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Coming Events

Reserve Thursday evening, January 26th, for the play, "The Little Clodhopper," to be presented in the local Town Hall by the Heckston Young People's Group, under the auspices of Winchester Women's Institute. Admission 35c and 25c.

YOUTH FOR CHRIST RALLY

Plan to attend the W. Y. F. C. Rally in the local Town Hall on Sunday evening, January 15th, at 9.00 o'clock, featuring an outstanding colour film, "They Follow On." Also musical selectons, instrumental and vocal.

COMING HOCKEY GAMES AT LOCAL ARENA

Russell-Dundas Jr. Hockey League Game—Friday, Jan. 13th—Russell vs. Winchester. 8.15 p.m. sharp. Admission 35c, Children 10c.

Monday, January 16th, Finch vs. Inkerman Rockets. Wednesday, Jan. 18th, Alexandria vs. Inkerman Rockets. Both scheduled Central Ottawa Valley League games. Puch faced at 8.30 p.m., sharp. Admission 50c, Children 15c.

HOSPITAL DONATION DAY

Donation Day for the Winchester Unit of the District Memorial Hospital has been set for Wednesday afternoon, January 25th, from 1.30 to 4.30 o'clock. All donations of canned fruit, pickles, vegetables, etc., etc., will be received by a committee at the hospital on the above date. If you have no way of bringing your donation, phone Miss Jean Wyatt or Mrs. Howard Fetterly and it will be called for and delivered to the hospital. Please remember the date, January 25th. A generous donation will be appreciated. 35-36c

ATTENTION, MR. FARMER !

A mass meeting of the Dundas and Grenville Hog Producers' Association will be held in Spencerville Community Hall on Monday, January 16, at 8. p.m. It is important that every Hog Producer attend this meeting and give his support to the Association in their efforts to estabilize the industry. Plan now to attend. Special speakers in attendance. 35p

ANNUAL MEETING OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

The annual meeting of the Winchester Public Library will be held in the Library Room, Town Hall, Winchester, on Thursday evening, January 12th, at 8 o'clock. All interested are urged to attend.

E. Gardner, Secretary.
34-35c F. E. Helmer, President.

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Mountain Council Honors Mr. Edward Bush On Retirement

Mr. Edward Bush, of South Mountain, has resigned from the office of Municipal Clerk of Mountain Township, after serving in that capacity continuously for the past 26 years. Prior to being appointed Municipal Clerk, he served the township as Assessor for 11 years.

Mr. Bush, although 78 years of age, was reluctant to retire from public service, but ill health forced him to tender his resignation to Council at the close of the year. He will be succeeded as clerk by Mr. Frank Milne, of Mountain.

In appreciation of his long term as a township officer, the Municipal Council of Mountain Township honoured Mr. Bush at the inaugural meeting held last Tuesday. He was presented with a purse of money, while the following address was read by Reeve W. A. Cameron:

Dear Mr. Bush:—We regret that you are compelled to sever your active relations with the Township of Mountain, which you have served faithfully for twenty-six years.

The wealth of information accumulated by you during this period of time has been of great assistance in guiding the affairs of this Municipality.

Any request for information under your control always received the most courteous, and prompt attention.

Your many manly instincts, and kindly disposition have won for you many true and loyal friends, who will remember with pride your many kindly acts.

We wish to take this opportunity of expressing the hope that, with freedom from Municipal cares, your health will improve, and that you will be spared for many years of happiness.

Signed on behalf of the Township of Mountain, Wm. A. Cameron, Reeve.

Mr. Bush replied to the address and thanked the members of the Board for their gift.

It was a fine gesture on the part of Mountain Township Council, and the complimentary remarks contained in the address were well directed to a man who has looked after the township's business for such a long period.

When Mr. Bush's application for the position of Clerk was placed before Mountain Township Council 26 years ago, it was Councillor John Corry who moved that it be accepted, and it was the same Councillor who moved that Mr. Bush's resignation be accepted last Tuesday. This does not mean, however, that Mr. Corry has been a member of Council during the 26 years. He returned as Councillor a few years ago, after several years' absence.

It has been said that the efficiency of a Municipal Council depends chiefly on the efficiency of its clerk. The affairs of Mountain Township have been well looked after during the past quarter of a century, regardless of the numerous changes made in the personnel of the Board, and credit, in no small measure, should go to Mr. Bush, because prior to his failing health, he administered the duties of his office with the highest degree of efficiency. The knowledge of municipal affairs he had gained from continuous service was often relied upon by new members of Council, who knew little or nothing of municipal government, and they were grateful to Mr. Bush for his assistance and sympathetic understanding of their personal problems.

Mr. Bush is known by practically every man, woman and child in Mountain Township. He is held in high esteem and it was with regret that friends learned of his retirement.

In addition to fulfilling the duties of Municipal Clerk, Mr. Bush has served the Township in several other capacities. His advice on both public and personal matters has often been sought, and his counsel accepted.

Mr. Bush was born at Cardinal, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bush. As a young man he took up residence in the Village of Hallville, where he followed the occupation of paper-hanger and decorator, and later took over an Iusurance Agency. He was twice married, his first wife being the former Miss Adora Beggs. Following the passing



MR. EDWARD BUSH
—Photo by Reg Finnemore.

of his second wife, the former Miss Maude Johnston, he disposed of his property in Hallville and took up residence with his daughters, Mrs. Ogle Workman and Mrs. Victor Barton, at South Mountain. He also has two sons, Mr. Hubert Bush and Mr. Edward Bush, Jr., of Kemptville, expert butter-maker at Kemptville Creameries, and recently commended for the high score his butter entry received in a Dominion-wide competition.

On the eve of his retirement, after 37 years of faithful and efficient service as a public servant, Mr. Bush's many friends will wish for him improved health and many years of happiness. The Press concurs in those sentiments.

Winchester Juniors Nip Chesterville 6-4

The Winchester Junior hockey team got off to a good start on Monday evening when it defeated the Chesterville Cubs 6-4 in a scheduled game of the Russell-Dundas Junior League. The ice was good and there was a fair crowd of fans in attendance.

Although the game was keenly contested, players on both teams tired rapidly due to lack of ice and practice for conditioning.

The line-ups were as follows:

Winchester—Goal, D. Billings; def., R. Timmins and R. Nesbitt; centre, A. McIntosh; wings, K. Timmins and R. Workman; alternates, L. Bailey, C. Bailey, E. Bailey, D. Justus, G. Hanes, D. Hutt, D. Kirkwood, I. Crerar.

Chesterville—Goal, W. Poapst; def., T. Moran and P. Cougler; centre, D. Barkley; wings, D. Smith and B. Barkley; alternates, G. Hamilton, G. McLaughlin, R. McMillan, R. Elliott, W. Bergeron, L. Hunt, R. McRae.

Referees: F. Bailey, L. Marcellus.

SUMMARY:

First Period

Winchester, Workman (K. Timmins, McIntosh) 12.00
Penalties: None.

Second Period

Winchester, McIntosh ..... .30
Winchester, L. Bailey (C. and E. Bailey) 2.00
Winchester, Hutt (Crerar, Kirkwood) 5.00
Chesterville, D. Barkley (McRae) 15.00
Chesterville, D. Smith 16.00
Penalties: Hamilton.

Third Period

Winchester, K. Timmins (Workman) 2.00
Chesterville, McMillan (Elliott) 7.00
Chesterville, McRae (Moran) .. 8.00
Winchester, E. Bailey (Hanes) .. 10.00
Penalties: Justus.

LOCAL CURLERS COMPETE IN ROYAL JUBILEE BONSPIEL

Two of the five teams of curlers from Winchester competing in the Royal Jubilee Bonspiel, opened the series at Morrisburg on Monday night. W. A. Rowat's rink chalked up a score of 16 to 9 against a team skipped by J. Brooks, of Prescott, while Skip W. J. Cass met defeat by 7 to 14 against T. R. Parker, of Morrisburg. A change has been made in the area for playdowns in the Royal Jubilee event. What was formerly the Ottawa District has now been divided, Morrisburg Centre taking in Alexandria, Cornwall, Prescott and Winchester.

Rinks from Winchester playing Monday night were: Bob Woods, C. H. Meredith, H. O. Balkwill, W. J. Cass, Skip; Peter MacGregor, Cecil Hess, A. Gilroy, W. A. Rowat, Skip.

With colder weather prevailing, local curlers are making another attempt to make ice in the curling rink, rather than call off activities for the season, as was indicated in last week's Press.

Theatre News!

PICADILLY

Thurs., Fri., Sat., JANUARY 12-13-14
"EL PASO"

Here's the kind of hard-hitting outdoor entertainment you love, sizzling with the thrills and excitement found only in the rugged West. Starring Gail Russell, John Payne, Sterling Hayden and George "Gabby" Hayes

Next Week's Features

Mon., Tues., Wed., JANUARY 16-17-18
"THE BRIBE"

A drama. Starring Ava Gardner, Robert Taylor, Charles Laughton, Vincent Price and John Hodiak. Adult Entertainment.

Thurs., Fri., Sat., JANUARY 19-20-21
"HEADING FOR HEAVEN"

A mirthful mixup of laughs and thrills. "Heading For Heaven" hits a new high for comedy. Starring Glenda Farrell, Stuart Erwin, Russ Vincent and George O'Hanlon.

—Also—

"THE GOLDEN STALLION"

It's Roy Rogers again, as he draws a bead on the West's most ruthless gang of Border Smugglers.

Coming Soon—"The Stratton Story" and "Man-Eater of Kumaon."

COMMUNITY
Theatre, Chesterville

Thurs., Fri., Sat., Jan. 12-13-14
NORTH WEST MOUNTED POLICE
(Re-Issue)

Cecil B. DeMille brings you a true story of Canadian life. A Texas ranger who pledges his hands and his guns to friends across the border. A spectacle of events that shaped a nation's destiny. With Gary Cooper, Madeline Carroll, Robert Preston and Preston Foster.

Mon., Tues., Wed., Jan. 16-17-18
"KNOCK ON ANY DOOR"

It's the penetrating, powerful story of a boy turned killer—of a youth who reached the end of his rope, because money came too hard the working way, and in a life of crime he'd become a good looking corpse. With Humphrey Bogart, George Macready and Allene Roberts.

Funeral of Shirley Cross Held Here On Saturday Afternoon

The funeral of little Shirley Cross, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Cross, of Chesterville, was held on Saturday afternoon from the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cross, to the local United Church, where an impressive service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. Norman J. Thomas, assisted by Rev. Mr. Wright, United Church Minister, of Chesterville. During the service, Mrs. Percy Durant sang "Safely, Safely Gathered In," accompanied by Mrs. Howard Fetterly, who presided at the organ throughout the service. The choir was present and led in the singing of the congregational hymns. The church was filled to capacity by friends and relatives of the deceased. Acting as a guard of honour were the pupils of the lower grades of the local Public School, who attended the service in a body, with their teachers, Misses Olive Hughes, J. Francis and M. Edgerton. Shirley had attended these grades, prior to her family moving to Chesterville a couple of months ago.

Interment was made at Maple Ridge Cemetery. The pall bearers were: Reggie Fetterly, Bobby Summers, Kenneth Thomas, Billie Sherwood, Tommy MacLean and Charles Gross.

The tragic death of the young girl occurred on Wednesday of last week when she was drowned in the Nation River at Chesterville, while on the ice on her way home from school at noon. A detailed report of the tragedy appeared in Thursday's issue of the Chesterville Record, and is republished here for the benefit of Press readers:

"This community was shocked to learn of the death of one of its children at the dinner hour on Wednesday when Shirley Cross, a ten-year-old member of the Chesterville Public School, was drowned in the Nation River at the foot of College Street, where it joins with Mill Street. The river at that point is very wide, in the neighbourhood of 300 feet or more, as it sweeps around the bend to run down through the town. For years that point has been used as a short-cut to cross to the north bank when the ice has formed. The unseasonably warm weather had weakened the ice dangerously and the accident occurred.

"The carefree children left the school at the noon bell. Shirley and her companion followed in the steps of at least half a dozen other youngsters who had trotted across the river ahead of them. To all appearances the ice was safe. Parents had warned their children to take the long way around lately, but carefree children forget. No one actually saw the children drop into the water, but the picture after that is deadly clear.

"Harry Hummell, clerk of the Municipality, who lives on the north bank driectly opposite the spot, had just arrived home for his dinner. He was helping his little grandson get ready to come into the house when he heard the frantic screams from the river. Realizing the reason on the instant, he called to his neighbour, Mac

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Mrs. Lynden Hough Is Provincial Champion

The Press joins in extending hearty congratulations to Mrs. Lynden Hough (nee Marion Helmer), of Newington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Erle Helmer, of town, who on Tuesday evening, won first prize in the Public Speaking Contest Finals, held at the King Edward Hotel, Toronto. The contest was province-wide, with winners from four zones competing. Mrs. Hough represented the Eastern Zone, having won out over two other zone contestants at Kemptville last week. She is a member of the Roxborough Junior Farmers' Club.

The competitions were sponsored by the Junior Farmers' Federation of Ontario, with trophies and prizes being donated by the T. Eaton Company of Canada. Mrs. Hough's topic was "Des Joachims." She was accompanied to Toronto by her husband and her parents.

