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On The Local Red Cross Front

Aged Lady Does Her Bit.

Although 91 years of age, Mrs. W. J. Steele is to be congratulated as a Red Cross worker. This grand old lady, who is one of the oldest in town, has just completed a pair of socks, which she knit herself, and turned in to the local Red Cross this week. Mrs. Steele's eyesight is not the best, but she can put many of the younger generation to shame when it comes to wielding a pair of knittingneedles. It's "hats off" to Grandma Steele and we hope she enjoys good health for many years to come.

Although the local Red Cross made a large shipment of completed articles to National headquarters in January, increased activity has been noted among Mrs. J. W. Ault's band of willing workers, and another large shipment was sent this week. Included in the lot were: 156 pairs socks, 91 pairs wristlets, 24 abdominal bandages, 19 sleeveless sweaters, 76 scarves, 12 pillow slips, 42 hospital gowns, 60 pneumonia jackets, 60 triangular bandages, 18 Hampton pads, 30 sheets, 12 hot water bottle covers, 1 helmet, 1 pair gloves, 11 pair knee warmers.

MORRISBURG WIFE CLAIMS $15,000

Damages of $15,000 are being sought by Mrs. Robert E. Wilson, Morrisburg, in an action against Sanford and Mahlon Zeran, executors of the estate of the late James Zeran, Morrisburg, in the remaining action on the docket of Supreme Court at Cornwall. The plaintiff alleges that her husband died from injuries when attacked by James Zeran. 75, in May last. Following Wilson's death, Zeran was formally charged with murder, but was committed to a mental institution before he was placed on trial. He died several weeks after being committed to hospital.

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Cubs Eliminate Frost & Wood

Doug. MacLean's Cubs eliminated Walter MacDonald's Frost & Wood team from further participation in the Town League Intermediate Hockey Play-offs, in a sudden-death semi-final game, played at the local Arena last night. The score was 5-4, after ten minutes' overtime, and the contest was as close an exhibition of hockey as has been witnessed here this season.

The Cubs will now meet the league-leading Williamsburg team in a sudden-death game, to be played on Friday evening. The winner of this contest will represent the league in the Ottawa and District Play-Downs for the Citizen Shield, the first game of which will be played in Winchester on Monday evening, February 19th, when the local champions will oppose a Kemptville team.

Last night's semi-final was crammed with excitement, although at times the hockey was everything but good.

The first period was a hectic affair—play became rough, players lost their heads and as a result 10 penalties were meted out by Referee Dan O'Neil. These included two majors. After the initial session the teams settled down and a good close contest followed.

The Cubs, taking advantage of penalties to their opponents, ran up a three-goal lead in the first 15 minutes of play.

In the second period the F. & W. team had a decided edge over the Cubs and scored the only goal of the period. Continuing with their aggressive tactics in the final frame, Frost & Wood tied the score with two timely goals, only to have the Cubs recapture their lead midway through the period. Three minutes before the end of regulation playing time the F. & W. players equalized the score, making it 4-4.

Three minutes after the start of the overtime period, George Elliott took a pass from R. Wylie and scored, what turned out to be, the winning goal of the game. The Frost & Wood boys put up a gallant fight for the balance of the ten-minute overtime period and although at times they had the Cubs all bottled up, they failed to score, and the contest ended 5-4 for the Cubs.

The line-ups were:

Cubs—Goal, Williams; Def., Arn. Barkley and Hitsman; centre, Elliott; wings, R. Wylie and J. Lennox; alternates, K. Boyd, E. Boyd, D. MacLean, M Boyd, H. Allison

Frost & Wood—Goal, G. Coons; Def., E Marquette and D. Lannin; centre, Dan Robertson; wings, A. Summers and D. Hutt; alternates, G MacDonald, W. Lannin, W. Clark, R. Allison.

Referee—Dan O'Neil.

SCORING SUMMARY

First Period

Cubs—Wylie (MacLean, Elliott).....5.00
Cubs—Hitsman (Wylie) 6.00
Cubs—Wylie. 7.00
Penalties—Marquette (3), MacLean, Hitsman. W. Lannin, MacDonald (2), Elliott, E. Boyd.

Second Period

Frost & Wood—D. Hutt (Marquette Allison) 6.00
Penalties—None.

Third Period.

Frost & Wood—A. Summers.....1.00
Frost & Wood—A. Summers (Marquette) 7.00
Cubs—Wylie (Lennox) 2.00
Frost & Wood—W. Lannin (D. Hutt) 2.00
Penalties—Lennox, MacLean

Overtime

Cubs—Elliott (Wylie) 3.00
Penalties—MacLean.

War Veteran Sends Letter of Appreciation

Last week a war veteran, well over 40 years of age, stopped off at Winchester, enroute to Ottawa to again offer his services for King and Country. Without funds, the man applied to the local Post of the Canadian Legion for a night's lodging. The Legion officers extended the hand of fellowship and their comrade was given a cozy room at Hotel Winchester, his supper and breakfast. After expressing his appreciation, the veteran started hitch-hiking to Ottawa. This week Postmaster Erle Helmer received the following letter from him, which is self-explanation:

District Depot 3,
Regal Bldgs., Ottawa.

Dear Mr. Helmer:—

Just a line as promised, and many thanks to you and Mr. Dixon for your kindness last Thursday night. I got into Ottawa about noon and was in uniform by 5 p.m. I was posted to Signal Section R. C. Army Service Corps. I was lucky I can tell you—just my service and previous Sgt's. experience got me through as it was nearly four years over age. The O. C., Major Maunder, is a brick—always try and help the ex-service man, he said, was his motto. I got a week-end leave to settle my affairs and report to-day.

So again thanks to the Winchester Post. Yours very gratefully,

Sig. Joe Cheney, No. 30090.

Thieves Steal Money From Local Citizens

Gaining admittance through a cellar window, used as a coal chute, a thief or thieves entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hughes, Piety Hill, some time during the early hours of Wednesday morning, and departed with about $40.00 in cash and Mr. Hughes' gold watch. The trespassers, after entering the premises, were bold enough to ascend the stairs, pass by a door in the room where the occupants were sleeping, and search the pockets of Mr. Hughes' trousers, which were hanging in a clothes closet off the bathroom. This netted them $35.00 in cash and a gold watch. Before leaving the house, they located two purses belonging to Mrs. Hughes, and took $5.00 in cash out of one—the other not containing any. As far as is known, nothing but the cash and watch were stolen. The thieves departed through the front door, which they unlocked from the inside. They must have worked with extreme quietness, because neither Mr. or Mrs. Hughes knew the house had been entered until the next morning.

Constable Herbert Helmer was notified and started an investigation immediately. Foot prints leading to the cellar window indicated that the thieves had approached the house across a garden lot between the Crown Bakery and the Hughes' residence, but owing to other footprints, near the Bakery, they could not be traced further. The footprints across the vacant lot indicated that two men had walked to the cellar window. The investigation will probably be continued by Provincial Police.

All Canada Mourns

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Ottawa, became the shrine of sorrow for the Canadian people yesterday afternoon as the nation, which His Excellency the Governor General served so faithfully, honored with a state funeral a distinguished statesman for the third time in history.

Outside the gray Gothic walls, within view of the Gatineau hills he loved so dearly, stood in reverent silence thousands of citizens who were unable to be accommodated. Within the church, founded 112 years ago by pioneers from Lord Tweedsmuir's native heath, were assembled leaders of the national life to honor him as the business pulse of the city stilled in tribute.

The deeply felt, but unspoken grief of the people outside, and the nation beyond was crystallized by Rev. Alexander Ferguson when he said in the funeral oration:

"A king among men, he followed the kingly service. His great reward was love of the Canadian people.....We salute in death that gallant heart, that victorious spirit."

At the direction of the King, His Excellency the Administrator, Sir Lyman Poore Duff, represented His Majesty at the funeral.

Toward afternoon, after a dull morning, the sun broke through the clouds and as the cortege left the Parliament Buildings the muffled chimes were heard by a throng which packed every inch of space along the route of two or three blocks to the church. Between the church and Union Station there must have been close to 50,000 persons assembled.

Lord Tweedsmuir died at Montreal on Sunday evening, and Canada will observe seven days of mourning, in tribute to its beloved Governor.

The body of Lord Tweedsmuir will be cremated and his ashes sent to Scotland for burial.

Legion Canvass Now In Progress

All this week citizens throughout Canada are being asked to contribute to The Canadian Legion War Services' Appeal for $500,000.

An examination of this non-profit making organization, a subsidiary of the Canadian Legion itself, immediately impresses one with the necessity of enabling it to carry on its vitally important activities, not only in Canada, but also in England and France.

Readers of this newspaper who are aware of the Legion's efforts in providing education facilities for the men so that they may continue their studies while on active service and thus equip themselves for their return to civil life who have read of the splendid work being done in maintaining morale and esprit-de-corps by means of entertainment, and who know of the advice and guidance that the Legion is giving the men on all problems arising from war duty, must surely be encouraged in making their donations generously and without delay.

We in Canada, who are so far removed from war zones, are perhaps influenced to some extent by a false perspective of the struggle that lies ahead. We fail to grasp the full significance of the sacrifices our fighting men will be called upon to make. To put it bluntly, we lack a war spirit. It will take but one catastrophe involving our forces to make us realize that we are at war—a war that from all indications is going to be the most horrible in all history.

The welfare needs of our fighting men will be many and it would be unfair of us to expect that the military authorities should assume the added responsibility of providing for these needs. This responsibility can be carried out most satisfactorily by organized and officially endorsed bodies such as The Canadian Legion War Services.

Imbued with the conviction that its efforts must primarily be directed in such a way as to contribute to military efficiency, and thus help to win this war as speedily as possible, the Legion is also looking to that day when peace is declared and our men return to resume their places as citizens. With that in mind the Legion has under way the most remarkable education scheme ever designed for Canadians under wartime conditions.

Studied from all angles, the services being rendered by this organization cannot fail to make a great contribution to Canada's war effort and the rehabilitation of our men when the war is over. And if we are preoccupied with visions of what is taking place today, it would be well to peer a little farther into the future and make our preparations now for the new peace that is to follow.

Investment in The Canadian Legion War Services is a sound investment in democracy.

Citizens of Winchester & District

HELP

Winchester Post No. 108

to raise its share of the $500,000 required by the Canadian Legion War Services Incorporated for financing its project of

Educational and Personal Services to Soldiers serving in Canadian Ranks Overseas.

The local branch of the Canadian Legion has set its objective at $300.00 as Winchester's share in this important undertaking. The campaign is now in progress and canvassers are at work in every part of the Dominion. In Winchester and district the following war veterans have been appointed to solicit subscriptions to the fund:

Irvine Cross and Ernest R. Summers—territory south of Winchester and Maple Ridge district.

Martin Dunlop—Inkerman and district.

Alva Alexander, F. M. Cass and Lawrence Sullivan—territory north of Main Street, Winchester.

F. Erle Helmer and J. J. Gray—south-east section of Winchester.

Nelson H. Dixon—south-west section of Winchester.

If the canvassers miss you, and you have a donation for this worthy fund, give it to any member of the Legion and it will be turned in to the treasurer.

THE FUND IS WORTHY OF YOUR SUPPORT

GIVE FREELY! GIVE NOW!

Mountain Couple 60 Years Married

A very pleasant event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson, Mountain, on Sunday, February 11th, when they celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson were married sixty years ago in Heckston by the Rev. Wm. Rilance. After a brief honeymoon in Ottawa, they took up farming on the groom's farm near South Mountain. All their lives they had lived in Mountain township except ten years they spent at Cereal, Alberta, afterwards returning to their present home in Mountain village. Their five children were all present to celebrate the happy occasion. They were Messrs. Arnold Robinson, of Saskatoon, Arthur of Calgary, and Gordon of Mountain, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Christie and family, Charles, Melvin, Margaret and Shirley; Mr and Mrs. William Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shaw and little daughter, Mary; also Miss Mildred Robinson, a granddaughter, in Toronto, and their pastor, the Rev. W. R. Johnston, and Mrs. Johnston, of South Mountain. The other grandchildren who were unable to be present were Mrs. Bob Joy and little daughter, Myrna, of Nelson, B. C.; Miss Betty Robinson, of Saskatoon; Charles, Harold and Marion Robinson of Calgary, and Mrs. Jack Barnshaw, of Atlantic City, N. J. After congratulations had been extended, all sat down to a sumptuous wedding dinner. The table was prettily decorated with roses, carnations and daffodils.

