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SNELL — WHITEHEAD

The marriage of Mary Irene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Whitehead, to John Isaac Snell, son of Mrs. Snell and the late Geo. Snell, took place on Saturday, June 23rd at 2 p.m. at Priceville Church parsonage, Rev. A. D. Penman officiating.

The bride was attired in a street-length dress of sunniblu chiffon, with long sleeves, shirred bodice and deep waist; a white half hat of white flowers and veil, white shoes, and a corsage of Madame Butterfly roses and Adiantum fern with a centre rosette of silver ribbon. As bridesmaid, Miss Elma Hamilton wore petal pink sheer, white accessories and a bandeau of white flowers, a corsage of red Briarcliff roses, Adiantum fern tied with silver ribbon. Mr. Keith Cairns of Ceylon acted as groomsman.

The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, following the wedding, where about fifty guests were received by the bride's mother and the groom's mother. Mrs. Whitehead was attired in a two-piece powder blue crepe dress wearing a corsage of yellow Queen Elizabeth roses Adiantum fern and gold ribbon. Mrs. Snell wore a dress of mauve printed silk jersey and a corsage of Talisman roses, Adiantum fern and gold ribbon. The table was centered with a three-pillared wedding cake with a miniature bride and groom decorating the top. Pink and white streamers and summer flowers in silver holders graced the room. Those serving were, Mrs. Fred Stafford and daughter, Irene of Owen assisted by Mrs. Mervyn McFadden, Misses Grace Parker, Laura Pedlar, Jean McMullen, and Lois Williams.

The young couple left by motor for Northern Ontario. For travelling the bride chose a two-piece suit of cocoa brown crepe, with hat of lime felt, other accessories in white. She wore a corsage of Madame Butterfly roses. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Snell will reside on the west back line.

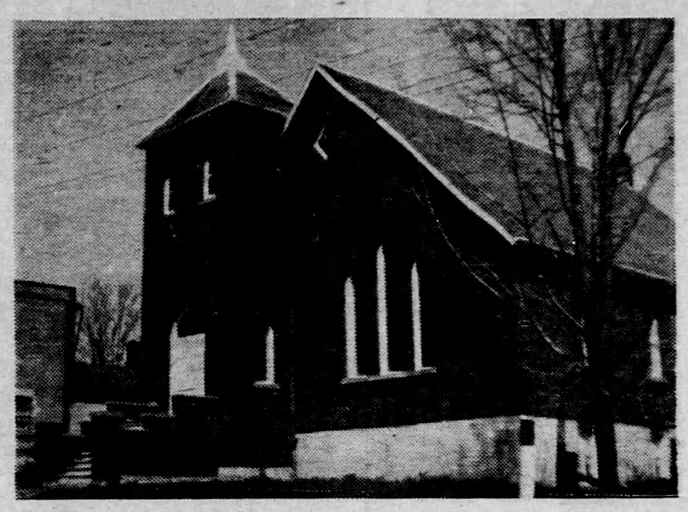
The groom's gift to the bride's-maid, was a gold necklace and glamour pin, and to the groomsman, a pen and pencil set.

Mrs. Green was proudly displaying a new hat to Mrs. Gray

"It's lovely," said Mrs. Gray, but how do you manage to get so much money from your husband?"

"Quite simple, my dear," was the triumphant reply. "I just tell him I'm going back to mother, and he immediately hands me the fare."

Anniversary Services at Priceville Presbyterian Church



St. Andrew's Church, Priceville Opened on July 2, 1933

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Priceville, are to hold anniversary services Sunday next, July 1st at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The anniversary preacher will be the minister in charge, Mr. Wm. D. Halliwell.

The present church building, as depicted above, was opened on July 2, 1933 and the service of dedication was conducted by the Rev. A. S. Grant, D.D., then secretary of the General Board of Missions for Canada.

All departments of the Church indicate that a steady growth has been maintained, and at the present time large congregations attend regular services of worship.

South Grey Election Finals

Returns from the soldier vote have been announced by the chief election officer at Toronto and shows that H. A. McCauley received 192 votes to 184 for F. R. Oliver. Mrs. Katool (CCF) received 80 votes. The vote now stands F. R. Oliver, Liberal, 6262; H. A. McCauley, Progressive Conservative 4751 and Mrs. Katool, CCF, 849, making a majority for F. R. Oliver of 1511.

FORMER 8TH LINE RESIDENT DIED IN TORONTO

Residents and former residents of the 8th Line will regret the death of Miss Elizabeth Ann Hickling, which occurred in Toronto on Friday, June 15th. She leaves one sister, Mrs. H. J. Condell of Brantford and was an aunt of Mrs. R. F. Sproule (Margaret), Betty and C.S.M. William Milligan, RCEME. The Hickling family resided on the 8th Line, Artemesia, for many years, on the farm now occupied by Mr. Ranald Parsons, and moved to Toronto some 40 years ago.

