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Coming Events

DATES TO REMEMBER

Week of Prayer.

A "Week of Prayer" will be observed in Winchester next week. For schedule of services, see Advt. on Page Three of this issue.

Red Cross Tea.

A Red Cross Tea will be held in the Town Hall on Monday afternoon next. It will take the form of a Handkerchief Shower. Men's Women's and Children's Handkerchiefs are urgently needed by the Red Cross. All ladies are cordially invited to attend this meeting, which is the first of the New Year. Remember the day, Monday, January 5th.

IT'S A DATE!

Red Cross Concert and "Junior Fashion Show," in the Town Hall, Winchester, on Friday Evening, January 16th. Reserve this date for a full evening's entertainment.

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THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY

January 8, 9 and 10

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Villany seeks cover when Roy Rogers brings law and order to Tombstone. With "Gabby" Hayes.

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Former Conservative Leader in the the Federal House, who was yesterday appointed to supervise Air Raid Precautions throughout Canada.

Only Two Attend Electors' Meeting

The meeting of electors advertised for last Monday night did not turn out to be of much interest to local ratepayers. Besides the reeve, two councillors and the clerk, only two other people were present. Probably the majority of citizens are satisfied with the present council's record and felt that an explanation of the financial statement was not necessary at this time. Whatever their attitude, it is not much encouragement for those public-spirited men who are devoting their time and energy for the welfare of the town, to not be given a hearing at the close of the year.

This lack of interest in municipal government on the part of the younger men of town cannot go on indefinitely. Some day they are going to have to accept their share of responsibility, so they may as well start taking an interest in municipal matters now.

Canada Welcomes Visit of Prime Minister Churchill

The stocky figure of Winston Churchill dominated the Canadian scene on Tuesday, as Britain's war-time Prime Minister brought a message to the Parliament of Canada.

Despite the sharp, cold air, with the thermometer flirting with the zero mark, thousands of Ottawa people and out-of-town visitors flocked to Parliament Hill, stood on the walks, roads and even snow-covered lawns to witness Mr. Churchill's arrival and hear his address through the system of loud-speakers installed on the outside of the centre building.

Triumphal Procession.

His arrival from Rideau Hall was in the manner of a triumphal procession, with cheers of ovation proportions greeting him as the blue limousine entered the eastern gate and drove slowly up towards the Peace Tower.

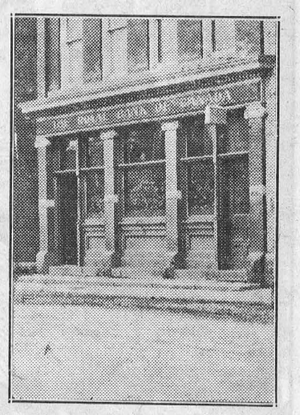
Despite war-time informality and absence of decoration and ceremonial, Mr. Churchill's visit was a towering landmark in the history of Canadian democracy, and excited interest unequalled in the memory of parliamentary officials.

Has your Subscription expired?

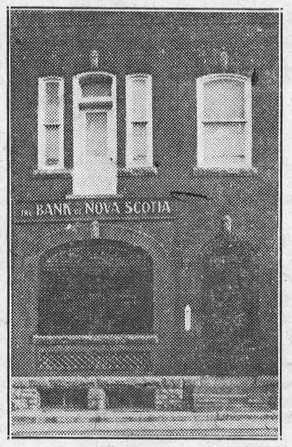
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA SUSPENDS BUSINESS HERE

The Bank of Nova Scotia has discontinued its branch here. It suspended business today and all accounts were transferred to the Royal Bank. All depositors, and others having accounts with the bank, were notified of the Company's decision to close the branch, last Saturday. The letter, sent out by the general manager, stated that the reason for discontinuing the Winchester branch was that "the volume of business was not sufficient" to maintain a local office.

Mr. J. J. Gray, manager of the branch, was not aware that the bank was going to be closed until about a week before the announcement was made. He is being transferred to a Toronto Branch, while the other members of the staff, Messrs. Eric Rawson and Keith Holmes, will be stationed at Kemptville Branch. The transferring of accounts and other business to the Royal Bank will entail a great deal of work, and no doubt the staff will work behind closed doors for several days before the task is completed.



THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA



THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA

The local branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia (formerly the Bank of Ottawa) was established here 41 years ago. It was in the year 1900 on September 8th that the Bank of Nova Scotia (then the Bank of Ottawa) opened its first office in the building now occupied by the Winchester Hydro Electric System, renting from John A. McKercher, and moved to its present location in 1901, and rented from Mr. A. W. Beach, who had just completed the erection of this fine block. It is rather remarkable that during its forty-one years in Winchester the Bank of Nova Scotia has had only five different managers. Mr. Duncan McNamara was the first from 1900 to 1902. He was followed by James Henry Mitchell, who stayed only one year, and was succeeded by Nelson Whitman Morton. In 1905 John D. Stewart took charge and was manager for the record period of twenty-eight years, when he retired, and is still a prominent figure in the public life of Winchester. It was during Mr. Stewart's regime that, in 1919, the Bank of Ottawa was merged with the Bank of Nova Scotia. In June, 1932, Mr. James J. Gray succeeded Mr. Stewart and remained as manager until the Bank suspended business on December 31st.

Since coming to town, Mr. Gray and his devoted wife have won a warm place in the hearts of local citizens. They have been active in church and community life and their departure from Winchester will be sincerely regretted.

While Winchester regrets the closing of the Bank of Nova Scotia, the town will continue to be well served by the Royal Bank, which has long been established here. It's history dates back to 1887, when a branch of what was then The Union Bank of Lower Canada, was opened by a Mr. Brown, of Alexandria. Mr. Artimus Ward Beach, still a well known resident of Winchester, was the first teller, and returned to his native village from Topeka, Kansas, to accept the position on August 4th of that year. Mr. S. L. Forest was the first manager, and he is still living in Ottawa. The bank later changed its name to the Union Bank of Canada, and in 1925 was merged with the Royal Bank of Canada. The original site of the Royal Bank was just south of the Smith Drug Store block, where Dr. A. W. Sherwood's office now stands. In 1887 it was moved to the Ross Block, and in 1902 again moved to its present location just south of the Sweet Block. The present manager, William Andrew Rowat, is a son of a pioneer Presbyterian minister of Winchester, the Rev. Andrew Rowat, who came to the village in 1871 and preached for thirteen years in the old frame church on Main Street. Mr. Rowat is a very efficient and courteous bank manager, and the bank's new clientts will find in him an eagerness to serve them with every courtesy and care. The Royal Bank's business will be heavier with the two branches merged making it necessary for it to increase its staff. So far, Miss Anne MacDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allan MacDonald, of Ormond, has been added to the staff. She was a student of the local High School.

Patrons of the Bank of Nova Scotia are reminded that it will be necessary for them to present their pass books at the Royal Bank at an early date.

Other Banks Merged.

It is also understood that the two banks in Kemptville have been merged. In that town, the Royal Bank has suspended business and handed its accounts over to the Bank of Nova Scotia.

WARTIME PRICES AND TRADE BOARD ACTIVE AT BROCKVILLE

Brockville, Dec. 31st—Saying "No" and explaining why it is impossible to return any other answer is becoming a familian occurrence in the daily life of Edwin C. Cossitt, serving here as Regional Prices and Supply Representative of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

Mr. Cossitt explained to-day that the iron-clad nature of the price control regulations prevented him from sanctioning increases in charges for services as well as in the retail prices of goods. Accordingly, he has been compelled to say "no" quite often since he assumed office less than a month ago when he would very much like to have been in a position to give the opposite answer.

There was, for instance, the delegation of barbers from a small village who waited upon him asking if they could increase their charges, since these did not return them a satisfactory living. He was obliged to say that barbering services came specifically under the price ceiling and that, in consequence, their fees, however reasonable, could not be elevated above the level of the basic period, last September 15-October 11.

A rural telephone company also communicated with the Prices and Supply Representative asking if it could put into force an increase in its rates which had been contemplated for some time. Again, the answer was "no," because public utilities, including telephones, are clearly under price control and no increase in their rates can be authorized.

Retail merchants, too, have presented their problems. Occasionally, the answer has been "yes" but more frequently it has again been "no," since the Board is determined that the ceiling of the basic period, relating to the retail sale of goods, shall not be punctured except in the case of certain commodities of seasonal production in which a fluctuation of prices is customary and still permissible.

To adhere to this policy, as Mr. Cossit readily concedes, has meant initial loss for many merchants, but against this there is to be placed the fact that the great end of preventing inflation and eventually much greater loss is being served. Price control, as he points out, is not only designed to check inflation during the war period but to avoid post-war deflation and depression which would probably strike Canada a crippling blow when she needed all the economic support that she could muster.

BIRTHS

At Mountain, Ont., on Sunday, December 28th, 1941, to Mr. and Mrs. James Baker (nee Betty Bell) a son—Ralph James.

EARLY CLOSING OF STORES STARTS NEXT WEEK

Starting next week, local stores will remain closed every evening except Saturday. This policy does not apply to Barber Shops, which will be open on Tuesday and Thursday nights, as well as Saturday. The early closing of stores will be observed during the months of January, February, March and April, the same as last year. Local and district citizens will kindly keep this in mind.

Prizes Donated For Curling Competition

The local Curling Club opened the season on Tuesday evening with a bonspiel. Several interesting games were played, followed by the serving of refreshments.

Competition this year in the Club schedule will no doubt be much keener, and players will take a deeper interest in their games. The reason for this is that the prizes are well worth winning.

Besides the Goodfellow Cup, the winning team at the end of the season will be presented with four beautiful leather Overnight Bags, and the runners-up with four serviceable canvas Overnight Bags. These eight bags were donated to the Curling Club by Hugh Carson Co. Ltd., of Ottawa, in response to a request for a donation made by Mr. Howard Fetterly, president of the Curling Club.

This generous donation on the part of the Ottawa firm came as a pleasant surprise, and, needless to say, the Club members are highly appreciative of the interest the Hugh Carson Company have taken in the Club's activities.

With nearly 50 members already enrolled, the Curling Club is looking forward to one of the most successful seasons since its organization.

MEN TO BE CALLED FOR TRAINING TO EXCEED 5,000

Authoritative quarters Monday night indicated that the number of men to be called up for compulsory military training in January would considerably exceed the 5,000 already ordered to report January 8.

One suggestion was that an additional 2,000 who already have had 30 days training under the old scheme, would receive calls.

Major General L. R. LaFleche, Deputy Minister of War Services, would make no immediate comment on the report.

40c Milk Subsidy Encourages District Milk Producers

The Wartime Prices and Trade Board announced recently that subsidies will be paid to producers of milk sold to manufacturers of concentrated milk products and in certain areas to producers of milk sold for fluid milk distribution.

The subsidy system went into effect on Monday.

The bonus payments will be:

Thirty cents on each 100 pounds "over and above the lawful price" to producers of fluid milk sold in all areas where no increase in milk prices has taken place since last August 1.

Forty cents on each 100 pounds, "over and above a minimum price of $1.70 per 100 pounds, or the present price, whichever may be higher," to producers of milk sold to manufacturers of concentrated milk products.

"The amount of the subsidy will be added to the price paid to the producer by the milk distributor or by the manufacurer of concentrated milk products," the board's announcement said.

Mr. Mahlon Bailey Died Christmas Day

Final tribute of respect was paid to the memory of the late Mahlon Bailey at his funeral, which was held from the home of his brother, Mr. Thomas Bailey, Cameron Avenue, to the United Church on Sunday afternoon, where an impressive service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. Dr. T. A. Halpenny.

Interment was made at Maple Ridge Cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. Rowat Elliott, Kenneth Carlyle, Clarence Deeks, James Utman, Langley Belway and Eldon Fennell.

The late Mr. Bailey died suddenly about 6.30 o'clock Christmas night, following a heart attack. Stricken with the heart seizure on Main Street, opposite the town hall, shortly after he had assisted a motorist to get his car started, Mr Bailey passed away a few minutes later after being taken to the home of Mrs. Jas. Slater, where he had resided for the past few years.

Deceased was in his 76th year and was born on a farm in Mountain township, a son of the late Thomas Bailey and his wife, Eliza Wholehan. At the age of 16 he apprenticed himself in a local blacksmith shop, owned by Arthur Robinson. After learning his trade he opened up a blacksmithing and carriage business in 1890 on the site now occupied by Melvin's Service Station. With the advent of the automobile, Mr. Bailey was, for a time, a partner with the late Mr. David Melvin, and sold Chevrolet cars. After the dissolution of this partnership, Mr. Bailey opened up a garage in connection with his other business, and for a number of years was local agent for Star and Durant cars. His garage and house were consumed in a fire about 4 years ago.