After dinner, Rev. Mr. Johnston gave a short speech and Mr Robinson replied. Short speeches were also given by their sons, Arnold and Arthur. Melvin Christie sang a solo, entitled: "We've Come A Long Way Together," accompanied by his guitar.

The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful gifts, including telegrams, congratulation cards, flowers, candy and a purse from their children. Many friends called during the day to extend congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson are eighty-two and eighty-six years of age, and are enjoying fairly good health. They live alone in their home, and have always taken a keen interest in the affairs of the community, and are members of Mountain United Church. Their many friends wish them continued health and happiness.

Seven Persons Escape As Fire Destroys Home

A woman bedridden for two years, a blind man and a six-months-old baby were among seven persons saved when the farm home of Donald Kennedy, three-quarters of a mile south of the village of Monckland, was completely destroyed by fire early yesterday morning.

Kennedy was awakened by smoke about 3.30 o'clock in the morning, and without taking time to even put on his shoes, carried his bedridden mother to safety. Dashing back into the burning building, he helped his blind father, his wife, two children and a maid from the house. None was injured, but they wore only what clothes they could grab as they ran from the house and suffered from the biting cold. The home and its furnishings were completely destroyed and the origin of the blaze is not known.

New Telephone Directory Is Interesting Booklet

More than 8,500 Bell Telephone directories were dropped in the mail last week as the latest issue for Brockville, Winchester and vicinity left the presses. Of these books, 350 were delivered to subscribers here.

This year the company is celebrating the 60th anniversary of its incorporation. To commemorate this event, the cover of the new directory bears the familiar Blue Bell insignia and the slogan "Sixty Years of Public Service."

In 1880, there were only 13 Bell Telephone exchanges and about 2,100 subscribers. The directory list for any one of these exchanges could have been printed on a single sheet—and most of them were. In fact, the only Bell Telephone directory known to have been published in book form in 1880 was that for Quebec City. It was a slim volume containing several pages of listings in large type.

Today, there are 34 separate directories, several of which are published more than once a year. They contain listings for over 786,400 telephones in 412 exchanges scattered throughout Ontario and Quebec.

In the old days, too, blank pages were inserted in the directories for the inclusion of new names and numbers, which were published in the newspapers. This method is no longer practicable; consequently, each new directory lists thousands of new and changed numbers.

Therefore, to avoid wrong numbers, it is important to destroy the old directory and carefully consult the new one before placing calls. Corrections should also be made to desk lists and memo pads containing numbers called most frequently.

Coming Events

DATES TO REMEMBER

The Sunbeam Mission Band will hold a Valentine Tea and Touch and Take Table in St. Paul's S. S. Hall, Saturday, Feb. 17th. Everybody welcome. 41c

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The Women's Institute will meet on Tuesday, February 20th, at 7.30 p.m. An address on "Great Poets," by Mrs. W. S. Atchison. Musical program and a "Quiz" Contest. Roll Call—Name your favourite poet. Refreshments, collection, and the public are invited.

KEMPTVILLE STORE LOOTED BY THIEVES

Goods valued at between $400 and $500 were stolen by thieves who broke into the store of Stanley G. Anderson, of Kemptville, last Friday night.

Entrance was gained by cutting through an iron bar over a window and then forcing the window with a bar. The iron bar had been placed over the window after a robbery two years ago.

The loot is believed to include overcoats, suits, gloves, mitts, shoes, flashlights and knives. An old coat was left in the store by the intruders.

Provincial Constable Alex McLeod, of Prescott, and Police Chief Joseph McIntyre, of Kemptville, are investigating. They are trying to locate two men who boarded an early morning train at Oxford Mills.

Dr. M. W. Locke Observes 60th Birthday

It was just sixty years ago yesterday that the man who was destined to later become the most widely known of Dundas County's many famous sons, first saw the light of day. On February 14, 1880, Parker Locke, a highly respected farmer of Matilda Township, and his wife, Abigail Barclay, became the parents of a son, who, since he has grown to manhood, has perhaps done more actual work in the relief of human suffering than any other living man. These sturdy pioneers christened their son Mahlon William Locke, and to-day the name of Dr. M. W. Locke is almost synonymous with the relief of physical ailments the world over. The story of Dr. Locke, of his education at Edinburgh, Scotland, and his subsequent settlement in Williamsburg, where he achieved his greatest fame, is almost legendary.

It will be the sincere wish of each and every one of his countless thousands of friends and patients, that Dr. Locke may be spared to enjoy many more years of good health and useful citizenship.

The physician is now enjoying his annual vacation from his arduous summer labour at his home in Williamsburg.

Dundas County L. O. L. Holds Annual Meeting

The Loyal Orange Lodge of Dundas County held its annual meeting in the Orange Hall, Winchester Springs, on Tuesday, Feb. 6th, with sessions at 10.00 a.m. and 2.00 p.m, with the County Master, Wor. Bro. H. Wallace, presiding. Both sessions were well attended, with almost every lodge in the County well represented. After the opening ceremonies, the lodge was declared open for business. The afternoon session was opened with an address from the County Master, which was very interesting.

During the business session it was decided to make plans to hold the 12th of July Celebration in the town of Williamsburg in 1940. Other business of particular interest to the Lodge, was also dealt with. Then the County Master called for the election of officers and declared all offices vacant, and invited Wor. Bro. E. P. Foster, P.C.M., of Morrisburg, to preside over the election. Wor. Bro. H. Wallace was again re-elected as County Master for the third term, the list of officers resulting as follows:

P. Master, Bro. Elisha Jackson, South Mountain; Master, Bro. Herbert Wallace, Pleasant Valley; Dep. Master, Bro. Cecil Hanson, Toyes Hill; Chaplin, Bro. A. L. VanAllen, Morrisburg; Rec. Sec'y., Bro. Ernest Morrow, W. Springs; Fin. Sec., Bro. Chas. Baker, Cannamore; Treasurer, Bro. Dalton Coons, Toyes Hill; Marshal, Bro. Grant Swerdfeger, Cannamore; 1st Lecturer, Bro. Royal Murdock, Morrisburg; 2nd Lect., Bro Russell Baker, Cannamore; Dep. Lect., Bro. Wm. Hillis, Cannamore; Com., Bro. Frank Nesbitt, Winchester Springs.

Wor. Bro. H. H. Nesbitt, P.C.M., of Winchester Springs, installed the officers, after which Wor. Bro. H. Wallace thanked the lodge for reelecting him as County Master, and asked for the co-operation of each officer and member. Other addresses were also given.

It was decided to hold the next annual meeting in Winchester Springs in February, 1941. The Lodge was brought to a close by singing the National Anthem.

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ONLY ONE ISSUE AT STAKE !

During the past few days, both Prime Minister Mackenzie King and Hon. Dr. Manion, leader of the National Conservative Party, have delivered addresses, outlining the issues at stake in the present election campaign. In neither address can we find an issue that, in our opinion, is an important factor in the forthcoming election. The Prime Minister places special emphasis on "National Unity." That is not an issue—our national unity has never been threatened. The Conservative Party, as well as the Liberal Party, will take all the necessary steps to see that Canada remains united in war, as well as in peace. About the only issue at stake, as far as the present administration is concerned, is its record in conducting Canada's War Effort, and as the average citizen has been kept more or less in the dark on this part of the Government's Policy, they will have to decide for themselves whether or not it has been satisfactory and in the best interests of the country.

In his keynote campaign speech, Hon. Dr. Manion, the Conservative chieftain, criticized the King Government's War Policy, and as an alternative he urges the electors to support his "National Government" idea and vote for the Conservative candidates. Here again, we have no important issue. It has been suggested that Mr. Manion is conscious of the fact that the Conservative Party, alone, could not improve on the present government's war policy and that is the reason he wants to form a National Government. We do not believe this to be true. Dr. Manion is anxious to see Canada put forth her best efforts in prosecuting the war, without any unnecessary delay. He has decided that the best way to accomplish this is to form a strong cabinet, and while he does not divulge the names of the men who would make up his cabinet, he has stated that they will be the "best brains" of the country, regardless of their political affiliations.

Many people believe that conscription will become an issue of the present election campaign before it ends, with the Conservatives supporting the measure and the Liberals opposing it. At the present time we fail to see where conscription enters into the scheme of things. There are more men already willing to enlist than are needed, and to date no high pressure campaigns have been waged to get the men to sign up. If the time comes when men are needed for the Active Service Force and they cannot be obtained by voluntary effort, there will be conscription, regardless of what Government is in power—that is if the war situation reaches a critical period, similar to the last World War. As we see it, conscription is not and cannot be made an issue in this election campaign.

Summing up the situation, the question to be settled at the polls on March 26th boils down to this: "Are the people satisfied with the war efforts of the present government, or do they believe Canada's War Policy would be better administered by Hon. Dr. Manion and his National Conservative Government?"

During the past week, enumerators throughout Canada have been busy tabulating a list of all those entitled to vote at the forthcoming Federal Election. Needless to say, the enumerators will not miss many eligible voters—not at seven cents for each name they register.

THE FATE OF IROQUOIS

Press despatches would lead us to believe that the majority of citizens in Iroquois will be well pleased if that village is wiped off the map when the St. Lawrence Deep Waterway Scheme is completed. Writers in the daily papers, who have interviewed certain citizens in Iroquois, inform us that many of the residents are overjoyed at the thoughts of getting a good fat cheque for their property, as compensation, if the scheme is carried through. They further state that Iroquois is not the thriving business centre it used to be, and is gradually declining. This may be the opinion of a few, but we venture to say that it is not upheld by the majority of Iroquois citizens. Iroquois, like many other municipalities, has had its "ups and downs" as far as business is concerned. It may not be as thriving as it was in its boom years—neither is Winchester or several other villages which we can think of—but it is the home town of the majority of people who reside there, as well as many who have moved away. To most of these people, the thoughts of having their birthplace wiped off the map, are not pleasant ones. The amount of money they will be paid for their property is secondary, compared with the fact that their home-town is to vanish into thin air, with nothing but several feet of water and cherished memories to mark the spot of what was once a thriving, peaceful village.

Of course, if the St. Lawrence project becomes a reality within the next few years, and Iroquois is to suffer such a fate as being vanished from its present site, there is little that can be done about it. But it is utter nonsense to have a few bored residents make statements to the press, such as have been circulated within the past week or so. As pointed out by the reeve of Iroquois, the reports of the interviews published do not represent the opinions of the majority of Iroquois citizens.

Not only will the residents of the historic village be sorry to see Iroquois cease to exist, but people from all over the district who have, for many years, enjoyed the hospitality of that village, and the summer life at Iroquois Point, will share in their troubles when the time comes.

ONE MORE SUGGESTION !

From the Carleton Place Canadian we reprint the following:—"Horace Greeley, renowned editor, received a letter from a woman who stated that her church's financial condition was most distressing. She recounted how they had tried every known device to raise money—fairs, strawberry festivals, a donkey party, oyster suppers, ice cream socials, turkey banquets, poverty sociables, mock marriages, grab-bags, and all the others. She closed her letter asking: "Will you be so kind as to suggest some new device to keep our struggling church from disbanding?" The answer was brief but comprehensive. "Try religion," wrote Greeley."

A WASHINGTON OPINION

In the United States, as in the United Kingdom, there is wonderment that an election should take place in this country on the issue of whether or not the Dominion has prosecuted the war as efficiently and effectively as it might have been prosecuted.

The Washington Evening Star undoubtedly reflects opinion throughout the neighboring country when it speaks as follows: "Viewed from this side of the border, our northern neighbour has rendered a yeoman account of itself since it determined to play its full part in the Empire's struggle for existence against Nazi aggression. Already Canada is spending $1,000,000 a day in that effort. She championed and adopted the great Imperial air-training scheme. She has sent without delay a fully equipped divisional field force to the western front. She has convoyed shiploads of men and munitions to the war zone. She is busily creating air fields, manufacturing war material and training a new army. Yet despite what looks to Americans like a prodigious effort efficiently and promptly prosecuted, the political opposition apparently believes that it is not the maximum which Canada can and should render. On that issue the impending fight is to be waged."

If this is the opinion of Americans in regard to Canada's war effort, it is also the opinion of British publications several of which have expressed amazement that an election should be fought on such an issue when Canada has manifestly done more than any other outlying part of the Empire to participate in the war. Canadians as a whole also realize this, and will respond appropriately at the polls, says the Brockville Recorder & Times.

EDITORIAL NOTES

How will you have your politics dished out on March 26th? Will they be "National Conservative," "Liberal-Conservative," "C. C. F.," "Social Credit," "New Democracy," or just plain "Liberal" and "Conservative?"