Service was held in the Trull Funeral Home, Toronto, on Monday, June 18th, at 3 o'clock, with interment in Brantford Mount Pleasent Cemetery.

Arrived Home Saturday

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who arrived home from overseas on Saturday night, after a year overseas with the RCAF as a Wireless Air Gunner with Bomber Command. He has volunteered for service in the Pacific area and is on 30-day leave.

Mentioned In Despatches

Pilot Officer Robert H. Banks has been mentioned in despatches through the King's birthday honor list on June 14th. Pilot Officer Banks spent three and a half months in Belgium and France last year when he was forced to leave his crippled plane. He assisted the Maquis underground organization, teaching them to use guns dropped by the Allies during the German occupation of France and it was no doubt his work there that was recognized by the citation. The following telegram was received by Pilot Officer Banks from the Records Office at Ottawa:

"The Minister for Air, personally, and the Chief of the Air Staff, on behalf of himself and all ranks of the Royal Canadian Air Force, congratulate you most heartily on your being mentioned in despatches, June 14th, by order of His Majesty the King. Delay in advising you of this award made to you while serving overseas is deeply regretted."

Nine Months In England

Mrs. C. J. Kennedy received word on Tuesday that her brother, L.A.C. Stewart Foster, had arrived in Toronto, after having spent the past nine months overseas as a rigger with the R.C.A.F. His many friends will be pleased to see Stewart again. He has signed up for Pacific service and will have a 30-day leave.

Memorial Service For Pte. Laurie Thompson

St. John's United Church was filled almost to capacity on Sunday morning for the memorial service in memory of Pte. Lawrence H. Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson, who was killed in action in Holland on the morning of April 24th, by a German sniper. Rev. W. A. Westcott, the pastor, conducted the service and read extracts from letters received from his Chaplain, Major E. W. MacQuarrie. ""I brought his body in a few hours later and buried him in our Regimental cemetery at a small place near Voorthuizen, Holland. He lies in a churchyard, in a grave heaped over with flowers, which the grateful and sorrowing Dutch people brought."

PTE. LAURIE THOMPSON

Another letter from Lieut. J. A. Palmer, Lawrence's platoon officer, wrote as follows: "My Sergeant, Lawrence and two other lads were giving covering fire for an advance and during this Lawrence was wounded in the left arm and was ordered back but refused to go and insisted on going on. It was only a minute until he was hit in the head and died instantly. His courage and fortitude was a fine example to us all. He was a swell lad and an A1 soldier.'

Rev. Westcott took as the subject of his remarks Job 14: 14 "If a man die shall he live again," and delivered a most comforting message to the sorrowing family. The hymns used in the service were "Unto The Hills," "Rock of Ages" and "Abide With Me." The choir also sang an appropriate number. The large congregation showed the evidence of sympathy which is held for the family.

Going Home To England

Five years ago a little girl arrived in town from England, just when the threat of bombings was at its height. This was Miss Doreen Hagan of Newcastle. For the first two years she resided with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kernahan at Flesherton and for the past three years with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dugield at Durham. This summer she has completed her fourth form high school examinations. Now she expects to shortly leave for her home in England, leaving behind many warm friends, both here and at Durham, who wish her the best of luck in the years to come. Doreen spent the first of this week with Mr. and Mrs. Kernahan, bidding good-bye to her friends here.

In the "good old days" it was just "over the fence gossip." Today it is radio entertainment.

THURSTON — CLAUDET

A quiet but pretty wedding took place in Bournemouth, Hampshire, England, on Saturday, June 16th, when Mimi Bertha Irene, second daughter of Colonel Geoffrey Francis Claudet and Mrs. Claudet of Kenya Colony, Africa, was united in marriage to James Howard, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Thurston of Flesherton, Ontario. Witnesses to the wedding were Flying Officer Wm. Gibson of Halifax, N.S., Flight Sergt. Gerald McMullen of Glace Bay, N.S., and Herbert Keller of Regina, Sask.

A reception was held in the evening at the Grand Hotel, Bournemouth, when a pleasant evening was spent. Among those present were Sergt. Mike Sullivan of Glenelg Centre and a number of Canadian girls from the W.D. "Debs" show.

The groom expects to leave for Canada in the very near future and should be home late in July.

D. Stephens Heads Osprey Sunday School Association

The annual convention of Osprey Township Sunday School Association was held on Friday afternoon, June 22nd, in McIntyre United Church with a registration of 50. The schools represented were, Badjeros, Maxwell, McIntyre, and Wareham United, Maple Grove Baptist, Feversham Salvation Army, Mt. Pleasant Mennonite. Rev. O. W. Holmes presided for the programme, the theme of which was "The Church from Sunday to Saturday."