After an honourable business record of 45 years, Mr. Bailey retired six years ago. He was one of Winchester's most highly esteemed citizens and took a keen interest in municipal affairs. For three years, 1893-95 he served as Councillor on the Village Council, and in 1896 was elected reeve. He was also a member of the council during the years 1924 to 1928. The late Mr. Bailey was a school trustee for several years and a former Justice of the Peace under the J. P. Whitney regime. He was also chairman of the County Cemetery Board and the Liquor License Board, set up by the Whitney Government.

The late Mr. Bailey was a strong temperance advocate and devoted much time for the cause of temperance and abolition of the liquor traffic.

In politics, he was a Conservative, and had filled executive offices with the local association.

He was a devoted member of the United Church, having served as an Elder and member of the Official Board on several occasions. He was also a past superintendent of the Sunday School and teacher of the Ladies' Bible Class.

As a fraternal patron, the late Mr. Bailey was a former member of Henderson Lodge, No. 383, A. F. & A. M.; L. O. L. No. 862, and the Canadian Order of Forresters.

In 1890 he was married to Miss Jane Dixon, who predeceased him in 1936.

The late Mr. Bailey was one of Winchester's most beloved citizens. For over half a century he took a keen interest in all phases of community life in this district and his passing will be regretted by a wide circle of friends.

Besides his son, Prof. Lloyd Bailey, of Toronto University, he leaves one sister, Mrs. Arthur Robinson, of Montreal, and two brothers, Wm. Bailey, of Kemptville, and Thomas Bailey, of Winchester.

Many beautiful floral tributes testified to the high esteem in which the late Mr. Bailey was held.

CARD OF THANKS

Messrs. D. L. Bailey and Thomas Bailey wish to acknowledge with deep appreciation and sincere thanks, the many acts of kindness extended to them, and the expression of sympathy accorded them during their recent bereavement. 35p.

Winchester Skating Rink Now Open

Why Not Join In The Fun Right From The Start?

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

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

GENERAL ADMISSION

Skating—Adults, 20c; Children, 10c.

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

The Band will be at the Rink for skating every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday Night.

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Season's Greetings

Harry L. Flora

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MEN'S .....

LADIES' .....

New Year Greeting

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Our sincere thanks to all whose loyalty and friendship we have enjoyed in a business way during this year.

There have been many difficulties—everyone has had a share of them. Perhaps 1942 will bring more. Even so, there is not a more favoured place in the world. We have our homes and our churches and our schools and our friends—we should be very grateful.

Our New Year's wish for everyone is that they may find real happiness in these things and that the end of 1942 may be much brighter than the beginning.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 1st, 1942.

THE NEW YEAR !

What does 1942 hold in store for us? This is a question most of us ask ourselves—but who knows the answers?

With the whole world at war and events moving swiftly, surprises have sprung up all around us. Today, Great Britain and her Colonies, United States and Russia are the three major powers opposing the Axis nations of Germany, Italy and Japan. It will be a long, hard struggle. Our enemies are strong—at present, much stronger than we are. The New Year will see the democracies increasing their fighting strength by leaps and bounds. Restrictions on gasoline, rubber, steel and many other war essentials will make it necessary for all of us to change our way of living. Most people will find, during the year that lies ahead, that they will have more money to spend, but less to spend it on. Radios, refrigerators, cars and many other items will be off the market or their sales greatly restricted. It is going to be a tough year for business men, especially those in the automotive and machine businesses. The outook for the farmer appears to be bright—and that's something to be thankful for.

As the year 1942 progresses, we can expect more severe Government measures, prohibiting the sale of non-essentials and controlling the sale of things essential to normal living. We can expect to be asked for more and more money to finance the war. We can expect some form of selective service in manpower. Yes, the coming year will bring the war closer to us and this, we must expect.

If the sacrifices we are called upon to make during the coming year will help bring about victory and restore peace to the world, we must be willing to make them without complaint.

As Prime Minister Churchill has said on several occasions, 1942 will see the democracies passing the Axis powers in production of war equipment and of man-power, and in 1943 we will be able to take the initiative in waging war on the aggressor nations and finally bring about their defeat. This calls for a great effort and this effort must be accompished without delay. That is our main task for 1942—that is the thing we must concentrate on.

Yes, the New Year may bring surprises, but we must be prepared to meet them. Dark days will come before the sun shines, but we must not falter. We must face the New Year with a resolve to wage war to the utmost of our ability. Each one of us will have an individual part to play and it is our solemn duty to shoulder that particular burden.

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ST. LAWRENCE PROJECT IS NO AID TO DEFENCE

"From Canada's point of view the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence project as contemplated in the ...eement of March 19, 1941, cannot be regarded ...a war measure" states Professor R. B. Willis, ...he University of Western Ontario in concluding ... comprehensive study of the St. Lawrence ...ct which appears in the current issue of the ...terly Review of Commerce. Professor Willis ... "if it could be justified as a peace-time un... ...date the evidence with reference ... ... overwhelmingly opposed, why ... er it until after the termination of hostilities. As a reconstruction measure it might have some validity but even there the arguments are not conclusive."

In reviewing the history of the St. Lawrence Waterway Professor Willis finds that proposals for its development and expansion have been the subject of much confusion in the public mind and that arguments have been obscured by the inclusion of the power aspect as well as navigation by sectionalism, at times of the most virulent type, and by emotialism. In the Dominion he finds that there has been a regrettable absence of public interest in the agreement which extends almost to apathy. It was with the object of examining the proposals from a Canadian point of view in order to obtain a wider understanding of the factors involved that the study was undertaken.

In considering the economic aspects of the Agreement which involves a 27-foot ship canal from the head of the Great Lakes to Montreal, and a 2,200,000 h.p. power development on the International section of the St. Lawrence, Professor Willis finds that the estimated cost to Canada at $144,418,000 is a minimum cost which does not provide for interest charges, for probable increase in construction costs nor the cost of deepening Canadian harbours on the Great Lakes. "Are the advantages to be gained from completing the project economic and defensive, sufficient to compensate for the additional load . . .to be added to the debt structure of a country already heavily burdened and destined to be subjected to much greater sacrifices in the near future?" he asks.

On the subject of power, Professor Willis states that if a power shortage should exist before 1945, the St. Lawrence development is going to be valueless in meeting it, whereas with a policy of progressive development of other resour... ...reasing demands should be possible of ... they occur. The entire power ... ...ing appears difficult to jus... ... point of view in the ... ...ation it is ... traffic. ... be... ... ...

traffic which now utilize the Great Lakes-St. Lawrence System above that point while as to savings on commodities now moving east of Prescott Professor Willis finds that "it is necessary to dismiss fantastic figures frequently put forth."

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WHAT IS "PUBLIC OPINION"?

A great deal of nonsense is talked about what we know as public opinion. It is chiefly a manufactured article, and oftener than not it is manufactured by men who have the machinery to force it out of the obscurity of an editorial den into the blaze of a clamorous publicity.

That this power is exercised on a vast scale by the conductors of the mutiple or chain store press is one of the facts of modern journalism.

It is a debatable point whether or not a single newspaper can do much to shape or direct public opinion, but there can be no doubt that a chain of papers saying the same thing in almost precisely the same tones, may exercise a formidable influence on the mind of the man in the street, and through him, on Parliament itself and the ministers of the crown.

There are highly centralized press autocracies which may be as honest as the day, but are, nevertheless, a dangerous anomaly in a country brought up to believe that its newspapers are nobly free from every sort of dictatorship.

We of most of the weeky newspapers are the undisputed skippers of our own ships. We have no admiral to order us when and what to fire at. We do not sit at the long distance telephone listening to "our master's voice." People who look to the "controlled" press for light and guidance on local affairs look in vain.

Speaking broadly, it can be said that though the press, even in wartime, has a large measure of liberty, considerable sections of it are under the personal control of individuals who represent nobody but themselves, their colleagues and their shareholders. "Public opinion" created by machinery of this kind is made by mass production.

Public opinion is not the result of multitudes of simple minds thinking the same great thoughts simultaneously; it is generally the product of astute propaganda, observes the Carleton Place Canadian.

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EDITORIAL NOTES

With this, our first issue in 1942, we extend to our readers, best wishes for the New Year, with the hope that it will be a Happy and Victorious Year for all who are opposing the forces of evil and aggression.

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People generally waste too much attention upon the small disagreeabilities of life, consider their own selves and their experiences in life much too important and consume themselves in a constant struggle against little things.

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Have you made your New Year's Resolutions? Among them you should resolve to take a deeper interest in Canada's War Effort by buying War Savings Certificates regularly. Another good resolution to make would be to sacrifice some of the luxuries of your personal life and contribute more for the welfare of the men who are fighting to protect your home.

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What a gap there would be in all our lives if there were no Christmas. If there were no memory of the one Babe Whose advent has ennobled all babes. No such assurance that the heart of God is paternal! No such blessing upon the home-life! No such sense of kindliness to all men! Gratefully then let us hallow our Christmas by holiest thoughts and worthiest acts. Let us strive to keep the Christmas spirit throughout the whole year.

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Christmas was observed in Winchester, as in other Canadian centres, with all the traditional customs, and as far as we know, there were few homes where the spirit of joy and happiness did not prevail on Christmas Day. Boxing Day, the day following Christmas, was also observed locally. This extra holiday was greatly appreciated by those, whose tasks were greatly increased for a few weeks prior to the holiday festival. It was observed quite generally this year throughout Canada.

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Prime Minister Churchill's addresses to the United States Congress, last Friday, and to members of the House of Commons and Canadian Senate, at Ottawa, this week, were highlights of his visit to the United States to discuss war topics with President Roosevelt. Both addresses were typical of Mr. Churchill's ability to present facts in as few words as possible and in his original English style. They made fine listening and left his hearers with much to think about. The Prime Minister's visit to the New World at this time and his dynamic personality, along with the splendid leadership he is giving Great Britain, should certainly do much to strengthen the ties that exist between the English-speaking democracies of the world.

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The announcement made on Friday by the general manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, informing local citizens that the Winchester Branch would be closed after December 31st, came as quite a surprise to most people. The closing of this branch, as well as banks in other centres, where one bank can handle all the business, may be a wise move on the part of the respective Banking Companies, but the loss of such a business will be regretted in most centres, including Winchester. It represents a backward step as far as the progressiveness of a town is concerned. The closing of these branches at several points is, no doubt, due to a shortage of bank clerks, accountants, etc., brought on by the war, rather than an "insufficient volume of business," which was given as the reason for the local branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia suspending operations here. That Winchester and district will be well served b... Royal Bank of Canada is unquestion... ... regret to see our other bank ... being in business here for

It's Not A New Idea.....!



"This idea of saving electricity is swell with me . . . . !"

"The Voice of the Press"

NOT QUITE!
(Almonte Gazette)

Hitler has intimated that he is through with Russia so far as a winter campaign is concerned. That's all right from his viewpoint but is Russia through with him?

ANOTHER WORLD COURT?
(Sarnia Observer)

One fancies that Canada, and the United States as well, will be less hesitant about lending full support after this war to a world court with power to protect minorities, restrain aggressors and police international affairs in general.

WHY MEN ARE NEEDED
(Chatham News)

To-day Canada needs thousands of men to complete the ranks of the divisions already mobilized. Beyond that there is the question of reinforcements for the units in those divisions, to take care of casualties, illness and other factors which deplete the ranks of fighting men.

OUT OF DATE
(Cornwall Standard-Freeholder)

An American recruiting sergeant who tried to start an "enlist and be kissed" campaign found it didn't work so well. Only three candidates showed up, one under-age, a second inebriated and the third eligible. The kissing technique of recruiting, like the white feather, doesn't belong in this war.

NO TIME FOR SLACKENING
(Oshawa Times)

The fact that the Empire is on the offensive is certainly no matter for complacency or the slightest slackening of effort on our part. Quite the contrary. It simply means that we should exert a redoubled effort to ensure that any gains made now are consolidated with a view to final, overwhelming victory.

FIFTY DRUGGISTS CAN'T BE WRONG
(Dunnville Chronicle)

Fifty independent druggists of Greater Vancouver voted recently to spend $2,000 a month on newspaper advertising, when they were told that 60 per cent. of drug sales went to the chain stores only because the independent druggists did not do enough newspaper advertising.

SILLY WAR REGULATIONS
(Brockville Recorder & Times)

Funny story that, about the photographer who for security reasons, was refused permission to take pictures of the Royal Canadian mint at Ottawa and who, thereupon, went out and bought picture post cards of the building that have been freely circulated for years and years. A lot of our war-time restrictions are just as inane."

