the university's school of theology, has a 22-point chart by which doubting swains can choose their life partners.

Dr. Vaughan said one of his students rated two girls by the chart, proposed to the one with the highest score and was accepted.

Perfect Score 100

Each item in the "mate-chart" has a score, the total reaching 100 points as follows:

Intelligence, family (biological inheritance), capacity for conjugal affection and personal integrity (faithfulness), six points each.

Age, education, religion and business ability receive five points each.

Four points each are awarded to family (social inheritance); disposition (personality); emotional balance (patience); sense of humor; social-mindedness (unselfishness); sense of responsibility; courage (ambition, self-reliance); common interests (comradeship) and domestic interest.

Three points each go to artistic and aesthetic interests; wealth and leisure time interests.

Dr. Vaughan said the list represents a combination of his ideas with those of Prof. Ernest R. Groves, of North Carolina State, Raleigh, N. C., and Paul Poponoe, Altadena (Cal.) author.

Girls as well as boys could use the chart, Dr. Vaughan said.

Afternoon Tea Served In Beauty Parlors

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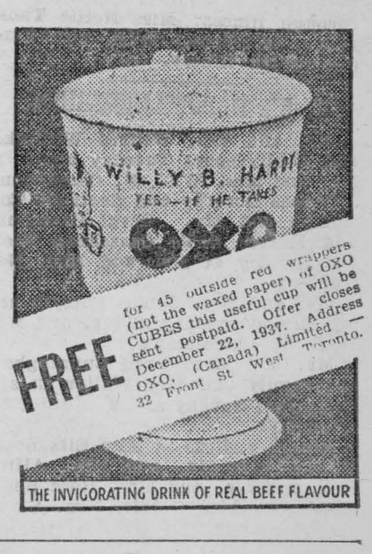

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Sunday School Lesson

LESSON XII.

The Birth of Jesus.—Luke 2:1-20
Printed Text Luke 2:8-20.

Golden Text.—There is born to you this day in the city of David a Saviour, who is Christ the Lord.—Luke 2:11.

THE LESSON IN ITS SETTING

Time.—B.C. 5.

Place.—Nazareth in Galilee, the home of Mary and Joseph, and Bethlehem in Judaea, where Jesus was born.

While, on the one hand, the story of our Lord's birth is recognized as the most beautiful and exquisite story of all literature, marked by great simplicity and holiness, and, we might say, heavenliness, yet the first two verses of this story in Luke's account only record bare historical data. The Roman census was taken at this time every fourteen years, and this fact also fits in perfectly with the historical facts which are in our possession.

The World's True Bread

Now Joseph, the husband of Mary, "was of the house and family of David," Israel's great king, and David's original residence was in Bethlehem, and it was necessary for him to go down to this lovely city from Nazareth where he was residing, to be enrolled in such a census as was now being taken. Joseph took Mary, soon to become a mother, with him, not leaving her in the care of others. The word "Bethlehem" means "house of bread," because near by were large grain fields. Here was to be born the true Bread of the world. We must not interpret the word "betrothed" as identical with our word "engaged." "Betrothal was virtually marriage, lacking only that the bridegroom take his bride to his home.

How almost pathetically is the birth of the Son of God recorded by the physician Luke! There is nothing miraculous in the description of the birth itself, though the details reveal a loneliness, if not a poverty and an ignorance on the part of the world round about, of what was happening that can be taken as indicative of all the future experience of the One here born.

"No Room at the Inn"

"There was no room in the inn" for the holy family, it is not to be understood "to mean merely that there was no room for the Child; but that the inn in which they could have found lodging lacked a suitable room for the birth, as well as a suitable bed for the babe, so that they had to leave the inn and find refuge in a crib in the stable. In the East today the dwelling place of man and beast is often in one and the same room. But this is not how the Evangelist conceived it to have been; he imagines that the manger was outside the inn in some particular stable, such as are used today for camels sometimes, but more rarely, for sheep. He takes it for granted that the stable was empty as would be natural during the time when sheep spent the night in the open.