British heavyweight champ Tommy Farr says he will fight Joe Louis again in June. If Tommy is really spoiling for a fight he should cross the Channel and challenge Max Schmeling to come out from behind the Siegfried line.

Where are those fellows who predicted we were going to have an open winter? With several feet of snow blanketing the countryside throughout this district, it looks as if these weather prophets turned in a false alarm this year, as usual.

Local business men who find that business is dull during the winter months, would be well advised to give their business a tonic in the form of advertising. A little judicious advertising each week eliminates the necessity for any business ever spending a lot of money once a year in an advertising splurge of questionable value.

Yesterday was St. Valentine's Day—the day when the laddies and the lassies send their missives of love to one another, and when friends and enemies, alike, send comic pictures to one another. Did you get one of the latter? If you did, it's a good bet that it was sent to you as a joke! Your friends, as well as the pranksters, must have their little jokes, you know!

We shall never be sorry afterwards for thinking twice before we speak, for counting the cost before entering upon any new course, for sleeping over stings and injuries before saying or doing anything in answer, or for carefully considering any business scheme presented to us before putting money or name into it. It will save us from much regret, loss and sorrow, always to remember to do nothing rashly.

This week the local Post of the Canadian Legion is asking the citizens of Winchester and district for $300.00, as its objective in the Legion's National Campaign for a War Service Fund. This is a worthy cause and it is to be hoped that the amount will be subscribed cheerfully. Give now—and give freely. Help the boys who are fighting your battles. They need your support. This is another way of doing your bit—send your donation to a member of the local Legion.

Citizens all over Canada are mourning the death of our Governor-General, Lord Tweedsmuir, who passed away at the Neurological Institute, Montreal, on Sunday last. Lord Tweedsmuir, known throughout the world as John Buchan, noted writer and author, was popular as the King's Representative in Canada. He will be remembered as a great statesman, gentleman and diplomat, as well as a famous writer. Owing to ill-health, he had expressed his intentions to retire at the close of his term this year, and it is unfortunate that his untimely death should occur on the eve of his retirement. Lord Tweedsmuir suffered a concussion when he fell in his bathroom on Tuesday of last week, and in spite of all that neurological experts could do for him, he died without regaining consciousness.

"The Voice of the Press"

KEEPS CROPPING UP

(Carleton Place Canadian)

Why this continual agitation regarding slot machines and pin ball games? We thought these devices had been definitely dealt with by the Ontario Legislature, yet we read that Bracebridge, in order to keep them out, imposed a license of $4,000 for the first machine and $10 for each additional one.

PLAY BY YOURSELF

(Dunnville Chronicle)

Hitler died and went below. Satan answered his knock, told him to wait a minute, went away, and returned with a box of matches and a bundle of firewood. He gave both to Hitler, with the remark, "Listen, Adolf, there's a limit to what even we can stand. Take these and start a hell of your own.

IT HAPPENS HERE

(The Quinte Sun)

A citizen made confession to The Sun last week. He and his good lady had purchased an article for household utility, worth perhaps $150, out-of-town, believing the while it could not be purchased in Trenton. The citizen is very loyal to home-town merchants, and was much dismayed when he learned he could have made his purchase right here. Hence his call to The Sun. "Why" he asked, "do not our merchants let us know what they sell? They're losing sales every day. My case is just an example."

WHAT TRENTON THINKS

Trenton Courier-Advocate)

Hepburn and Drew censured the Dominion Government and look what happened. Reminds us of the story of the young man who said that when he was fifteen he was amazed at the lack of knowledge possessed by his father but couldn't help but notice what his father by the time he was twenty-one he had learned in the intervening six years. When Hepburn and Drew grow up they will be amazed at what Mackenzie King kows about this and that; and they will also realize that they have played a dirty trick on our prime minister.

UNIVERSAL THOUGHTS

(Trenton Courier-Advocate)

Hitler has already chosen the men who will take charge of England when it is captured. We have always believed that one has to catch his fish before he makes any preparations about cooking them. A few years ago there was a harmless man at Rockwood who was permitted to attend the bowling games in the district and it was his habit to give cheques for a million dollars to every person present. We are not saying that Hitler is crazy or that he is cooking his fish before he catches them, but we can think what we like about it.

THE POWER OF THE PRESS !

(Midland Free Press)

Public opinion as expressed in Canada's newspapers, forced the King government into passing orders in council which stopped the sale of Canadian wheat to Russia. Who says that the press has lost its power to the radio? If any radio commentator had wished to express an opinioon on the subject he would have had to submit his manuscript to the CBC board of censors for approval, and if it had been allowed to pass it would have been accompanied by announcement that the opinion was the speaker's own and the CBC could in no way be held responsible. Radio may be able to report spot news but will always have to take second place to the press when it comes to influencing and giving voice to public opinion.

BROKEN PROMISES

(Leamington Post & News)

This week in looking over the Post and News of 24 years ago we notice the statement emanating from the House of Commons which says "no Canadian soldier will ever be allowed to stand on the corner and pass the hat for an existence." That promise might have been meant well 24 years ago, but it certainly has not held good down through the years since the last great war was brought to a close in 1918—for it is common knowledge among returned soldiers everywhere in Canada, that the promises made from 1914-1918 were soon forgotten.

While it was said in 1916 that no soldier would ever have to stand on the corner and pass the hat for an existence, we will admit that we haven't seen many doing it since the last war, but we have seen worse—poor fellows who were heroes when they returned home, were soon forgotten by the rank and file in public life, and being unable to get their jobs back when they returned from the war, were, and are still obliged to sell shoe laces or pencils from town to town in order to eke out an existence.

While many of the soldiers, who took part in the last war, were able to re-establish themselves in life after they returned from the battlefields, there were many thousands who received a "raw deal" from their former employers and others, and have still been unable to re-establish themselves. We know what we are talking about, for being a returned man, the writer of this editorial does not see a week go by when one or two of these "wandering veterans of the road" do not call at this office asking for the price of a cup of coffee. Anyone who served his country in the last war should not have to be obliged to tramp the roads of the country in order to get enough food to live on.

Let us hope that the promises made during the present war, when the youth of the country is marching away to war, will be kept better than the promises made during the last war 1914-1918.

IRISH AGITATORS

(Almonte Gazette)

Attempts to intimidate British authorities into commuting the death sentence passed on two members of the Irish Republican army who were convicted of killing five persons in a bombing outrage, are rather amazing. If these desperadoes were not hanged who should be hanged, or what kind of a crime would justify hanging? That these Irish scoundrels should be allowed to go about blowing up public buildings with impunity seems to be the idea of certain sections of the Irish population. Irish agitators never were noted for their powers of reasoning, but they seem to have reached the superlative degree of insanity if they think that the British are going to be lenient with these bomb setting rats in time of war. If it were in the days of Henry the Eighth, no doubt these conspirators would be boiled alive. As it is the English people are satisfied with hanging them.

MAKING FARM LIFE HAPPIER

Midland Free Press)

The short courses in agriculture and home economics which are being held in rural Ontario under the auspices of the Department of Agriculture, are doing much to add to the happiness and prosperity of farm life. Young men and women are being taught the elements of successful farming and home making, and they are beginning to realize as never before that the life of the agriculturalist, while it has its hardships and disappointments, is possibly the most satisfactory of all for the average man or woman.

The farmer is the only independent worker in Canada today. He may not have a great deal of cash to show for his labor, but does not have to call any man his boss, nor to go through his days with an inferiority complex. The two schools held in northern Simcoe this year, at Lafontaine and Vasey, under the direction of Stewart Page and his associates, have attracted large crowds of students, and their influence will be felt for years to come.

THE MAIL COURIER

Orangeville Banner)

This is the time of the year when our thoughts should turn to the rural mail couriers. Carrying the mail on the rural routes is a rather pleasant job in the summer months, but it is often far from pleasant at this season of the year. Some o the couriers out of Orangeville make a round trip of twenty-five miles six days in the week. It is neither easy nor pleasant to make a journey of this length in a horse-drawn vehicle in zero weather or over heavily drifted roads. Sometimes they have to break the road, which is unfair, because a single horse and cutter are not suited for road breaking. This is a job for a heavy farm team and sleigh. Farmers can cooperate with the couriers at this time of the year by seeing that the roads are kept open. This may be a difficult job stormy weather, when there is almost constant drifting, but it will help the mail courier make his rounds in better time and go far to ensure regular mail delivery. The rural mail courier is usually a pretty decent chap, who is anxious to do his work as he knows it should be done. A little co-operation in keeping drifted roads open and passable will help him out a lot.

LETTER WRITING

Have you any unkind thoughts?
Do not write them down.
Write no word that giveth pain;
Written words may long remain.
Have you heard some idle tale?
Do not write it down again.
Gossips may repeat it o'er,
Adding to its bitter store.
Have you any careless jest?
Bury it and let it rest.
It may wound some loving breast.
But words of love and tenderness,
Words of truth and kindliness,
Words of comfort for the sad,
Words of gladness for the glad,
Words of counsel for the bad—
Wisely write them down.
For words, though small, are mighty things—
Pause before you write them.
Little words may grow and bloom
With bitter breath or sweet perfume:
Think before you write them.

Letters to the Editor

Inkerman, Ont., Feb. 12, 1940.

Editor Winchester Press,
Winchester, Ont.

Dear Sir:—As I sincerely believe in flowers for the living, I wish to tell you that your editorials and your comments on local events are very much appreciated by me and, I feel sure, by a great number of other citizens. Your denunciation of local and provincial censure of the federal war efforts was especially good, also your reference to the local high school's system of homework, to which much might have been added. I wish you, sir, every success in your good work. Yours sincerely,

R. A. Suffel.



When he comes back will he be

TRAINED TO CARRY ON?

The Canadian Legion's War Services are undertaken with the approval and active co-operation of the Canadian Government

GIVE FREELY GIVE NOW



Under a great new, much needed plan the Canadian Legion is providing Educational and Vocational training for our fighting forces. The Legion's personal services will aid in the solution of private and business problems. Leave Hostels, Soldiers' Concert Parties and Recreational facilities will also be provided.

Your contribution to the $500,000 drive for funds will help to maintain morale today and train our men to achieve success in civil life after the war.

Will you help to give our boys a leg up the ladder of success when the war is over? Then give generously to this great new cause. Now! Send or take your contribution to your nearest Legion Branch.

CANADIAN LEGION WAR SERVICES

EDUCATIONAL AND PERSONAL SERVICE APPEAL

Our Column

If a man fails once he begins to believe in luck.

He who gets rich quick is apt to go broke in a hurry.

There is a great deal of cold comfort in a handkerchief.

After a woman reaches a certain age she never mentions it.

The man who trusts to luck and women is likely to get the short end of it.

Life is not a goblet to be drained; it is a measure to be filled.—A. T. Hadley

Failure to pay the dollar you owe doesn't help the other fellow keep it in circulation.

Mr. Hepburn says that Ottawa holds no fascination for him. And perhaps the feeling is mutual.

"We cannot win the war by just sitting still," says a military expert. Neither can Germany by just lying.

Watching less femmes in short skirts with silk clad legs bucking a strong wind on a blizzardy day is one way to feel warm.

Life is a great and noble calling, not a mean and grovelling thing to be shuffled through as we can, but a lofty and exalted destiny.

Canadian farmers are advised to raise sheep in view of the heavy demand for wool. The advice appears to be all wool and a yard wide.

A man should never be ashamed to own that he has been in the wrong, which is but saying in other words that he is wiser today than he was yesterday. —Alexander Pope.

The Dundalk Herald remarks that so far the Provincial Government hasn't made any move to have Christmas every second year, or cancel it for the duration of the war.

Let us recognize the beauty and power of true enthusiasm; and whatever we may do to enlighten ourselves and others, guard against checking or chilling a single earnest sentiment.

Joe Williamson has been choir leader at Sing Sing prison for five years. Now and then Joe has a little trouble as singers were a few bars behind as well as behind a few bars.

If we would let love rule our lives at all times, and practice the art of being kind at all seasons, what a very different world this would soon become. Then greed would give place to fair dealing, competition to co-operation, and ill-will to friendship.

"Remote Ontario" is the phrase used by the New York World-Telegram to describe the dwelling place of the quintuplets. Just wait until the North Bay Nugget hears about this!—Ottawa Journal.

"'Ere," protested the private, "who the devil spread the butter on this 'ere bread?"

"I did—and what about it? growled a burly corporal, aggressively.

The private subsided. "That's orl right. chum," he murmured. What's I want to know is—who's the bloke what scraped it orf again?"