ALL TOGETHER NOW
(Bingay, in Detroit Free Press)

For the first time in a good many years it is once more the UNITED States. Japan's sudden attack upon our outposts brought about that unity as no other action possibly could—not even such a flagrant gesture by the Nazi Government itself. Even in the World War against Germany the nation did not have the complete general agreement we now seem to have against Japan.

SAVING GASOLINE
(Trenton Courier-Advocate)

We haven't been hearing very much lately regarding the saving of gasoline. Once the winter comes, there won't be any need of such advice anyway as many of us put away our cars with the first real freeze-up and we don't see them again until April of the next year.

Our Column

Trade not only follows the flag. It follows whenever tariff fences are taken down.

Putting across the next Victory Loan in February will be another big job for the people of Canada.

The average family is said to spend $10 a year on soap—and that's where the kids get it in the neck.

"Everything that free men cherish on this side of the grave is in peril in this war."—W. L. Mackenzie King.

"Our decision is clear. It is forced upon us. We must fight with everything we have."—Herbert Hoover.

England's decision is the Empire's decision, and is now the decision of the people of the American hemisphere.

"Science has provided in abundance the means to a good life, but it has not taught us how to live."—C. E. M. Joad.

"Monopoly means stagnation; stagnation means unemployment, and mass unemployment means decay.—Henry Ford.

Adolf Hitler is not feeling so well as he did this time last year when he promised Germany a complete victory in 1941.

"History repeats itself frequently, but the new generations are firmly decided never to learn from it."—Count Carlo Sforza.

Conditions are such in Canada to-day that the man who is waiting for something to turn up might start with his shirt sleeves.

The oil controller has decided to put into effect the rationing of gasoline on April 1st, 1942. Wonder if many motorists will be April Fooled.

There are people who go about the world looking for slights and they are necessarily miserable, for they find them at every turn.—Drummond.

Many townships throughout Ontario have gone on record as favoring a township school board. A necessary change to meet changing conditions.

A meteorologist says airplanes could be used to bomb and dissipate tornadoes before they coud do any damage. But it is not the democratic way to strike first.

By the time Stalin is through with him, dear Adolf will be ready to admit that Russia is one section where he has no territorial ambitions.—Owen Sound Sun-Times.

Wonder if the report that Great Britain has returned several tankers to the United States would have anything to do with it, or is silence the answer to that Toronto gasoline firm and its full page spread in the newspapers. There must be something funny going on somewhere.

THE LAST JAP
(Quinte Sun)

Japanese flyers wage war quite differently from the air forces of other members of the Axis group. They don't merely drop bombs they fly with their lethal loads right into their target. Everything goes up—bombs, machine and pilot, as well as target. Despite what some Canadians might say as to where they are blown, these Japs believe they go directly to heaven—a haven fashioned after the pagan concept of a hall of fame for warriors who die in battle. On this basis the Germans and Italians will fight to the last Jap.

Letters to the Editor

THE RESERVE FORCE

Winchester, Dec. 29th, 1941.

Mr. Editor:—

Regarding your note in a recent issue of your fine paper regarding recruiting in the S. D. & G. Highlanders (R.F.) locally. Actually the platoons in Morrisburg and Chesterville are stronger in personnel than the platoon in Winchester, still we are taking on young recruits practically every day from these centres for enlistment to do their share in Home Defence, and yet nary a one from Winchester. The more skeptical person will say "Why these young 'squirts' (if I may use this expression) are too young to realize what they are getting into, and would do better to spend their time with their studies." Maybe so, but these young fellows, under 18 years, must obtain written consent from their parents permitting them to enlist. Again the doubtless person will say, "Their parents should know better." This statement, I think, would be spoken by the person who certainly does not understand what the Reserve Formations are actually intended for.

First and foremost the Reserve Force was formed to protect the shores of our fair land (Home Defence) from the tyranny you read of in your favourite newspaper while seated in youn most comfortable easy chair and think to yourself "This could never happen in Canada."

Recently people were startled to hear that Japan had declared war on United States and that very night formations of Japanese planes were rumored to have flown over the city of San Francisco. Vancouver was plunged into a black-out and here is where the Reserve Force comes into the spotlight. The Westminister Regiment, a Reserve Formation the same as the S. D. & G. Highlanders (R.F.) was called out and within a period of a few hours had taken up their position guarding the shores of the country we love. True, they had only drilled one or two nights a week in a local armoury and had spent only a mere 21 days in military camp, but take it from a person who has had some experience with an R. F. unit, if these boys have as much vigor and courage and are as well trained with a rifle and bayonet as the boys of the 2nd Batt. S. D. and G. Highlanders (R.F.) are, (and I am sure they are), any invader will want to think first before he steps on Canadian soil while these fellaws are on guard.

The second function of the R. F. is aid to civil power—putting down strikes which might seriously imperil vital war industries.

What if parachute troops landed in the vicinity of Winchester? To whom would the people look for protection? My guess is that the first ones to be called on would be our local platoon which, I am very sorry to say, is certainly not at full war-time strength. Could so few protect so many? Not by a long shot. WE NEED RECRUITS and need them right away.

Who would begrudge a few hours a week to learn how to handle a rifle and bayonet, Bren gun or grenade?; how to march, read a map, make the most of natural formations for protection; take advantage of good courses for promotion, and a Commission is within reach of those qualifying for same; when it means so much to us to know that the ones we love have some protection against these maniacs that crave only for power, instead of becoming helpless gun fodder?

Mr. Editor, I hope you will publish this letter in the interest of good citizenship to instill in the minds of our good people that we are not immune to invasion, and that the Boy Scout motto, "Be Prepared," carries more weight than ever before and should be adopted by the people of Winchester by getting behind the local platoon and bring its establishment to full war strength.

With the age limits from 18 to 50 years, we have the finest material in the land in our midst—why not use it?

Sincerely,
G. D. "Bud" Utman.

OUR FOOD SUPPLY

Written Specially for C. W. N. A. Newspapers by John Atkins, Farmer-Journalist

NO. 11—FARM CUSTOMERS

Every farmer thinks of other Canadians as his customers. In towns and cities only those Canadians who deal directly with farmers seem to realize that a great part of their earnings come from sales made to farmers, directly and indirectly.

Whether a farm makes money or loses money the purchases which must be made to keep it operating are important to all who make or sell the goods and services that farmers buy. Few realize that a farm is a business as well as a home. Aside from the things which town families buy, nearly all of which are equally important to farm families, farmers must buy all that is required for production.

Before production starts the farm must have a plant suitable for its purpose. Land is only the beginning. A house is required in town or country but a modern farm home needs more equipment than a town home. If a water system is installed, motors, pumps, pressure tanks and septic tanks are all extras.

Modern barns need ventilating systems, water systems, steel stalls and stanchions, steel-lined granaries with bins and chutes, chopping and grinding machines, milking machines, cream separators and coolers, feed and litter carriers, hay and grain unloading equipment, and many things required for any specialized production. Barns rival small factories in the cost and variety of equipment and in size.

The house and barns are only part of farm requirement. The production of a modern farm requires all that can be used of the following equipment, materials and services: tractor, plows, various harrows, cultivators, seed drill, binder, mower, hayloader, rakes, packer, manure spreader, wagons, sleighs, racks, automobile, cutter, harness, fence, fence posts; tools for gardening, wood-cutting, simple plumbing, carpentry, ditching, concrete and stone work, and equipment repair; gasoline and oil, electricity, motors, telephone; feed for balanced rations, seed of all kinds, fertilizers, insecticides, disinfectants and stock medicines; breeding stock to build up flocks and herds; special equipment for grain growing (combines, etc:), for corn planting and harvesting, for potato planting and digging, for fruit spraying, picking and cultivating, for vegetable and beet growing and so ad infinitum.

In addition to all the needs of the family, including insurance and medical services, the farmer insures his buildings, livestock and equipment (crops in some parts). The total of farm business and farm living makes a volume of investment and purchasing that rivals that of an average town home. Farm expenses are not average town business plus an average town home. Farm expenses are not nearly so much reduced by home-grown products as townspeople imagine. Farm food has to be considerably supplemented by purchasing food. Farm fuel, where it is available, costs time and energy that could be spent in other production if prices were profitable.

Many townspeople sit up nights scheming to bring small industries of doubtful prospects to their towns. They overlook the value of the farms which day by day contribute much more substantially to their incomes. They fail to see that farm prosperity based on a fair relation of farm earnings to their earnings, could do more for their communities than any other thing that is likely to come their way. Farm production goes on and farm buying keeps on to the benefit of every other Canadian. Permanent prosperity will be assured when farming goes on to the benefit of every good farmer.

THE POET'S CORNER

A NEW PAGE

Unlinked and free, from all past time,
And time to be,
I would be loosed from memories grey,
From care set free;
Unchained from old perplexities,
That bring dismay,
Severed from shadows,—broken dreams,
To a new day.

For Hope still speaks of all the good to be,
Another chance—a clear new page, I see,
For you and me.

—Dorothy Sproule



NEW YEAR GREETINGS

We send hearty greetings to our friends, old and new, with the hope that our friendship grows even greater.

M. Harper & Son

Classified Ad. Column

FOR SALE

HONEY—A quantity of good Clover Honey to be sold in bulk. Packed in 68 lb. cans, or will sell in any quantity. Apply to Mrs. Ellsworth Summers. Phone 169J4. 32tfc.

BABY CHICKS—Step up in the high profit class, buy champion chicks, they are from hens with proven egg records. Why not call at our hatchery, or let us send you big sturdy chicks, hatched from big eggs averaging 27 ounces to the dozen or over. Bloodtested for 13 years. Quality considered, you will be surprised at their low price. Non-sexed chicks as low as $7.50 per 100. Write today for circular giving early order discount. Cornwall Hatchery, Cornwall, Ont. 34-48p

SEALED TENDERS

Marked "Tenders for Drainage Work" will be received by me at my office, Hallville, Ont., until 12 o'clock Noon (Standard Time) of Monday, the 12th day of January, 1942, for the enlargement of the following Municipal Drains:

ALLAN DRAIN (ALLAN ARCAND DRAINAGE SCHEME).

CASTOR EXTENSION DRAIN.

MERKLEY-SERVAIS DRAIN.

Tenders must be submitted on forms

Estimated quantities in cubic yards supplied by the Municipality. are:—

	Earth	Hardpan	Rock
Allan Drain	12258		
Castor Extension	15734	2612	
Merkley-Servais	7976	137	147

Plans and Specifications may be examined and forms of tender secured at my office or at the office of W. H. Magwood, Civil Engineer, Cornwall, Ont.

A cash deposit or certified cheque equal to 10% of the tendered price must accompany each tender.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted and Council reserves to itself the right to let that portion of the Merkley-Servais Drain in the 11th Con. as a separate contract.

Hallville, Ont., Dec. 9th, 1941.

EDWARD BUSH, Clerk,
Of Mountain Township.

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A PICTORIAL HISTORY OF 1941—AND AMERICA AT WAR

Headlines of one of history's most dramatic years . . . reviewed with text and striking illustrations, including a full color picture of President Roosevelt signing the Declaration of War . . . in this Sunday's issue of Detroit Sunday Times. This is a stirring record you will want to keep. Be sure to get Detroit Sunday Times this week and every week.

MODERN ETIQUETTE

1. If the father of the bride gives her away, which arm should he offer her when proceeding up the church aisle?

2. Can porter service be secured at any time in a hotel, and what is the customary tip?

3. Is it a woman's place to take the coat and hat of a man friend who has called to see her husband?

4. What type of entertainment may the hostess plan for her guests after an informal dinner?

5. Is it good form to speak of one's employer as "the boss?"

6. In a wedding procession do the ushers precede the bridesmaids down the aisle?

Answers.

1. His right arm. 2. Yes, a porter can be secured to do all kinds of carrying. The tip is expected and depends upon what service the porter has done. 3. No; this is the duty of her husband. 4. This depends upon the congeniality of the group. The hostess may plan to have her guests dance, play bridge, or go on to the theatre or the movies. 5. No. Say, "Mr. Johnson." 6. Yes.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of Margaret Brown, Late of the Village of Winchester, in the County of Dundas, Spinster, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 51 of The Trustee Act, R.S.O., 1937, Chapter 165, that all creditors and others having claims or demands against the Estate of the said Margaret Brown, who died on or about the Nineteenth day of October, 1941, are required on or before the Seventeenth day of January, 1942, to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executrix of the last Will of the said deceased, full particulars in writing of their claims.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after such last mentioned date the said Executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice, and that the said Executrix will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by her at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Winchester, Ontario, this 18th day of December, 1941.