WINCHESTER THEATRE NEWS

"The Great Dan Patch" is the screen showing for this week-end. Primarily, the film story of the greatest harness racer in the history of the sport — a horse that was never beaten in a race and that held time records which stood for many, years — it will be of an especial appeal to lovers of horse flesh. The raising, training, and racing exploits of Dan Patch are shown in all their realism. But withal, there is a story of human interest, of romantic drama, which will grip the interest of those to whom horses have not such an attraction.

The most delightful picture treat of many seasons will be shown on the first three nights of next week, "State Fair," in Technicolor. The cast is one of exceptional brilliance and it is a thoroughly enjoyable picture.

The story is set against the gay and colorful background of the fairs which were the year's highpoint in all-out fun for so many millions, before the War; and tells of the hectic adventures of a mid-west farm family at the fair for a week. Each member made a definite objective—the farmer was set on the championship for his pet hog; his wife was looking to prizes for her mincemeats; their son and daughter were dreaming of life and romance. Amusing episodes are mingled with music and tuneful songs.

The final picture of the week is a western drama, "I Shot Jesse James" —a dramatization of the stirring episodes which led up to the tragic death of the most famous outlaw in American history. On the same programme is a comedy featurette, cartoon and Newsreel.

HAD ARM AMPUTATED AT LOCAL HOSPITAL

Mr. Wendel Harper, Williamsburg Township farmer, and an R.C.A.F. veteran, had his right arm amputated at the elbow at the Distrct Memorial Hospital on Saturday afternoon. Mr. Harper was engaged in operating a corn cutter when his hand was caught and drawn into the revolving knives. Unable to free himself, Mr. Harper sent his four-year-old son for help. Mrs. Harper, and a neighbour, Bernice Froats, worked for 45 minutes before Mr. Harper was released from the cutters and given first aid. He was then treated by Dr. G. Barton, of Chesterville. The injured man was brought to the District Memorial Hospital here, where it was found necessary to amputate the arm.

REV. HARRY RODNEY TO BROADCAST OVER CBC NETWORK THIS SUNDAY

On Sunday afternoon, January 15, Knox Presbyterian Church, of St. Thomas, Ont., will be featured on the CBC National Radio Network on the familiar program, known as "Church of the Air." Time of the broadcast is from 4.30 to 5.00 p.m. Rev. Harry Scott Rodney, B.A., a native of Winchester, is pastor of the St. Thomas Church, and will be heard in an address during the program. Tune in on the CBC network at 4.30 p.m. on Sunday, and then drop Harry a line and tell him how you enjoyed the program. His address is 60 Hincks Street, St. Thomas, Ont.

PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD HOLDS FIRST MEETING

The first meeting of the Public School Board for 1950 was held at the school last Thursday evening, with all members present.

Officers and committees appointed for the coming year were as follows:

Chairman—Mr. Eldon Fennell.
Sec'y.-Treas.—Mrs. Walter Moffat.
Caretaker—Mr. Burness Steinburg.
Truant Officer—Constable Gilbert Raistrick.

Property Committee—Messrs. Chas. Cross, Clifford Churchill and Howard Biccum.

Purchasing Committee—Messrs. R. Wylie, H. Biccum and J. Rennison.

After assuming the chair, Mr. Fennell welcomed Mr. Jack Rennison, a newcomer to the Board.

The treasurer and chairman were appointed to be signing agents on behalf of the Board for all cheques and other financial documents.

The secretary-treasurer was authorized to have the Financial Statement published in the Press at an early date.

A discussion took place regarding the insurance on school property. As the policies do not come up for renewal until February, the matter was held over until the next meeting.

It was decided to hold regular meetings of the Board on the second Monday evening of each month.

W. I. MEETING

The regular meeting of the local Women's Institute will be held in the Town Hall, Tuesday evening, January 17th, 1950, at 8 p.m. A colour film on "The Making of Shoes," will be shown. Roll Call—An outstanding event of 1949. 35c

DISTRICT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL AUXILIARY MEETING

Mrs. Raymond Summers, President of the District Memorial Hospital Auxiliary, after welcoming the members and wishing them a very Happy and Prosperous New Year, opened the regular monthly meeting, held in the Town Hall on Thursday evening, by asking the Secretary, Mrs. C. R. Robinson, to read the minutes of the last meeting. The Secretary also read a letter from Mr. C. R. Robinson, Secretary of the Hospital Board, expressing the Board's appreciation of the generous assistance given them by all the women of the Auxiliary.

Miss Nora Elliott, treasurer, gave a detailed report of the Auxiliary's finances, stating that the balance on hand was $863.91. Miss Elliott's report met with hearty applause as usual.

The Superintendent of the Hospital, Miss Wilson, gave a very interesting report of the year's work in the hospital, stating that the month of December was the record month of the year and that there were thirty-four births during that month. She thanked the Auxiliary for supplying the Christmas decorations for the Hospital and also thanked all those who had helped in any way to make the patients', the nurses' and her own Christmas Day happier by their thoughtfulness.

The Auxiliary is purchasing a Mixmaster for the Hospital, where it is greatly needed to ease up some of the work of the hospital kitchen staff.

Mrs. C. R. Robinson was appointed to subscribe for the Readers' Digest and one other magazine for the Hospital, and Mrs. W. Byers and Miss Madge Coons were appointed to be a Buying Committee for one year for the Auxiliary.

Mrs. J. Rennison, convener of the Ways and Means Committee, thanked those who sold tickets on the Mixmaster, which netted the Auxiliary the sum of $112.50.

The last Wednesday in January was chosen to be Donation Day for the Hospital, with Mrs. Howard Fetterly and Miss Jean Wyatt as conveners. Everyone is asked to make a generous donation of jams, marmalades, fruits, pickles and vegetables.

The Auxiliary decided to join the Ontario Hospital Auxiliary, which membership will be of benefit to the Auxiliary and will allow four votes to be cast on motions made at the annual meeting.

The following units were represented at the meeting—Chesterville, Cloverdale, Hallville, Annables-Melvins, Mountain, Ormond, Russell, Cass Bridge-Summers and Winchester.

Each director reported a growth in membership and stated how they were increasing their finances.

Mrs. Neil Hutt, convener of the Sewing Committee, will have some sewing to distribute at the February meeting.

The meeting was closed by the singing of the National Anthem, with Mrs. Howard Fetterly presiding at the piano.

Municipal Council Holds Inaugural

The inaugural meeting of Winchester Village Council was held in the Council Chambers on Monday evening, following the submission to the Oath of Office by Reeve Walter Moffat and Councillors Howard Fetterly, Harold Lannin, Hugh Wilson and Arthur Summers. The clerk, Mr. C. R. Robinson, presided over the swearing-in ceremony.

Officers and Committees appointed for the year were as follows:

Clerk-Treasurer, Tax Collector and Hydro Secretary—Mr. C. R. Robinson.
Assessor—Mr. J. E. Singleton.
Constable and Fire Chief—Constable Gilbert Raistrick.
Auditor—Mr. J. D. Stewart.
Fence Viewers and Pound Keepers—Messrs. Jay Quart, Colin Hay and Lloyd Wilson.
Hydro Commissioner — Councillor Harold Lannin.
Roads annd Streets Committee—Councillors Lannin and Fetterly.
Property Committee — Councillors Wilson and Fetterly.
Finance Committee — Councillors Summers and Wilson.

The clerk-treasurer was appointed signing officer for all municipal cheques for the current year.

A By-Law regulating the operation of Bowling Alleys and other games within the corporation was given its final readings and passed, signed and sealed.

Considerable discussion took place regarding the purchase of a new truck for the Public Works Department, but no definite action will be taken until the next meeting.

Routine business took up considerable time and final decisions on new items discussed were held over.

Letters to the Editor

STATISTICS RE PROPOSED WINCHESTER DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL AREA

Editor of The Press:

May I be permitted to submit some statistical data with reference to the proposed Winchester District High School Area? In order to show the situation with respect to costs as between rural and urban parts of the proposed area, I have taken the statistics for 1947 as contained in the last published report of the Minister of Education, and have applied them in two ways: (a) As they apply as the district now stands, and (b) as they would have applied if a High School Area had been in operation.

(a) Operations for 1947 amounted to $22674. Deduct from this receipts from Legislative Grants, fees, other than those raised from taxation, donations, and receipts from all other sources, except from taxation. This amounted to $14197. Deduct also 20 per cent. of the amount paid on debentures. This is $162. Total deductions $14359. Net cost of all pupils on this basis is $22674, less $14359, or $8315.00.

Actual Aggregate Attendance was 26454. Perfect aggregate (based on an operating efficiency of 93%) would be approximately 28456. Divide this into $8315 and we get 29.22 cents as net cost per pupil per day. Enrolment for the year was: Village pupils, 48; non-resident pupils, 27; County pupils, 79. Assuming that attendance for urban and rural pupils was proportional to the corresponding numbers enrolled (on which costs are computed), perfect aggregate for rural pupils would be 19586, and for urban, 8870. Cost to rural municipalities would be 29.22c multiplied by 19586, or $5723.03. Now the County pupils would be from the rural parts of Dundas County, and the estimated amount of assessment from these areas to be included in the High School Area is $1,615,100. Fees for these County pupils would amount to 14596 (perfect aggregate attendance for these pupils) times 29.22 cents, a total of $4259.95.

(b) Assume that the High School Area has an assessment of $3,015,269, of which $831,203 is urban assessment. Now the net cost of operations would be an equal levy over the whole district. Gross operations were $22674. Provincial Grants were $14109. Net local cost needed to balance the budget would be the difference between these, amounting to $8565. On an assessment of $3,015,269 this would give a rate of 2.84 mills for the whole area, which would be $6202.75 for the whole rural portion, and $2362.25 for the urban. As I have estimated an assessment of $507,566 from Osgoode Township (it might be more, less, or none), the total estimated rural assessment is $2,122,666, made up of $507,566 from Osgoode and $1,615,100 from the rural parts of Dundas County. Now a rate of 2.84 mills on this $1,615,000 assessment amounts to $4586.88. On the basis of these data this is slightly higher than the amount which would have been paid on an attendance basis; but not significantly so. It must be borne in mind, however, that when transportation is furnished, the enrolment from the rural areas tends to increase, and if this should happen in this area, the costs on an attendance basis in the rural parts would show a decline, since costs would be based on assessment. Another factor to be considered is that Legislative Grants might be higher with a High School Area in operation and this might tend to reduce local costs. The figures for Legislative Grants in this computation are the amounts actually paid to the board in 1947.

Incidentally, gross pupil-day costs for the Secondary Schools of Dundas County, as given in the Minister's report for 1947 are as follows: Chesterville High School, 100.9 cents; Iroquois High School, 103.4 cents; Morrisburg Collegiate Institute, 103.8 cents; Morewood High School, 121.7 cents; Winchester High School, 85.7 cents; South Mountain Continuation School, 108.5 cents; Hallville Continuation School, 133.0 cents.

W. J. Stewart, I.P.S.

See Morgan's Full Page Advt. on Page 3, announcing his Fifth Anniversary Sale. Outstanding Values are offered.

The 7th Column

Winter visited this district with a vengeance over the week-end. On Thursday of last week, the thermometer registered about 60 degrees above zero. On Sunday morning the mercury dropped to 10 below, following a snowstorm which left the ground covered with six inches of snow on Friday—all of which would indicate that we may have plenty of winter yet, in spite of the delayed season.

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We heard several complaints on Saturday afternoon about the snowbanks in front of the United Church not being removed for the funeral service which was held there. In recent years it has been the policy of Council to remove the snow from in front of local churches for funerals. We sincerely hope this practice has not been discontinued—few ratepayers, if any, will object to the small cost this service entails.

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The harmony and co-operation that existed between the local clergymen and churches last week when the Week of Prayer was observed, created a truly Christian atmosphere. This kind of friendly co-operation, rather than the competition which so often exists between Protestant churches, will do more to attract new members and increase the attendance at church services, than anything else. It was a fine way to start the New Year, why not keep this spirit of harmony and co-operation active at every opportunity throughout the year. In other words, let us put the principles of Christianity above church affiliations.

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When Council draws up its street repair program for 1950, we hope that stretch of sidewalk on the east side of St. Lawrence Street from the theatre south to Fred Street is not overlooked. The best time for the members to inspect it is during a rainstorm, or during the spring thaw, but we would advise them to wear long rubber boots. This portion of sidewalk should be raised at least six inches. With approximately that depth of ground and mud covering the walk especially near the coal-yards and Mr. Fred Hutt's residence, it is rendered useless in wet weather. When the theatre was erected, it was necessary to elevate the sidewalk in front of it, and it would have been a wise move to continue the raise right through to Fred Street. In fact, the elevation should have been started at Melvin's Garage. The sidewalk on the west side of St. Lawrence Street in front of the Public School should also be raised, as it becomes flooded everytime it rains. Walking on the highway is extremely dangerous at this point, but with the sidewalk in its present condition, citizens must take this risk. Possibly there is some good reason why this portion of St. Lawrence Street has not been given some attention before, but we sincerely hope that Council will take action in the matter this spring.

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Conscience—what is it? You have often heard the remark: "Let your conscience be your guide!" In the

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 12th, 1950.

RURAL CHURCH BACKBONE OF THE COMMUNITY

Talk is circulating that more urban churches should be built and that, consequently, fewer rural churches should be supported by the various religious bodies.