Testimony of Heaven

And there were shepherds in the same country abiding in the field, and keeping watch by night over their flock. In Palestine flocks are allowed to graze the land only while the fields are still unplowed. The shepherds sleep in their clothes in the midst of their flocks when they are out all of the night.

And an angel of the Lord stood by them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid. These shepherds were simple, unsophisticated pastoral men. They were engaged in their common occupation when they received the wonderful revelation from heaven. It is not when speculating about abstract doctrines or dreaming about heavenly vision that heaven draws near to us and reveals itself to us. It is when engaged in daily duty, doing the work of the appointed hour that is laid to our hand.

"And the angel said unto them Be not afraid." That was heaven's first word to earth after the birth of Jesus. It was the voice of an unfallen spirit sounding anew the keynote of the music of hope among sinning men. "For behold"— it is natural for men to be afraid in the presence of God, in the manifestation of that which is supernatural. "I bring you good tidings of great joy which shall be to all the people." The word here translated "good tidings," means, literally, "good news" and is, in the Greek, the word from which comes our English word evangelist. It was an angel who announced the evangel.

"For there is born to you."—Jesus was born for all men. It was because he loved men that he came into the world. In saying he is born for us, we mean that he was born for our good, for our enrichment, and, for our salvation. "This day in the city of David a Saviour, who is Christ the Lord."— In the Old Testament, God is often referred to as the Saviour (2 Sam. 22: 3; Isa. 43: 3, 11; 45: 15, 21; Hosea 13: 4, etc.). A Saviour is one who saves. Jesus came to deliver us from every evil power, and to bestow upon us an eternal life. The word Christ means anointed by the Holy Spirit for his great work of redemption. It should never be forgotten and cannot be over-emphasized that it is a voice from heaven which declares these wonderful things about the babe born in Bethlehem. These titles were not given to Jesus by his followers, or by himself, or by later writers, but by the angel of the Lord, sent of God.

"And this is the sign unto you; did not reason or debate with themselves who should keep the wolf from the sheep in the meantime, but did as they were commanded, and committed their sheep to him whose pleasure they obeyed.

"And they came with haste, and found both Mary and Joseph, and the babe lying in the manger."

"And when they saw it, they made known concerning the saying which was spoken to them about this child. And all that heard it wondered at the things which were spoken unto them by the shepherds."—The shepherds not only made known what they had heard concerning Jesus to Mary and Joseph, but undoubtedly they proclaimed their message to all the inhabitants of Bethlehem.

"And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen, even as it was spoken unto them."—To glorify God is to acknowledge, to extol, and to worship him for what he is.

Ye shall find a babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, and lying in a manger. And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying."—Thousands of angels appeared filling the expanse of sky. Luke does not actually say that the angels sang, but the angels' words are in poetical form.

Peace and Good-Will

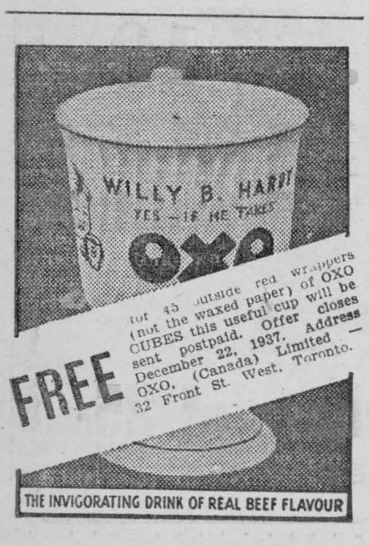
"Glory to God in the highest, And on earth peace among men in whom he is well pleased."—This is the meaning of the coming of this child, the meaning of the Saviour, Christ, Lord. Men everywhere are talking about peace, and they are trying to produce peace. There is no peace for the earth except among men in whom God is well pleased.

"And it came to pass, when the angels went away from them into heaven, the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing that is come to pass, which the Lord hath known unto us." — Often we miss such great blessings in life by not immediately acting upon some divinely sent urge within our hearts to do this or that.