MRS. WINNIFRED SUFFEL, Executrix, Winchester, Ontario.

CASS & CASS,
Winchester, Ontario,
Solicitors for the said Executrix.

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OUR APPRECIATION

At this time we wish to thank our many friends and customers for the patronage they afforded us during the year, and trust that we may be of service to them during the coming year.

A. W. DUNCAN, Winchester

New Year Greetings

As we enter 1942 we wish to express our appreciation to our friends and customers for their patronage during the past year, and wish you one and all

A HAPPY and PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR

W. C. MacDONALD - Phone 109

Hardware & Farmer's Supplies **Winchester, Ont.**

JOHN FADER, Salesman.

THE MIXING BOWL



By ANNE ALLAN

Hydro Home Economist

NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS!

Very best wishes for the New Year, Homemakers! This year, especially, we must all resolve to keep the three E's in mind—Economy of money, Economy of labor and time, Economy of fuel. The savings thus made by us as wartime homemakers will be very great and will help make the coming year truly successful.

How glad we are to have had the privilege of helping you through our correspondence this past year—how interesting we have found your questions—how much we have enjoyed your friendly letters! Already our own New Year's resolution has been made—to be even more at your service in solving home-making problems.

RECIPES

Squash and Apple au Gratin

5 cups sliced squash, 3 tart apples, sliced; 1-4 cup brown sugar, 1-2 tsp. salt, 3 tbsps. cooking fat, 1 cup crumbs, 1 tsp. poultry seasoning, 8 sausages.

Prepare squash and apples. Arrange alternate layers of the squash and apple in a greased baking dish. Season each layer with a portion of the brown sugar, salt and fat. Cover the top with buttered crumbs mixed with the poultry seasoning. Place sausages on top. Bake for 1 hour in an electric oven at 375 degrees. Turn sausages and switch top element on for the last 5 minutes, to brown the sausages.

Chicken or Turkey Cakes

1 cup cooked diced chicken or turkey, 1 tbsp. milk, 1 egg, slightly beaten; 1-4 tsp. salt, a few grains pepper, 1 cup of white sauce, 1-3 cup celery.

Add milk, egg, salt and pepper to chicken. Shape in small flat cakes, dip in egg and crumbs, saute in fat until browned on each side. Add celery to sauce and pour over cakes. Serves 4.

Turkey and Noodle Scallop

1-2 9-oz. pkg. noodles, 1 1-2 cups diced turkey, 2 tbsp. cooked carrots, 1 tsp. grated onion, 2 tbsp. cooking fat, 2 cups medium white sauce, grated cheese, bread crumbs.

Put noodles into two quarts boiling salted water. Boil gently until tender, eight to ten minutes. Drain well. Saute onion in cooking fat. Add to any left-over gravy and thicken with flour. Add two cups of white sauce, turkey and noodles. Season and pour into a greased casserole, sprinkle with crumbs and grated cheese. Bake in elertric oven until blended and browned on top —15 minutes at 375 degrees.

Take A Tip.

1 If you haven't one and one-half cups of left-over turkey for the Turkey Scallop or Chicken Cakes,, stretch out th amount with diced cooked veal or sliced hard-cooked eggs.

2. To vary the first course in the New Year's dinner, try a fruit cup instead of soup, or a fish cocktail—lobster and tomato jelly.

3. Instead of an expensive pudding, try serving a tasty mint sherbet with crisp cookies.

4. A pitcher of waffle batter and a jar of syrup in the refrigerator provide a ready lunch when company drops in.

QUESTION BOX

Mrs. J. B. C. asks:—Suggestions for the Holiday Buffet Supper.

ANSWER:—Tomato and Green Bean Salad, Scalloped Potatoes, Sliced Cold Meat Loaf, Hot Rolls, Raspberry Sherbet, Cookies, Coffee.

Miss M. Mc. asks:—What is the correct arrangement of places at a table?"

ANSWER:—The hostess directs the seating of the guests. The hostess selects the end of the table nearest the kitchen and the host always sits opposite the hostess. The lady guest of honor is placed at the right of the host and the most honoured gentleman at the right of the hostess. Guests are seated in between according to congeniality. Husband and wife are not seated together.

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Mrs. N. L. L. asks:—"What makes meringue shells tough and stick to the paper?"

ANSWER:—Baking at too high temperature will make them tough. The baking must be done slowly at 275 degrees. Take from the oven and remove from the paper at once. If they seem to stick, moisten the reverse side of paper by placing on a damp cloth.

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Mrs. G. C. asks:—Recipe for tasty Lobster dish.

ANSWER:—**Lobster en Casserole**

1 1-2 cups lobster, 2 hard cooked eggs, 1-2 lb. mushrooms, 3 tbsp. butter, 3 tbsp. flour, 1-2 tsp. salt, 1 1-2 cups milk, 1 cup thin cream, bread crumbs.

Flake the lobster meat. Hard cooked eggs, shell and slice. Wash mushrooms in cold water, slice and saute in baking fat for 3 minutes. In another saucepan, melt butter or cooking fat. Blend in flour and stir in milk slowly. Cook on electric element turned low, stirring constantly. Add cream, mushroooms, lobster, eggs. Season and pour into a greased baking dish. Sprinkle bread crumbs over the top and dot with butter. Bake in electric oven at 350 degrees for about 15 minutes. Surround with crisp toast points.

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Anne Allan invites you to write to her in care of The Winchester Press. Just send in your questions on home-making problems and watch this little corner of the column for replies.

VANCAMP

Mr. Stanley Crowder and Miss June Crowder, of Ottawa, spent last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Crowder.

Miss Ada McEwen is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. Alexander and Mr. Alexander and family, of Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. John Byrd and children, of Millar's Corners, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Byrd.

A.C. Dwight Guy, of Toronto, spent the Christmas holidays at his parental home here.

We offer our congratulations and best wishes to Mr and Mrs. Jack Lewis, who were recenty married.

Among those who spent the Christmas holiday at their parental homes here were, Misses Grace and Veryl Byrd, of Prescott; Misses Mae Walter and Dorothy Levere, of Ottawa; Misses Hilda Bellinger, of Perth, and Alma Bellinger, of Ottawa, and Miss Verna Levere, of North Augusta.

We are sorry to say that three families have moved from our community during the past month: Mr and Mrs. Felix Wise and children, Mrs. James Wylie and family, and Mr. William Marquette and Miss Dorothy Marquette.

HEAD PRICES OFFICES



Picture shows, from left to right, Mr. Edwin S. Cossitt, of Brockville, and Mr. Harold McPhillips, of London, who are opening regional offices of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board in Brockville and London, as Prices and Supply Representatives. Mr. McPhillips is President of the electrical branch of the Retail Dealers Association of Ontario. Mr. Cossitt is well known throughout Ontario as an insurance broker.

NATION VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Alex D. Summers spent Christmas Day with the latter's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. Black, Melvin Settlement.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Ball and family spent Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Ball, Maple Ridge.

Miss Mabel Rae, of Stoney Creek, is home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allison spent Christmas Day with their respective parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Millar, of Inkerman, spent Thursday with Mrs. Walter Rae and family.

Mr. Harold Notell, of Williamsburg, spent the week-end in the Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rae and family, of Maple Ridge, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rae, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cross, of Merrickville, were guestts of their daughter, Mrs. Sherman Ball, and Mr. Ball.

Miss Evelyn Fetterly, of Ottawa, spent the holiday in the Valley.

Miss Agnes Rae spent Christmas Day with Miss Doyle and Mr Frank Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holmes and children of the Springs, spent Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Merkley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Merkley had supper Christmas Day with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Casselman, of the Springs.

Spr. R. Drayson, of Petawawa, spent the holiday at the Jamieson home. Spr. Drayson, before signing up for active service, had been assisting on this farm for over twelve years.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Don Stewart spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Allison.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Merkley and family spent Christmas Day with Mr. H. B. Fulton, Maple Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Garlough and Master Donald visited their respective parents at Williamsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Bismark Froats and baby visited the latter's parents at Inkerman.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Munroe and family were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enos Munroe, of the Springs, for Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Summers spent Christmas Day with Mrs. Annie Summers, Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Merkley entertained Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Robinson, Messrs. Bert and Basil Casselman, of the Springs; Miss Lois Robinson, of Elma; Miss Grace Myers, of Brockville; Mr. Merrill Coleman, of Prescott; and Mr. and Mrs. Ward Whitteker, of Williamsburg

MELVINS

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Merkley and children, of Spruce Grove, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Beckstead.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Christie and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Shaw and daughter, Helen, spent Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Poole, of Cloverdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Wells, of Colquhoun, had Christmas tea at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Erratt.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Christie and son, Glen, spent Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. MacDonald, of Ormond.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Docksteader and family of Cloverdale, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Summers of Cass Bridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Black and family spent Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Black, Genevieve and Arden, had tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Bowman of Cass Bridge, on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Keyes, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Keyes and sons, Harry and Bobby, of Winchester, and Mrs. Allan Wing, of Brockville, had Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Christie.

Mr. Walter Moffat, of Winchestter, was a caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Erratt on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Stanley and family of Montreal, and Mr. Bliss Bowman, of Longueil, Que., spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Shaw and daughter, Helen, and Mr. and Mrs. Orval Christie spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scott, of Spencerville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Cayeau and Mr. and Mrs. H. Gauthier spent Saturday in Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barrett and daughter, Melba, spent Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Barrett, of Leitrim.

We are sorry that Miss Marian Scott's name was not mentioned among those taking part in our Red Cross Concert. She gave a piano solo, which was enjoyed by all. Mrs. M. R. Black is the president of the Melvin and Annable Red Cross. Her name was omitted from the list of articles which was in the Press a short time ago; also eight girls' blouses and one girl's suit (skirt and Jacket) were left out of the list.

Mrs. Allan Wing, of Brockville, spent last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Christie.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Raoul Cousineau in the death of their little daughter.

Telephone 21, The Winchester Press, when you need any job of printing.

Beauty for YOU

The Secrets of Good Looks by Barbara Lynn.



BANISH WRINKLES

It is always easier to avoid wrinkles than to eradicate them. An ounce of precaution wil save you many hours of effort later on. Far too many women defer proper skin care until lines actually appear. Then they add other lines through worrying about them! Begin now to take regular care of your skin. A few minutes each day will accomplish wonders!

Here are some specific hints if you already have tiresome lines: For the skinabout the eyes and on the temples, take a dab of Three-Purpose cream and pat it in very gently with the finger-tips, working outwards.

Wrinkes on the brow require a more vigorous mode of treatment. Smooth a course with the finger-tips along the lines of the wrinkles, from the centre of the brow to the temples. Do this frequently during the day. At night massage with cream in the same way.

These simple rules will go a long way to help you PREVENT aging lines: First, wash regularly with gentle palmolive soap and warm water. Follow with a cold rinse. Secondly, make it a daily habit to give yourself the "six-minute makeup treatment" with the aid of the new Three-Purpose cream that is at once a cleansing cream, a foundation base for powder and a skin cream. Use matching rouge, lipstick and powder.

If you have any personal beauty problems, write me for confidential advice, and enclose four one-cent stamps for my booklet on Beauty Care. It will help solve most of your beauty problems. Write: Miss Barbara Lynn, Box 75, Station B., Montreal, Que.

NEXT WEEK AT THE

"Picadilly Theatre"

WILLIAMSBURG, ONT.

MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY



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—also—



"Week of Prayer" Services

Winchester, January 5th to 9th, 1942

Date	Theme	Church	Speaker
Monday—	"Our Youth in the Present Crisis"	Wesleyan	Rev. R. F. Willson.
Tuesday—	"Our Homes in the Present Crisis"	United	Rev. A. S. McLean, of Morewood.
Wednesday—	"Our Churches in the Present Crisis"	Prayer Meeting in each Church.	
Thursday—	"Our Missions in the Present Crisis"	Presbyterian	Rev. D. W. Summers.
Friday—	"Our Loyalties in the Present Crisis"	Baptist	Rev. T. A. Halpenny.

The subject chosen for each service is to provide a central theme for both message and prayer. We invite the united support of all congregations in this effort that the benefits of united intercession may be felt by everyone. Services will begin at 7.30 each evening, Monday through Friday.

News From Our Neighbouring Districts

CASS BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kinney and children spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kenney at Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Blaney spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Munroe.

Mrs. Geo. Durant, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Durant and Miss Freda visited the former's sister, Mrs. McNairn, at Aultsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Munroe visited Mr. and Mrs. Ford Baker on Sunday evening.

Mr. Geo. Turner was a Christmas guest of his sister, Mrs. Mae Allison, and Billy Kinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Belanger were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Patterson.