We agree with the Cobourg Sentinel-Star when it says:

This, indeed, seems very drastic and unwise. To deprive the rural areas of their little ivy-covered places of worship is to cut out the very spirit of the rural community. It is known that people are forsaking the land for the steel and cement of cities: surely, to close the country church doors could do no more than hasten the exodus.

On the other hand, what the ecclesiastical powers-that-be should be doing is looking for means of encouraging the people to stay on the land. Steps are being taken in many places to rejuvenate the little churches such as have taken place in recent years in our own district.

There is nothing to equal a little country church. From it emanates the light and foundation of the community. Parents are not reluctant to bring their children along to the country church—they have no fear of harsh frowns such as they might expect amid the pomp and circumstance of a big city cathedral. Mothers enter into the work of the W. A. and W. M. S., and on Sundays, not only mother and children,but father is conspicuous by his presence.

To discourage this serene spirit of friendship and co-operation would be, indeed, disastrous to wholesome rural life.

The country church, as always, is a step forward in community life.

EVERY CANADIAN HAS A PART TO PLAY IN EXPORT TRADE

Every Canadian is directly affected by our export trade, or in other words the business our employers of industry do with other countries. It is a personal matter which every one of us must adjust our thinking, and furthermore do our part to overcome this important obstacle to avoid putting ourselves and others out of a job, so commonly referred to as unemployment.

R. A. Bryce, President of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, hit the nail on the head in an address he made in Winnipeg recently when he said: "the existence of this country as a growing power depends in a large measure on our trade with other countries." He further went on to say: "Canadians are forced by circumstances to recognize the tremendous importance of international and agricultural productivity and to appreciate the fact that the peace of the world is greatly dependent on the exchange of goods among the nations of the world."

"It is part of our job," he said, "to see to it that conditions favorable to the sale of Canadian products in world markets are provided.

"Our ultimate objective must be the development and preservation of freedom, nothing else that we do—nothing else that we accomplish—amounts to anything unless we can continue to operate in an atmosphere of freedom . . ."

Mr. Bryce said excessive taxation, bureaucracy and governmental control "all tend to stifle freedom and consequently must be avoided."

He said that new immigrants should be welcomed since an increasing population is a contributing factor to the "fullest possible development of our great natural resources and our high standard of living."

WE CAN'T DO WITHOUT YOUTH ON FARMS

When economists talk of invisible exports they usually mean investments and services purchased in Canada by foreign countries. When farmers talk of invisible exports they are referring to something far more precious and personal—the abilities and characters of many of their own sons and daughters.

Towns and cities pay for the food and raw materials they buy from the farms. But, argue farmers and farm leaders, they don't pay for the people.

The question is one part— a large part—in the overall issue of what place Canada's farm economy should hold in relation to the economy of the rest of the country.

No farmer would be so unfeeling as to put a price tag on his son before letting the city claim him as its own. Yet the argument still stands: the city is getting a product more valuable than than any carload of wheat or truckload of apples.

Besides the farm youth's health and strength, the city gets his intelligence and skills, bought and paid for by farmers in rural schools across the countryside.

The crux of the farmers' argument is that if the city is to pay for this young wealth which flows yearly into its streets, it must pay for it in better prices for the other farm products—milk, meat, fruit and vegetables.

So it's probable that the yearly exodus of thousands from the soil will continue. Cities, with their smaller birthrates, would dwindle without farm-reared additions; farm parents are often happier to have their children find better opportunities in city jobs.

WISHFUL THINKING

It has always seemed a pity to us that the spirit of good fellowship which is always present at Christmas cannot continue, at least in part, during the rest of the year. One of the most endearing aspects of Christmas is that many people are moved to acts of simple kindness and consideration which it would never occur to them to do during the other seasons, comments the Brockville Recorder & Times.

The milk of human kindness flows freely at Yuletide, at times it has the richness and texture of whipping cream—or possibly hard sauce—but come December 26th and it returns to its more normal skimmed condition.

If it were possible to preserve a little of the cheery spirit of Christmas to be produced around the end of April when income tax forms rear their ugly heads, the world would be a decidedly happier place.

The well worn phrase "Christmas comes but once a year" is unfortunately true in more ways than one.

EDITORIAL NOTES

The best diplomat of all is the man who can convince his wife that all the new styles make her look fat.

Now the after-Christmas clearance ads point out what bargains await those who managed to come through the holiday season with any money left.

Famous last words uttered by a number of Canadians every winter as they dash gaily out on thinly iced lakes, rivers and ponds—"Don't worry, this ice will hold me."

Few will doubt that historians will concur in the recent verdict of Time Magazine that Winston Churchill has been and is the Man Of The Half-Century.

Is this overlay of fluff, disguising the inside workings of everyday monotony, a serious indication of the trend of the times, or superficiality and escape from the fundamentals? Or it is the touch of gaiety and charm this old world needs as it does its daily whirl? asks the Gananoque Reporter.

The tragic drowning of a little girl who was crossing the ice on the Nation River at Chesterville last week, should serve as a warning to parents to be vigilant in cautioning their children to refrain from playing on the ice in frozen quarries, creeks, etc., during mild weather. It's not safe anytime, unless the ice is extremely thick, and that takes continued sub-zero temperatures.

Could it be that the element of Paganism is stronger in the cities than in rural communities? If so, that could be one good reason why Toronto and Windsor citizens have voted in favour of an open Sunday. People who have staunch Christian beliefs prefer to keep Sunday as a day of rest and worship, rather than one for commercialized sport. As a Christian nation, whither are we drifting? Only time will tell.

One sure way to bring about hard times for everyone in this fair Dominion of ours is to increase the farmers' overhead expenses and allow the bottom to drop out of the prices he gets for his products. In these parts, especially, when the farmer is finding the going tough, so is everybody else. Let's keep the farmer in a place where he can make a few dollars over and above necessary expenses, and the whole country will benefit.

For Parents Only

(By Nancy Cleaver)

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Before giving the answers to last week's calendar quiz, here are two practical suggestions for homes with school-age boys and girls. Keep a large calendar on the kitchen wall which is especially "Mother's Calendar." On it she can mark, for anyone in the family to read, special plans for special days when she wants a little extra co-operation from the family, such as "House-cleaning Clothes Cupboard in Hall," or "Aunt Margaret's Visit To-day" or "My Book Club meets here to-night."

A small child's blackboard or a homemade board covered with felt on which notes can be written or pinned for individual members in the home is also an excellent thing. When Mother has to go shopping or run an unexpected errand, she can leave a message on the board where she is and when she will be back. Everyone in the family should share in the work of the home. If special jobs for the week are listed on the board, such as "Mary washes supper dishes" the board is an impersonal "reminder" of work to be done.

Answers to Calendar Quiz

1. The word calendar comes from the Roman word "Calends" meaning a method of distributing time into periods.

2. The "solar day" and the solar year and the lunar month are the natural divisions of time.

3. The hour, week and civil or calendar month are the conventional divisions of time.

4. The solar day measures the length of one revolution of the earth on its axis alternating light and darkness.

5. A solar year is measured by the rotation of the earth around the sun and is composed of the four seasons—spring, summer, autumn, winter.

6. The lunar month is marked by the phases of the moon and is the length of time the moon takes to go around the earth.

7. The choice of seven days in a week has nothing to do with the movement of the heavenly bodies, although seven was a favorite number in ancient times.

8. The names of the week came from the Saxons who used their own god's names with each day—Sun's day, Moon's day, Tiw's day, Woden's day, Thor's day, Frigg's day and Saturn's day.

9. The Romans experimented with an 8-day week the century before Christ. The Chinese have used a five-day week, and for a short period to June 27th, 1940, the Soviet Union ordained a six-day week. The German "wikon" meaning change or succession is the root of this word.

10. The calendar in common use in our homes is the "Gregorian" calendar after Pope Gregory XIII who advised an astronomer in Naples to adjust the difference between the Solar year and the Julian year.

11. There are some other calendars in use—the Jewish, Mohammedon, Coptic, Hindu, Persian and Mexican calendars.

12. Our calendar may be alterated in time and become a perpetual or "World Calendar." The year would be divided into equal quarters in which the first month of each quarter would have 31 days, the second and third months 30 days each. Each month would have 26 week days, and each quarter 91 days (13 weeks with 13 Sundays and 78 week days). The extra day in Leap Year would be inserted between June 30th and July 1st. The 365th day would be called "Year End Day" and might be a World Holiday dedicated to International Friendship and Peace.

Other Editors' Opinions

A PAPER'S LIFE-BLOOD!

(Humboldt (Sask.) Journal)

The only thing the paper has to sell is advertising. Without it we couldn't hope to stay in business. The publishers of this paper feel that they have the right to refuse space to items which should be paid for.

THE SAME HERE!

(Brockville Recorder & Times)

Frankly it would have been necessary for Rita Hayworth to have had at least quintuplets before our interest would have been aroused. Hollywood antics are such that a mere birth is too normal an event to warrant notice.

COMMENT ON TORONTO VOTE

(Petrolia Advertiser-Topic)

The breakdown of the law of the Sabbath should be a matter of concern for all citizens. The Christian church has apparently lost much of its appeal to many Canadians to judge by reduced congregations in our churches. We pride ourselves that Canada is a Christian country but yet we take Russia to task for its letdown of Christianity. Making for a wide open Sunday is just another instance of lowering moral standards, which, as history will show, has a detrimental effect on any nation and its people.

GOOD SOLDIERS ARE GOOD MEN

(Financial Post)

In a recent "Packsack" column Gregory Clark effectively deals with the myth that the bad boys of today make the best soldiers of tomorrow. It is that misguided view, he thinks, that explains the tolerance of certain sentimentalists toward the recent outbreaks of teen-age law-breaking.

An army officer in the first World War and an official observer in the second, Mr. Clark points out that three of the commonest traits of these young rowdies make them total washouts when it comes to soldiering. They are bullies and cowards, and they have no capacity for discipline. In a future war, they would probably join up promptly enough but they would spend most of their military lives in the "clink."

When they come to think it over, a lot of people will agree with Mr. Clark.

LUSH PHOTO MAGAZINES

(Peterborough Examiner)

The holy horror that has been raised about crime comics in this country, and which has led to a ban on them, encouraged us the other day to investigate magazine counters of corner shops, to peek at those crime comics, and anything else that happened to meet our eye.

Lots did, and we wonder that our grave parliamentarians have not been breaking into cold sweats or hot blushes about some of the cheap photo magazines. Those body-builder magazines, for instance, full of posturing males displaying the noble body beautiful, and a teen-age magazine or two featuring the supple female.

Quite enchanting pictures, for those who like them. We are not suggesting that Parliament should ban them; we merely wonder if the MP's have never got beyond the crime shelf.

THOUGHTS ON SMOKING

(Huntingdon Gleaner, Que.)

The editor of the official Communist youth paper, one Dr. Kusnetsov, thinks that smoking is a menace to the manhood of Russia and he backs up his opinion with the statement that it is only in the decadent capitalist countries that "hunger, misery and despair make a man cloud his brain with tobacco."

We wonder how much weight Dr. Kusnetsov's editorial on nicotine carries with Comrade Gottwald, the Communist boss of Czechoslovakia, who is a heavy smoker? Probabaly not much, but Comrade Gottwald himself carries a lot of weight with the Prague chief of police. Gottwald mislaid his favourite pipe and remarked to the chief that someone must have stolen it. A few hours later the Premier's wife located it somewhere around the house and Gottwald telephoned the chief to call off the search for the missing pipe.

"But it's impossible," argued the chief. "You can't have found your pipe. I've already arrested five people and each one of them has confessed."

"TO OUR SHUT-INS"

I often think and wonder why
Such folk as you must sit and sigh
From morn till eve, no prospects brights,
Must suffer pain both day and night.

Yes, some are crippled, cannot walk,
Some cannot hear, some cannot talk;
Some blind, who can no beauty see—
To you we send our sympathy.

Ah yes, 'tis hard to understand
Why God doth lay His loving hand
But yet we know He holds the key,
Controls the lives of you and me.

Oh yes, we must in Him confide,
While we upon this earth abide,
Let's trust our God to lead us on
Until that brighter day shall dawn.

That day with pain and suffering o'er
When we all meet on yonder shore,
Where ne'er again shall suffer pain,
But with our Saviour will remain.

Now to all shut-ins of our town,
Who must so often feel cast down,
May God Himself dry every tear
And bless you with a glad New Year.

—John Reoch,
Box 332, Winchester, Ont.

The 7th Column

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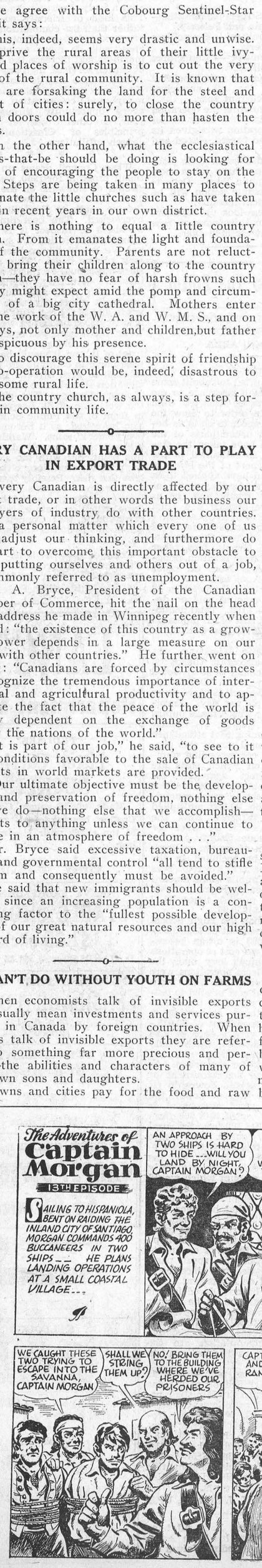
writer's opinion "conscience" does not react the same in every individual. It can direct a person to make a good decision, and another person to make a bad one—it depends very largely on your childhood training. If you were brought up in a home with a truly Christian atmosphere, where you were taught the value of Bible reading and prayer, where you and your family attended church and Sunday School, where you were taught to be charitable, to love your neighbour as yourself, to be kind to those who hate you, etc., etc., and where the value of a good education was stressed, and where you were advised to read good books; you have developed a "conscience" that, during the rest of your life, will direct you on the proper course—even though you may at times do things which your conscience rebels against.