IN LIGHTER VEIN

Hal: Take two letters from 'Money' and only one is left!

Cal: Very clever. But I once knew a chap who took money from two letters and now he's in prison.

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"Sorry, madam, but licenses are issued only when your form is filled out properly."

"Why, I like your nerve, sir. We can get married, no matter what I look like."

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Dad (reprovingly): Son, when George Washington was your age he was a surveyor, already.

Son: I know, Dad, and when he was your age he was president.

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A very old resident of the town was reported to have died. Many people called, only to find that the old man was hale and hearty. He smiled when they told him of the report saying:

"I knowed it wasn't true as soon as I heard it."

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Into the court they marched the man. The magistrate looked down at the surly prisoner.

"Well," he asked, 'guilty or not guilty?"

The prisoner scowled.

"Figure it out yourself," he snarled. "That's what you're getting paid for."

AGAINST THE ODDS

The fight worth winning is the one
That's made when hope seems wholly gone.
It calls for courage rare to stay;
Against the heavy odds to stand
And gain the vict'ry single-hand.

When one has numbers on his side,
When might removes the dangers grave,
In triumph there is little pride;
The giant's never very brave.
At six to one on land or sea,
Paltry the conquest's bound to be.

Against the odds to stand and fight!
Alone to battle for the right!
Alone to battle the giant's will,
This calls for courage and for skill.
Only earth's bravest carry on
With odds against them six to one.

Canada's total vote among the defence forces—army, navy and air—in the federal election called for March 26th, will be around 65,000, of which about 20,000 will be among the 1st Overseas Division now in England.

FLOUR!

It is a well-known fact among bakers and housewives that good flour is the first essential for making good bread. You cannot go astray if you use

Five Roses, Purity or Royal Household Flour.

Hugh McMaster

PHONE 43 WINCHESTER

Church Notices

United Church

10.30 a.m., "The Modern Home, and some of its Problems."

11.30 a.m S. S. and Bible Classes.

3 p.m., Communion at Harmony.

7.30 p.m., "The Sons of Freedom," illustrated by picture slides

Monday, 4.15 p.m., Trail Rangers; 7.00 p.m., C. G. I. T.

Tuesday, 7.30 p.m., Tuxis Boys.

Wednesday, 7 p.m., Mid-Week Service. 8.15 p.m., Y. P. U.

Thursday, 6.30 p.m. Junior Choir.
7.30 p.m., Senior Choir.

Rev. W. S. Atchison, Pastor.

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church

Rev. John MacKenzie, M. A., B. D. Interim-Moderator.

Sunday School at 10.00 a.m.

Morning Service at 11.00 a.m.

Evening Service at 7.30 p.m.—Student Minister

Organist and Choir Leader, Miss Clara Irving

Church of England

St. Peter's Church, South Mountain, Holy Communion at 9.00 a.m.

St. Matthias Church, Winchester, Holy Communion at 11.00 a.m.

Holy Trinity Church, Chesterville, Evening Prayer at 7.30 p.m.

Special Week-Day Services During Lent

Based on Leslie Weatherhead's Book, "How Can I Find God."

Holy Trinity, Chesterville, Wednesdays, 7.30 p.m.

St. Peter's South Mountain, Thursdays, 7.30 p.m.

St. Matthias, Winchester, Fridays, 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

10.00 a.m., Sunday School.

11.00 a.m., "The Price of Him."

2.45 p.m., Service at South Gower.

7.30 p.m., "When God Spoiled a Good Time."

Monday, 7.45 p.m., B. Y. P. U.

Wednesday, 7.45 p.m., Prayer Meeting. "Let us go to the House of the Lord."

Rev. R. F. Willson, Pastor.

Wesleyan Methodist Church Inkerman

10.00 a.m., Sunday School.

11.00 a.m., Divine Worship.

7.30 p.m., Evangelistic Service.

Tuesday, 8 p.m., Prayer Service.

A Cordial Welcome awaits you.

Rev. D. R. Chatreau, Minister

WINCHESTER SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Aden Casselman spent one day recently with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Riddell, at Dundela.

Mr. Erwin Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Steele spent one day recently in Ottawa.

Master Eric Steele spent one day recently with his uncle and aunt at Toyes Hill.

Mrs. Leslie Holmes and baby, of Elma spent one day recently with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Holmes.

THE UNITED CHURCH

The choir gallery was filled on Sunday morning by 23 members of the Junior Choir, who with Mrs. Johnson, as Leader, and accompanied by Miss Sybil Empey on the violin, and Mr. F. Johnson at the organ, led in the singing of three appropriate hymns and contributed in good style a special entitled: "In the Place Where the Master Leads Me."

Rev. W. S. Atchison gave a very earnest message on "How we believe in God," taking Mark 9, Chap. 24 as a text. He spoke of 3 pathways of love—through the intellect by authority and through experience. To become a Christian is to fall in love with Jesus Christ and believe in Him. What matters is not what we believe, but whom.

God's faith in man," was the evening subject. The pastor strongly denounced Hitler, who, he said, had remade the Bible, changed the ten commandments, the Lord's Prayer, and the Sermon on the Mount, to fit into the German philosophy. Hitler is made a god in Germany.

At the beginning of the evening service, Rev. W. S. Atchison announced that the Governor General was dead, and to show respect and sympathy the Dead March in Saul was played by the organist, Mr. Johnson, while the congregation and choir reverently stood with bowed heads. At the conclusion of this the pastor offered prayer for the bereaved family. The senior choir sang: "Saviour Again To Thy Dear Name," in which Wendell Atchison and Mrs. S. Lindsay took solo parts.

UNITED CHURCH W. M. S.

The devotional theme for February is: "Beginning from Jerusalem." In opening the meeting held last Thursday afternoon in the S. S. rooms, the President, Mrs. F. F. Davidson, read Act 1: 1-8. This was followed with a season of prayer, after which the minutes were read by the Secretary, Mrs. O. Wallace. The Easter Thankoffering service was spoken of and it was suggested that the Cor. Sec'., Mrs. Thos Annable, write the Branch President. Mrs. D. R. Carson, of Ottawa, and try to secure her for our guest speaker

A letter of appreciation is to be written the Harmony branch for their contribution to the missionary budget.

Reports were given by the Treasurer, Cor. Sec'y.. Christian Stewardship Secretary, Temperance, Supply and Community Friendship Secretaries.

The programme theme was: "The Christian Church in India," and was in charge of Mrs. R. M. Dukelow, who opened with singing "From Greenland's Icy Mountains," with Mrs. Mabel Allison at the piano, after which prayer was offered. The services in the Indian village churches were described by Mrs. A. H. Duncan. Mrs. K. Helmer told of the leadership and givings of the Church, and Mrs. Davidson spoke of the fellowship, witness bearing and the serving of others. A summary of the most helpful features and activities was given by Mrs. Dukelow. A pleasing solo: "When the Little Lost Sheep Comes Home," was sung by Miss Annie Walker, accompanied by Mrs. E. Steele. The singing of the National Anthem closed the meeting.

Mrs. Lee Montgomery, of Brinstons, and Mrs. Thos. Holmes were entertained to tea Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. O. Casselman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Marcellus of Rowena, spent some time with Mr. and Mrs. Jay Bailey.

Master Lloyd Allison spent the week-end with Master Ray Adams, Hulbert.

Mrs. Orren Casselman is spending a few days with Mrs. G. McIntosh, who is ill.

Mrs. Jay Bailey spent the week-end with her parents at Rowena.

MARCH

is a Good Month to Start Chicks when you Start the Right Kind

Experience tells us that the highest egg prices of 1940 will be realized in September, October, November and December. Year after year, these are the months you make highest profits from your layers—**provided you have them laying.** If you have them laying big eggs, you make that much more profit—for these are the months when the spread in favor of big eggs is widest (up to 10 cents a dozen between A-Large and A-Pullets, last Fall.)

So, to make the most from your pullets, you need to start your chicks early enough to have them laying by September. And if you start the right kind of chicks in March—chicks that grow fast and lay early—and raise them right, you can have them in nice production by Labor Day. Many Bray customers report their pullets laying at 4½ to 5 months—some even less. And they say there is no doubt about Bray chicks being the **right kind**—the kind that live well, and grow fast, and develop into steady as well as early layers if they are pullets, or good, plump, meaty market birds if they are cockerels.

Isn't that the kind you want in **your** brooder house this year? The kind that have consistent breeding, selection, blood-testing and general good management behind them — the kind that have proved their real value on hundreds of farms, under all conditions? Take the first step now along the right track to poultry profits in 1940—see, phone or write me right away to reserve you some of these good Bray chicks for March delivery.

EVER TASTED CAPON?

People who have tried them like Bray capons. Delivered already caponized and well started.... 3 weeks old. Please order well in advance.

FENNELL FEED COMPANY
Winchester, or
BERKLEY BROTHERS
R. R. 1, Williamsburg.

DISTRICT NEWS

CLOVERDALE

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rombough, of Osnabruck, spent Sunday at the latter's home here.

We are sorry to report that Mr. Dignard is seriously ill.

Mr. Chas. Dilabough, who was somewhat under the weather, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Benson George and Shirley spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Bryan, at Mountain.

Mrs. Thos. Stobo arrived home last Friday after spending the past two months with her daughter. Mrs. Hugh Porteous, of Mountain.

A miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. Eli Lamoureux last Friday night in honor of her daughter, Ada, who was recently married.

Mrs. Morton Stobo and children called on her parents, Rev .and Mrs. D. Summers, one afternoon recently.

Mr. A. Larmour is reported as not being so well lately.

Mr. Morton Stobo has the contract of putting in the year's wood at the school.

Messrs. Walter Larocque and Harold had tea last Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Stobo.

A number from here attended the funeral last Saturday of the late Alan Robinson of Melvin Settlement.

Mr. Harold Larocque spent Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Docksteader.

Mr. Thos. Stobo spent Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fawcett.

SOUTH MOUNTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Guy and Master George, of Inkerman, were recent guests of Mrs. Thos. Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Durant have returned home after spending the past two months with relatives at Russell.

Mr. Herb McIntyre, enumerator for the township of Mountain, made his calls in town last week.

Mrs. Ernest Werte is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Justin Morrow, of Chesterville.

Messrs. Arthur Robertson and Arnold Robertson, of the West, called on their friends in town last week. They were home to attend the 60th wedding anniversary of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Robertson, of Mountain, on Sunday last.

Those from town who attended the funeral of the late Robert Sharra, of Brinston, on Sunday last were Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Keyes, Mr. Rufus Keyes and Mr. and Mrs Clinton Berry.

Mr Norman Barnhart had the misfortune to fall in the cellar of Mr. C. E. Murdock's store on Friday morning last. causing some injuries, but at present he is improving.

Mrs. Hubert Bush, of Brinston, is visiting Mrs. Ogle Workman.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Murdock and Clair, also Miss Glenna Murdock, were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs. Willie Shaver, of Baldwin's Bridge.

Mr. Jack Cameron spent a few days with his son, Harrison, of Cornwall.

W. M. S. Meeting.

The annual birthday meeting of the W. M. S. was held on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs Asa Berry, with the President, Mrs. Frank Gilroy, in the chair, and Mrs. Asa Berry in charge of the program. Vocal numbers were rendered by Mrs. Gordon Mulholland Mrs. Ernest Boyd, Mrs. Chris Forrester and Mrs. R. Wright, accompanied by Miss Lulu Mulholland at the piano Miss L. Mulholland gave a very interesting story entitled "Home Missions."

The Bible Lesson was in charge of Mrs. Leroy Berry, Mrs. John Baldwin. Mrs. Vincent Bolton, Mrs. Harry Murdock, Mrs. R. Wright, Mrs. C. Forrester, Mrs. J. Forrester, Miss Jessie Cleland Mrs. Gordon Mulholland, Mrs. Milton Murdock, and Mrs. Jack Cameron. At the close of the meeting, lunch was served by the committee.

TOYES HILL

Mrs. Wm. Marshall, of Chesterville spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. R. S. Peterson.

Mrs. Howard Wylie spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Adams, of Cardinal.

Mrs. A. J. Casselman, of Winchester Springs, spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Arloa Coleman.

Mrs. Erwin Haggerty and Miss Vera Haggerty spent the week end with Ottawa friends.

Messrs. Wilburn Coons, Bishop Coons and Arthur Coons, of Winchester, took tea on Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. S. Coons and family.

Mrs. M. Casselman and Calvin, of Hulbert, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. James Casselman.