Messrs. Harold and Lyle Francis were recent guests of their sister, Mrs. Gordon Baldwin, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McDiarmid were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Gainer, at Melvins Settlement.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Cooke and baby, Lorna Jean, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Fawcett at Hainsville.

Miss Gladys Cooke, of Spencerville, is spending a few days at her paternal home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMenomy, of Inkerman, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Baldwin.

Mrs. Maude Summers visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Flora a couple of days last week.

L.A.C. Thomas George Milligan, of the R.C.A.F., Aylmer, Ont., and Mrs. Milligan, who were married Dec. 23rd at the United Church at Aylmer by Rev. W. D. Stenlake, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Baldwin, and returned to Aylmer on Saturday. Mrs. Jessie Orma Brocke, of Chicago, who is Mr. Milligan's mother, came to Aylmer for the marriage ceremony and is spending the Christmas holiday with her brother, Mr. Gordon Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McDonald spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hogaboam, Mrs. John Hogaboam, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Hogaboam and Mr. Arnold Hogaboam were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Cooke for Christmas dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Strader, Miss Audrey Strader, Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Strader and baby, Joan, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Hogaboam.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cooke and son, John, of Hainsville, were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Cooke.

Mr. Silas Baker spent Monday with Mr. Frank Hogaboam.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Stanley and family, of Montreal, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. James Bowman and family, and were visiting other friends at Cass Bridge.

L.A.C. W. E. Johnstone, of Guelph; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ken. Cinnamon and children, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sutton and baby, and Miss Violet Baker of Toronto, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Johnston.

Mr. Dan Johnston spent Christmas with his brother, Mr. Wm. Johnston, and Mrs. Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnston and baby spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hutt.

The Red Cross held their weekly meeting at the home of Mrs. Wm. Cooke on Friday with sixteen members present.

KARS NEWS

Late Jas. H. Rushleau

Mr. Jas. H. Rushleau, a well-known and highly respected resident of Kars district, passed away on Christmas Day at his home, one and one-half miles west of Kars. He had been ill less than two weeks.

Mr. Rushleau was the son of the late Isaac Rushleau and his wife, the former Florence Sylva, and was in his 60th year. He is survived by his wife, the former Mary Pell-Crin, of Montreal; one son, Orville, and an adopted son, Edmond; two sisters, Miss Amelia, of Kars, and Mrs. P. Maguire, of Ottawa; one brother, David, of Ottawa, and a large number of nephews and nieces.

The funeral was held from his late residence at 9.30 a.m. on Saturday, to St. Brigid's Roman Catholic Church, where the funeral service was held. Interment was in the adjoining cemetery.

Annual Meeting Held.

The annual meeting of the J. A. of St. John's Anglican Church was held at the Rectory on Saturday, Dec. 20th. The Jr. Supt., Mrs. MacMorrine, had charge of the meeting. The teasurer reported a small balance left after all obligations had been fulfilled. Mr. MacMorrine presided for the election of officers which resulted as follows:

President, Lillian Smith; vice president, Bernice Taylor; secretary, Pansy Clingin, treasurer, Audrey Clingin; dorcas secretary, Iola Taylor; auditors, Eva McLeod and Lily Ralph.

CLOVERDALE

Mrs. Chas. Fobare, of U. S. A., spent one day last week with her mother, Mrs. Eli Lamoureux.

Miss Pearl Docksteader, of Ottawa, has been at home for the past week or so, somewhat under the weather.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. Jas. Hughes is able to be up and around again after her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Benson George spent Christmas Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bryan, of Mountain.

Mr. Claude Dignard, of Smiths Falls, spent a few days last week at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dillabough and family spent Christmas Day with their daughter, Mrs. Nelson Docksteader, and Mr. Docksteader, and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Docksteader.

Mrs. Morton Stobo, Arnold and Reggie, spent Christmas Day with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. D. W. Summers, of Winchester.

Those who spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. T. Stobo were, Mr. Harold Stobo, of Sudbury; Mr. and Mrs. John Baker and family, of Oxford Station; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wyatt and baby, of South Mountain; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baker and two boys, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Porteous and two children, of Mountain.

Messrs. Claude Dignard and Earl Fawcett and the Misses Teresa Dignard and Jean Fawcett, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Stobo on Christmas Day.

The Red Cross Christmas Concert was a decided success.

We wish the Press and Staff a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

SOUTH MOUNTAIN

Mr. Robt. Anderson spent the first of the week at Gananoque.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Armstrong spent a few days with their daughter, Mrs. H. Nesbitt, of Hyndmans.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Kirker and Garry were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kirker of Brinstons.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hinkley, of Utica, N. Y., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Porter on Wednesday.

Mrs. Stella Bolton received a telegram from her son, Ernest, who is serving with the Forces in Great Britain, thanking them for the Christmas gifts and sending best wishes for a Happy New Year.

Mr. Vincent Morrow, who is training at Winnipeg, was at his home here for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Barton entertained on Christmas the following guests Mr. Ed. Bush, Hallville; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bush and Joan, of Kemptville; Mrs. H. Bush and Barbara, of Brinston, and Mr. and Mrs. Ogle Workman, of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Porter and family and Mr. and Mrs. Archie McCrae and Ray spent Christmas with friends at VanAllen's Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Ogle Workman were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gilmer of Pleasant Valley at a six o'clock dinner on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Willard and little daughter were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Kirker.

Guests on Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Barton were Mrs. N. Cummings and daughters, Mrs. Gordon Wait and Mrs. E. Bilings.

We are pleased to see Mr. Norman Barnhart out after being ill, also the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moise.

Litte Doreen Kenny, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kenny, was taken to the Civic Hospital on Friday for an operation for appendicitis. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

The many friends are pleased to learn that Mr. Ted Barry is improving nicely and will soon be brought home after his recent operation.

Mrs. C. Payne spent Christmas with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baldwin, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Davidson, of Winchester.

Miss Barbara Bush, of Brinston, is spending her holidays with her aunts, Mrs. O. Workman and Mrs. V. Barton.

Little John Cameron, of Cornwall, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cameron.

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NORTH MOUNTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Hyndman and Bill and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Christie were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Milne and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Blain and family, of Metcalfe, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Cummings and Miss Jean Cummings, of Brownsville, was also home for the holidays.

Mr. Byard Black, of the R.C.A.F., who is at present in Ottawa, was a week-end visitor with his family.

Miss Isabel Hyndman is spending the holiday with her mother, Mrs. A. Hyndman.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Christie on Christmas Day were, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shaw, Mr. Gordon Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Christie.

Miss Corienne Hyndman, of Brockville, accompanied by her cousin, Mr. Hilliard Hyndman, of Calgary, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hyndman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shaw and Mary spent Christmas with Mrs. George Smyth and family, of Iroquois.

The Misses Lorainne Ford and Margaret Allen spent part of the holidays at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allen, Mountain.

Mr. Wilfred Allen, of Scribner, Ont., spent the Christmas holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Allen, Kerrs Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ellis and children, of Hamilton, were renewing acquaintances in Hallville and community on Tuesday.

Miss Donnie Hyndman is visiting her cousin, Miss Jean Dougall ,at Merrickville, this week.

Mr. Earl Boucher is spending his Christmas holidays in New York with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boucher.

SILVER CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, of Arnprior, are spending some time with their daughter, Mrs. Johnston McGee. We are sorry to report Mrs. Hamilton is very ill.

Mr. Bert Harrison spent Sunday with Mr. Earl Beggs.

Misses Hazel Carr and Irene Beggs and Master Harold Beggs spent over Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Carr of Smiths Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Francis and Gloria had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hess, of Heckston.

Friends of Mrs. Lytelle Crowder are sorry to hear she is confined to her room with a bad cold.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beggs and Mr. and Mrs. William Beggs, of Kemptville, had their Christmas dinner with their mother, Mrs. Lizzie Beggs.

Mrs. Lena Gilroy spent Friday with Mrs. Lytelle Crowder.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dillabough and family spent Christmas Day with her uncle, Mr. Byron Johnston, of Miller's Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Crowder and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Crowder.

Pte. Keith Francis spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Frances.

Mr. Garfield Crowder, of Montreal, spent Christmas at his home here.

HYNDMANS

Master Richard Dunn ,of Hulbert, spent a few days last week with Master Bobby Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Canning, Cecil and Bert, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grant.

Miss Alma Grant, of Spenceville, spent Christmas Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Pelton and children spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Black, of Oxford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Conley, of Oxford Mills, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Conley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Conley, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCarley had dinner with Mr. and Howard Conley, of Prescott.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Francis, of Napanee, spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grant and family, and Mr. Cecil Canning, of Hyndmans, and Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Kenney and family, of Winchester, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Canning, of Pleasant Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burnie of Shanly, visited Mrs. Allan Grant on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beggs, of Heckston; Mr. Wm. Smith, of Silver City, and Mr. Wm. Farrell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Lattimore.

Miss Freda Grant and Mr. Roy Grant spent Sunday with Miss Beatrice Burnie and Mr. Donald Burnie, of Shanley.

Mr. Sam Grant returned home on Sunday after spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. George Grant, of Kemptville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Francis and Winnie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davidson, of Pleasant Valley.

Mr. Carl Nesbitt, of Toronto, returned on Sunday after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Nesbitt. Mr. Lorne Conley accompanied him to Toronto to spend the week with friends there.

We are sorry to report that Mr. Wellington Robinson is on the sick list. We hope for a speedy recovery.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ewing and Nancy spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gilmer.

Pte. Harry Kirker has returned after spending his holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kirker.

Wishing the Editor and Staff and Readers a Happy New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam R. Hamilton and Hazel and Enid spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brown, of Gananoque, called on some of their friends here on Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Gilmer and family, of Brier Hill, U. S. A., spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. David C. Gilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gilmer, Miss Annie Gilmer, Mr. Dwight Gilmer and Mr. S. Stewart took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. John Gilmer on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gilmer had Christmas dinner with Mr. A. Bates and took Christmas supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm John Gilmer.

On Christmas day Mrs. Mary Gilmer entertained Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Seeley of Rowena; Mrs. John McGowan, Brinston; Mr. and Mrs. David F. Gilmer and family, and Mr. Wm. Hamilton, all of this place.

The young people held a Candle-Light service in the church here on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Wilfred Seely, of Rowena, returned home on Sunday, after spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. M. Gilmer.

Mr. Sam H. Hamilton and mother, Mrs Hannah Hamilton, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Baker, of Glen Stewart.

Mr. Erwin Haggerty, of Toyes Hill, took dinner on Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David F. Gilmer.

OAK VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. George Stephens, Montreal, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Salter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hicks, Ottawa, on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMenomy, Miss Beatrice McMenomy and Mrs. Harold McMenomy were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Stirtan, South Mountain.

Mrs. Broaker, of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. George Milligan, of Aylmer, and Mr. Gordon Baldwin, of Cass Bridge, were callers in this settlement, Friday.

Mr. Franklin Salter has returned to Ottawa, where he is attending Technical School.

Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Kirkwood were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McMillan and family, of Chesterville, and Mr. and Mrs. Carson Kerr and family, of Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. George Baldwin and children and Mrs. Ida Baldwin spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Corry at Inkerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sheldrick and children spent Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldrick, of Metcalfe.

Mrs. Jerry Perry and daughter, Joyce of Hyndman's, and Mrs. Annie McQuade of Bedell, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. Salter.

HULBERT

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ellis and family, of Hamilton, are spending their Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. Calvin Ellis.

Misses Phyllis and Vivien Flegg, of Hamilton University, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Flegg, over the Christmas season.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ellis visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Flegg on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Greenhalgh entertained on Christmas, Mrs. Jas. Graham, Muriel, Darl and Merle Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ellis entertained on Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Clark, Mr. Reuben Crowder, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morrison and Donnie, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mellan entertained the following on Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Mellan, Howard and Lorne, also Mr. and Mrs. Mac Ellis.

Miss Lois Hart, of Ottawa, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Flegg last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Byers spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Flegg, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lawless and Miss Muriel Lawless spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Flegg and Keith.

Mr. Fred Pyke spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence O'Marra, Melvin Settlement.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Graham entertained on Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sullivan and Margarert, Miss Lola Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hanson and Graham.

Mr. David Cotter, of the R.C.A.F., Toronto, visited friends here over the holidays.

Mr. Bill Froats, of the R.C.A.F., Trenton, spent a few days leave with his parents,, Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Froats.

WINCHESTER SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Steele, of Winchester, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Byron Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. Elburn McIntosh, Ruth, Gordon and Betty, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Johnston and family, at Toyes Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Robinson and Denzil and Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Robinson and Carl, and Mr. Basil Adams, of Queen's University, Kingston, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Craig and family, at Metcalfe.