On the other hand if you were born to parents of very limited education and were never taught the ethics of the Christian religion; were never sent to church or Sunday School; never knew what real parental love was; always heard your parents quarrelling and was cursed at every time you disobeyed their orders; were told that the world owed you a living regardless of how you got it; that a fist fight was the only way to settle an argument; that the higher forms of society were all bunk and meant for the idle rich, etc., etc.; and you were never reprimanded for petty thieving, telling falsehoods, and other acts of devilry; except in very rare cases, you have set the pattern for your conscience, and such a conscience will not guide you properly. As a child is trained, so also will he grow. The same applies to "conscience." Maybe our defining of "conscience" does not coincide with the views of everyone, but it contains a certain amount of logic in our way of thinking. We are not an authority on the subject, however, as a lot of people think an editor has no conscience. We wrote this after we attended church service on Sunday morning, if that will help. An inspiration from our conscience, so to speak.



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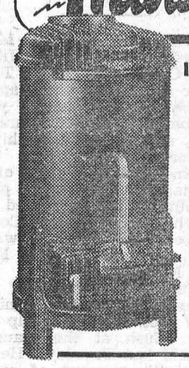

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McDonald, and ran to the river, shedding his heavy coat as he ran. He and Mac snatched an 18-foot ladder from the shed. They reached the bank and saw a terror stricken pair of little girls bobbing in the water near the opposite bank in a hole in the ice. Shirley was clinging desperately to Annie Wong and Anne was doing a double job of holding to the ice and helpnig Shirley. Hummell and McDonald rushed out on the treacherous surface, pushing the ladder towards the stricken girls; the ice started to weave and bend and threaten instant collapse. Robert Wong, the young brother of Annie, came running up the river from the direction of the mill and took over the ladder and continued the effort to reach the hole in the ice. By the time he had reached the hole, the exhausted Shirley had dropped away from Annie's numbed fingers and gone under the ice. Robert and the ladder tipped dangerously into the hole, and he was helpless. Hummell started to work his way back to shore when suddenly he went through. As he fell he flung his arms wide and managed to hold on in over ten feet of water until Sidney Morris, who had come out, could reach him with a rope. He crawled to shore without further mishap. Neither Morris nor McDonald can swim a stroke, but they had no hesitation in running out to help at any risk.

"The south bank of the river was the scene of other frantic activity. E. B. Lynch, driving along Mill Street, spied the two girls in the water. He leaped from his car and calling for help, grabbed some waste lumber that was handy and shoved it out on the ice to the struggling pair. Roger Barrie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Barrie, ran out on the ice to help Robert Wong, who was helpless on his ladder, and managed to get both Annie and her brother to safety. Roger showed a type of cool-headed thinking that will be remembered. Eddie Lynch, in the meantime, had been trying to locate Shirley Cross under the ice. She was wearing a red kerchief and that could be seen dimly as the current moved the little body downstream. Gordon Cummings had telephoned Gordon Lannin as soon as he could reach his phone on the north bank. Lannin flung a ladder on his wrecker and tore up Mill Street to help. He arrived on the scene in a matter of a couple of minutes and taking a crowbar from the wrecker, ran out on the ice. He was joined there by Doug. Smith, who had been on the north snore. He had a rope tied about his waist, and crossed over. Mr. Lynch was able to show the men the trapped girl and Lannin strove desperately to get a hole through the ice with the bar. After four attempts, he managed to grasp Shirley. Smith chopped frantically with an axe that someone had thrown him, and they freed the girl. Water, in the meantime, was bubbling up through the rotten ice, all about them. The current had weakened it from underneath, and air holes were numerous.

"The boys carried the limp girl to the bank and Thos. Lapierre started immediate artificial respiration. While it takes long to tell, it has been estimated that the victim was under the ice less than ten minutes. Every effort was made to revive Shirley. Dr. Barton was on the scene immediately, and Dr. Dodds came at once with his oxygen outfit. Respiration continued without ceasing, and soon after Dr. Justus arrived with the respirator from the Memorial Hospital at Winchester. The efforts were continued without avail. Barrie's truck was used to take the victim to the Library of the Community Hall with the respirator pulsing steadily. At two o'clock the doctors pronounced Shirley Cross dead from drowning."

Besides her parents, Shirley is survived by a sister and a brother, Marlene and Donnie.

The many floral tributes testified to the popularity of the young girl.

Floral Tributes

Floral tributes, which testified to the popularity of Shirley, were as follows:

Pillow—Mother, Father, Marlene and Donald.

Wreaths—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cross and family; Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lewis; Mrs. Edna Fleming and family; Mrs. Jenny Jennings, Mr. Wellington Jennings; Chesterville Public School Teachers and Pupils; Winchester Public School Teachers and Pupils, Grades 3 & 4.

Sprays—Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Campbell; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Campbell and family; Mrs. Beatrice Froats and family; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lewis and family; Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Stoodley and family; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Walker and family; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Strader and family; Mr. and Mrs. Basil Dawley and family; Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Dawley and family; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wong and family; Mr. and Mrs. Don. Redmond and Shirley; Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Redmond; Henderson & Walker Dairy; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Jennings and family.

Corsage—Mr. and Mrs. Medrick Landreville, Jr.

Basket of Cut Flowers—Ault's Creamery, Local 488.

Cut Flowers—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barkley; Mrs. Celia Reid; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Cross and Doreen; Mr. and Mrs. Than McIntosh; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morrow and family; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Irving; Miss Rose Cross; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cross and family; Mr. and Mrs. Foster Hanes and family; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cross; Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Strader; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Durant and family; Mr. and Mrs. Garfield McIntosh and family; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Durant and family; Mr and Mrs. Gordon Windsor and family; Mrs. Bessie Clark and family; Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Hitsman; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Timmins; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fetterly; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Servage; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McConnell; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hitsman and Marilyn; Miss Olive Hughes; Miss Maude Edgerton; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barclay; Mr. and Mrs. C. Farmiloe; Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Fawcett; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dillabough; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown; Mr. and Mrs. S. Coons and Bertha; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Barclay; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scott; Mrs. Staniforth and Mrs. Boyer; Miss Lois Coons and Mr. Earl Cross; Mr. and Mrs. Charles McMillan; Mr. and Mrs. Jack McMillan; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fyke; Mr. and Mrs. Bert McMillan; Mr. and Mrs. Cam Thompson; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Greer; Texaco Garage—Clare McMillan, Harry Smith, Floyd Smith, Ed. Smith; Garnet Barkley; Bob Jennings; Ed's Steak House—Mrs. Peter LeClair, Miss Pauline Foubert, Mrs. Charlotte, Mr. Hubert Harper; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Freeland; Miss Phyllis Henderson; Mr. Harry Flora; Miss Jean Wyatt; Miss Betty O'Neil; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Empey, Jennie and Sybil; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leslie; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Madden; Mr. and Mrs. Danny Desmond; Mr. and Mrs. Mac MacDonald; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Summers; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Summers; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bell; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown; Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Summers; Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Guy; Miss Annie Durant; Mr. Wilfred Durant; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Summers.

Mountain Tp. Council Inaugural Meeting

The inaugural meeting of the Mountain Township Council was held in the I.O.O.F. Hall, Mountain, on Tuesday, January 3rd, at 1 p.m., with Reeve W. A. Cameron, Deputy Reeve Harry Williams and Councillors Jos. A. Hyndman, John Corry and John Loughlin present.

Mr. Edward Bush, Towship Clerk, had them subscribe to their oaths of office, after which he read his letter of resignation from that office, which he had held for 26 years.

His resignation having been accepted, the Reeve read him, on behalf of the Township, a letter of appreciation for past services, and wished him better health from now on.

Frank V. Milne was elected Township Clerk, and the business of the meeting was proceeded with.

A large number of Mountain Township ratpeayers from near the Winchester Township Boundary were in attendance and asked the Council to sign the necessary papers for them to become members of the proposed larger Winchester High School Area. After some discussion this was agreed to.

Mr. Gordon Robinson was appointed Assessor and Tax Collector for 1950.

It was moved and seconded that any work done on the roads, without being authorized or supervised and passed by the Road Superintendent, would not be paid for by the Council.

The following accounts were passed —Road account, $899.71; Auditors, $157.50; Miscellaneous, $95.42.

The Council adjourned to meet at Mountain on Feb. 6th, 1950.

MR. AND MRS. J. I. MURDOCK HONOURED ON 50th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Foster, of Iroquois, entertained at a dinner party in honour of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Murdock, popular residents of Iroquois, who were observing their Golden Wedding Anniversary. The rooms were tastefully decorated with gold and white streamers, and a three tier wedding cake centred the table. Mr. F. R. Barriger, of South Mountain, acted as toastmaster. Many congratulatory messages were read by Mrs. W. S. L. Merrill, of Morrisburg, among which were from Fleming, Sask.; New York City; Iroquois United Church, Montreal-Ottawa Conference Branch, Dundas-Grenville Presbyterial (W.M.S.), Executives of the United Church of Canada.

Mrs. Murdock is a past president of the Presbyterial and the only member of Dundas-Grenville to have been president of the Montreal-Ottawa Conference Branch.

A bride's book of 50 years was read and presented by their daughter, (Leita) Mrs. D. P. Ullman, of Kingston. A short address was read by Mrs. Merrill Foster, and on behalf of the gathering, Mrs. F. R. Barriger presented Mr. and Mrs. Murdock with a gold and wine colored Satin Comforter. Many other gifts were received.

During the evening Mrs. Lloyd Montgomery and Mr. Merrill Foster sang a duet: "When You And I Were Young."

Members of South Mountain I. O. O. F., of which Mr. Murdock was a charter member, and their wives called during the evening to extend congratulations and to present Mrs. Murdock with a bouquet of golden Crysanthemums. Several Iroquois people also called.

Mrs. Murdock, nee Bertha Anderson, is a daughter of the late Wesley Anderson and his wife, Mary Keyes, of Shanley, where the wedding took place on December 27th, 1899. Rev. Arthur Wilkinson officiated.

The groom of 50 years is a son of the late Robert Murdock and his wife, Mary Jane Wright, also of Shanley. Following their marriage, they lived in South Mountain for a number of years and conducted a bakery business; later they farmed for a time at Breezy Point, west of Cardinal, and then conducted a general store at Hainsville until their retirement four years ago, when they took up residence in Iroquois.

Guests present were: Mrs. Donald P. Ullman, of Kingston; Wilbert Anderson, of Cardinal, brother of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Barriger, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Keyes, Mr. Rufus Keyes, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Montgomery, all of South Mountain, and Mr. and Mrs. Adam Keyes, all cousins of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wickwire, of Brinston; Mrs. W. S. L. Merrill, of Morrisburg; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Foster, of Iroquois.

The honoured couple expressed their thanks to the host and hostess of the evening and to their many friends who had made their Golden Anniversary such a memorable event.

DUNDAS HOLSTEIN BARN MEETING

A record crowd of over 150 were in attendance at the first of a series of four Barn Meetings, sponsored by the Dundas Holstein Breeders' Club, held January 4th at Dixondale Farm, Chesterville, at 1.30 p.m. Mr. W. O. Dixon, proprietor of the farm, welcomed the visitors and was most generous in providing classes for a judging competition from individuals of his high quality herd.

Mr. John Thompson, President of the Club, acted as chairman. In his opening remarks he said he was pleased at such a fine turnout for the occasion and he felt sure all the other meetings would be as well attended.

Mr. Grant Smith, of Brockville, Eastern Ontario Fieldman of the Association, demonstrated on breed type and also explained the new changes of policy inaugurated for the improvement of the breed.

Mr. H. W. Graham, Agricultural Representative, of Morrisburg, took charge of the judging competition, assisted by Mr. W. J. Fawcett, of Winchester, who had charge of the mature class of cows, and Mr. Smith who had charge of the heifer class. There were 150 took part in the judging competition. After the classes were judged a number were asked to give their reasons, following which those in charge of the classes gave their official placing and their reason for doing so. Mr. L. Spearman won the first prize of a halter with a perfect score of 100. The second and third prizes offered were a little harder to determine as there were four with a score of 97, namely: H. McMenomy, Russell Suffel, Donald Rose and Allison Fawcett. This was broken by the four contestants making a draw, which finally resulted in H. McMenomy winning second prize of a shovel and Russell Suffel third prize of a pipe wrench. The prizes were provided by the Association, and H. W. Graham, with the assistance of Angus Smith, made the presentations.