Miscellaneous Shower

On Tuesday evening a number of friends and neighbours of Mr. and Mrs. Eardley Coleman gathered at the home of Mrs. Arloa Coleman and gave them a miscellaneous shower. The evening was spent in games and contests and about 11 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Coleman were called to the centre of the floor and Mr. Brock Harper read an appropriate address, while Ward Clarke and Beverley Casselman presented them with a basket, filled with useful gifts and after unwrapping and reading the gift greetings, Eardley, on behalf of his wife, thanked their friends for their beautiful gifts and extended an invitation to all to visit them in their new home. A dainty lunch was served by the ladies and an enjoyable evening was brought to a close.

Does the label on your Press remind you of anything?

SILVER CITY

Mr. Garfield Crowder spent Sunday afternoon with Messrs. Lorne and Lloyd Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken. Thompson and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson, of Heckston.

Some from here attended the Oyster Supper and Play, held at Heckston on Wednesday evening last.

Mr. and Mrs. Lytelle Crowder, Garfield and Laura, had tea on Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Arlow Beggs

Miss Gertie Kennedy, of Brockville, is spending this week with her parents, Mr and Mrs. Jas. Kennedy.

Mrs. D. R. Slater spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Conley, of Heckston

Mr and Mrs. Geo. Carson and family visited Mr. and Mrs. James Kennedy on Sunday

Miss Marguerite Crowder went to Prescott on Thursday where she has secured a job

We are sorry to report the death of Mrs. Margaret Conley, an old and respected resident of Heckston. Full particulars next week. We extend our sympathy to the sorrowing relatives and friends.

STRADERS HILL

Mrs. Alonzo Foster, Mrs. Wilbert Strader, Misses Ruth, Audrey and Jean Strader had tea Monday evening at Mr. Cecil Hansin's.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Strader and Donald and Mr. Arthur Cooke had tea Wednesday evening at Mr. Esly Pitt's.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Christie, of Spencerville, had tea Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hanson.

The crokinole party this week was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Strader.

Mrs. Guy Strader spent the week-end with Mrs. George Brown at Morrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis McIntosh and family of Williamsburg, had tea Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Casselman

Mr. and Mrs. Hercule Villeneuve had tea Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hanson.

Misses Olive Strader and Gertrude Casselman spent Friday with Miss Ruth Strader.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hanson spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Casselman at Winchester Springs.

Mrs. Mason Hanson, Ida and Lyell Hanson, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Patterson and family at Winchester.

Mrs. George Francis visited Mrs. Dan Kearns one day last week. He is a patient in the hospital.

Mrs. Howard Conley, of Prescott, visited Mrs. R. Conley on Saturday.

Mrs. Arlow Beggs, of Silver City, visited Mrs. Ray Grant on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Robinson had tea with Mr. and Mrs. W. Brown on Sunday evening

Mr. Cecil Canning had tea with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grant on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Pelton and Charles had tea with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Robinson on Sunday.

VANCAMP

Mr. Harry Shaver, of Western Canada, is visiting his mother, Mrs. William Shaver, also his brother, sisters and other friends here.

Mr. David M. Wylie is in Ottawa this week. He is employed by the Davey Tree Company.

The World Day of Prayer was observed in the Vancamp Church on Friday afternoon. The ladies of Inkerman Wesleyan and United Churches met with the local W. M. S. The leader of the meeting was Mrs. S. B. Slater, of Inkerman Wesleyan Church.

Miss Hilda Bellinger returned home on Monday, after spending the past two weeks with Mrs. Amos Swerdfeger, at Jasper.

Miss Veryl Byrd spent several days the guest of her sister, Mrs. Nelson Merkley, of Cloverdale. Mr. and Mrs. Merkley anl family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Byrd , of Oxford Station, spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Swerdfeger and Carol had supper on Monday evening with Mr. Arthur Swerdfeger and Edna.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Miss Nelda Lennox spent Saturday afternoon with Miss Hazel Hamilton.

Mrs. Earle Gilmer spent a day recently with Mrs. Robert Corker.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hunter and Burt spent Friday at her parents' home, Mr. and Mrs. James Gilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam. R. Hamilton entertained on Tuesday evening to a goose dinner, Mrs. M. Thorpe and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thorpe and son, Andrew, and Mr. and Mrs. David Gilmer and family of this place.

Mrs. Hilliard Gilmer and Preston returned home after spending the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Briggs, of Hainsville.

Mrs. Charlie Hunter and Miss Audrey Hunter and Mrs. J. Lennox spent Tuesday at Mrs. David C. Gilmer's.

The Young People's Society was held on Friday evening at the home of Miss Hazel Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam. R. Hamilton spent Wednesday at Mr. Ed. Hamilton's, Brinston.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gilmer spent Sunday at her father's home, Mr. A. Bates, Hallville.

Mr. Alex Millar, of Cardinal was a caller in the Valley on Wednesday.

MOTHER, 103. SURVIVES MRS. FLORENCE WEBER

Florence A. Allen, wife of John H. Weber, of Richmond, died at an Ottawa hospital last week, leaving her mother, Mrs. Isabella Allen, aged 103, as one of her survivors.

Mrs. Weber, who was 59 years, had been ill for some time.

Born in Twin Elm, Ont., she was the daughter of Mrs. Allen and the late John Allen. She was educated at schools in Twin Elm and an adherent of Richmond United Church. She married Mr. Weber in Carp, Ont.

Surviving, besides her mother and husband, are three sons, Lloyd Pender of Halifax, Allan Weber of Twin Elm, and Gerald Weber, of Toronto; a daughter, Mrs. A. H. Ritchie, of Ottawa; two brothers, W. J. Allen of Carp and Jas. Allen of New York City; and four sisters, Mrs. David Lowrey, Kinburn, Ont., Mrs. Andrew Reilley, Iroquois, Mrs. Andrew Bell, Brinston, and Mrs. Mary Langdon, of Calgary, Alta.

The funeral service was conducted at the Radmore Stewart Funeral Home, 1323 Wellington street, Ottawa, on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment was made in Pinecrest cemetery.

The late Mrs. Weber was an aunt of Mrs. Ernest Kellogg, Mrs. John McOuat, Mrs. Clifford Summers, Mrs. Ford Baker and Mrs. J. Graveley, all residents of this district.

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FLOOR SANDING—Now is the time to have your hardwood floors resurfaced before spring-cleaning begins. Floor finishes of all kinds. Phone 44, or write, Robt. Jackson, Iroquois. 39-42p

CARD OF THANKS—Mrs. William Dickson and family desire to express their sincere appreciation for the many acts of kindness, letters and cards of sympathy, floral offerings, and other thoughtful considerations, extended to them during the illness and death of a beloved husband and father. We assure our many friends and neighbours that their kindness at this time will always be remembered. 41c.

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HOCKEY-CURLING

Fighting for a play-off berth, the Cubs defeated the Frost & Wood team 6-3 in the first game of last Friday's Town League Hockey. The game was a hard-fought contest with the F. & W. sextette staging a whirlwind attack at the finish. Scoring for the Cubs were R. Wylie and C. Curtis, two each, and Bob Hitsman and George Elliott, one each. Art. Summers, Eric Marquette and W. Clark scored for the losers.

In the second game Metcalfe and Williamsburg staged a thrilling game with the latter winning 3-2. This contest was crammed with excitement as Metcalfe tried to chalk up a victory in order to keep pace with the Cubs, with whom they were on even terms. Their best efforts, however, were not good enough on this occasion, and Williamsburg nosed them out by a one-goal margin. H. Casselman, F. Soucie and Smith scored for the winners, while F. Latour and Twiname dented the twine for the losers.

Monday's Games.

Playing true to form, Williamsburg increased their lead in the Town League race by trouncing Doug. MacLean's Cubs 5-1, and incidentally this was the first time during the schedule that the Cubs scored a goal against Williamsburg. Although the score was lop-sided, the Cubs furnished plenty of opposition for the league-leaders, only to have hard-luck rob them of goals on several occasions. R. Casselman and H. Casselman scored twice and S. Barkley once, for Williamsburg, while Bob Hitsman collected the Cubs' lone count.

A win for Metcalfe in the second game would have given them a chance to enter the play-offs, but the best they could do to Walter MacDonald's Frost & Wood team on Monday night, was divide points, the score being 1-1. This left them in the cellar position, one point behind the Cubs, who finished in third place. The boys from the north were game right up to the end and never stopped trying to get that winning counter, but Frost & Wood were in rare form and proved to be unbeatable. Although Metcalfe has been eliminated from the play-offs, the sportsmanship they displyed throughout the season has won for them a large following of local fans, who will wish them better luck next season. F. Mulvey scored or Metcalfe and W. Lannin for Frost & Wood.

WITH THE CURLERS

Journeying to Metcalfe last Friday evening with a comfortable 17-point lead in the first round of a home and home series for the Caledonia District Medals, Winchester Curlers were bewildered and astonished at the uncanny play of the Metcalfe rinks, which overcame the 17 point lead of their opponents, to win the round by 19 points on the four games.

Expert curling by the Metcalfe teams on their own ice was too much for the local teams to cope with, and they suffered defeats to the tune of 22-11 and 31-6. However, the boys all report an enjoyable outing and state that they were royally entertained by the Metcalfe Club following the contests. The rinks and scores were:

Metcalfe—F. Mullins, L. Graham, F. Dowser, Dr. J. C. Byers, skip, 22.

Winchester—Dr. C. Meredith, A. Johnston, H. Helmer, R. Summers, skip, 11.

Metcalfe—S. Bishop, J. Cameron, L. Dowser, A. Waddell, skip, 31.

Winchester—H. Lannin, W. Watson, W. J. Stewart, H. Fetterly, skip, 6.

MOREWOOD

Mr .and Mrs. Stanley Helmer and family spent a day recently with Mr. and Mrs. George Weaver.

Miss Elizabeth Dunfield, of Carleton Place, spent Sunday with Miss Donalda McLeod

The Presbyterian Young People of Morewood held a skating party on Saturday evening at the Morewood rink. Later a lunch was served at the Hall.

Misses Fern McLean and Norma Loughridge of Ottawa, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Loughridge.

The community was shocked on Saturday night to hear of the sudden death of Mr. Adam Carlyle. The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Carlyle and family.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Stanley Dillabough is confined to her bed with pneumonia. All wish her a very speedy recovery.

Mrs. Lettie Bogart spent a few days last week with her father, Mr. Robert Kenny, of Cambridge, who is ill.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. H. P. Bezanson is very ill. All wish a speedy recovery.

Miss Norma Loughridge has secured a position in Ottawa.

Mrs. Osborne Kerr, of Mountain, spent a few days the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. E. Coulthart.

Mrs Mac Hutchinson and baby arrived home from the Grace Hospital, Ottawa. Congratulations.

Mrs. Harry Hutchinson is welcomed home from Cornwall hospital, much improved in health.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Chet Marcellus, of Chesterville, on their 50th Wedding Anniversary, Feb. 12th.

Morewood High School Meeting.

The inaugural meeting of the Morewood High School Board was held in the school building on Wednesday evening, Feb. 7th. The members of the Board for this year are as follows: Roy Fetterly, Allen Smirle, W. B. Carlyle Wm. Steen, J. F. Steinburg and Thos. E. Coulthart. Walter W. Steven presided for the election of a chairman which resulted in the unanimous choice of Mr. Roy Fetterly, and Walter W. Steven was elected as Secretary Treasurer of the Board. After certain items of business were dealt with and disposed of, it was further decided that the following congratulatory letter be addressed to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. E. Coulthart, this being the occasion of the fortieth anniversary of their marriage: Dear Mr. and Mrs. Coulthart:—

It is with a great deal of happiness that we have learned of your celebration of your fortieth wedding anniversary. We are sure that it is a time of great happiness for both of you and we hope that we are not usurping too much a privilege in sharing your celebration to the extent of extending you our sincerest congratulations.

You have lived in our community these many years where you both have played a very potential part in religious, social, educational and philanthropic activities, a fact which is greatly recognized by all of us. On behalf of the High School Board, may I again state our desire for extending congratulatory wishes, and our sincere wish that you are both spared to continue for many more years, your happy lives among us.

Roy Fetterly, Chairman.

TOWN LEAGUE STANDING

Team	P.	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.	Pts.
Williamsburg	12	9	1	2	38	20	20
Frost & Wood	12	4	5	3	33	35	11
Cubs	12	4	7	1	20	32	9
Metcalfe	12	3	7	2	21	25	8

HINTS FOR THE HOME

Stain Prevention.