The shepherds appears no more in the Gospel story. We see them returning to their task 'glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen,' and then the mantle of a deep silence falls upon them.

Mary's Meditation

"But Mary kept all these sayings, pondering them in her heart."—The action of Mary is here contrasted with that of the shepherds. In their surprise and astonishment, they immediately published what they had heard and saw. Mary was not astonished because she knew the significance of the babe to which she was to give birth from previous annunciations to her and to Joseph by the angel. The word "pondered" means "to bring together in one's mind," "to consider." The roll of the coming years would pass before the mind of Mary as she looked into the face of her own "little Lord Jesus." And Mary had "all these sayings" to help her see God in the Babe of Bethlehem.



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Ready For Rose Bowl

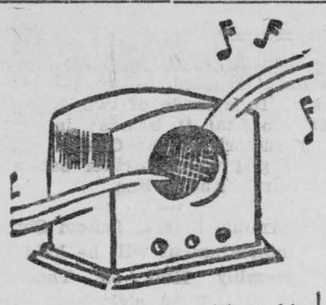


Joe Kilgrow will head the attack of the Crimson Tide when Alabama meets California in the Rose Bowl on New Years Day.

Risks Life To Save Cat



For two days a cat lay on a fifty feet high ledge on the building of Gatti's Restaurant near the Strand, in London, England. A small boy noticed the animal and told the timekeeper. Twenty-three-year-old Harry Bone, restaurant storekeeper, volunteered to rescue the cat. He climbed to the roof of the building where his workmates tied a rope round his waist and lowered him down to the endangered feline. Crowds in the street below watched while Harry grasped the cat and was hauled back to the roof where the animal escaped and ran away. Harry has a widowed mother to support, but he had to risk his life saving that cat. You see, he is a cat lover. He has three of his own. Pictured is Harry Bone being hauled to the roof with the rescued cat in his arms while crowds in the street watch breathlessly.



Around The Dial

RADIO HEADLINERS OF THE WEEK

By FRANK DENNIS

At the time we are writing this column James Shields is in town, looking up old friends and acquaintances, and he'll be back on his way to New York as this goes to press. Jimmy, as you may recall, is being starred on the new Lucky Strike network program. Jimmy is another proof that Canada has big time talent. . . .

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Finally, the day has been set for the gigantic Star Santa Claus Fund broadcast, which generally lasts about three hours. Just spoke to Jimmy Annan who is handling the show, and he informs us that Geoff Waddington and a thirty piece orchestra, the Campbell sisters, Ethel, Myrt and Jean, Jean Haig, Adolph Wintroff, Harvey Doney and exotic Louise King have already consented to appear. John Sturgis will make an effort to come from Buffalo for the show. Rumours also have it that Maude Waterworth Craig, symphonic harpist and Dr. Fricker will be present. A stunt is being planned similar to one used last year, namely, a trip to some house typical of those for whom the program is being conducted. Greg Clark and Denton Massey will be Masters of Ceremonies, and community singing will be held. The place of broadcast this year is the Eaton Auditorium on Wednesday, December 22nd. CRCY will carry the complete program from 8 o'clock until midnight. It is quite likely that CRCT will also carry the program. By the way, innumerable novelty and variety acts will be presented, but these will be kept secret, and we cannot get any information on them. . . .

Visits to Exotic Countries

A new program is scheduled for CFRB on Sundays, 10:30 to 11, entitled Ports of Call. The program has proved exciting and interesting, featuring dramatic visits to foreign lands. These visits are authentic and educational. The music on the program coincides with the visit. . . .

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Just stepped into an audition today, and heard something that is quite unusual. Two young lads playing guitars, George O'Connor and Dave Richards. The boys offer something very new in the way of guitar playing, and will be heard in a very short while. More information forthcoming. . . .