Mrs. Percy McIntosh entertained to a turkey dinner last week, Mrs. Carman Johnston, son and daughter, of Boucks Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Ken Durant and Freda and Mrs. George Durant, of Cass Bridge, and Mr. and Mrs. G. McIntosh and family.

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. McIntosh spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rae at Inkerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Holmes entertained on Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Desjardin and daughter, of Brinston, and Mr. and Mrs. Otha Thorpe.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Steele and family were entertained to six o'clock dinner on Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Steele, at Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne McIntosh entertained to Christmas dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Cormer, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Middagh, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Middagh, Mr. and Mrs. Berton Middagh, all of Brockville.

Miss Alice Edgerton, of Chesterville, was a guest of Miss Doris Coons during Christmas week.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Young and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Young and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Young, of Dunbar, on Christmas.

Mr. Basil Adams, of Queen's, Kingston; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Adams, of Brockville; Miss Lola Craig, of Metcalfe, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Holmes and Mary Lou, were entertained to Christday holiday dinner on Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Adams and Gerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Crowder and Erma spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barkley and family, at Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Baker and children spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baker, Williamsburg township.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield McIntosh and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Strader, at Winchester.

Mr. Glen McIntosh spent Christmas holidays with his mother and brothers here. He will leave shortly for Toronto to join the flying corps.

The Misses Ruth McIntosh and Vivien Casselman and Muriel McIntosh, of Ottawa ,spent Christmas at their hrme here.

Miss Melba May Casselman spent a few days with her grandmother at Toyes Hill.

Miss Doris Coons, of Winchester, is spending some time at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holmes and children spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. George Merkley, of Nation Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Whittaker, of Williamsburg township, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Merkley, of Nation Valley, Mr. and Mrs. John Morrow and son, were entertained to a six o'clock dinner on Christmas at the home of Mrs. Bertha Casselman and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Casselman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Allison and sons spent Christmas with Mrs. A. Dillabough and Sybil at Morewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Munro and Wilmer and Lois; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barclay, Mr. Howard Nesbitt, Mr, and Mrs. Frank Nesbitt and Reggie and Marjorie, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Grant McIntosh and family at Williamsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Casselman entertained on Christmas. Mrs. A. Coleman, of Toyes Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Eardley Coleman and Dennis, of Winchester; Mr. Merrill Coleman, of Prescott; Mr. Jas. Haggerty and Mr. Delbert Coleman.

Mr. Glen McIntosh, of Galt, spent a few days with his mother and brothers here.

Mr. and Mrs. Aden Casselman and Georgena, of Iroquois, Messrs. Clifford, Graham and Percy Casselman, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Riddell, at Dundela.

Miss Grace Myers, of Brockville, and Mr. Merrill Coleman, of Prescott, were entertained to six o'clock dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Coons entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hess and family and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Eardley Coleman and Dennis, and Mr. Berton Coons of Nova Scotia, to Christmas dinner. Bert is home on a few days' leave.

INKERMAN

Everyone celebrated the holiday season in real gala fashion, with several festive dinners being the order of the day.

Pte. F. G. Holmes returned to his unit at Sussex, N. B., after spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Holmes.

Mr .and Mrs. Lester Brown and Ray, Jr., of North Bay, are spending their Christmas holidays with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Brown.

Miss Vivian Rennick returned home on Saturday after spending some time with her uncle, Mr. Fred Crowder, and Mrs. Crowder, at Cornwall.

Pte. Lyall Froats, of Barriefield Camp, was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Herbert Froats, for the holidays.

Miss Velma Burleigh, of Ottawa, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Burleigh, during Christmas week.

L.A.C. Ralph Biccum, Winnipeg, was a guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Biccum, on Christmas Day.

Miss Audrey Lang, R. N., of the Protestant Children's Hospital, Ottawa, spent a few days at her parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rennick, Mr. Stanley Rennick and Miss Lois, spent Sunday with the former's son, Clive, and Mrs. Rennick, of Winchester.

Mr. Gordon Ennis, of the Civil Service, Ottawa, visited at his parental home for the holidays.

Mr. Rae Simzer left Monday to join Active Service with the R.C.A.F.

Miss Helen Brown, Civil Service, Ottawa, spent the Christmas Season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Brown.

Corp. and Mrs. Geo. Stephens Montreal, visited the latter's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baldwin, for the past week.

Miss Willena Hurley, nurse-in-training, at Hotel Dieu Hospital, Kingston, was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Hurley, for the Christmas season.

Mr. W. W. Rennick and Mrs. Stanley Rennick motored to Cornwall on Sunday last.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lang on Christmas Day were, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Lang, of Brockville; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lang, Maxine and Maryln, of Dalmeny; Mr. and Mrs. Allan Ronson, of Mountain, Miss Audrey Lang, of Ottawa, and Mr. Orland Pollock.

Corp. and Mrs. Geo. Stephens, of Montreal, had tea Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. LaPorte.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hutt and family, of Osgoode Station, called on the former's sisters, Mrs. W. W. Rennick and Mrs. D. H. Hurley, on Sunday evening.

Mr. Grant McIntosh is spending some time with his aunt, Mrs. Geo. Peterson, and Mr. Peterson, Toyes Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brown, North Bay, and Miss Helen Brown, Ottawa, attended the Shaver Re-union on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Shaver, at Vancamp.

Miss Wilma Crowder, Prescott, is visiting her cousin, Miss Lorna Bailey.

Miss Nelda Simzer, Mountain, was a guest of Miss Norma Lang, on Monday.

MOREWOOD

L.A.C. John McGibbon, of Winnipeg, spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fetterly.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Babcock and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Babcock, of Kingston, spent the holidays with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Loughridge spent the Christmas holidays with their daughters at Hamilton and St. Catherines.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gilbert, of Valleyfield, Que., spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, of Rochester, N. Y., spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ward Bilow.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McMillan and little Jean are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Swerdfeger.

Mrs. Emerson Swerdfeger spent the week-end in Brockville with her brother and family.

Mr. Lorne Lascelle has been renewing acquaintances in town for a few days.

Misses Sadie Feely, Marjorie Faulkner, Margaret Carlyle, Carrie and Laura Hunter are spending the holidays at their homes here.

Miss Sybil Dillabough visited friends at Perth and Ottawa on Friday and Saturday.

Miss Sadie Steen, of N. Y., is holidaying at her home here.

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United Church
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10.30 a.m.—Morning Worship.
11.30 a.m., Sunday School.
3.00 p.m., Service at Harmony.
7.30 p.m., Evening Worship.
Monday, 7.30 p.m., Young People's Society.
Wednesday Evening — Watch-Night Service.

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church

Morning Service at 11.00 a.m.
Evening Service at 7.30 p.m.
Organist and Choir Leader, Miss Clara Irving.

Church of England

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

Wesleyan Methodist Church

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

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

10 a.m., Sunday School.
11.00 a.m., "Taught to Pray."
2.45 p.m., Service at South Gower.
7.30 p.m., "Whither?"
All regular mid-week activities cancelled for the Week of Prayer Services. See schedule elsewhere in the Press.
Watch-night Service in the United Church, 11.00 p.m., December 31stt. All are cordially invited.

Wesleyan Methodist Church
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10 a.m., Sunday School.
11 a.m.—Morning Worship.
7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic Service.
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London In The Blackout Is Amazingly Black And Quiet

This is the fourth of a series of articles about conditions in Great Britain and other parts of Europe, written exclusively for the weekly newspapers of Canada by Hugh Templin of the Fergus News-Record.

First impressions may not be accurate, but they are always interesting.

The first thing that any visitor to England wants to see is the damage done by the bombs. I was no exception. The airport where our plane had dropped us down on British soil was interesting in its way, but much like a dozen others I had visited in Canada. There were only two apparent differences: the planes were of different types, though there were a few familiar Avro Ansons, and buildings were protected against the blast of bombs dropping nearby.

The customs examination was brief, though the examiner did show some interest in the things I had thought necessary to take to England with me I had a short brush with the lady censor. She took away all the letters I had carried from Canada and appeared to be horrified that I had taken along a map of the British Isles. Apparently, I had unwittingly committed a grave crime and she said she must confiscate it.

Evidently, a few girls get that way when given some brief authority. I met censors several times during the next six weeks, but none like that young lady. She even went so far as to take away two picture postcards I had bought in the Azores on the flight across the Atlantic. After a brisk argument, in which the customs man took my part, I got the map back. The letters and post cards arrived by mail at my hotel in London a week later, after being censored.

First Impressions of Bombing

It was only a few miles to the nearest city ,a seaport on the west coast of England. I had never been across the Atlantic before, so I watched with interest for the things I had been told about so often—the small fields enclosed by hedges, the slated or tiled roofs, the little locomotives pulling long trains of tiny wagons. Nothing really seemed strange, for photography had made them all familiar. Only the barrage balloons floating over the nearby hills showed that England had changed.

As our car entered the city, we all looked around curiously for signs of damage. Rumors in Canada said that this ancient port was practically destroyed. German versions said that the dock area was rendered useless. As we crossed a bridge over the river, I looked at the shipping and saw no sign of damage to the docks.

The first blitzed house stood on a corner. Or it had stood on the corner, for not a thing was left except a pile of bricks in the basement. The houses on either side seemed undamaged, except for a few boarded-up windows, but the corner one was gone as cleanly as though it had been carved out with a big knife.

I thought to myself: "This is exactly what I expected to see: it looks just like the pictures."

In the next block, another house had been hit. It wasn't as thoroughly destroyed. One side wall remained, and up it at irregular intervals were the fireplaces which had once supplied a bit of heat to its rooms. Part of the floor of one upstairs room hung in the air, with a bed on it.

Again there was that feeling that this was just what I had expected. It remained while we drove down a long street, with half a dozen houses missing at more or less regular intervals. After that, my feelings began to change. Perhaps it was the ruined churches. Several of them had nothing left but blackened walls. On the main business street many stores were without windows; others were hollow shells.

It made me angry before long. This wanton damage seemed so senseless. Obviously, military targets had not been hit or they had been repaired so quickly that the effect was slight. It was the houses that had suffered most, and the churches.

The train to London was crowded, but the six of us got a compartment to ourselves. On the wall was a detailed map of the railway line. I thought of the girl in the censor's office and my map. But I never saw another one on a British train. Most of the railway stations have had the names obliterated or the signs torn down in the hope that invaders might get lost.

London in the Blackout

The train was about half-way to London when blackout time arrived at about half-past six. The guard came in and pulled down heavy blinds over all the windows and doors. Even the door out into the corridor had a blind on it. It was the first hint that there is nothing half-hearted about the British blackout. It's black.

Inside the railway carriage, two dim lights kept the compartment in a state of semi-darkness. One was a white light, set high up in a deep funnel in the roof. The other light, more exposed, was blue and did not give enough light to make it possible to read a newspaper.

Of all the first impressions, none is more vivid than that of my arrival in London in the blackout. There was some doubt about whether the train had reached Paddington station or not but everybody seemed to be getting out One of the editors opened the door. There wasn't a thing to be seen except three scattered blue bulbs in a ceiling high overhead. Moving shapes came past the door and one of them answered the question: "Is this Paddington?" with a short, "Yes, sir."

Nobody who hasn't been there will ever believe how dark London can be in the blackout at the time of the new moon. Three blue bulbs really give no light at all; they just intensify the darkness. And London was not only dark, but quiet as well. This didn't seem like a railway station. Outside, not a light allowed in the city.

Somehow, our hosts from the British Council found us, and they knew what to do. In a few moments, they had a porter hunting for a taxicab. Where he went, I'll never know, but he came back with two, and in the light of later experience, that was something of an achievement.

Our taxi driver was old and his cab was ancient. Four persons and their luggage seemed like too much of a load, but we entrusted ourselves to him, hoping he knew what to do.

The only outdoor lights in London are the traffic signals and the shelter signs. Even the traffic lights are covered, except a tiny cross in the centre. The shelter signs have only a dim "S" showing on them.

An Uncanny Quietness

The feeling persisted that this could not be the world's largest city. Sometimes the taxi would stop and a bus or some more taxis would go across the intersection. Each had one dim headlight, fitted with shutters so that it threw a semi-darkness on the pavement. The windows of the buses were covered. They were just dim outlines as they passed..

The tiny red cross at the corner would disappear and be replaced by a green one and the driver would start up again. Some of the editors, familiar with London in the past, asked him questions about the localities. Only once, at the corner of Hyde Park, did one of them guess correctly.

I am told that London in normal times is noisy at night, though not so bad as New York. In the blackout, it is quiet. There seem to be no private cars. Taxi and bus drivers must find their way largely by instinct.