Try lacquering the brass articles, such as bowls, candlesticks, and fixtures. They will not tarnish and also will not require as much polishing.

Winding Yarn.

When winding yarn, place two flat irons, with handles, on the table as far apart as the length of the skein desired, and stretch the yarn over them.

Bathroom Sponges.

Sponges used in the bathroom may be kept soft and sweet if washed occasionally in warm water to which a few drops of lemon juice have been added.

Painting the Ceiling.

When painting the ceiling, a good idea is to secure a large hollow rubber ball, such as children play with. Cut it in half and slip one half over the brush handle to catch the paint drippings.

Patent Leather Shoes.

Rub a little vaseline on the patent leather shoes before taking them off. Leave the vaseline on until the shoes are ready to be worn again; then remove the excess vaseline with a cloth, otherwise it will collect dust.

Jelly Glaze.

An attractive touch is added to the roast lamb or veal with a jelly glaze. Spread a half-cup of currant, apple or plum jelly over the roast the last half-hour of the baking, basting it four times with a third-cup of jelly dissolved in a half-cup of boiling water.

To Test Coffee.

The quality of coffee may be tested by pouring about a tablespoon of ground coffee into a cup of cold water. If the coffee floats and the water is colored very slowly, it is good, pure coffee. If, however, any of the coffee sinks to the bottom, or it stains the water quickly, there is some adulterant present in the coffee.

CASS BRIDGE

Misses Olive Patterson, Jean Johnstone and Elsie Coons had tea with Miss Wilda Patterson recently.

Mr. Harold Francis spent Sunday with Gordon Baldwin, Jr.

Guests of Miss Dorothy Coons on Thursday were Misses Elsie Coons and Wilda Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Johnston and Master Walter were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Baldwin.

The Red Cross meeting on Feb. 6th was held at the home of Mrs. Bernice Casselman with 31 present.

Mrs. Donald Campbell, of Finch, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Munroe and Mrs. Russell Blaney the past few days.

Miss Wilda Patterson visited Miss Elsie Coons on Wednesday.

Miss Jean Johnston spent the week-end with Miss Ada Crowder, of Inkerman.

Mr. Herman Hutt spent the week-end with Mr. Walter Johnston.

Mr. Thos. Johnston motored to Cornwall on Monday to serve on the jury.

Mrs. Herman Summers spent Saturday in Ottawa the guest of her sister.

Y. P. S. Meeting.

The meeting of Cass Bridge Young People was held at the home of Sherwood Coons on Feb. 8th, with the President, Miss M. Robinson, in the chair. The meeting opened with a hymn, and Scripture reading by Dorothy Coons. Prayer was offered by Miss Robinson, and the minutes were read. Those who took part in the meeting were Misses Elsie Coons, M. Robinson, Wilda Patterson, Dorothy Baker, and Irene Coons, and Elgin Bowman, Bert Link and Bliss Bowman.

The attendance was nineteen. Games were played and refreshments served The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

LIST OF SCORERS

Following is a list of the Town League scorers at the end of the regular Schedule.

Player	Team	G.	A.	Pts.
A. Summers,	F. & W.	11	5	16
R. Casselman,	Wmsburg.	9	6	15
H. Casselman,	Wmsburg.	13	0	13
F. Latour,	Metcalfe.	8	3	11
E. Marquette.	F. &. W.	5	5	10
R. Wylie,	Cubs.	5	1	6
C. Casselman,	Wmsburg.	3	3	6
G. MacDonald,	F. & W.	3	3	6
D. Robertson,	F. & W.	3	3	6
M. Smith,	Wmsburg.	3	3	6
F. Soucie,	Wmsburg.	3	3	6
R. Hitsman,	Cubs.	4	1	5
F. Mulvey,	Metcalfe.	4	1	5
W. Lannin,	F. &. W.	3	2	5
D. Craig,	Metcalfe.	3	1	4
J. Garlough,	Wmsburg.	3	1	4
Dixon Hutt,	F. & W.	3	1	4
C. Curtis,	Cubs.	2	2	4
J. Rowan,	Metcalfe.	1	3	4
E. Boyd,	Cubs.	3	0	3
W. Clark,	F. & W.	3	0	3
E. Twiname,	Metcalfe.	3	0	3
M. Coleman,	Wmsburg.	2	1	3
A. Barkley,	Cubs.	1	2	3
G. Elliott,	Cubs.	2	0	2
K. Boyd,	Cubs.	1	1	2
F Curtis,	Cubs.	1	1	2
D. MacLean,	Cubs.	1	1	2
K. Miller,	Metcalfe.	1	1	2
K. Schell,	Wmsburg.	0	2	2
S. Barkley,	Wmsburg.	1	0	1
B. McIntosh,	Wmsburg.	1	0	1
D. Woods,	Metcalfe.	1	0	1
J. Lennox.	Cubs.	0	1	1

METCALFE

Mrs. Borden Patterson and children, of Ottawa, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bishop last week

Master Charles Morris. of Ottawa, spent the weekend, a guest of Roy Rolston

Mr. Wilmer Byers. of Queen's University, Kingston, was a week-end guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Byers

Messrs C. O. Dow, A. C. Blair and A. J. Scrivens leave this week to attend the Association of Fair Convention, being held in Toronto.

'Valentine' Bridge

Mrs. E. H. Rolston entertained at a 'Valentine' Bridge party on Saturday evening in honor of her nephew, Lowell Simpson Wallace and his bride (nee Marion Ross). both of Winnipeg, Man. Bridge was played at four tables, prizes going to Mrs. R. K. Runnels and Mr. J. Eldon Craig. Dainty refreshments were served, the table being centred with spring blossoms and lighted with ivory tapers. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Lottie Dow and Miss Phyllis Rolston.

Farewell Party Held.

Miss Kaye Morrison entertained on Saturday evening at a well arranged farewell party, in honor of Miss Mary Byers, who leaves shortly to enter Cornwall General Hospital as nurse-in-training. On behalf of the twenty-one girls present, an address was read by Miss Elsie Bishop and the hostess presented Miss Byers with a Waterman pen.

The evening was spent in playing Bridge and games of various kinds, after which refreshments were served, with Miss Elsie Bishop and Mrs. Harold McKeown assisting.

Ladies' Guild Meeting.

The February meeting of the Ladies' Guild of Holy Trinity Church was held at the home of Mrs. Jas. Stanley. The president, Mrs. Jas. C. Woods, was in the chair, with Mrs. F. R. Stanley as secretary, and Mrs. E. H. Rolston as acting treasurer in the absence of Mrs. G. A. Latimer. The rector, Rev. H. A. Irwin, presided over the devotions and also closed the meeting with prayer. During the business period, the Dorcas Secretaries, Mrs. W. J. Fisher and Mrs. Jas. Stanley reported that a new supply of table linen had been ordered. Light refreshments were served by the hostess and Mrs. F. R. Stanley, assisted by Misses Fannie Stanley, Viola Fisher and Jean Little.

Osgoode Twp. Livestock Society.

The annual meeting of Osgoode Township Livestock Society was held recently at the home of Mr. Albert Blair, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Chas. Dempsey; vice presidents, D. M. Stewart, Albert Hill; secretary-treasurer, A. C. Blair; directors, Albert Blair, A. J. Scrivens, A. C. Blair, T. L. Dalgleish, A. J. Kennedy, Robin Campbell, D. N. Logan, P. J. Robertson, John Reoch; auditors, Wm. Morrison, Gerald Morris.

Albert Blair, the retiring president, who has held office during the past twelve years, was presented with a set of military brushes, in recognition of his services, the presentation being made by D. M. Stewart and A. J. Scrivens, on behalf of the Society.

P. J. Robertson, the retiring secretary-treasurer, had also held office for fifteen years, and deep appreciation for his splendid work was expressed

Mr. A. J. Scrivens was chosen to represent the Society at the Agricultural Convention being held in Toronto the latter part of this week.

Annual Banquet Held.

The Metcalfe Curling Club held its annual banquet last week in the Township Hall with a record attendance. The president, Dr. J. C. Byers, acted as chairman and in a brief address welcomed members from other clubs of the district.

Curlers F. D. Burkholder, G. Gray, G. Proctor and F. Teskey brought greetings from Ottawa, and Mr. J. A. Gamble represented Russell. An address was given by Rev. M. J. Mooney, of Metcalfe, and J. H. Caskey also spoke briefly before leading in a sing-song with Mrs Caskey at the piano.

An excellent program was provided by Misses Susanne Jarrell, Barbara Hutton, Doreen and Katharine McCauley, of Spenceville; Dr. Chas. Williams and S. Christie, of Ottawa, and Robt. Rowan and Keith Rolston, of Metcalfe. At the close, two hours dancing was enjoyed.

During the afternoon, prior to the banquet, four rinks from the Ottawa Club, who were guests for the occasion, curled against four local rinks, with Metcalfe being 27 points up on total score.

Curling Notes.

Metcalfe curlers won the District Medal in the match play with Winchester. The first half of the match was played in Winchester on January 26, and final games on Metcalfe ice last Friday evening. Total score was 54 points for Winchester and 73 for the local players.

A full program has been scheduled for this week, as follows:

Tuesday, Two rinks, skipped by G. A. Latimer and F. B. Dowser, compete in an 'all day' bonspiel at Russell.

Tuesday evening, Two rinks from Rideau Club of Ottawa visit Metcalfe

Wednesday: Inter-club games with Almonte. Two rinks from Almonte playing at Metcalfe and two rinks of local players going to Almonte. Four teams from Metcalfe also visit Rideau Club, Ottawa.

Thursday: Lady curlers entertain two rinks from Morrisburg Ladies' Club.

Friday: Two rinks from the Ladies' Club attend the all-day Bonspiel at Russell.

Friday evening: Inter-club games with Russell players, two rinks from each Club taking part at each place.

Mountain Township Council Elects Officers

The regular meeting of the Municipal Council of the Township of Mountain was held at Mountain on Monday, Feb. 5th, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. The members were all present with the Reeve Charles Shaver in the chair. The By-law appointing Township officers received its several readings, passed, signed and sealed.

The following officers were appointed for the year 1940:

Medical Officer of Health, Dr. H. S. Gross; Indigent Officer, Dr. H. S. Gross; Sanitary Inspector, F. V. Milne; Local Board of Health, Martin Blow, Jos. Loughlin, Leonard Bell; School Attendance Officer. Ezra Bryan; Solicitor, W. J. Cass; Assessor, W. W. Rennick; Weed Inspector, Daniel Burleigh; Road Supt., John E. Crowder; Auditors, Milne, Steel & Company.

Sheep Valuators, James Hughes, Henry Kenney, Ira Ennis, Robert Beggs, Wesley Barrigar,

Poor Wardens, John D. Poole, Barton Derby, Rae Allen, Burland Elliott, Ezra Bryan, George Martin, Roy Shaver, Earl Baldwin.

Pound Keepers—Edwin Gilroy, Lee Baldwin, Ivan Bowman, Joseph Loughlin, Jas. H. Madden, Leonard Monteith, Thomas Stoodley, Arnold Suffel, Ira Docksteader, John A. Cameron, Dan Shaver, Roy Baldwin, J. J. Miller, Willis VanAllen, Thomas Dougall, John Forrester, William Prunner, Edward Burleigh, Stanley Campbell, Rae Allen, Burland Elliott, John H. Baldwin, Edron Crowder, Chas. N. Barkley, Allen McDonald, Arthur Balkwell, Milton Richardson, Archie Levere, Ezra Bryan, Willard Carlyle, J. Elmer Sullivan, Chas. E. Dillabough, David Hoy, David Grant, D. H. McDougall, George Walters, Ira Ennis, Fred A. Mulloy, William Cook, John Bellinger, Sr., Roy Madden, Ralph Dillabough, Clifford Berry, Wesley Hoy.

Fence Viewers—Martin Blow, W. E. Graham, John Baldwin, Delmer Timmins, Roy Empey, Thomas Stoodley, William Higginson, Wm. Armstrong, John Cameron, John B. Smith, Arnold Hutt, Byron Martin, Ira Docksteader, Dwight Ford.

The following orders were passed: Charity, $43.00; Printing, $7.00; Supplies, $47.00; Subscription to Municipal World, $8.00. Council adjourned to meet at Mountain on March 4th.

LATE ROBERT SHARRA

The funeral of the late Robert Sharra was held Sunday afternoon from his residence at Brinston to the United Church. Rev. Edward Lacey, pastor, conducted the service.

Mr. Sharra was ill only one week, and his death came as a shock to friends in the community. He was in his 64th year and was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Sharra, of Brinston Corners.