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Whiteman Comes Back

Speaking of smart music, Paul Whiteman, King of Jazz, will return to the Columbia Network, Friday, December 31st, 8.30 to 9. The sponsors of this program are replacing their present series, featuring Alice Faye and Hal Kemp. In the words of Whiteman: "The series will be popular programs devoted to tune favourites, old and new, but I hope to introduce the works of new American composing talent." Paul Douglas will be the announcer. . . .

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Columbia presents amateur talent en masse. Every Saturday, from 6 to 6.25, an amateur contest takes place, open to choirs, choristers and glee clubs of the United States, composed of mefbers 25 years or younger, and having forty members or less. They will compete for a cup awarded by CBS and a concert tour arranged by Columbia Concert Corporation. It should be a program worth listening to. . . .

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Torontonian on Ford Hour

Sir Ernest MacMillan, conductor of the Toronto Symphony Orchestra since 1931, will be guest conductor of the Ford Sunday Evening Hour series over CBS during the period from February 27 through March 27. Sir Ernest's name completes the 1937-1938 roster of internationally known orchestral directors for the Ford Sunday Evening Hour which lists Jose Iturbi, Eugene Ormandy, Fritz Reiner and John Barbirolli of the New York Philharmonic - Symphony Orchestra. The guest artists who will appear while the Detroit Symphony Orchestra is under Sir Ernest's direction will include Kirsten Flagstad, the noted Wagnerian soprano; Lily Pons, the Metropolitan Opera coloratura; Jose Iturbi, as piano soloist; and Nino Martini, romantic tenor.

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Thirty Millions Going to School In Russia Today

Great Advance In Education Seen Under Red Regime

Russia's educational, cultural and scientific progress from that of a backward nation of illiterates to that of a country pioneering in flights over the North Pole was emphasized on the Soviet Union's 20th birthday, November 7, celebrated in the midst of the campaign for the general election December 12.

Soviet leaders constantly remind the masses how much better off they are materially and mentally than under the czars. Foreign observers agree that the material and mental lot of the masses has risen from what, before the war, was almost zero.

Visitors who were in Russia several years ago report that the Russian, while far from being well-dressed, now is better clothed. Food now appears sufficient, if not over-plentiful. It no longer is rationed.

Thirty million children are going to school in Russia, where there were only 7,800,000 before the revolution. Illiteracy has been reduced from 67 per cent. to 10 per cent. The young Russians have 92,000 playgrounds, where they had only 125 under the czars.

Until Soviet Russia's struggling industrial development catches up with the needs of the 170,000,000 inhabitants, there is unlikely to be any unemployment. New areas have been settled and are being developed, notably the great region above the Arctic circle.

A drive is noticeable to develop new political leaders in the younger generations. Managers of factories and other industrial leaders likewise are being recruited among the younger workers who have shown outstanding skill.

Although the dread political police watches over the loyalty of the Soviet citizen, the purge appears to have affected the ordinary Russian little, except to make him shirk dangerous responsibility, keep his mouth shut tighter so far as politics is concerned and avoid contact with foreigners, lest he be suspected of treating with spies.

"In the midst of the depression, when many things have gone backward, the woman's movement has gone forward."—Carrie Chapman Catt.

Is This Your Birthday?

By A. R. WEIR

What the Stars Foretell for Those Born on December 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16

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What the STARS foretell for those born on December 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 and 23

If the date of your birth is December 17, 18, 19 or 20, Sagittarius is your Zodiac sign. This gives you a philosophic, religious nature and high ideals. If December 21, 22 or 23 is your birth date Capricorn is your Zodiac period. This gives you a quiet and determined character and great ambition. You achieve success by persistence and industry.

YOUR OWN BIRTHDATE:

DECEMBER 17—Some very pleasant news from a long distance may necessitate a very long journey. There may be disputes over a loan or debt and with workmates and servants. Indications are good socially and for business generally. You are extremely restless and have a tendency to overdo things.

DECEMBER 18—While you would be ill advised to rely on friends, relatives should benefit you as the year is good for social and domestic matters. Your lucky number is 4 and your most beneficial days the 4th, 13th, 22nd and 31st of each month.