The cab stopped under some kind of roof. A man with a tiny pocket flashlight helped us out and called for someone to take the bags. We passed one by one through a revolving door and emerged suddenly into the bright light of a hotel lobby.

There was something familiar about the palce. The feeling persisted even after I had been taken to my room and had looked into the bathroom with its Roman bath and Royal Doulton fixtures, reminders of past splendor. Then I remembered, I had seen this famous hotel in moving pictures long ago.

Bomb Damage in London

The next morning, I saw London for the first time. Our hosts from the British Council came around in an old car and drove us around the central part of the city, particularly that part of Old London which had been destroyed by the Great Fire in 1666 and rebuilt better than it had been. Now it has been destroyed again.

East of St. Paul's Cathedral and north of Fleet Street, there is an area of almost a square mile with hardly a building standing. Perhaps you have seen that remarkable photograph which shows the great dome of St. Paul's standing up above a mass of smoke and flames, while in the foreground the walls of ruined houses are silhouetted against the fire. I had wondered sometimes if that photograph was not faked. In a room of the Press Club in London, I saw the original. Walking through the ruins of the old City of London, it is still easy to picture that terrible night.

Many of the walls which stood up in that blackened area since the big blitz last December have been torn down by demolition squads. Where there are basements, they have been cemented and turnd into water reservoirs for fighting future fires.

This was an area of office buildings and publishing houses, with a number of fine old churches and some of the most famous administrative buildings. It was burned in a concentrated blitz one week-end before the Londoners had learned how to fight the incendiary bomb. I don't think it could happen again. An incendiary bomb is small and light. A large bombing plane might carry a thousand of them. They are showered down by hundreds and are just heavy enough to go through a slate roof. It is two minutes or so before they burst into flame. Every second counts. The incendiary bomb can be conquered in the first two or three minutes. After that, it takes the fire brigade to do anything about it.

Strangely enough, the things that touch the heart of the observer in desolate areas like this are the small things. In ruined houses, it is dolls or other toys lying around: in former office buildings, it is battered typewriters piled up, a dozen or so together, or some other evidence of the normal life that was once carried on there.

Yet even in the midst of this desolation, I had the feeling that the German bombers had failed. They had not even tried to hit military targets. It is thought that they tried to wipe out the whole of London's fire fighting apparatus. They didn't succeed. The fire brigades were massed in that small area and more bombers came over, dropping high explosive bombs. Suddenly they stopped coming. It is said that a mist arose back over the Channel and it was feared they could not return safely. Whether that was the reason or not, London's fire fighters escaped to fight another day.

Seeing other parts of London later, I felt again and again that the German bombers had failed. They destroyed thousands of houses and stores and offices and dozens of churches. They did get many factories along the Thames. But they not only failed to frighten the British people; they also missed many of the most tempting targets.

For instance, every bridge over the Thames is in operation. It is said not one has been hit though thousands of bombs have gone into the water in an attempt to cut traffic. There are temporary bridges which can be quickly finished if any bridge is destroyed. They have never been needed.

I wandered through the dock area near Tower Bridge one day. The little houses in the East End have taken a bad punishment. In two places, I saw vacant lots piled high with bricks that must have come from hundreds of houses. But the docks were still in operation as usual with convoys going out the Thames. It was obvious that Tower Bridge itself had never been hit. The Tower of London has lost only a corner of one small bastion.

There hasn't been any bombing in London lately. It is now five months since the last bombs have fallen on the capital. Only once while I was in London did an enemy plane ever come near the city. From the roof of a newspaper office, I watched the flashes of the anti-aircraft guns away to the east. The German never got through.

There was bombing going on all that time, but it was around the coasts of Britain. I came through a bombing one night in Bournemouth, and will tell of it in a later story. But conditions have obviously changed. The Germans no longer have superiority in the air. Defences are stronger. It doesn't seem likely that the British will be "blitzed" again as they were last winter: actual invasion seems impossible.

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First Down In First Snow



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IN the first snow of the season at St. Sauveur, noted winter sports center in the heart of the Laurentian Mountain district of Quebec, no skiier is any too sure on her—or his—feet as witness the plight of the pretty young American visitor pictured above. However, it's lots of fun for everybody when the snows come to St. Sauveur, home of famous ski Hill 70, which is annually host to thousands of United States winter sports fans.

ORMOND B. Y. P. U.

The final meeting of the year was held Friday night last and opened with the usual song service, led by Miss Mildred Porteous, with Miss Laura Rutherford as pianist. The vice president, Mrs. Norman Ponteous, presided during the business period, and offered prayer. Audrey McIntosh received the offering. Mr. Augustine continued the study in the Gospel of John stressing the need of being born again—from above. We have no choice of our earthly parents, but each individual has a choice to make—which road to take—and no one else can make this choice for him.

The next part of the meeting was under the direction of Mr. John Aldham, Fellowship Leader. "O Come All Ye Faithful," was followed by the reading of the Christmas story as told by St. Matthew. Miss Catherine MacGregor very impressively recited the story "The Other Wise Man." By her splendid expression she made each one feel as if he were actually following the other wise man. Religion without a great hope is like an altar without living fire. It is better to seek the shadow of the best than remain content with the worst. The Christmas number, "While Shepherds Watched Their Flock" was followed by the pastor's benediction.

The London Daily Express tells us that Hess spends an hour a day studying the German and Russian communiques. It's nice to know that he's just as confused as we are.—Toronto Saturday Night.

"Christ Jesus the Saviour Was Born on This Night," and "We Three Kings of Orient Are."

A very helpful and timely message was given by Dr. Halpenny from Isa. 52:12. He described life as a battle, a voyage and a march. He said nothing can happen in our lives but God can use it for His glory. We can say: "I will bless the Hand that guided me."

L.A.C. WALTER JOHNSTONE HONORED

On Friday evening last about seventy-five friends from Cass Bridge community, and outside districts gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Johnstone to honour their son, L.A.C. Walter Johnstone of the R.C.A.F., Guelph, who was home for the Christmas holiday and left Monday morning for Guelph, expecting to be sent immediately to another training centre some distance from Guelph.

It is almost a year since Walter, at the age of 21, signed active service for his King and Country, in Ottawa, and was sent at once to Manning Pool Depot, Toronto. From there he was sent to Guelph.

A very nice evening was spent by all present in games and community singing. The programme and the farewell party was sponsored by Messrs. Richard Patterson, Bernice McKee, Hugh Coons and Rae Munroe. Lunch was served around midnight. A little later, Walter was asked to come forward and an address was read by Rae Munroe, and Bernice McKee presented a gent's travelling case in morocco, zipper enclosed, and the fittings were all backed in chrome—a very useful and beautiful gift and so appropriate for a member of the R.C.A.F. or any other member of the Army or Navy.

Before leaving for home, everyone wished Walter the very best of luck in the air over Germany and also thanked Mr. and Mrs. Johnstone for their home and kind hospitality.

"In the past we have had a light which flickered. In the present we have a light which flames. In the future there will be a light which shines over all the land and sea."—Winston Churchill.

NORTH MOUNTAIN CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL—FALL TERM REPORT

Grade I—Joyce Martin, Ross Andrews, Donald Moorehouse, Velma Hoy, George Kerr, Burl Bilow, Jean Carlyle, George Juby, Lester Dillabough, Mary Billings, Muriel Madden, Shirley Wylie, Kenneth Dillabough.

Grade II—Albert Patineau, Jack Hoy, Gwen Beatty, Muriel Kerr, Charles McGill, Clinton Coleman, Alex Richardson, Mervyn Allen, Jackleen Billings, Victor Patineau.

Laura Matches, Teacher.

Grade III—Donada Lawrence, Helen Hoy, Nettie Kerr, Violet Rodford, Chas. Simser, Jessie Hoy, Lloyd Madden, Bernice Kerr, George Billings and Gordon Billings equal, Robert Billings.

Grade IV—Elma Cumming, Lila Mae Beatty and Marion Allen equal, Sylvia Black, Eric Evans, Reta Crowder, Stanley Dillabough.

Eileen Smyth, Teacher.

Grade V—Donna Hyndman 81, Yvonne Wright 77, Marion Milne 70, Donald Poole 61 Jean Kelso 60, Bill Hyndman 58, Howard Madden 51, Martha Kerr 48, Frank MacDonald 48, Willie Skuce 47, Bruce Cumming 41.

Grade VI—Georgena Evans 87, Hilda Hoy 86, Clarence Morgan 83, Jack Milne 74, Donald Allen 50, Gordon Rodford 38, Gordon Hoy 29.

Glenn D. Kerford, Teacher.

Grade VII—Georgena Hoy, Honours; Bobby Beggs, Marion Coleman, Elva McGill, Dwight Cumming, Lorraine Ford, Betty Andrews, Henry Billings (not ranked).

Grade VIII—Charles Kerr, Donald Black, Ray Andrews, Wilma Arcand, Sherman Hoy, Margaret Allen, Stanley Duncan, Kenneth Crowder, Hugh Evans, Eunice Kerr, Barbara Loughlin, Lorne Spong (not ranked).

W. R. Lennox, Teacher.

"Canada at War"

NO. 12—NO EASY WAY

Written For C. W. N. A. Papers by C. Earl Rice.

The belief is growing, among those who let others do their thinking, that most of us could get by with very little work, if any, if our politicians were smart enough. Unfortunately, it is too often good politics to foster that belief. It is being mooted as a partial remedy for post-war ills.

Some see coming an economic system that relieves everyone of the pain of thinking and eases the pain of whatever effort is required.

The amazing advances of science and invention have led figure-minded economists to conclude that it would be very simple to produce all that men require with very little work in a very short time. The great majority of us have been too busy to consider what this idea may mean to us.

In Canada and the United States, where the advances of science and invention have been applied to production, there have been demonstrations of the manufacture of needs and wants that impressively support the view that somebody could produce somehow enough for somebody. But Canada and the United States have never yet produced and distributed enough of everything for everybody. President Roosevelt says that at the peak of U. S. prosperity one-third of the people were ill-housed, ill-clad and ill-fed. Canada is little different in that regard.

There is no doubt that a physically fit, highly intelligent, well educated people, living in an ideal world from which any and every raw material could be secured at will, could, in the course of fifty years, produce its needs and most of its wants in a work-week of thirty hours or less.

Canadians are not such a people. Before we get too far in policies which permit the few to do less for more, it would be wise to take stock of what has happned to the whole people as a result of our efforts to unduly shorten the hours of labor of some.

Most Canadians, on the farms, in the forests, in fishing boats, in small business, in the professions, and in the homes, work long hours to earn enough to buy the goods and services produced by those who work shorter hours. The short hours of the few must be paid for by the long hours of the many. All who work longer hours would welcome the nation-wide application of the 48-hour week, the 44-hour week, the 40-hour week, all of which exist in Canada for some workers. Everyone would be delighted with the 30-hour week.

The 30-hour week would cut the farm work-week in half. It would do as much for many other occupations. But it would raise the cost of living in Canada to an impossible figure. It would reduce production to the point of poverty. It would increase rather than abate suffering.

No question of health, leisure or recreation is involved in the eight-hour day, or in the forty-eight hour week that provides a half-holiday on Saturday and a day of rest each week. The production of Canada with an average work-week of forty-eight hours would not provide an adequate national income. Reduced hours of work increase costs; costs that can only be met by those who work longer or harder; costs that rise every few years to the point where the value of short-hour goods is so out of line with long-hour goods that exchange breaks down and we have depression. Why not have a national minimum work week of forty-eight hours until everyone in Canada can enjoy it.

THE UNITED CHURCH

Sunday's services were suited to the closing of the old year. Dr. Halpenny spoke from Matt. 2:11 and 16, on "Beautiful Ideals." He said Christ wasn't born into an easy world, there was a Herod waiting to crush out His spirit. Peace will come only through good will. These ideals will triumph in our hearts.

Part of the beautiful Christmas music was repeated when the choir sang: "On Christmas Day in the Morning," and "The Heavenly Stranger" was sung as a duet by Mrs. S. Lindsay and Mrs. E. Steele. Mrs. H. Fetterly was organist for the day.

In the evening the choir also gave two more of their Christmas numbers:

NEW YEAR GREETINGS

In extending New Year's Greetings to our many customers, we desire to express our appreciation for the patronage given us during 1941. May the New Year bring you an abundance of all the good things that go to make a happier life.

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T. O. KEYES AND STAFF

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Arrives In England.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Carkner, of Ormond, have received a cablegram from their son, Sgt. Observer Clifford Carkner, informing them of his recent arrival in England.

To Resume Drills.