About 40 years ago he married Miss Ellen Keyes, of South Mountain. He was a Liberal and a member of the United Church. He had been a prosperous farmer all his life.

Surviving are his wife; four daughters, Mrs. Lawrence Ault, Shanly; Miss Audrey Sharra, Reg. Nurse, Toronto; Miss Mildred Shara and Miss Eleanor Sharra, Brockville; one granddaughter, four sisters, Mrs. Matilda Thorpe, Hulbert; Mrs. William Ennis, Brinston; Mrs. J. A. Bean, Winchester; one brother, George Sharra, Brinston.

The body was placed in the vault at Brinston pending interment in the Spring.

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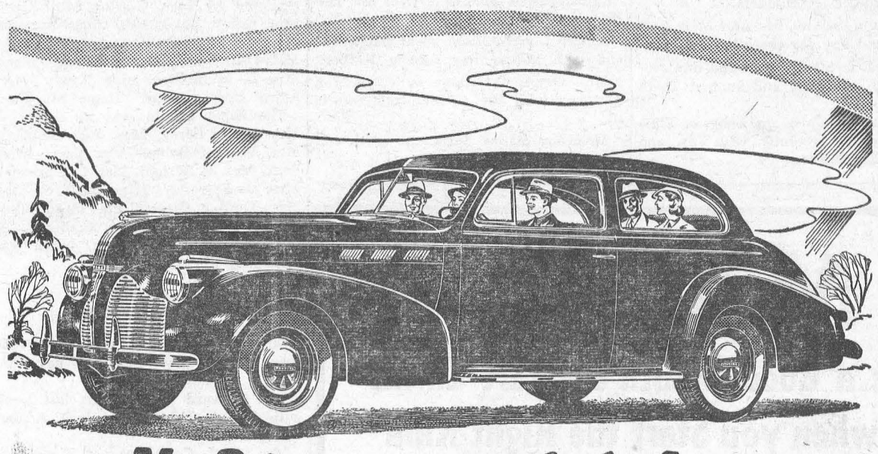

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Dissolve gelatin in hot water. Combine bananas, lemon juice, rind, 4 tablespoons sugar, egg yolks, and salt in top of double boiler, mixing well. Cook over hot water until mixture coats spoon, stirring constantly. Remove from fire. Add gelatin and stir until dissolved. Chill until slightly thickened. Beat egg whites until foamy; then add remaining 4 tablespoons sugar gradually, and continue beating until stiff. Fold into slightly thickened gelatin mixture. Pour into cold pie shell. Chill until firm.

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Newington Man Faces Serious Charge

Charged with attempted murder, Gerald Duvall. 28, of Newington, appeared before Magistrate P. C. Bergeron, at Cornwall, on Friday, and was remanded for one week. Cornwall township police who are in charge of the investigation of the case, refused to reveal any of the facts surrounding their investigation. See story on another page of this issue.

Duval is charged that on January 11, he "did administer poison to Robert Young, with the intent to commit murder." Young lives alone at Cornwall Centre, and is said to have discovered substances which proved to be mercury bichloride, strychnine and carbolic acid on his food when he was preparing breakfast the morning of January 12.

Keep Motive Secret.

Police investigating the case still refused to divulge any findings regarding a possible motive for the alleged offence. He declined to divulge specific information until the case comes up for preliminary hearing.

Suspicions Aroused.

Investigation into the case started on January 12, when Young laid before township police, utensils and articles of food from his home which had aroused his suspicions. He told police when he returned from a dance on the night of Jan. 11, he found someone had entered his home, but after checking up found nothing was missing.

The following morning, he said, he had started to get his breakfast when he noticed a strange cloudiness in the water in the tea kettle. A piece of cheese on the table gave off an odor of carbolic acid, he said, and then he found some other substance had been mixed with his sugar. Foregoing breakfast, Young went to township police headquarters with the tea kettle, the cheese and the sugar.

The articles Young brought to the station were sent to the provincial analyst, who reported he found strychnine in the sugar, carbolic acid on the cheese and bichloride of mercury in the tea kettle.

Police said the arrest of Duvall followed the questioning of a large number of district residents, and there were other leads to be followed before their investigation was complete.

WINCHESTER SPRINGS W. M. S.

The February meeting of the Women's Missionary Society was held at the home of Mrs. Harry Potter with the president in charge. The meeting opened with a reading by the president, "He's Counting on You." Prayer was offered by Mrs. S. Rice. The members responded to the roll call and several items of business were discussed. Mrs. C. Thompson conducted the devotional period, assisted by Mrs. Orren Casselman and Mrs. C. Robinson. A duet was sung by Mrs. T. J. Keyes and Mrs. C. Thompson. The community friendship report was taken, and an interesting article on Temperance, "The Labour Day Parade," was given. Mrs. G. Myers was in charge of the Christian Stewardship, entitled: "The Deacon and his Daughter, Nancy." Mrs. C. McIntosh closed the meeting with prayer. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by the committee in charge.

MODERN ETIQUETTE

Q. When a woman is introducing her husband to an acquaintance, should she say, "This is my husband," or "This is Walter?"

A. When a mere acquaintance, she should say, "This is my husband." If it is an intimate friend, she may say, "This is Walter."

Q. Is it considered good manners for a girl to powder her nose and use lipstick in public?

A. No. While we see this done every day, it cannot be called "good manners". It is much better if a girl will do such things privately.

Q. Isn't it poor manners to take more than one kind of food on the fork at one time?

A. Yes, one should never do this.

Q. What is your opinion of a neighbor who plays his radio so loudly that it can be heard distinctly several doors away?

A. A complaint should be registered against a person who is this inconsiderate and ill-bred. It can be stopped.

Q. How are the wedding reception cards and the cards of admission to the church sent to those invited?

A. These cards should be enclosed with the wedding invitations.

Q. Is it correct to leave the spoon in the sherbet glass, when one has finished eating the dessert?

A. No; the spoon should be placed on the plate that holds the sherbet glass.

First St. Catharines citizen: Will you lend me $5?

Second St. Catharines citizen: I will when I return from Toronto.

First St. Catharines citizen: "When do you intend to return from Toronto."

Second St. Catharines citizen—I am not going to Toronto.

ORMOND B. Y. P. U.

The Intermediate program opened with the Junior President, Keith Carkner, in the chair. Following a hymn, a Bible Study was conducted by Mrs. F. MacDonald, on the word, "Love." Helen Campbell, Agnes Porteous and Alex MacGregor assisted Doris MacDonald in giving the topic.

In charge of the Senior program was the Devotional Group with Mr. Neil Porteous as leader. "More About Jesus" was sung, and then the Prayer Circle was led by Mrs. Dan Campbell. During the business period, 36 responded to roll call.

An article entitled: "The Way to Happiness," was read by Mr. Fred Marquette. Mrs. H. MacIntosh was in charge of a Bible Quiz and Mr. Ormond Carkner read the Scripture. The topic given by Miss Hazel MacDonald, centred on an Indian village, "Savara," and the Christian work as being carried on there. Prayer by Rev. Mr. Armstrong brought the meeting to a close.

Canadian Curlers Assisting Red Cross

Curlers from one end of Canada to the other are rallying to the support of the Canadian Red Cross Society, and the total amount raised to assist the war purposes of this organization will be announced at the annual meeting of the Dominion Curling Association in Winnipeg, March 6.

R. G. L. Harstone, Hamilton, Ont., president of the Dominion Curling Association, stated yesterday that he had every confidence that curlers throughout the Dominion will accept the responsibility of assuring the success of the Curlers' Red Cross Fund." It was a good way, he said, of expressing "our loyalty to and our deep affiliation with the Mother Land."

Owing to the lateness of the arrival of cold weather, curling has had a late start in some sections of the country, but the men and women who "soopit up" are determined to make up for lost time in their effort to raise funds on their bonspiels and matches.

The idea of the Curlers' Red Cross Fund originated with the executive of the Dominion Association, and E. P. Atkinson, Toronto, honorary secretary-treasurer, was appointed to carry it through. A deadline of March 1st, a few days preceding the annual meeting, has been set for donations. Detroit, the only United States city affiliated with the Ontario Curling Association, has already made a contribution, it is understood, and so have several Canadian groups.

There are 30,000 registered curlers in Canada. This sport—probably the only one left without a taint of professionalism—was introduced to this country over 100 years ago, and there are several branches that can claim over a century of continuous existence.

There are about 100 ladies' clubs in Canada and it is understood that they are right alongside the men's organizations in their enthusiasm for the success of the Curlers' Red Cross Fund.

Curling is the only known sport world-wide in scope that has the one parent body—the Royal Caledonian Club of Scotland. The Dominion Curling Association is affiliated with this parent organization, just as are the branches in Sweden, Australia, New Zealand, China, the United States, France and Switzerland.

Lord Tweedsmuir is honorary patron of the Dominion Association, and E. P. MacKay, Bathurst, N. B., is honorary president. Vice-presidents are Dr. A. F. Anderson, Calgary, and Hon. Thane A.Campbell, Prime Minister of Prince Edward Island. Senator John T. Haig, Winnipeg, is past president.

STATE'S BIGGEST MAN DIES

The biggest man in South Missouri died last Friday at Springfield, Mo. Pneumonia, following influenza, proved fatal to 425-pound Benjamin Franklin Beck, 49. Beck was the village Samson. On one occasion, he carried a sick cow a quarter of a mile to the owner's barn.

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A lion met a tiger
As they drew beside a pool.
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"It's not foolish," said the lion
With a twinkle in his eyes.
"They call me King of all the Beasts
Because I advertise."

A rabbit overheard them
And ran home like a streak.
He thought he'd try the lion's plan,
But his roar was just a squeak.

A fox came to investigate,
Had luncheon in the woods:—
Before you advertise, my friend,
Make sure you've got the goods.

—Dorothy Sproule.

THERE IS AN ANGEL

Each kindly deed that comes to bless the day,
Each helpful word a passing friend may say—
Yes, all the tenderness our lives have known
But proves the Father careth for His own.
He careth! Then there is no need to sigh;
A messenger of Love is ever nigh.
Before we call, the answer to our prayers
Through some blest channel cometh unawares.
Take heart then troubled one—recall the past!
What proofs of angel messengers thou hast!
No hour so dark, so dismal or so drear
But angel voice was heard to heal thy fear.
Then let the past its rich assurance bring
Of healing comforters on angel wing;
Thou canst not hopeless be nor left alone
Since God forever careth for His own.

—Minny M. H. Ayres.

GRANDMA'S OPINION

His grandma says in all her days,
And right I think she may be,
She's never known such cunning ways
To grace so young a baby.
And though to swearing she is loath,
She'd stand right up and take an oath
There never was a cuter.

Of two she cherished as her own
The boy's the marvel's daddy,
And he she tenderly makes known
Was quite a bonnie laddie.
But better than that son of hers
This son of his she thinks now,
By closer watching, she infers,
Of what he eats and drinks now.

His grandma doesn't fear the scorn
Which those who like to scoff spring.
She vows no lovelier babe's been born
That Bud's and Betty's off-spring.
She'll answer, quicker than a wink
With proof all folks who doubt it,
And I, who am his grandpa think
She may be right about it.

—Edgar Guest.

WINCHESTER SPRINGS LADIES' AID

The Ladies' Aid Society of Knox Presbyterian Church, Winchester Springs, was held at the home of the president, Mrs. Ross Morrow. The meeting opened by singing Psalm 74. Mrs. Robt. Kirkwood read the Scripture lesson and Mrs. Ross Morrow and Mrs. I. Preston McIntosh read devotional papers.

Mrs. Earl Munro presented the Secretary's report, and Mrs. Delbert Casselman presented the financial statement which showed the Society to be in a sound financial condition, and a substantial balance on hand.

The election of officers for 1940 resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Elzie Johnstone; vice president, Mrs. Ross Morrow; treasurer, Mrs. Charles Kirkwood; secretary, Mrs. Earl Munro. At the close of the meeting a social time was enjoyed, and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, who was assisted by Miss Beatrice Johnstone.

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LOCAL MINISTER INDISPOSED

Confined to his home for the past few days, Rev. W. S. Atchison, pastor of the United Church, is recovering from an attack of La Grippe. He has been under the doctor's care since Monday and will be unable to attend to his duties on Sunday. His place will be filled by his son, Wendell, whose morning topic will be "We Are Only Young Once." In the evening his subject will be: "The Sons of Freedom." This will be illustrated.

BIRTH

At Dunbar, Ont., on Wednesday, February 14th, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Burnis Short (nee Velma Stewart) a daughter.