DECEMBER 19—You should gain by correspondence and documents but you will be secretive about them. A few months hence a removal of residence is indicated. You are quick to adopt new ideas and new surroundings and will welcome this change.

DECEMBER 20—Although you may have obstacles to overcome, mainly through property and elderly people, there is a sudden change for the better bringing more prosperity and contentment. You are sincere and will succeed in life because you are not afraid of hard work and know that prosperity must come through your own efforts.

DECEMBER 21—You prefer to live quietly, rather shirking responsibilities. A very important change is shown in your business affairs and some woman may attempt to hinder you.

DECEMBER 22—An influential woman will help you and you will gain by an important contract or agreement. Much happiness is shown in love. You are keen to save money, are economical and thrifty.

DECEMBER 23—You should gain through elderly friends and experience promotion in business. The coming twelve months should be a prosperous period though exciting and sometimes bewildering. Though you are not very demonstrative in nature you are sincere and dignified in manner.

IF YOUR BIRTH DATE IS NOT LISTED ABOVE and you would like your personal Horoscope or if you wish a complete Horoscope for any date listed above, send 10c (coin preferred), to A. R. Weir, 73 Adelaide St. W., Toronto, Ont. Please print your name, address and BIRTH DATE plainly.



LOCAL and GENERAL

Mr. John Sherman of Montreal is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sherman.

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Mrs. A. Sweet, Winchester, leaves on Monday for Clearwater, Fla., where she will spent the winter months.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Barkley, Mountain Township, announce the marriage of their second oldest daughter, Florence Hilda, to James Lloyd Hyndman, of Hallville. Marriage to take place shortly.

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Mr. Jas. McIntyre of the H. M. C. S. St. Laurent, Halifax, is spending the Christmas holidays with his father, Mr. Geo. McIntyre and family.

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Mr. Geo. H. Challies was in Toronto Wednesday attending the banquet for Hon. Leopold Macaulay, Conservative House Leader.

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Herbert W. Gilhooly, one of Eastern Ontario's well known citizens having been in merchantile life in Brockville and Williamsburg, for many years suffered a fractured right hip through slipping and falling on an icy sidewalk.

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Henry W. Barkley, local contractor, who is building a garage on the property of Roy L. Bebee, Iroquois, was struck on the head by a hammer which fell from the roof. Mr. Barkley was taken to the residence of Mr. Bebee, where he received medical attention. He suffered a severe concussion, but his condition is not serious.

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The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Cleland, South Mountain, was the scene of a charming wedding on Saturday, at high noon, when their youngest daughter, Helen Isabel, was united in marriage to Arthur Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Irven of Morewood. Rev. W. R. Johnston officiated.

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A major business change occurred in Winchester on Monday, when Mr. J. T. Green, prominent decorator and member of the Ottawa Public School Board, purchased the fine concrete block and complete stock of the late John A. McDougall, at the Auction Sale conducted by the McDougall estate.

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Ordination services for Rev. J. G. "Berry" Armstrong recently appointed pastor of the Ormond Baptist church, were conducted at the historic church at Ormond on Tuesday. The ordination sermon was preached by Rev. Prof. M. L. Orchard, of McMaster University.

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Burton Blanchard, 52, rural mail carrier in Lombardy district, was instantly killed Wednesday morning in an accident which occurred on Highway No. 15 at Otter Lake, about 10 miles southwest of Smiths Falls. Mr. Blanchard was the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fawcett, Maple Ridge.

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When she slipped and fell on the sidewalk at the intersection of Main and St. Lawrence streets Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Mary Buckingham, an elderly resident of Winchester, suffered a fractured hip and other injuries. She was picked up by passersby and taken to the office of Dr. P. McLaughlin, who had her removed to her home where the fracture was reduced. At present Mrs. Buckingham's condition is considered serious.