A hearty vote of thanks was extended to Mr. W. O. Dixon for his kindness and the use of his herd for the occasion by Mr. Frank Casselman, Honorary President of the Club.

The last Barn Meeting which, was to have been held on Wednesday, January 25th, at the farm of Harry Holmes, Winchester Springs, has been changed to Thursday, January 26th, at the same location.

THE MIXING BOWL

BY Anne Allan HYDRO HOME ECONOMIST

Hello Homemakers! Centuries ago, the Spanish traders took home from Old Mexico the cocoa bean, which they made into a beverage for special occasions. Back in 1720, a great botanist named cocoa, "Theobroma," meaning "Food of the gods." Today, people the world over consider cocoa and chocolate staple foods and use both in a great variety of ways.

Chocolate flavour is popular and it is always easy to prepare a cocoa or chocolate food. A cup of cocoa, made nutritiously, encourages the drinking of milk. Furthermore, those who consider the cost of a health-giving drink may be surprised to know that you get 80 large cups to the pound of a good brand of cocoa today.

COCOA SYRUP

1 1-4 cups sugar, 1-2 cup cocoa, 1 cup boiling water, 1-2 tsp. salt.

Mix cocoa and sugar well together. Add boiling water, continue stirring. Bring mix to a boil and pour into clean jar and store in electric refrigerator.

Measure 2 tablespoons of cocoa syrup in a serving cup and fill with hot milk.

MOULDED COCOA PUDDING

2-3 cup cocoa, 1-2 cup cream wheat, 1-2 cup sugar, 1 quart milk, 1 tsp. vanilla.

Mix cocoa, cream of wheat and sugar. Bring milk to boiling point. Add dry ingredients and cook 15 minutes, stirring constantly. Flavor with vanilla. Rinse jelly moulds with cold water; fill with mixture and chill. Serve with custard sauce or cream.

MAPLE BUTTER TARTS

3 tbsps. shortening, 3 tbsps. butter, 1 cup brown sugar, 4 tbsps. cocoa, 1-2 cup maple syrup, 2 eggs, 1-2 tsp. vanilla, 2-3 cup walnuts.

Cream the butter and shortening together. Add the other ingredients. Mix well and pour by spoonfuls into unbaked pattie shells. Bake in electric oven at 450 degrees for about 25 minutes. Makes 12 tarts.

TYROL MUFFINS

Make your favorite muffin batter. Fill each mould half full and place a piece of semi-sweet chocolate on it and fill with more batter. Then place another piece of chocolate on top. Bake in electric oven at 400 degrees for 30 minutes.

WALNUT SQUARES

1-2 cup butter, 1 1-2 cups granulated sugar, 3 eggs, 3-4 cup flour, 1-2 tsp. salt, 3 squares cooking chocolate, 1 cup walnut meats, 1 tsp. vanilla.

Cream the butter; add the sugar gradually; add the eggs and beat well. Add flour, salt, melted chocolate and walnut meats broken in coarse pieces. Flavor with vanilla. Place the mixture in a well-greased and lightly floured pan and bake in electric oven at 375 degrees for 15 minutes.

TAKE A TIP

1. Try Cocoa Pastry: add 1 tsp. cocoa for 1 cup pastry flour before you mix in shortening.

2. Try Chocolate Jelly Roll soon: add 6 tbsps. cocoa to a mixture of 6 cups flour.

3. Instant Chocolate Frosting: add 2 tbsps. canned chocolate sauce to 1-4 cup boiling water and stir until blended. Mix in 2 cups sifted icing sugar and spread on cake.

4. Chocolate Filling: Cream 1-2 cup butter with 4 cups icing sugar and add 2 squares unsweetened chocolate melted in 3 tbsps. strong coffee. Beat well and fold into 1-4 cup cream which has been whipped stiff. Fill torte or cake layers.

5. Orange-Chocolate Syrup: Add 1 tsp. grated orange rind to 1 cup of orange syrup.

Telephone No. 21, The Winchester Press, when you need printing.

Williamsburg Township Council Meeting

Williamsburg Township Council held its first meeting in the I.O.O.F. Hall in the Village of Williamsburg on January 2nd, 1950, at one o'clock, with Reeve Frank Darling, Deputy Reeve Bernice Froats and Councillors Keith Schell and Graham Wells taking the declaration of office. Donald Kyle was absent on account of illness in his home.

Resolution by Wells and Schell that Council meetings be published in the Winchester, Chesterville and Morrisburg papers.

Resolution by Froats and Wells that the Clerk be appinted inspector and issuer of licenses for tourist camps during the year 1950.

Resolution by Froats and Schell that a copy of the following resolutions be sent to Canadian Paraplegic Association, Toronto: Having had no report on the condition of Clare Dafoe since entering your clinic in October, 1949, this Council has decided to assist him until January 31st, 1950, and no longer, and after that date the Township of Williamsburg will not be responsible for any further expenses.

Resolution by Froats and Wells that beginning this year, the Grader man be paid 70c, truck drivers 60c, and the remainder of the road labour 50c per hour while employed.

Resolution by Froats and Schell that By-law No. 1158, appointing certain township officials, be read a first, second and third time, and finally passed, signed and sealed in open Council—Auditor, F. A. R. MacFadden; Relief Officer and Truant Officer, Iden Whitteker; Live Stock Valuators—Arthur Reddick, Malcolm Froats, Fred Cunningham, Geo. Hill, Mahlon Becksted; Fence Viewers—John Wells, Fred Casselman, Grant McIntosh, George Hill, Alfred Carkner, Wm. Colquhoun, Earl Beckstead, George Elliott, Clarence Thompson.

Pound Keepers—Chris. Summers, Fred Casselman, John Zeron, Harvey Phillips, Archie Crowder, Chas. Robinson, Omer Warren, Nathan Tupper, Grant Cougler, R. C. Colquhoun, Wm. Lane, Lee Casselman, E. J. McMillan, Roy Swerdfeger, Ira Weegar, Bernard Whitteker, J. O. McMillan, Cecil Casselman, Bismark Barkley, Clarence Thompson.

Solicitor—R. H. Armstrong.

Assessor and Dog Tax Collector—Frank D. Whitteker.

The following accounts were paid: Roads and Bridges, $1094.80; Canadian Paraplegic Association, re Clare Dafoe, $209.62; Relief, $91.50; P. V. Winchester Springs, $87.25; Postage, Excise and Advertising, $13.47; Clerk Treasurer, Collector, salary, $466.66.

Council adjourned to meet on Feb. 6th at one o'clock at Williamsburg I.O.O.F. Hall.

CANADA'S health

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No child is safe from the threat of diphtheria and whooping cough unless he has been immunized. No known cases exist where a child who has been immunized died of these diseases. Protect your children from "the baby killers." Immunization is free, simple and painless. You can't afford not to have your children immunized. It is the only safe way.

THE AIR WE BREATHE

An overheated, stagnant atmosphere lacks invigoration, makes for slackness and irritability and encourages colds. It also makes ventilation difficult for any entering air seems chilly by comparison. Working in an overheated room may cause dry and sallow skin, nose, throat and chest troubles and a craving for stimulants rather than food.

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MORE OLDER PEOPLE

Because of advances in science and medicine, more people are living to be older and each year we have a larger proportion of older people in Canada. Many of these people past middle age are skilled craftsmen whose trade has been learned over a long period of time. They deserve a chance to put their experience to work.

EDUCATIONAL ADDRESS TO BE BROADCAST OVER CORNWALL RADIO STATION

Mr. W. W. Powell, B.A., of Avonmore, Publicity Representative of the Dundas-Stormont Local of the O.S.S.T.F., has released the following schedule of educational addresses to be broadcast over Radio Station CKSF, Cornwall, starting on Monday evening of this week:

Monday, Jan. 16th—Mr. H. R. Beattie, Guidance Director, Dept. of Education, "Guidance in the Secondary School."

Monday, January 23rd—Major B. S. McCool, Assistant Music Supervisor, "Secondary School Music."

Monday, January 30th—Mr. T. D. Whiteside, Chairman of the Stormont District High School Board, "Building a New High School in Stormont County."

Monday, February 6th—Mr. G. S. O'Brian, Assistant Director of Physical and Health Education and Cadet Training, "Physical and Health Education and Cadet Training in Ontario."

Monday, February 13th—Mr. T. W. Mayor, Provincial President of the O.S.S.T.F., "The Work and Aims of the O.S.S.T.F."

Monday, February 20th—The Cadet Training Officer, Eastern Ontario Area, "Cadet Training."

Monday, February 27th—Mr. W. K. Normal School, "Teacher Training in F. Kendrick, Principal of the Ottawa Normal Schools."

Monday, March 6th—Dean Lewis, of the College of Education, Toronto, "Teacher Training in the College of Education."

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News From Our Neighbouring Districts

ORMOND

We are pleased to hear that Miss Laura Porteous, of Brockville, was successful in passing her R. N. examinations.

Recent guests of Mrs. M. Cumming were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Armstrong, of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Thos. G. MacLean and Mrs. Austin Carkner, of Ormond.

The many friends of Miss Doreen McGregor are pleased to hear of her recovery after an appendix operation at the Winchester Memorial Hospital.

Messrs. Kenneth Carkner and Jas. McDonald returned to Guelph O.A.C. on Monday after spending the holidays at their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jorgensen and family spent New Year's Day with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Swerdfeger, Winchester.

SOUTH MOUNTAIN

Miss Jean Graham, of Montreal, spent the holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Boyd entertained to New Year's dinner on Monday: Mrs. Annie Coons, Mr. and Mrs. George Coons and Edna, and grandson, Billie, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coons and boys, of Cass Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Graham were recent visitors at Ottawa.

Mrs. John Forrester was a guest at tea with Mrs. H. Cleland on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Hyndman, of Calgary, Alta., spent a few days last week with Mrs. R. W. Boyd and Miss Grace Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Armstrong entertained at New Year's dinner: Mr. Carl Nesbitt, of Brockville; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Nesbitt.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. John Thompson on the death of her father, Mr. James Steinburg, of Dixon's Corners.

Mrs. Lorne Boyd visited Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Crowder and Mr. and Mrs. H. Clarke on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ersol Murdock, of Brockville, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Murdock.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Nesbitt, of Prescott, spent Sunday with their parents here.

Mr. A. Maude, of Smiths Falls, was a visitor in town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Irvin, of Ottawa, were week-end visitors of her mother, Mrs. J. Cleland.

Mr. Arnold Dulmage, of Heckston, was in town Saturday on business.

We are pleased to report Mr. Melvin Locke improving after being ill.

WILLIAMSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Aden Casselman and Douglas were guests for Christmas Day at Chesterville with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Fyke.

Mrs. Lorraine Hamilton, of Ottawa, spent the New Year's week-end in town with her sister, Mrs. D. A. Shaw, Mr. Shaw and her uncle, Harley Buchan.

Miss June Barkley, of the Kingston General Hospital, spent the long week-end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. John McNabb, of Ottawa, were week-end guests here with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Casselman.

Miss Eva Myers had as her guests on New Year's Day, her sisters, Mrs. Maude Thorpe, of Brockville, Mrs. Joe Thorpe and Miss Luva Thorpe, of Hulbert.

Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Casselman were: Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stanley and Mr. Wendell Stanley all of Russell.

Mrs. J. A. McGruer spent a few days at Shawinigan Falls with her daughter, Mrs. D. M. Long, and Mr. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Casselman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Whitteker and baby, Brenda, and Mr. and Mrs. Grenville Fyke, of Chesterville, were New Year's Day guests with Mr. Frank Casselman and Mr. and Mrs. Aden Casselman.

Mrs. P. E. Beckstead was a guest during the Christmas season at Gananoque with her daughter, Mrs. Arnold Montgomery, Mr. Montgomery and family.

Mrs. Isabel Lane returned to Marathon, Ont., after spending the past week here with her aunt and mother-in-law, Mrs. Lyda Empey and Mrs. Mary Lane.

The W. M. S. of Williamsburg United Church met at the home of Mrs. James McMillan on Thursday evening for their regular meeting. The president, Mrs. Grant Couglar, presided, assisted by the secretary, Mrs. Arthur Baker. Seventy-two members answered the roll call by paying their dues. Mrs. Gerald Fee was group leader, assisted by several members in reading passages of Scripture. A pleasant feature of the meeting was the presentation of a Life Membership certificate and pin, to Mrs. David Short. Rev. Gerald Fee read an appropriate address and the president, on behalf of the Society, made the presentation. Although taken by surprise, Mrs. Short made a fitting reply. Refreshments were served at the close by the hostess and an appointed committee, and a social half hour enjoyed.

(Held Over From Last Week)

Christmas Day visitors here with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McMillan and family were Mr. and Mrs. Alex Davidson, of Winchester, and Miss Mildred Davidson, of Oshawa.

Little Billie Trickey, a patient in the Civic Hospital, Ottawa, spent the Christmas week-end in town with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arden Trickey, and Ann.

We are pleased to learn that Mrs. Hugh McIntosh is getting along nicely following a recent serious operation in the Civic Hospital, Ottawa.

Mrs. Isabel Lane, of Marathon, is spending several days in town with her aunt, Mrs. Lyda Empey, and her mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary Lane.