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LOCAL AND DISTRICT NEWS

Obtains High Standing.

Miss Dorothy Weir, former brilliant M. C. I. student, having successfully completed her probation term at Wellesley Hospital, Toronto, has been awarded her cap. Miss Weir obtained highest scholastic standing in her class. Congratulations.—Morrisburg Leader.

Skating Party.

Ou Tuesday evening the C. G. I. T., Tuxis and Trail Ranger groups held their annual joint skating party at the rink, with games and refreshments in the United Church Sunday School Hall. The committee in charge was composed of Mrs. W. S. Atchison, Miss Ethel Annable, Mr. R. W. Froats, Raymond Annable and Ray Lannin

Juvenile Hockey.

Last Saturday on Winchester ice, the local juvenile hockey teams engaged in a doubleheader with Chesterville teams, with Team A losing 1-4 while Team B won 1-0 on a goal scored in the last minute of play by Frank Kellogg. Lorne Marcellus, of Chesterville, was referee, and Les Summers managed both Winchester teams.

Other Scores—Team A, Williamsburg 4, Morewood 2; Team B, Morewood 4, Williamsburg 1.

Will Move Grocery Business.

Mr. A. B. Cowan, who is at present conducting a grocery business in the store, formerly operated by Mr. J. E. Utman, has leased the store in the east side of the Nesbitt block, recently occupied by Mr. W. E. Barnard, Jeweller, and intends to transfer his grocery business to that site in the near future. Mr. Cowan states that an increased volume of business prompted him to make the change, the Nesbitt store allowing him more floor space.

Entertains Trail Rangers.

On Friday evening the Livewires Trail Rangers were the guests of their mentor, Mr. Fred Cass, at Old Hickory Villa. The evening was spent in games and contests, with prizes being won by Douglas Hitsman, Gordon Helmer, Gordon Fader and Burton Hodgson. Refreshments were served by Mrs. W. J. Cass, Misses Doris Armtrong and Patti Cass. Chief Ranger James Carlyle and Tally Reginald Workman expressed the enjoyment of the boys as the party broke up at midnight.

Local Physician In Hospital.

We are sorry to report that Dr. Claire Locke, prominent local physician, is a patient in the Ottawa Civic Hospital with a severe attack of Influenza. The doctor was taken to the hospital on Sunday evening in Dixon's Ambulance, after Dr. H. S. Gross and other attending physicians had decided that his condition was near the pneumonia stage. Latest reports are that Dr. Locke is progressing favourably and his many friends here will wish him a speedy recovery to his normal health.

Sim—McVey.

A quiet wedding was solemnized in Toronto on Monday, February 5th, when Helen Merel, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Meredith C. McVey, of Winchester, was united in marriag to John Donaldson Sim, of R. C. A. F., elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. J. Sim, of Winnipeg, Manitoba. Mr. and Mrs. Sim left immediately after the ceremony for Vancouver, B. C., where Mr. Sim has been transferred. Mrs. Sim was a former member of the local Bell Telephone staff, and is a graduate of the Parker School of Trained Attendants. Her many friends here join in extending congratulations.

Heavy Snowfall.

One of the heaviest snowstorms of the current season was experienced in this district on Saturday night and Sunday morning, resulting in a fall of eight inches, according to J. Frank McCrady, government meteorologist, of Brockville. The snow was preceded by rain and sleet in some localities on Saturday night, which made out-of-doors conditions unpleasant and rendered driving dangerous. Municipal and provincial snowplows were kept busy during Sunday clearing streets and roads while householders spent part of their leisure time shovelling walks. Snow continued to fall on Monday, and at the present time Winchester is in the throes of a real old-fashioned winter with snow-drifts dotting the landscape as far as the eye can see.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER OBSERVED LOCALLY

Last Friday afternoon, representatives of the various churches in Winchester gathered in the Baptist Church to carry out the programme as prepared for this special day of prayer. Mrs. R. F. Willson presided, being assisted by Mrs. J. Lewis, of the Anglican Church, Mrs. Geo. Wilson of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, and Mrs. F. F. Davidson of the United Church. Earnest prayers were offered for our King and the Royal Family, for all those who serve in our defence, for all who suffer in any way, for the strengthening of our national life, for missions, for the Church and that in this time of strife and distress of nations, our people may know the presence of God and obey His will.

Mrs. Clara Johnston, Mrs. Wm. Johnston, Miss Mary Cumming and Mrs. K. Helmer led in prayer. For the singing of the hymns, Miss Myrtle Carkner presided at the organ. A very fine devotional address was given on "Ye must be born again," by Mrs. J. J. McKendry.

A duet, entitled "Under His Wings," by Mrs. W. S. Atchison and Mrs. S. Lindsay, was very impressively sung, with Miss Annie Walker as accompanist. The offering was received by Miss Mary Cumming and Mrs. T. D. MacLean.

Conservative Convention Next Tuesday.

The Conservative Association for the riding of Grenville-Dundas has called a Delegated Convention to be held in the I. O. O. F. Hall, Mountain Station, on Tuesday, February 20th, 1940, at 2.30 pm., for the purpose of selecting a candidate to represent the party in the coming federal election

Entertained Hockey Team

Following the town league hockey games at the local Arena last Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Quart entertained the Metcalfe team, of which their son, Hubert, is a valued member, to a sumptuous supper at their home. The boys report a good time, a fine supper, and are loud in their praises to Mr. and Mrs. Quart as host and hostess.

In Tribute to Lord Tweedsmuir.

Prior to the start of the hockey match at the local Arena on Monday night, the members of the teams and the large crowd of fans stood with bowed heads for one minute, following the playing of the National Anthem by the Band, in tribute of respect for Lord Tweedsmuir, who had passed away the evening before.

C. P. R. Agent Appointed.

Mr. J. O. Letelliere, of Montreal West, has been appointed successor to Mr O. L. Worthen as local C. P. R. Station Master. Mr. Letelliere took over his new post last week. Should he decide to remain here permanently, his wife and family will join him later. The Press joins with other local residents in extending a hearty welcome to Mr. Letelliere and his family.

Endorse Leadership.

At a meeting of the executive of the Grenville-Dundas Liberal Association held in the Spencerville town hall, the members passed a resolution unanimously endorsing the leadership of Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King and his Cabinet in their war efforts and all policies of their government of Canada. The chair was occupied by the president, Charles F. Marcellis, of Chesterville.

Banford—Rae.

A quiet marriage was solemnized on Wednesday evening, Feb. 7th, at seven o'clock, in St. John's Anglican Church, Iroquois, when Miss Beatrice Rae, only daughter of Mrs. Warren Rae and the late Mr. Rae, of Iroquois, became the bride of Charles Banford, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Banford, Iroquois. Rev. J. Lionel Homer, the rector, officiated. The couple was unattended and will take up residence at Iroquois.

Cheese Producers Meet.

The seventh annual meeting of the Ontario Cheese Producers' Association is being held at the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa, on Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Discussion will be more important than the speeches at the convention, although several outstanding speakers will be heard. At the banquet this evening Hon. J. G. Gardner Minister of Agriculture, is scheduled to speak. This banquet, as well as all sessions of the convention, is open to all interested in cheese production

Sewing Machines Installed.

This week three new sewing machines, an electric model and two tread models, were added to the equipment in the new domestic science room at the local high school. Since the rooms for the teaching of domestic science and vocational subjects were completed last fall, new equipment has been added by degrees and are almost completely furnished now.

In addition to the sewing machines, the domestic science room contains a full list of household furniture, electric stove, dishes, silver, linen, etc., while the shop room for boys is equipped with bench tools, power tools, machines, anvils, forge, etc.

VALENTINE TEA AND MONEY SHOWER

The Valentine Tea and Money Shower under the auspices of the Evening Auxiliary, was held in the United Church Sunday School rooms on Saturday, Feb. 10th. The rooms were beautifully decorated for the occasion. The committee in charge were Mrs. S. Lindsay, Mrs. E. Helmer, Mrs. A. Johnston, Mrs. C. Rice and Mrs. K. Ault.

Delightful entertainment was provided by Mrs W. J. Cass, Mrs. H. Fetterly, Mrs. W. S Atchison, and Mr. Wendell Atchison

The guests were received by Mrs. W. S. Atchison and Mrs. K. Carlyle.

A dainty lunch was served by Mrs. F. Johnson, Mrs R. Wylie, Mrs. D. MacLean, Mrs. R. McPherson, Mrs. W. Barclay, Mrs. A. Hitsman and Miss Evelyn Fennell

SKUCE—BROWN

A wedding of local interest took place at Hallville on Saturday, Feb. 10th, when Miss Sylvia Isobel Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown, of Morewood, was united in marriage with Mr. George Edson Skuce, son of Mrs. Frank Skuce and the late Mr. Skuce, of Hallville. Rev. Mr. Beatty performed the ceremony.

The bride was attired in a robin egg blue gown in one of the latest models, with accessories to match, and carried a bouquet of Briar Hill Roses and Lily-of-the-Valley. The witneses were Miss Mary Declare, of Winchester, and Mr. Lorne Skuce of Ormond, brother of the groom.

Following the ceremony, the wedding party motored to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Declare, of Winchester, where a sumptuous supper was provided for the near friends. After a short honeymoon the young couple will reside at Halville where the groom is engaged in farming.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Bessie Douglas, of Brockville, spent the week-end with friends here.

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Miss Helen Ault, of Cornwall, spent last week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Ault.

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Mrs. Charles Gilson ,of Brinston, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barriger, this week.

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Mr. John Christie, of O. A. C., Guelph, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Christie.

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Mr. Basil Dawley, of O. A. C., Guelph, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dawley

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ault, of Montreal, were week-end guests of the former's mother, Mrs J. W. Ault.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gibson spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Porteous, of Vernon.

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The Misses Doris and Dorothy Annable spent Saturday, the guests of Miss Maxine Bell, at Inkerman Station.

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Signal Lineman K. C. Barkley, of Winnipeg, spent the week-end with his aunt, Mrs. Donald Strader, and other friends.

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Mr and Mrs. Kenneth Cinnamon entertained Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cinnamon and Donald to six o'clock dinner on Monday last.

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Mrs. Leonard Porteous, of Cornwall; Mrs. Reid Walker, of Merrickville, and Miss Helen Elliott, were guests on Thursday last of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holmes, of Winchester Springs.

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Mrs. E. Kellogg, Mrs. J. McOuat, Mrs. C. Summers, Mrs F Baker, and Mrs. J. Graveley of Cornwall, all attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Weber, in Ottawa, on Saturday last.

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Miss Bessie Douglas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Douglas, was successful in receiving her cap at Ontario Hospital at Brockville the other day. Her many friends here join in extending congratulations.

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Mrs. N. W. Beach spent last week in Ottawa, visiting with her nieces, Miss Jean Beach and Miss Eva Openshaw, also her son, Lieut. Harold Beach, a member of the Canadian Dental Corps, who is stationed at Rockcliffe Airport

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cinnamon entertained to six o'clock dinner on Wednesday last, Mr. and Mrs. Garfield McVey, Mrs. Robert McVey, Miss Lola Cinnamon, Mr. John Cinnamon, Mr. Willie Cinnamon and Mr. Tom Reid. Also Mr. Haldane Cummings and Roy on Saturday night.

EVENING AUXILIARY

The regular meeting of the Evening Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Erle Helmer on Wednesday evening, February 7th. There was a large attendance. The president, Mrs. K. Carlyle, opened the meeting with the Lord's Prayer, and the minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Kellogg. Reports were given by the corresponding secretary. Mrs. Helmer, and the treasurer, Evelyn Fennell. Mrs. Carlyle led in prayer and extended a welcome to several new members.

Mrs. E. Helmer had charge of the worship service and gave an interesting talk on the Missionary Purpose of God. Scripture readings were then given by Mrs. D. F. Blair and Mrs. R. Wylie Patti Cass and Marion Helmer sang a duet, "A Little Dutch Garden," with Betty Stewart at the piano

Mrs. B. Potter thanked Mrs. J. Ault, on behalf of the Evening Auxiliary, for her liberal donation.

A few words of encouragement were given the Evening Auxiliary by Mrs. J. Ault. "Let the Lower Lights Be Burning," was beautifully sung by Mrs. Cass, with Patti Cass at the piano. Mrs. Potter read an interesting story on "The Christain Church in India." An amusing contest was conducted by Mrs. Helmer.

A delightful lunch was served by Mrs. Helmer, Mrs. Wylie and Mrs. Blair. The meeting was closed with the Benediction.

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