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Mrs. Buckingham, one of the oldest residents of Winchester, suffered a serious accident on Tuesday afternoon when she slipped on a spot of ice and fell heavily to the sidewalk. She was picked up by passers-by and carried to the office of Dr. P. McLaughlin, where it was ascertained that she had suffered a fractured hip and many severe bruises. She was later removed to her home where she is said to be resting as comfortably as possible. Her condition was reported as serious, owing to her advanced age.

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Relatives and friends of the Reverend John W. Des Rosiers in Morrisburg, have received invitations to be present at his ordination to the Holy Priesthood, which takes place on Saturday, Dec. 18th, 1937, at St. Columban's Foreign Mission Seminary, Silver Creek, New York. The Rev. J. W. Des Rosiers is a son of Mr. John Des Rosier of Windsor and the late Mrs. Des Rosier, and a nephew of Mrs. Lavalee and Miss Martha Des Rosier of Morrisburg. He will celebrate his first Solemn Mass at St. Alphonsus Church, Windsor, on Sunday, Dec. 26th.

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Struck while crossing the C.N.R. tracks from their home in Hubbell street, Brockville to Cedar street, by a light engine snowplow, Mrs. Frank Darling and her daughter, Jean, are in hospital with serious injuries which, however, are not expected to prove fatal. Mrs. Darling is suffering from cuts on the head and body bruises, while her daughter, aged nine, has a broken thigh and cuts on the body. The two were caught in a snowdrift on the tracks from which they were unable to extricate themselves before the engine and plow approached.

Up and around until a little more than a week ago, Roger Brisbois, 89 died at the home of his son, Elgin Brisbois, Cornwall. Mr. Brisbois went to Cornwall two years ago to make his home with his son, after living on a farm in Mountain township for more than 77 years. In his younger days he built many barns for farmers in that locality, being an expert barn-framer. His wife died at the old homestead in Mountain township May 1, 1914. He leaves seven sons.

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William Holmes, treasurer of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville, died suddenly on Tuesday. He was 76 and a native of Shanly, in Edwardsburg Township. He took an active interest in municipal affairs of the township, serving on the council for several years and was a former reeve. He was appointed treasurer of the United Counties in 1916. Besides his wife, one son, Leslie W. Holmes of Ottawa, survives.

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The many friends of Mr. H. B. Fetterly, formerly inspector of Public Schools for Dundas County, will be pleased to learn that he was elected as a member of the Board of Education of the city of Belleville in the civic elections held last week. Mr. Fetterly is an outstanding educationist and his wide experience in such matters should be of valuable assistance to the Belleville Board of Education.

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Friends in this district were shocked to learn on Friday last of the sudden passing in London, England, on December 8th, of Sadie Agnes Smith, widow of Daniel Fraser Sutherland, of Winchester, Ont., and wife of David Gavin Campbell-Johnston, vice-consul, British consulate at Biarritz, France. Remains will be brought to Winchester for interment in Maple Ridge cemetery on December 27th or 28th.

MORRISBURG CHURCHES

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. A. Buehlow, Pastor.

St. Paul's Church—
Sunday, Dec. 19th
10 a.m.—The service.
The Right Christmas Spirit.
11 a.m.—Sunday School.
7 p.m.—Vespers.
The Comfort of Christ's Coming.

St. Johns, Riverside—
1.45—The Service.
2.45—Sunday School.

ST. JAMES CHURCH

Sunday, December 19th—
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Holy Communion.
7 p.m.—Christmas Carols.

Holy Trinity Memorial, Riverside—
Sunday, December 19th—
1.45 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
2.30 p.m.—Evensong.

Sat., December 25th—
Christmas Day—St. James church
7.30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Holy Communion.