Miss Betty L. McIntosh and Mr. Donald McIntosh, both of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. N. Loucks, of Elma, and Mrs. Archie Loucks, of Winchester, were visitors on Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Strader McIntosh and Dick.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Johnston and daughter, Betty, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Johnston, all of Madrid, N. Y., were guests on Thursday in town with Mrs. Johnston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Garlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baker and Lyle and Miss Doris Loucks were six o'clock dinner guests on Monday at Chesterville with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Smith.

Mr. Gerald McPherson, of Macdonald's College, spent the Christmas week-end here with his father, Mr. Lorne McPherson, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kennedy, of Dunrobin, spent a couple of days here with their daughter, Mrs. Clair Algire, and Mr. Algire.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Carlyle, of Winchester; Mr. and Mrs. George Carlyle, of Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnston, of Cardinal, and Mr. and Mrs. Jocelyn Dixon and baby, Stephen, of Brockville, were guests at a family dinner on Christmas Day in town with the Misses Eva and Beth Carlyle and Mr. John Carlyle.

Guests at the home of Mr. James Cunningham and Miss Gladys Cunningham on Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Barkley and sons, Ronnie and Stephen, of Ottawa; Mr. Lyle Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Garlough and Mr. Ford Cunningham.

Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant M. Casselman were: Messrs. Keith Casselman and Chester Angus, both of Ottawa; Mrs. C. McIntosh, of Brinston; Mr. and Mrs. Frank McMillan and boys, and Mr. Ray Casselman.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hartford, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hartford, all of Massena, N. Y., were guests on Monday at the home of Mr. James Cunningham and Miss Gladys Cunningham.

Mr. Jack Robb, of Melfort, Sask., is spending some time in town with Mrs. Robb.

STRADER'S HILL

(Held Over From Last Week)

Mr. and Mrs. Lyell Sullivan, of Hulbert, and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gow and family, of Hosaic, had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hanson and boys spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Henophy, of Williamsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Helmer and Miss Jean Strader spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Strader.

Visitors on Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Strader were: Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Strader, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Hogaboam, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hill and Lynn, and Mr. Wm. Casselman.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgin McIntosh spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnston and family, of Dixons.

Visitors at Mr. Guy Strader's on Christmas Day were: Mr. John F. Casselman, Miss Nina Casselman, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Casselman and Miss Evelyn Cooke, and Mr. Mahlon Cooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Casselman and family spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Millward, of Riverside.

Mr. Mason Hanson and family had dinner on Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Strader.

Miss Glenna Gow, of Hosaic, spent a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Casselman and family spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Strader and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Strader and family had dinner on Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Loucks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John MacIntosh, of Watertown, N. Y., called on Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Strader on Saturday evening.

MOREWOOD

Mrs. Roy Fetterly is spending a few days in Ottawa.

Mrs. Harry Hutchinson spent last week-end with friends in Cornwall.

Mrs. Harold Stewart spent a few days last week with her parents at Russell.

Miss Donalida McLeod was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thompson.

Born on January 5th, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bourgeois, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barrington, Vivian and Joyce, spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lisk, of Eganville.

Mr. Hume McConnell has returned home from the Winchester Memorial Hospital, after having his tonsils removed.

Mr. Mac Thompson has been a patient in the Winchester Memorial Hospital, having undergone an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Ralph Steinburg visited on Tuesday with Mrs. Jas. Fetterly.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Miller and daughter, Beth, of Hudson, N. Y., spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Steen and Jack.

United Church W. A.

The first meeting of Morewood United Church W. A. for 1950 was held at the home of Mrs. Ford Steinburg. Reports were given by Mrs. Russell Swerdfeger, secretary, and Mrs. Clark Smith, who stated that a sum of $866.92 had been raised during the year. Mrs. J. V. Fetterly was appointed press reporter, with Miss Lois Steinburg reporting for the Winchester Press. Plans were made for a play, "The Red Spider," to be presented in the church hall this month by Morrisburg Y. P. S., the committee in charge being Mrs. Arthur Steinburg, Mrs. Russell Swerdfeger and Mrs. J. V. Fetterly. Mrs. Grant Swerdfeger, Mrs. Ford Steinburg and Mrs. Gordon Fraser were appointed to the dime card committee.

Mrs. George MacGregor was pianist for the meeting, and the hostesses were Mrs. Harry Popplewell, Mrs. J. V. Fetterly, Mrs. A. B. McConnell and Mrs. Ford Steinburg.

Mission Band Meeting

The annual meeting of the Mission Band was held in the church hall on Saturday with Mrs. Murray Dillabough, leader, in charge of the meeting. The following officers were elected: President, Marlene Swerdfeger; secretary, Marilyn Steinburg; treasurer, Betty Ann Smirle; World Friends' secretary, Ann LaSalle; Leaders, Mrs. M. Dillabough and Miss Addie Swerdfeger. About $40 was sent to the Presbyterial Fund.

HALLVILLE

Mrs. A. Cummings and Jean have spent some time in Ottawa with Mrs. Cumming's sister, Mrs. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Kerr and Phyllis spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Coulthart, of Morewood.

Miss Doris Simser spent the holidays at her home here.

Rev. and Mrs. N. T. Holmes gave a dinner to a number of his friends on Monday following Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coleman entertained on New Year's Day to dinner: Mr. and Mrs. J. Dougall, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Blain and Dick, Mrs. T. Coleman and Greta and Miss Marion Coleman, of Ottawa.

Mr. John McLean is out again, after being on the sick list.

Mrs. Robert Crowder spent Christ-Day with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rennick and family.

Miss Marquois is now staying and recovering from a sickness, with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Basil McMaster.

We are glad to report that Mr. Peacock, who has been confined to his home for some time, is improving, and we all hope he will soon be able to resume his duties as teacher again.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rennick spent Christmas with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rennick and family.

Born on January 4th, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hutt, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hyndman entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Hyndman and Bill on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hutt, of Winchester, made some calls in town on Monday.

Messrs. Ray Simzer and Bill Hyndman are on the sick list.

W. M. S. Meeting

The January meeting of the W. M. S. was held in the basement of the church on Thursday, Jan. 5th. The president, Mrs. Percy Cumming, was unable to attend, and Mrs. Lloyd Logan, first vice president had charge of the meeting. Mrs. Fenton Hyndman gave the Scripture reading, and Mrs. Joe Hyndman read the prayer. Mrs. Leslie Simzer had charge of the Study Book, assisted by several of the ladies, who reported on the medical work being done in missionary countries. The meeting closed with a hymn.

WINCHESTER SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Glen McIntosh spent Christmas holidays with Mrs. Heber McIntosh and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McIntosh spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Loucks at Kemptville.

Mrs. P. R. Walker and Donald and Miss Evelyn Walker, Deaconess of Riverdale Church, Toronto, were guests for dinner on Tuesday evening with Mrs. Heber McIntosh and family.

Mr. Donald McIntosh spent a few days at Gananoque the guest of Mr. Arnold Montgomery and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McMillan and family spent New Year's with the former's daughter, Mrs. Ralph McIntosh, and Mr. McIntosh.

Miss Ruth McIntosh and Mr. Bob Bramwell, of Ottawa, had dinner on Monday with Mrs. Heber McIntosh and family.

We are sorry to report Mr. I. P. McIntosh and Mr. Percy Rae are both on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Allison and family spent Sunday afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Allison at Morewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne McIntosh spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. B. Marlin at Kemptville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McIntosh and family spent Christmas with the latter's father, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McMillan, David remaining for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross H. Beckstead and Doreen, Mrs. P. E. Beckstead, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Beckstead and Rodney spent Christmas Monday with Mrs. Heber McIntosh and family.

A successful Euchre and Crokinole party was held in the local Orange Hall Thursday evening last, under the auspices of the Springs Unit of the District Memorial Hospital Auxiliary. Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Steele were in charge of arrangements, assisted by Mrs. Earl Munroe. Prize winners in euchre were: 1st, Mrs. Ralph Ball and Mr. Don Newbury; Consolation, R. S. Allison and Don McIntosh. In Crokinole, Miss Ella Coons, of Cass Bridge, and Mr. Stanley Rennick, of Inkerman, were winners. Consolation prizes were won by Alice Smith and Mrs. R. Allison. Refreshments were served by the committee in charge and a short period of dancing was enjoyed.

Mr. Thos. E. Holmes was delightfully surprised on Friday evening last when his mother, brothers and sisters and members of his family gathered to wish him a happy Birthday. Games were enjoyed. Following the serving of refreshments, Tom was presented with a suitable memento of the occasion, for which he expressed thanks. A very enjoyable time was spent by all present.

United Church W. M. S.

Mrs. Abe Bailey and Mrs. J. Bailey opened their home for the January meeting of the United Church W. M. S. on Tuesday afternoon last. There was a large attendance of members and the president, Mrs. Arthur Adams, was in charge. The meeting opened with a hymn and Mrs. A. E. Holmes led in prayer. Following the minutes and roll call and the payment of membership fees, reports of the various committees were given, showing the year 1949 to be a very successful one for the Auxiliary. There were 12 meetings held in 1949 with an average attendance of 21. Twenty-six paid membership fees, and there was one Life Member made, namely, Mrs. R. S. Allison. $207.60 was sent to the Presbyterial Treasurer. A Christian Stweardship paper was given by Mrs. Byron Steele. Mrs. Harry Holmes was made convener of Group 3.

The devotional period was in charge of Mrs. C. Thompson, convener of Group 1. She was assisted by Mrs. A. E. Holmes and Mrs. Cecil McIntosh. Mrs. Thompson sang a solo, "Keep On Smiling." Mrs. Thos. Keyes gave an excellent talk on "The Power of God." Group One, including Mrs. A. E. Holmes, Mrs. Abe Bailey, Mrs. Lorne Ball, Mrs. Alvie Steele, told of the work of our medical missionaries in various parts of the world. Mrs. Aden Casselman closed the meeting with prayer.

Lunch was served and a social half hour enjoyed.

MOUNTAIN

Mr. Wm. Brooks, of Kingston, spent the holidays with his daughter, Mrs. John A. Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gibson spent the week-end in Montreal and attended the Ranger-Canadien hockey game.

The joint meeting of the Mountain United W. A. and W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. B. Adams, South Mountain, last Tuesday evening, with a splendid attendance of members and visitors. Complete reports of the year's work were read. Mrs. S. B. Simms president of the W. A., had charge of the first part of the meeting, and Mrs. A. Moorhouse of the W. M. S. She was assisted by several ladies with Bible readings, and other ladies gave very interesting accounts of the medical work of the W. M. S., both in Canada and overseas. The allocation was exceeded, credit going to the Baby Band, Mission Band and C. G. I. T. Groups for their splendid assistance.

MELVINS

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Morley Erratt on the arrival of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Fowler and family visited the former's mother and other friends at Workworth recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Poole had tea with the latter's mother here on Wednesday.

Mrs. Donald Giles and infant son are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Black, before returning to her home in Chesterville from the Memorial Hospital, Winchester.

Visitors to tea on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Scott and Mrs. John Scott were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Coons and Edna and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Flegg.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Fowler and Misses Lillian and Sheila visited friends near Gouverneur over New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith McMillan and son, of Dunbar, and Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Helmer and children, of Maple Ridge, had dinner on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Flegg.

UNITED CHURCH W. A.

The January meeting was held in the Sunday School Hall on January 10th with the president, Mrs. W. A. Rowat, presiding. Mrs. Percy Durant reported for the parsonage committee, and Mrs. Geo. McIntosh, treasurer, reported a balance of $307.62 on hand, which showed a very successful year.

Mrs. Rowat thanked the members for their co-operation during the five years she was president and assured her successor of the same co-operation.

Rev. N. J. Thomas took charge and conducted the installation of officers for 1950. He spoke from John 2:7-8, and the words: Fill, Draw, and Bear. If we are filled with the love of Jesus we can draw an endless amount from His resources and advance to bear and do anything in Jesus' name.

Mrs. John Moffat, president, and Mrs. Percy Durant, secretary, then took their respective chairs, and a new parsonage committe, composed of Mrs. W. A. Rowat, Mrs. Faye Scott and Mrs. Geo. McIntosh, were appointed. Insurance on the Silver was renewed, and a Bazaar was planned for a later late. Conveners were appointed to cnavass the ladies of the church for W. A. membership fees.

Mrs. Percy Durant sang a solo, "Keep On Hoping," which was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Arthur Christie and Mrs. Kenneth Carlyle served dainty refreshments, and Mrs. Faye Scott moved a hearty vote of thanks to the committee.

ELMA

An impressive service was held by the Y. P. U. of Elma United Church on New Year's night. The call to worship and opening prayer were given by Miss Margaret Carruthers. After the singing of a hymn, Scripture readings were given by Misses Helen McPherson and Shirley Beckstead. The members of the Y. P. U., who formed a mass choir, sang: "Tell Me The Old Old Story," followed by prayer by Rev. F. J. Vowles. While the offering was received by Burton Beckstead, Jr., Claude Dillabough and Ralph McPherson, Mr. F. A. Beckstead played "My Jesus I Love Thee," by Adoniram J. Gordon. Wm. Beckstead sang a solo, "Lead Me To The Cross."

Rev. F. J. Vowles conducted the candle-lighting and installation service, during which the following officers were installed: Hon. president, Rev. F. J. Vowles; past president, Wm. Beckstead; president, Wray McPherson; vice president, Burton Beckstead, Jr.; secretary, Ralph McPherson; treasurer, Miss Gertrude Barkley; Conveners: Fellowship, Mrs. Geo. McIntosh; Culture, Wm. Beckstead; Citizenship, Shirley Beckstead; Missions, Margaret Carruthers; Recreation, Jean Carruthers; Refreshment, Mrs. Egerton Barkley; pianist, Helen McPherson.