Drill will be resumed for the local platoon of the S. D. & G. Highlanders on Monday night, Jan. 5th, at 7.30 p.m. At this time the parade will fall in at the local arena and will take the form of a lecture. New recruits are invited

Must Have License

Churches must take out the licenses now required by the federal government of all persons or organizations serving food. There is no charge for this license, but without it churches or clubs will not be able to make any purchases from wholesale food sources.

Married At Chesterville.

The marriage of Miss Jean Flegg, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Flegg, to Mr. Alvy Larmour, youngest son of Mrs. Armados Larmour and the late Mr. Larmour, took place at the United Church parsonage, Chesterville, on Saturday, Dec. 27th. Rev. R. C. Tait officiated.

Skating Rink Open.

The local arena opened for public skating on Christmas night. With cold weather prevailing, a good sheet of ice has been made and the rink will be open every evening from now on. The Band will be in attendance on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights. For season tickets, apply to H. L. Flora.

Teacher's Successor Appointed.

John W. Teal, B.A., who has been a member of the Iroquois High School staff since September, 1940, resigned recently to accept a position at Port Colborne, as a teacher of physical training. The High School Board at Iroquois has engaged C. E. MacNamara, B.A., of Stratford, to fill the vacancy.

Thanks For The Parcels.

This week Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McConnell received letters from their sons, Ross and George, who are on Active Service in England. Both boys were well and in good spirits. In their letters, they asked their parents to thank all those who had sent them parcels, cigarettes, the Press, etc. These were all appreciated and the boys want the senders to know it.

Has your Subscription expired?

Vernon Stores To Close Every Night Except Saturday

Starting January 1st, 1942, and continuing throughout the months of January, February and March, the stores of D. R. McDonald and W. J. Porteous & Sons, Vernon, will close at 6 o'clock, E. S. T., every night except Saturday night. Customers and residents of the Vernon district are asked to observe this change in policy for the winter months.

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Vernon, Ont., December 30th, 1941.

Notice!

The Annual Meeting of the Dundas and West Stormont Field Crop Improvement Association will be held in the Community Hall, Chesterville, on January 6th, 1942, at 1.30 Standard Time.

The Executive of the Ottawa Valley Seed Growers' Association will be there to discuss possibilities of holding their Annual Seed Fair and Sale in this district next spring.

A member of the Experimental Farm Staff at Ottawa will address the meeting. A large attendance is anticipated.

CHAS. HARKNESS, President. MAHLON ZERON, Secretary-Treasurer.

Holiday Visiting Was Feature of Christmas

Mr. Allan Preston, of London, spent Christmas at his home here.

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Lieut. Gilbert Gemeroy and Mr. Douglas Gemeroy spent the holidays at their home here.

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Mr. Thos. McConnell, of Cannamore, spent Sunday here with his sister, Mrs. Wm. Walker.

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A.C.-2 James Clarke, of Belleville, spent Christmas week-end with friends and relatives here.

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Mr. Hubert Quart, of Kirkland Lake, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Quart.

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Mrs. G. G. McEwen, fo Ottawa, spent Christmas day, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hitsman.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barrigar, of Prescott, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barrigar.

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Mr. and Mrs. Donald Roughton and children, of Kingston, spent Boxing Day with Mrs. Jas. H. Ross.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. W. J. Lane, of Aultsville, spent Christmas Day with the latter's mother, Mrs. J. W. Ault.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Simms, of Mountain, were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Bouchard.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dodge and sons, of Cardinal, spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Dixon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Summers and children, of Perth, spent Christmas with Rev. and Mrs. D. W. Summers.

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Misses Marjorie, Cynthia and Doris Barnard, of Ottawa, spent Christmas week-end with their parents here.

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Mr. J. G. A. Dixon, of Cardinal, spent Christmas and the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Dixon.

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Dr. C. H. Meredith spent the two holidays last week with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Thos. Meredith, of Ottawa.

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Pte. John Todd, of the R.C.A.M.C., of Lansdowne Park, Ottawa, spent his Christmas holidays at his home here.

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Mrs. Rowat Hunter has returned home after spending some days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leslie.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. VanBridger and family, of Iroquois, were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. VanBridger.

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Mr and Mrs. E. F. Kellogg and sons, Frank and Allan, spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. J. Graveley, of Cornwall.

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Mr. and Mrs. Melville Leslie spent the Christmas holidays at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Leslie.

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Miss Beatrice Jackson and Mr. Stafford Price, of Sorel, Que., spent Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jackson.

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The Misses Inez and Willena Beaton, of Westmount, Montreal, spent the Christmas holidays with their aunt, Mrs. B. McConkey.

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Miss Anne Fanning, of Carleton Place, is spending a few days the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ralph MacPherson, and Mr. MacPherson.

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Miss M. I. Cass and Mr. Ronald W. Cass, B.A., of Toronto, spent Christmas week at the home of Mr. W. J. Cass, K.C., and Mrs. Cass.

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L.A.C. Walter E. Johnstone, of the R.C.A.F., Guelph, spent five days' leave at Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Johnstone.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. French, of Blanche, Que., were guests this week on Tuesday for dinner of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Earle.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sutton and son, Franklin, spent Christmas and remained until Saturday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Johnstone.

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Miss Edna Annable and Miss Mary Blyth, of the Dental Corps, Montreal, spent Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Annable.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Thompson and son, Stephen, of Russell, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Greer, of Oxford Mills, spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sharpe.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mansell Wallace and Miss Jean Wallace, of Kars, and Miss Julia Dukelow, Reg. N., of Ottawa, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dukelow on Friday.

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Miss Lorna Workman, of Smiths Falls, and A.C.-2 Robert Workman, of the R.C.A.F., Toronto, spent Christmas week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Workman.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Droppo, of Chesterville, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Barkley and sons, Gordon and Donald, of Irena, spent Christmas here with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Earle.

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Mrs. Thos. J. Johnstone and son, L.A.C. Walter Johnstone, of Guelph, and Miss Violet Baker, of Toronto, took tea with Mr. and Mrs. Garnet McLean, in Chesterville, on Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. A. McGregor entertained for Christmas dinner, Mrs. Wm. Lennox, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hutt, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Harper and daughters, Erma and Eileen, and Mr. John Hehir.

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L.A.C. Fred Sazackerley, of Manchester, England, and L.A.C. Harry Furnell, of Holt, Norfolk, England, spent their Christmas leave at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bell, returning to Trenton on Sunday.

Mrs. Walter C. MacDonald is spending this week with friends at Montreal.

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Mr. Dan Johnstone spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnstone, of Winchester.

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Mr. John Christie, of O.A.C., Guelph, is spending the holidays at his parental home here.

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Mrs. Hubert Hanes, of Ottawa, spent a few days, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sanders.

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Miss Laura Dukelow was the guest of Miss Beatrice Saddlemire at Williamsburg on Friday.

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Miss Violet Baker, of Toronto, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Johnstone and family.

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Miss Jennie Empey, of Montreal, is spending the holiday season at her parental home here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot Wyatt, of Smiths Falls, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jackson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Albert Turner spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Strader and family.

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Mr. Cecil Dukelow, of Ottawa, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dukelow.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Turner and son, Ralph, of Kemptville, were calling on friends here on Friday last.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Elliott and son, Peter, of Ottawa, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hart Melvin.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Smith and son, Gerald, of Ottawa, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Dixon.

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Mrs. John Scott spent Christmas week the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Coons, and Mr. Coons, and family.

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Mrs. E. A. McInnis and family, of Iroquois, were Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hitsman.

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Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Willson and son, Harold, are spending this week with Mr. Willson's parents in Owen Sound.

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Lieut. J. C. Barrigar, of Camp Borden, is spending the New Year holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Barrigar.

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Mrs. Ed. Bush, of Hallville, is spending the Christmas Season with her sister, Mrs. E. J. Christie, and Mr. Christie.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Barkley and sons, of Irena, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Droppo, of Chesterville, on Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jackson and sons, Erle and Harold, of Rochester, N. Y., spent Christmas at their parental homes here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Patterson and little son, of Brockville, spent Christmas afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Robertson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ault and daughter, Miss Joyce, were guests of the former's mother, Mrs. J. W. Ault, on Christmas Day.

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Mr. John D. Stewart and Mrs. Stewart, B.Sc., M.A., were dinner guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bolster, at Chesterville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph MacPherson and daughters, Joyce and Mary, spent Christmas at their parental homes at Carleton Place.

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Mr. D. H. Dixon, of Queen's University, Kingston, spent Christmas and the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Dixon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Basil Barkley, of Massena, N. Y., and Pte. Arnold Barkley, of Hamilton, spent the Christmas holidays at their parental home here.

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Miss Margaret Hitsman, Reg. N., of Montreal, and Miss Norma Hitsman, of Ottawa, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Hitsman.

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Miss Florence Fennell, of Ottawa, and Mr. W. Smith and daughter, Miss Ellice, of Morewood, spent Christmas Day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Fennell.

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Mr. Thos. Smith and Master Donald Rose are spending the holiday season with the former's daughter, Mrs. J. A. Fraser, Mr. Fraser and family, of Montreal.

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Miss Aileen Cheney, Mountain, is a guest of her brother, Ordinary Seaman Robert Cheney, Ottawa, who leaves for Toronto January 1st, to continue his training.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ken Phillips and son, Jackie, of Ottawa, and Mrs. Gertrude Pickering and daughter, Fern, were guests of Mr and Mrs. John McCauley on Christmas Day.

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Pte. Dan F. Blair, of the R.C.A.S.C., and Mrs. Blair, also Miss Hazel Blair, of the Civil Service, Ottawa, spent Christmas week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Blair.

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Miss Ruth Churchill and sister, Jean, L.A.C. James Clarke, R.C.A.F., Belleville, and Mr. Carl VanCamp, of Cardinal, attended the Ottawa-Montreal hockey match, held in Ottawa, Saturday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Preston Timmins and children, Mary and Donald, also Miss Aleda Gardiner, of Kingston, spent Christmas at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Timmins and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hitsman.

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Miss Maxine Bell, of the Bank of Canada Staff, Ottawa, and Mr. Lester Bell, of the Inspection Board of the United Kingdom in Canada, at Ottawa, spent their Christmas holidays at their parental home, Inkerman Station.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Hugh Knowland, of Prescott, spent Christmas at his home here.

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Mrs. P. F. Poole spent Christmas week with her sons, Messrs. Ralph and Don Poole, and Mrs. Poole, of Bowmanville.

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Aircraftsman J. G. McVey, of Toronto, spent Christmas with his grandmother, Mrs. J. F. McVey, and other friends, here.

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Mrs. J. H. Faith spent Christmas and Boxing Day with her son, Mr. W. V. Faith, Mrs. Faith and Robert, at Montreal.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown and girls, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cinnamon and Gordon and Doris spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Johnstone.

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Miss Evelyn Cheney returned to St. Catharines on Monday after spending several days as guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Cheney, Mountain.

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Pilot Officer Wm. Servage, of the R.C.A.F., Uplands, is spending his New Year's leave with his wife and daughter, at the home of his parents here. Mrs. Servage and daughter, Dorothy, will remain in Winchester for some time to attend.

LATE MISS EVA BAKER

Funeral services for the late Miss Eva Dell Baker were held in the local United Church on Tuesday afternoon, with Rev. Dr. T. A. Halpenny officiating. Interment was made in Maple Ridge Cemetery.

Deceased, who was born near Winchester, was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baker. She had been in ill health for some time and passed away at Rochester, N. Y., on Wednesday of last week. The body was brought to the home of her sister, Mrs. Sparling Redmond, who resides on the Baker homestead.

Miss Baker was well-known here, although she had spent the greater part of her life at distant points. She was 42 years of age.

She leaves one brother, Mr. Earl Baker, of Detroit, Michigan, and two sisters, Miss Freeda Baker, of Toronto, and Mrs. Sparling Redmond, of Winchester.

WINCHESTER SPRINGS SUNDAY SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

In spite of inclement weather, nearly fifty members of the United Church Sunday School, Winchester Springs, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holmes for their annual Entertainment and Christmas Tree on Tuesday evening, Dec. 22nd.

Rev. R. S. Smith, pastor, was chairman, and the programme consisted of the singing of Christmas carols, readings, pantomines, recitations, etc. Mrs. C. Thompson and Mrs. Cecil McIntosh were accompanists. Santa arrived at the close of the programme and distributed the gifts from the heavily laden tree, assisted by Mr. Clifford Robinson, S. S. Supt.

Mrs. Thompson was presented with a purse in recognition of her services as pianist during the past year.

The thanks of the members to Mr. and Mrs. Homes for their home and hospitality was voiced by Mr. Smith and a very enjoyable evening was brought to a close with the singing of the National Anthem.

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