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## BUCKINGHAM

Mr. Gordon Cameron and friend of Toronto and Miss Hazel Camer R.N. of Orangeville visited over the week end with the latter's mother and brothers here.

Miss Doris Smith of Toronto visited a few days last week at her home here.

The funeral of the late Mr. William Moffatt on Thursday last was attended by several from here and sympathy is expressed for the members of his family.

After the anxiety and uncertainty of not having heard from their son, Bruce for several months, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brownridge had word last week that he was in Egypt convalescing from Malaria fever. This was the second bout Bruce has had with this disease peculiar to the tropics, he having to be taken off ship over a year ago to hospital in a port in British Guiana. Bruce has been with the Merchant Marine since January, 1942 and we hope he will be one of many of our young men who will soon be home again as a result of the cessation of hostilities in Europe.

Miss Alda Hawton of Toronto spent Mother's Day at her home here.

Some from this community were among a large crowd who attended the special service in Maxwell on Sunday in prayer and thanksgiving for the Victory achieved by the allied armies in Europe.

Rev. and Mrs. Wallace took part in the Sunday evening service in Maple Grove Baptist Church when Rev. Wallace delivered the address and the congregation enjoyed several numbers in song by him and Mrs. Wallace.

Mrs. A. Mitchell, Gertrude and Billie and other friends of Collingwood visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Taylor.

SEND IN YOUR RENEWAL.

## FEVERSHAM

Our sympathy is extended to the family of the late Mr. Wm. Moffatt who passed away on the 8th Line, Teusday morning, May 8th.

A.B. Jas. Pedlar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Pedlar returned home from overseas last Wednesday on 30 day furlough.

We are sorry to report Mr. Henry Coulthard ill at present. We hope his health will soon improve.

Mrs. H. C. Francis and Ruth visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Beynon in Collingwood.

We are pleased to report that Cheryl Light has suffered no ill effects from her near-drowning experience and is quite well again.

Mr. Alex Rae moved his family and household effects to his former home near London last Friday evening. Mr. Rae will remain until the end of the school term.

Major and Mrs. Dixon of Orillia will conduct service in the Salvation Army Hall next Sunday, May 20 at 11 a.m.

(Intended for Last Week)

Mr. Howard McKee, Hamilton and son, Gnr. Jim McKee, Barriefield, spent the week end at their home here.

Mrs. Charlotte Freethy who has been ill in bed for a few weeks with Nurse Smith in attendance was taken to Mrs. Warren's hospital in Collingwood. We hope she will soon be improved in health.

A large number of friends and acquaintances attended the funeral service held in the Presbyterian Church on Wdnesday afternoon of the late Mr. Albert Hanley who passed away on April 30th at Galt. Mr. Hanley was former resident of the 10th Line and was well known and highly respected in this community. Our sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Hanley and family and other relatives.

Mr. H. C. Francis, Dorchester, spent the week end with Mrs. Francis and Ruth.

Mrs. F. Hannah and son, Warren, Toronto. spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Hannah at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Davidson and son, Russell, Collingwood, spent the week end at their summer home here.

Our sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. John Stephen and family, whose husband and father passed away on May 3 at his home on the 4th Line.

## STEPHEN'S CORNERS

Monday, May 7 was a day worthy of a spirit of thankfulness and rejoicing for it saw an end to beastality in Europe which we hope for all time. We owe a debt of gratitude to all who fought the forces of evil and pray their great bereavement might be the foundation of a just and enduring peace. We are not unmindful of those who paid the supreme sacrifice to make the victory possible and while there was much joy over the victory, there were many sad homes but we hope somehow in some way good will come to them out of this war. A number from here attended the VE-Day celebrations at various places.

Miss Ivadel Addison is assisting in the home of Dr. Vern Lougheed at Dundalk.

Mrs. Martin who has spent the past two weeks visiting Mrs. Jack Stephen returned to her home on Saturday. Mrs. Stevens accompanied her and will sepnd a couple of days at the Martin home.

A large crowd attended the shower held at Maxwell Friday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Browridge. During the evening an address was read by Mrs. Percy White and the presentation on behalf of the community of a studio couch was made by Messrs. Clarence Winters and Warren Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Porteous visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Magee and family.

Plan to attend the play "Safety First" to be presented in Maxwell Hall on May 24th.

We extend our sympathy to relatives of the late Mr. Wm. Moffatt who died on Tuesday. A number from here attended the funeral which was held from his home on Thursday.

## ROCK MILLS

Guardsman Grant Helmkay who is now stationed at London, Ontario spent a leave with his family.

Miss Marjorie Newell visited with friends in Owen Sound.

Many logs have been coming into the mill by truck the past few days.

Miss Ruby Dobson of Durham spent the week end at her home.

The school board of this section attended a meetmg Thursday night held in the Portlaw School in connection with the proposed township school area plan.

Visitors over the week end with the Newell families were, Mr. R. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Whitmore and Mrs. Margaret Whitmore of Durham.

LAC Harold Clark of Debert, N.S., is spending a furlough with his par- of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Clark.

Little Joan McMaster of Flesherton spent the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Partridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Phillips of Owen Sound and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hopkins and family of Toronto were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Clar.

### Rock Mills School

Grade 8 — Lawrence Dobson, 83; Ioan Betts, 82; Allan Betts, 77; Don Smith, 76; Irene Porteous, 72.

Grade 7 — Myrtle Betts, 82; Gordon Helmkay, 65.

Grade 6 — Bbbby Betts, 91; Goldie Atkinson, 84; Shirley Partridge, 77.

Grade 5 — Clayton Porteous, 86; Redge Dobson, 81; Leslie Porteous, 76.

Grade 4 — Jeanette Dobson, 89.6; Murray Betts, 89.2. Ken Smith, 87; Les Helmkay ,82; Kathleen Weatherall, 79; Florence Wilkinson, 73; Ethel Betts, 68.

Grade 2 — Ivan Betts, 90; Bruce Benson, 81; Bernice Weatherall, 64.

Grade 1 — Harvey Weatherall Dorothy Wilkinson, Patricia Dobson.

The numbers are average percentages. Names in order of merit. Number on the roll, 26. Average attendance, 22.87.

— Mrs. Francis J. Seeley, (Teacher)

## MAXWELL

(Intended for Last Week)

The W.A. held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Telford Ferris on Tuesday with 11 members present. The roll call was answered with a Mother's Day verse. It was decided to have a clean up bee at the Church Hall on May 29, and the date was set for the circuit W.A. meeting for June 19. Next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. C Winters the first Thursday in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kerton of Toronto spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kerton.

Mr. Mel Holmes of St. Thomas and friend, and Merton Holmes of Meaford spent the week end at their parental home here.

The St. Mary's Guild will hold their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Geo. Lawler on Thursday, May 17 and we hope all members will be able to be present.

## VANDELEUR

In the Community Hall on Friday evening, May 4th, a large number of friends and neighbors of Tpr. and Mrs. Russell Harvey gathered to do honour to the young couple who were married recently. During the evening an addres was read by Mrs. E. Morrison and the gifts, which included many lovely and usefull articles were unwrapped by Mrs. G. Wyville, Vernon Fawcett and Ralph Fitzsimmons. The evening was spent in dancing.

Mrs. Lundy Johnston was hostess to the Woman's Association for their monthly meeting on May 2nd when an interesting program was provided. There was a good attendance of members and visitors.

A number from here attended a social evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gilray at Wodehouse recently.


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