Following the singing of a hymn, the new president, Wray McPherson, delivered an inspiring address. After the concluding hymn, Rev. F. J. Vowles pronounced the Benediction.

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Jan. 14—Winchester at Chesterville (morning).
Jan. 21—Finch at Winchester, (afternoon).
Feb. 3—Chesterville at Finch, (night).

Midgets

Jan. 7—Winchester at Chesterville (morning).
Jan. 13—Finch at Chesterville, (night).
Jan. 14—Finch at Winchester, (afternoon).
Jan. 21—Winchester at Finch, (afternoon).
Jan. 28—Chesterville at Winchester (afternoon).

INKERMAN W. A.

The regular monthly meeting of the Inkerman W. A. was held on Tuesday evening at the parsonage, with Mrs. C. R. Sutherland as convener of the worship period. Two poems were chosen to open the meeting, the parts being taken by Mrs. Russell Crowder and Mrs. Roy Ennis. After a hymn was sung, Mrs. Sutherland gave a reading on the New Year and offered prayer. Another hymn closed the worship service.

Mrs. Rae Brown, the president, conducted a lengthly business period, outlining the coming year's work. The Mizpah Benediction was said in unison, after which Mrs. Sutherland, assisted by Mrs. Earl Bailey, served lunch.

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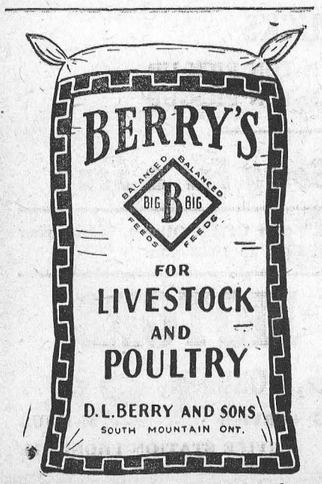

UNITED CHURCH W. M. S.

At the January meeting of the Afternoon Auxiliary, held on Thursday last in the United Church S. S. Hall, the president, Mrs. A. B. Allison reviewed the past year's activities and received the various annual reports. A successful and encouraging summary was given by the retiring secretareis. These included the over-all allocation being maintained and exceeded, the missionary reading points being increased, a total of 399 visits and 79 hospital calls made, and Christian Citizenship, Temperance and Stewardship, as well as the devotional and fellowship themes being duly emphasized during the year just closed.

Mrs. L. Walker, as recording secretary, read the minutes and also a summary of last year's meetings. Mrs. E. R. Steele was pianist. Mrs. P. Durant was named as Temperance and Christian Fellowship Secretary for the ensuing year. The Birthday Box will be in charge of Mrs. K. Helmer.

The devotional period was led by Mrs. George McIntosh, and Mrs. S. Bellinger and Mrs. W. Lannin. The worship theme was "The Bible, our Guide to Christian Faith and Conduct." Mrs. R. Freeland brought an impressive New Year message in the singing of the lovely old hymn: "Standing At The Portal," as a solo, accompanied by Mrs. H. Fetterly. A story entitled "Giving," related by Mrs. McIntosh, was timely for the new year, and also much enjoyed by the members.

A letter, containing greetings, leadership for advance, and inspiration, from the newly elected Presbyterial president, Mrs. Mina VanAllen, was read. Following this, the Rev. N. J. Thomas conducted the service of Installation of Officers for the next year, and closed the meeting with prayer.

HULBERT SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Hulbert Sunday School was held at the church on December 27th at 8 p.m., with Rev. Mr. Empey in charge. Following the opening devotions, the minutes were read by the secretary, Margaret Mellan, and the treasurer's report was given by Mrs. Percy Ellis. Miss Florence Roode gave the missionary report Donnie Morrison the Mission Band, and Mrs. Merle Graham the cradle roll report.

The following slate of officers was elected:

Supt., Howard Mellan; assistant, Keith Flegg; secretary, Carl Montgomery; assistant, Mrs. Margaret Mellan; treasurer, Mrs. Percy Ellis; Missionary treas., Miss Florence Roode; Mission Band, Mrs. Andrew Thorpe; Baby Band, Mrs. Flora Mellan; Cradle Roll, Mrs. Merle Graham; Temperance, Merle Graham; Official Board representative, Keith Flegg. The teachers for the different classes were also appointed.

KENMORE UNITED MISSIONARY CIRCLE ANNUAL

The annual meeting of St. Paul's United Missionary Circle, Kenmore, was held in the Sunday School Hall recently. Mrs. Kenneth McCallum presided for the election of officers for 1950 which resulted as follows:

President, Mrs. Hilda Wynn; 1st vice president, Mrs. Roy McKeown; 2nd vice president, Mrs. Geo. Warren; treasurer, Mrs. Geo. Warren; secretary, Mrs. Kenneth McCallum; Temperance and Christian Stewardship, Mrs. Wishart; Missionary Monthly and Supply, Mrs. Jas. McNeil; Community Friendship, Mrs. Jas. Porteous.

Mrs. Kenneth McCallum gave a report for the year ending 1949, which proved to be one of the best financial years in the history of the Mission Circle.

DISTRICT COWS ESTABLISH GOOD RECORDS

Eastern Ontario Jersey breeders are winding up a successful year in performance with several good records. Highest cow reported in recent days is Longview Warrior's Dream, 179843, a Jersey cow owned by Venture Croft, (J. R. Popham), of Chesterville.

Dream, as a senior two-year-old in 365 days, produced 9,796 pounds of milk and 544 pounds of fat. If she freshens in time she will be awarded a silver medal certificate by the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club. Dream is a daughter of the Superior Sire, Wendybrook Warrior. Heather's Standard Blossom M.G., 163324, has produced in 305 days as a junior four-year-old 10,357 pounds of milk and 494 pounds of fat. Several other records have recently been reported from Venture Croft.

J. W. Duvall & Son, Newington, one of the oldest Jersey herds in Eastern Ontario, report several records led by Northfield Gladys, 159139, with a junior four-year-old record in 365 days of 9,424 pounds of milk and 511 pounds of fat. Newington Standard Lulu, 173109, as a senior three-year-old, has produced 9,008 pounds of milk, 484 pounds of fat, in 365 days.

In the herd of Mrs. Addie Cardiff & Sons, Renfrew, Arnstan Fox's Girl, 164025, as a senior three-year-old, has produced 7,456 pounds of milk and 464 pounds of fat; and Arnstan Noble Beauty, 165539, as a senior three-year-old, in 305 days has produced 7,901 pounds of milk and 416 pounds of fat.

Other records have been reported in the herds of T. Stanley Watson, of Kars; J. G. Broome, Prescott; Hon. A. C. Hardy, Brockville; Carl C. Teepell, Elgin; J. J. Mackenzie & Son, Finch.

THE AMAZING STORY OF HIDDEN TAXES

Just imagine! A loaf of bread has 151 taxes in it. You'd get at least 2 1-2 packs of cigarettes for the price of one if it weren't for taxes. Read, in The American Weekly, with this Sunday's (January 15) issue of The Detroit Sunday Times, an almost unbelievable story of the tax tangle.

NOTICE!

The January Session of the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry will meet in the Council Chambers, County Buildings, Cornwall, on Monday, the 16th day of January, A.D. 1950, at 2 o'clock p.m., pursuant to Statute.

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OBITUARY

WILLIAM ANDREW SMAILE DIES FOLLOWING OPERATION

The sympathy of this district is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Almon Smaile (nee Gladys Cooke), of Spencerville, in the passing of their young son, William Andrew, aged 5 years, at St. Vincent de Paul Hospital, Brockville, on Wednesday of last week. Death followed an operation for appendicitis.

Besides his parents, he is survived by three sisters, Catherine, Linda and Laney, all at home, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cooke.

The funeral was held on Friday afternoon, January 6th, with service at the house being conducted by Rev. Chas. Mullin, pastor of Spencerville Presbyterian Church, assisted by Rev. L. M. Somerville, United Church Minister, of Spencerville.

Following the service, the remains were placed in the vault at Spencerville Cemetery. The pall-bearers were: Carl Smaile, Douglas Robertson, Douglas Bruce and Melville Bruce.

The floral tributes were as follows:

Broken Circle—The family.

Wreaths — Grandparents Cooke; Uncle Lorne and Aunt Madelaine and Uncle Ray Cooke.

Sprays—Aunt Mae Dusenberry; Aunt Grace Hogaboam and family; Lorne and Ruth Hogaboam; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smaile and family; Mrs. Edith Froats and Mrs. Aleta Steele; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smaile; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cooke and John; Dr. P. A. McIntosh and family; Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Turner and family; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Patterson; Canadian Order of Foresters, Court Golden Rule, of which the deceased was the youngest member.

Cut Flowers—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smaile, Carl and Lois.

FINAL TRIBUTE PAID MEMORY OF L.A.C. A. MacINTOSH

A large number of friends and relatives paid final tribute to the memory of Leading Aircraftsman Allen Vincent MacIntosh, who lost his life in the crash of an R.C.A.F. Mitchell bomber at Trenton, Ont., on Sunday, Dec. 11th, at a funeral service held in Kenyon Presbyterian Church, Dunvegan, at 2 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 16th. A special service with full military honors was held at Trenton on Wednesday morning for the four victims of the crash, after which the remains were conveyed to the home of his parents at Dunvegan.

A large cortege proceeded from the family home to the church, where the service was conducted by the minister, Rev. Dr. D. N. MacMillan, who, during the war, was an R.C.A.F. chaplain overseas with the rank of Squadron Leader. Dr. MacMillan paid tribute to the life of the deceased, basing his remarks on St. John 15:13:—"Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends." The hymns sung were: "O God Our Help In Ages Past," "Forever With The Lord," and "Abide With Me."

At the graveside service, where a large number of personal friends gathered, an R.C.A.F. bugler sounded the "Last Post" before the remains were laid to rest in the family plot.

Born in Dunvegan

L.A.C. MacIntosh was born at Dunvegan, Ont., on Nov. 14th, 1920, and received his education in Skye Public School. During the war he was employed at Dominion Industries Limited, Brownsburg, Que., before enlisting in the R.C.A.F. in 1942. He received his training for aero-engine mechanic at Galt, Ont., and proceeded overseas in March, 1943. Remustering to air crew, he graduated as flight engineer in October and was shot down on his first trip over enemy occupied territory on Nov. 20th, 1943. Captured by the Germans, he escaped after spending one night in prison and contacted the underground forces. After spending ten months with them, he was released by the Allied invading forces. He returned to his home in Skye on October 27th, 1944, and received his discharge in 1945. After working a short time in the Howard Smith Paper Mills, at Cornwall, he re-enlisted in the R.C.A.F. and was stationed at Trenton until the time of his tragic death.

All those who knew him will treasure the memory of his pleasant disposition, his unselfish nature and energetic personality. Being mechanically minded, he found in flying a career which suited his talents and satisfied his adventurous spirit.

To mourn his tragic death he leaves his wife, the former Mabel Bowman, Reg. N., of Vernon, Ont., and three-year-old Margaret; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. MacIntosh, Dunvegan; one brother and four sisters—Weldon MacIntosh, at home; Mrs. Clarence Moyer, Montreal; Mrs. Ray MacGillivray, Dalkeith; Misses Mora and Eileen MacIntosh, at home.

Pall bearers were four Air Force friends—L.A.C. Lorne Hartlen, L.A.C. Bill Moore, L.A.C. Ted Lee, L.A.C. Ted Roberts; Wesley Chisholm, of Skye, and Bill MacQueen, Ottawa.

The many floral tributes and telegrams received were a silent testimony to the regard in which he was held and the regret felt at his untimely death.

Among the many friends from a distance who attended the service were L.A.C.'s Lorne Hartlen, Wellington Byers, Bill Moore, Ted Lee, Ted Roberts and Cpl. Doug. Grinham, all of Trenton; also from Montreal, Ottawa, Cornwall and Vernon. —Cornwall Daily Standard-Freeholder. Reprinted in this issue of The Press by request.

LATE EARL FROATS

Friends throughout the community were shocked to learn of the sudden death of Aden Earl Froats, which occurred in Massena Hospital on December 15th at the age of 53 years. He was born at Chesterville on June 3rd, 1896, the son of the late Jacob Froats and his wife, Lautheria Hummel. He was united in marriage to Fern Pemberton on August 29th, 1917. He farmed for some time at Chesterville, then moved to Massena, N. Y., where he has farmed until a sudden heart attack caused his death.

The funeral was held on Saturday, December 17th, from his home to the First Methodist Church, Massena, of which he was a member. The service was conducted by Rev. W. O. Thomas, who preached comforting words from Psalm 90:1,

He was a loving husband and father, and a friend to all. He was loved by all and will be greatly missed.

He leaves to mourn, his sorrowing wife; one son, Carl, at home, and three daughters, Mrs. Milton Lawrence (Gladys), of Madrid, N. Y.; Mrs. Floyd Murray (Beatrice), and Mrs. Douglas Cheney (Violet), both of Massena. Also three brothers, Lloyd Froats, of Beckstead; Russell, of Chesterville, and Arnold, of Morrisburg; and five sisters, Mrs. Annabelle Loucks, Chesterville; Mrs. Ross Beckstead, Aultsville; Mrs. Earl O'Shaughnessy, Morrisburg; Mrs. Stanley Barkley, Elma, and Mrs. Lloyd Barkley, Dunbar; also six grandchildren, Donald, Linda and Gerald Lawrence and Donna, Phyllis and Philip Murray.