Holy Trinity Memorial Church—
Christmas Day—
9 a.m.—Holy Communion.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. Jenkins Burkholder, Minister.
Sunday Services, Dec. 19—
11.00 a.m.—A Predestined Life.
7.00 p.m.—First Things First.
Visitors always welcome.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Rev. R. D. Smith, Minister.
Sunday, Dec. 19th, 1937.
10.30 a.m. Special Music by the Choir.
White Gifts in the Sunday School.
6.45 p.m. Organ and Saxophone Recital by Mrs. Gorrell and Mr. R. Mallen.
7.10 p.m. Candlelight Carol Service by Choir and C.G.I.T.
After Church Friendly Gathering at which Dicken's Christmas Carol will be given and Carols sung.
2.15 p.m. Service in No. 10 Schoolhouse.

UNITED CHURCH NOTES

Christmas Sunday will be observed on Dec. 26th, but Christmas will be the theme of the services this coming Sunday. In the morning the Choir will sing Christmas Anthems and the theme of the sermon will be —"Festival of Winter, or Christmas?" In the evening at a quarter to seven Mrs. Gorrell and Mr. R. Mallen will give an organ and saxophone recital. The evening service of worship will be a Carol service and at the close the girls of the C.G.I.T. will conduct a Candlelighting ceremony. After the evening service the Choir will be hosts to the Congregation in the Assembly Hall. Mr. Smith will give "Dicken's Christmas Carol with the aid of a very fine set of slides. Carols will be sung and light refreshments served. All are invited.

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In the Sunday School White Gifts will be received. These consisting of toys, clothing and even food will be sent to the Old Brewery Mission in Montreal for distribution at Christmas time.

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At the morning service a New Baptismal Font will be dedicated. This beautiful addition to the Church has been donated by Mrs. F. H. Meikle. It is made of two different woods so that it blends in with the woodwork of the Church. It is another gift which further enhances the Church Auditorium.

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The Annual Sunday School Christmas Entertainment will be held in the Assembly Hall on Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Mrs. Epplett, together with Mrs. E. Mullin and Mrs. Hilliard have been training the children in a Christmas Cantata. Others have been preparing costumes. A silver collection will be taken at the door in aid of the Sunday School Funds.

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There will be a Service in No. 10 Schoolhouse this Sunday afternoon at 2.15 p.m. This is fifteen minutes earlier than the regular hour. On Monday evening in the schoolhouse the Christmas Tree and Entertainment will be held. All who were present at last years concert will want to be on hand again this year. Admission 10 cents.

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During Christmas week Carols will be sung through the town by the girls of the C.G.I.T.

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In the Christmas services this year a very lovely Star is to be used. This was made by Mr. Lee Duval. It is a twelve point star, made from sixty pieces of glass all put together with fine workmanship. It will hang just at the top of the organ and will be of particular interest.

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On Christmas Sunday the Choir and Young People will present the Pageant—The Star of Bethlehem, at the evening service.

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There will be a meeting of the Official Board next Wednesday at 7.30 p.m.

WESLEY HAMILTON HEADS LIBERALS OF CHESTERVILLE

At a well attended meeting of Chesterville Liberal Association the following officers were elected for 1937-38: Hon. president, Percy R. Barnard; president, Wesley Hamilton; vice-president, Ronald Lynch; secretary, Eris W. MacMillan; treasurer, E. W. Casselman; business committee, D. A. McDonald, Alfred Jarvis, Harold Hamilton and F. W. Merkley; county executive member, E. B. Lynch.

After the election of officers plans for Liberal activity and organization were discussed.

ANNUAL AT HOME

Invitations have been issued for the annual At Home of the M. C. I., to be held on Wednesday, Dec. 22, in Casselman's Hall. Tody Hall's Orchestra will be in attendance.

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We wish to express our sincere appreciation to all the many friends who extended such kind sympathy to us during our time of bereavement in the loss of our sister, Mrs. M. A. Beckstead.

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CARD OF THANKS

To all those who so kindly volunteered their assistance in fighting the fire in Mrs. Claude Merkley's building, Williamsburg, and thereby preventing the flames from spreading to other buildings, on Wednesday night, I wish to convey my grateful appreciation.

J. D. BECKSTEAD,
Williamsburg.

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3 Pounds - 25c

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