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VANDELEUR

The Farm Forum are having The National Film Board,Sound Moving pictures at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Fawcett on Friday evening of this week May 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Ormsby were in Owen Sound recently visiting their little nephew who has undergone a critical operation in the hospital there.

The Women's Institute held their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. F. R. Boland on Thursday afternoon of last week. The president Mrs. Ethel Hutchinson presided. Mr. T. S. Cooper was present and gave a fine address. The officers were re-elected for the ensuing year

PORTLAW

Miss Ruth Hutchison of Montreal spent a few days with her uncles, Messrs. Les and Arthur Chard here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Walker and Ruth were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. Blackburn and Mabel recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken. Wright and Maurice of Berkeley spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Laurie Pedlar.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Poole of Collingwood were guests with Mr. and Mrs. Les. Chard and Mabel at the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Blackburn and son of Port Credit were visitors on Monday with the former's uncle, Mr. A. Blackburn, and Mrs. Blackburn.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Fisher of Flesherton visited with the former's sister, Mrs. Jas. Pedlar.

The Fourth Line Red Cross Unit met at the home of Mrs. J. J. Boyce on Thursday. Letters of thanks were read from Milford Piper and Bert Willochs for cigarettes received in February, also a letter from Col. Peacock of the Salvation Army. The next metting to be held at Mrs. Earl Crofts' on May 25th. The Ladies will quilt for Mrs. Croft at this meeting.

In the days when bread was the staff of life many people lived to a crusty old age.

Some modern poetry is published as "free verse." Even with that stipulation it would be dear—and perhaps hard to understand.

Snobs do not like to associate with "lesser" folk for fear the lesser folk will discover that they don't want to associate with them.

Time Table Changes
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OTTAWA NEWS LETTER

EXCHANGE FUND WILL BOOST TRADE

Canada took a leading part in the agreement to create an 8,000,000,000 international exchange stabilization fund which will be used to facilitate world trade after the war. As one of the leading export nations of the world, establishment of such a fund is most important to the Dominion. Operation of the fund should vitally assist Canada to find foreign markets for wheat and other agricultural produce as well as for manufactured products. In the past wide differences in exchange have often operated as prohibitive tariffs, slowing up sales abroad. Prime Minister King made it very clear to Parliament that the Dominion does not intend to adhere t the central exchange plan unless other barriers to export trade are removed by international action. Britain and the United States differed sharply on some aspects of the exchange agreement. Canada submitted a compromise monetary plan which proved the basis of the agreement reached by 24 United Nations.

MR. KING PRESSES POST-WAR PLANS

Mr. King emphasized to Parliament that the Government intends to pass this session its comprehensive program of legislation designed to meet post-war problems and assure a high standard of living in the Dominion after the war. Measures to be brought before Parliament include a national housing bill, a family allowance bill, a bill to provide a floor under farm prices and a health insurance bill, if reasonable agreement can be reached between the provinces.

The housing program will include aid for building and improving farm homes and dwellings in villages and towns, as well as in the large centres of population.

The family allowances program, federally financed, will provide monthly payments to parents according to the number of dependent children of school age in the family. It will be of special assistance to those in the lower income groups. The measure to place a floor under farm prices is designed to keep agricultural prices from falling to unprofitable levels and to assure farm families a proper standard of living. Health insurance will guarantee medical and hospital services for a small annual contribution from those in lower income groups, and without charge to those who cannot pay the minimum cost.

Consideration and enactment of this, the biggest legislative program ever presented to a Canadian Parliament, means a long session, probably extending into the fall.

FARM PRODUCTION MEETS DEMAND

Farm production in Canada, despite shortage of labor, has kept pace with marked increases in military and export requirements, according to a report of the Combined Food Board of Britain, Canada and the United States. Food supplies in Canda exceed the 1935-1939 level, despite overseas demands of war and difficulties of farm operation. Britain's diet is sufficient to maintain health and working efficiency, largely due to huge shipments from Canada and the United States.

SEND IN YOUR RENEWAL.

Mrs. John Stephenson

The sudden passing Friday noon, April 28th, 1944, of Mrs. John Stephenson of the East Backline, Artemesia, came as a great shock to her family and friends. She had been in poor health for the past three years, but was much better this spring and able to be out again. Death was due to a heart attack.

The late Mrs. Stephenson, prior to her marriage was Mary Elizabeth Wilson, eldest daughter of Mr. James Wilson and the late Mrs. Wilson. She was born in Berkeley 48 years ago, going to Emerson, Manitoba at the age of six years. She came back East about thirty years ago and later married John Stephenson of Euphrasia Township. They lived some years in Markdale before going to the farm where she passed away.

Surviving besides Mr. Stephenson are Cpl. Jas. Stephenson of Barriefield; Pte. Wesley Stephenson, serving overseas; Nelson at home; Mrs. Frank George of Glenelg; Mrs. Albert George and Pauline at home. One son, Freddie, died at the age of two and half years. Surviving also are her father, Jas. Wilson of Edmonton, Alta., five sisters and five brothers in the West and Herman Wilson of Markdale.

The funeral took place on Monday afternoon from the home of her brother-in-law, Mr. Bert Summers in Markdale. Rev. N. E. Caswell of the United Church conducted the service. Cemetery. Pallbearers were Messrs. Wm. Swanton, Bert Bradey, Thos. Interment was made at Ebenezer Wilson, Earl, Edward and Chas. Davis. Flower bearers were four nephews: Messrs. Wm. Summers, Donald Burrell, John and William Bowles.

Relatives present for the service were Mrs. Wm. Smith and Miss Nellie Hodgson of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Stephenson, Mrs. Fred Harrison and Mrs. Alvin Yool of Shelburne; Mrs. Robt. Martin, Mrs. Leslie Martin and Mrs. George Brough of Collingwood; Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Fettis of London; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hincks of Ceylon and Mr. John Smith of Arnott; Cpl. Jas. Stephenson of Barriefield; Pte. Albert George of Newmarket; Mrs. Jas. Stephenson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Twining and Bud of Owen Sound.

The beautiful floral offerings included a pillow from the family; wreaths from Mr. and Mrs. Bert Summers, Mr. and Mrs. Wes. Winterburn, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Fettis and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hincks, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Summers and Mr. and Mrs. J. Bowles, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Martin, F. T. Hill and Co., the staff of F. T. Hill and Co., Mrs. Wm. Smith, Misses Euphemia and Nellie Hodgson, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Stephenson; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Twining, Jim and Helen; basket, the staff of No. 5 and 6 mess, Vimy Barracks, Kingston; bouquets, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bowles, Donald Burrell, Mr. and Mrs. John Wyvill, Mr. George Wyvill, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wyvill, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wyvill, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. C. Williams, the Neighbors, East Backline.

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