LATE MISS SARAH M. FEADER

On Monday, Dec. 15th, the community of Grantley was grieved to learn of the sudden passing of one of its well-loved citizens, Miss Sarah Feader, at her home. She was the daughter of the late Harvey Feader and his wife, Margaret Cunningham.

Although suffering from a heart condition which lately had become more acute, she continued to perform her household duties. On Sunday she attended church service, but early next morning suffered a severe attack, passing quietly at noon. She was a lifelong member of Grantley United Church and was seldom absent from its services. She was a charter member of the W. A., where she was an ardent worker, being in turn its President, and for over ten years its secretary.

The service at the church was conducted by her pastor, Rev. H. N. Beach, with her favourite hymns "The Sands of Time are Sinking" and "All the Way My Saviour Leads Me," being sung. The choir, under the direction of Miss Margaret Casselman, rendered: "I Do Not Ask, O Lord." The pall-bearers were neighbours: Messrs. Alex Munro, James Hesson, Alex Gordon, Claude Carr, Reg. Darling and Walter Beckstead. Interment was made in the family plot at Grantley.

Left to mourn her loss is one brother, William Feader, at home. Relatives attended the funeral from Russell, Massena, Ottawa, Prescott, Stittsville and Chesterville.

HULBERT

Mrs. Percy Ellis spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mellan.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Flegg and Linda spent a few days in Montreal with Mr. and Mrs. Alex McDonald and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Graham and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Merle Graham and family and Mrs. Arthur Graham.

Mrs. Chris Mellan and Lorne entertained to dinner on Friday, Dec. 30th: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mellan and Mrs. M. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Ellis and family, Miss Lois Helmer and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mellan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Beggs, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beggs, Mr. Jas. Fulton and Mr. Jas. Wallace.

Callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Flegg and Linda Hamilton were: Mr. Geo. Hamilton, Mr. Ed. Hamilton, Mrs. Roy Hamilton, Miss Betty Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hamilton and Enid, Mr. and Mrs. John Gilroy, Miss Ida Gilroy and Mr. Carl Montgomery.

Mr. Fred Marshall called on relatives here on Sunday.

Born on Saturday, December 31, 1949, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Marshall, of Brockville, a son, John Frederick.

HYNDMANS

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Canning and Mrs. Ray Grant called on Mrs. Thos. Canning on Sunday afternoon, who has been confined to her bed for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grant and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Crowder, of Pleasant Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Francis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Francis, of Brockville, and Mr. and Mrs. Don. Francis and Ronnie spent New Years Day with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Canning and Beverley had tea Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Crowder, of Pleasant Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lattimore and Mrs. Janet Lattimore spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. James Grant, of Cardinal.

Mrs. Thos. Francis, a resident of this place, picked a pansy at the home of her son, Earl Francis, of South Mountain, on Monday, Dec. 26th.

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ST. PAUL'S LADIES' AID

The January meeting was held at the home of the Misses Ida and Emma Gardner on Thursday last. A fair attendance of members were present. The president, Mrs. S. Anderson, welcomed all and thanked the ladies for their loyal support in the past year and hoped the year 1950 would bring forth as good a year as the past.

The meeting opened with the Scripture and devotional by the president. The reports given were very encouraging of the activities during the past year. A substantial financial balance remained in the treasury after all obligations were met. The objective of the Society for this year is the paying of coal and lights for the church. It was decided to serve refreshments at the annual meeting. The farewell and flower committee were re-appointed for the year 1950.

The organist and choir are to be tendered a banquet on Feb. 14th. Plans are left in the hands of the executive of Society, with Miss E. Gardner as convener.

It was decided to do some decorating at the Manse. A donation is to be given the Sunday School for prizes to be used at the end of the year for pupils. Other business was discussed and some left over for the February meeting. Roll call and offering were taken and a vote of thanks was voiced to the Misses Gardner for delicious refreshments served and use of their home. The meeting closed with repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison.

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ANGLICAN VESTRY MEETING

The annual Vestry meeting of the Church of St. Matthias, Apostle and Martyr, Winchester, was held at the Rectory on Monday evening, January 9th, with Rev. Leon B. G. Adams in the chair. The Rector opened the meeting with prayer for the guidance of God the Holy Ghost.

Mrs. D. F. Blair was elected Vestry Clerk and read the minutes of the last meeting. The treasurer's report was read by the Rector, showing all obligations met in full. For the first time in many years, the diocesan apportionments and assessments were overpaid. The report showed that only $26.50 remained to be paid to the Anglican Advance Appeal, $173.50 having been subscribed to date. The Redecoration Fund which was set up for the interior decoration of the Church showed a balance of $41.64. The Rector and Mr. F. W. Gibbons were authorized to sign all cheques. Mr. Lennox Jakes was re-elected auditor.

The Ladies' Guild report was given by Mrs. K. H. Greer, showing total receipts of $228.67. A vote of thanks was moved, expressing the appreciation of the church for the work of the Guild.

Rev. L. B. G. Adams presented the Priest's annual report. He stated that there were 94 public services at St. Matthias' Church in 1949 and in addition 20 private celebrations of the Holy Communion for the sick and shut-ins. There were 3 Baptisms, 1 Marriage, 2 Burials and 324 Acts of Communion. In doing his parish work, the Rector drove 12,300 miles within the parish during the year.

The Rector reported that the 60th Anniversary of the building of St. Matthias' Church would be observed this year and that he hoped sufficient funds would be available to redecorate the church interior for this event. The Rector and Wardens were asked to make plans for this historic occasion.

The Rector appointed Mr. Forest Fisher as Rector's Warden for 1950 and the vestry elected Mr. F. W. Gibbons as People's Warden and Mr. Willard Acres as Lay Delegate to Synod.

The Rector announced that Rev. Terence Finlay, Rector of St. John's Church, Ottawa, would be the special speaker at the Patronal Festival of St. Matthias on the evening of February 26th.

After the meeting, refreshments were served by Mrs. Leon Adams. Mrs. Ralph MacPherson moved a vote of thanks to the Rector and Mrs. Adams for their hospitality.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Howard Kennedy and son, Reggie, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Holmes.

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Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bell and family spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Kerr and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon McIntosh, of Toyes Hill, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Holmes, of Winchester.

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Miss Pat Coulter, of Sault Ste. Marie and Ottawa, spent the week-end with Miss Marion Loucks at the latter's home here.

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Rev. and Mrs. A. Lorne MacKay and young son, Allan, of Montreal, are spending this week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Robinson.

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Mr. Lawrence Helmer, of Bowmanville, spent the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Helmer, of Maple Ridge.

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Congratulations go to Miss Marion Loucks, of Winchester, who successfully passed her examinations as a Registered Nurse for the Province of Ontario.

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Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Swerdfeger and daughter, Frances, entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Jorgensen and family and Mrs. Swerdfeger's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Larsen, to a New Year's dinner, where four generations were present.

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Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aden Casselman and Percy, of Winchester Springs, on Christmas Day, were: Mr. and Mrs. Victor Riddell and sons, Eric and Fay, of Dundela; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ault and son, Dennis, of Irena; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Casselman and Erlene, of Toyes Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Graham Casselman and son, Douglas, of Winchester Springs; Miss Geraldine Smith, of Morrisburg, and Mr. Henry Whittaker, of Williamsburg.

BIRTHS AT THE DISTRICT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

On Sunday, January 1st, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Clare Moak, of Finch, a daughter.

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On Monday, January 2nd, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Morley Erratt, a daughter—Lynda Elaine.

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On Tuesday, January 3rd, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pruner, of Aultsville, a daughter.

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On Wednesday, January 4th, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Basil Benton, of Cardinal, a daughter.

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On Thursday, January 5th, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hutt, of Hallville, a son.

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At the District Memorial Hospital, Winchester, on Friday, January 6th, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. George Gibbons (nee Audrey Levere), a son.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

Celebrate 25th Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith, of Alexandria, celebrated their 25th Wedding Anniversary quietly with their friends on December 27th. Mr. Smith is Principal of the Alexandria High School and has taught there over 30 years.

Passes Nurses' Exams.

Miss S. Joyce Thomas, daughter of the Rev. Norman J. and Mrs. Thomas, is being congratulated on passing her exams for Registered Nurse in the Province of Ontario. Miss Thomas, a recent graduate of the Ottawa Civic Hospital, is at present on the staff of the Winchester District Memorial Hospital.

Saw Ground Hog.

During the mild spell, the Press received many reports about pansies and other flowers being in bloom, but one day last week Mr. Norman Porteous, of Ormond, notified us that he had seen a groundhog running along the road. If it remained out in the open over the week-end, it would realize that it had made a mistake and no doubt crawled back into its hole. 10 degrees below zero is by no means Spring weather, and we'll bet Mr. Groundhog got a big surprise.

See Morgan's Full Page Advt. on Page 3, announcing his Fifth Anniversary Sale. Outstanding Values are offered.

LOCAL DRUG STORE CHANGES HANDS

Mrs. Earl Morgan has sold her Drug Store Business, which she operated under the firm name of "The J. F. Smith Drug Company, Limited," for several years, to Mr. W. H. Evans, of North Bay, who took possession last week. The building was not included in the sale.

Mr. Evans, for several years, was Medical Representative for the Park Davis Drug Company.

The local Drug Store was formerly owned by Mr. Geo. H. Challies, present M.L.A. for Grenville-Dundas. It was later taken over by the late Benson Smith. Following Mr. Smith's death, his son, Frederick, continued to operate the business. He passed away a few years ago and since that time his wife carried on the business with the assistance of a licensed Pharmacist.

HINTS FOR THE HOME

Nutritious Dish

A nutritious dish can be effected by stripping escalloped corn with bacon slices and baking for twenty minutes in a moderate oven.

Burned Food

If food has been allowed to burn in an aluminum cooking pan, place it dry over a fire. As soon as the food has become charred, it will loosen. Remove immediately.

Ironing Hint

The result of clothes that are not ironed dry is easily creased garments, too unsightly to be worn more than once. The clothes should not be dampened so much that it is hard to iron them completely dry.

Cleaning Upholstery

Vacuum cleaning is without doubt the best and most efficient way to clean upholstery. But, of course, this will not remove spots. For removing these, try using some fuller's earth. Carbonia, or like preparation, is also good for removing spots and brightening upholstery.

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Sunday In The Churches

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UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Rev. Norman J. Thomas, Minister.

Winchester: Public Worship at 10.30 a.m. Sermon: "Sincerity." Sunday School and Bible Classes at 11.30 a.m. Worship at 7.30 p.m. Subject: "The Conquest of Fear." Harmony: Sunday School at 2.15 p.m. Worship at 3.00 p.m. Subject: "Signs of Discipleship" (or "Recognizing Christians.")

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Iver D. MacIver, Minister.

Winchester: Sunday School at 10 a.m. Public Worship at 11.00 a.m. Public Worship at 7.30 p.m. Winchester Springs: Sunday School at 1.30 p.m. Public Worship at 2.30 p.m. At the morning service there will be the ordination and reception of elders.

ANGLICAN CHURCH
Rev. Leon B. G. Adams, Rector.

Second Sunday after the Epiphany. St. Peter's Church, South Mountain, 1.45 p.m., Sunday School, and 2.30 p.m., Evensong and Sermon by the pastor. St. Matthias' Church, Winchester, 7.30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon by the Rector.

BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Ben. Richardson, Minister.

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

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Henry Kielty, Minister.

Bible School at 9.45 a.m. Morning Worship at 10.45 a.m. Y. M. W. B. for all boys and girls at 3.00 p.m. Evangelistic Service at 7.30 p.m. Mid-Week Service for prayer, Bible study and fellowship on Wednesday at 7.30 p.m. Youth Service on Friday at 7.30 p.m. Hallville: Sunday School at 2.15 p.m. Afternoon Worship at 3.00 p.m. Cottage Prayer Service on Tuesday at 7.30 p.m.

INFANT DIES AT HOSPITAL

Friends and neighbours of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Porteous, Harmony, were shocked to learn on Thursday last that their 3½-months-old daughter, Linda Marion, had passed away at the District Memorial Hospital.

The funeral was held on Friday, January 6th, with service at the family residence being conducted by Rev. Norman J. Thomas. Interment was made in Springhill Cemetery.

Besides her parents, the infant is survived by two brothers and four sisters, all at home.

NOT KID STUFF

Although milk is stressed for the diet of children, it is not "just kid stuff." Milk is a valuable food as it contains many nutrients necessary for the health of both young and old. Adults need at least one-half a pint a day in some form.

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INKERMAN ROCKETS WIN ONE GAME—LOSE TWO

In an exhibition hockey game, played at Perth on Saturday night, the Inkerman Rockets defeated the Perth Juniors 5-3. On Sunday afternoon the Rockets journeyed to Clinton, N. Y., to play an exhibition game with the Clinton Intermediates, a much heavier and more experienced team. The score was 7-4 for the American team. On Monday evening the Rockets played a Central Ottawa Valley League game with Cornwall Sports Club Juniors at the Cornwall Arena, and were edged out by a 6-5 score ,after a hard-fought contest.

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