Following the singing of the opening hymn, Rev. D Sargeant conduced a devotional period, basing his remarks upon Phil. 3: 13 and 14 "This one thing I do, forgetting those things which are before in Christ Jesus" Mr Sargeant stressed that the three-fold secret of successful leadership consists of (1) Whole hearted concentration, (2) Forgetfulness of the past, our blunders, losses, past injuries, successes and sins; (3) A forward look with our aim the winning of every child in our Sunday School for Christ.

On behalf of the McIntyre Church, a welcome was xtended by Mr. Holmes to the guest speaker, Rev. J. F. A. Bewell, of Barrie, and to all those meeting in Convention.

A splendid report of the 1944 Convention submitted by Mr. D. Stephens, was read by the present secretary, Mrs. Wilfred Inkster, and adopted as read.

Mr. D. Stephens, President of the Association for 1945, in reporting for the Executive, emphasized the importance of Sunday School work. He concluded by stating that we are drifting, we have lost faith in God, but if we clasp hands with God we can do great things."

Mr. D. Stephens, Rev. D. Sargeant, Mrs. H. Hannon and Mrs. Geo. McDonald were appointed as a Nominating Committee, and Messrs. Ed Pedlar and Wilfred Inkster as a Resolutions Committee.

A musical number "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer", was sweetly rendered by Edith and Marie Blakey.

In his address, "Five Musts in Christian Education," Rev. Bewell pointed out that. as with a gardener growing both tulips and gladioli in one bed, so, in dealing with our boys and girls, we must know our ground. It is imperative that the Church should reach every individual in the community. In our soul-winnin as in almost any other work, we get returns only as we give our earnest effort and attention to the work. Five essentials, he pointed out are, A joyous Christian experience, with religion an attractive thing because it is a happy thing; a heroic thing, with its symbol the Cross, far nobler than the flag of any country, and more worthy of loyal recruits; (2) Prayer—the speaker deplored the fact that so few really pray now that people are embarrassed when asked to lead in prayer or even to say grace. He urged the training of children to pray; (3) Decision—probably the greatest privilege of the S. S. worker is to help each member of his class to definitely decide to follow Christ; (5) Missionary mindedness—we have the biggest task in the world to do in the extending of Christ's kingdom.

In the discussion which followed this fine address, it was generally agreed that if dad and mother were regularly in their places in Sunday School each Sunday , there would not be the same great problem which prevails of adolescents dropping out of Sunday School.

Hymns for Sunday School and how to teach them was well taken by Mrs. McLachlan, Badjeros. Besides giving some principles in the teaching of hymns, Mrs. McLachlan demonstrated by teaching a new hymn to six juniors. Sketches were given also of several well-known hymns and their writers.

"The Church and the Public School Co-operating" was the subject of the next discussion, wherein the including of Religious Instruction in the school curriculum was highly approved, since the co-operation of every agency, home, school, churh, is needed, that our boys and girls may grow in wisdom and stature and in favour with God and man.

Rev. Mr. Bewell then addressed the Convention on "Total Evangelism—Go ye into all the week". He expressed regret that the Church is letting go its authority. If a child were absent from school," he said, "the Turant Officer would be after him. The Session has the right and the authority to go to the church member who is absenting himself from church services and remind him that he is being disloyal to the vows he has made to God. We must come to realize that the church is not something to be trifled with, but represents the most essential thing in life, the winning power of God to establish His Kingdom." He stressed the need of Repentance and Belief and urged his listeners to use the same method which Jesus used, that of personal contact and individual invitation in winning followers to Christ. "Although none of us are as good Christians as we should be," he said, "let us use the Christianity we have got and it will grow. We have put nearly all our faith in human power. Jesus worked through human lives willing to conform to Him. Let us be concerned about our common task for our God and for our nation." The resoluions Committee in submitting its report, suggested that an effort be made to have Convention held the first week in July, rather than in June that the younger members of our congregations might attend, schools being then closed.

The following were elected to office for the coming year: President, Mr. Dougald Stephens; Vice-President, Rev. D. Sargeant; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. W. E. Inkster; Missionary Superintendent, Mrs. Geo. McDonald; Boys' Work, Rev. O. W. Holmes; Girls' Work, Mrs. H. Hannon; Childrens' Work, Miss Mabel Ross; Cradle Roll, Mrs. W. C. McCutcheon; Adult Department, Mr. Ed Pedlar.

The Convention closed with prayer that the Spirit of God may descend upon the great army of workers in His Church that we may help bring in His kingdom.

The year 1946 will mark the Fortieth Anniversary of the organizing of Osprey Sunday School Association, and it is hoped that something outstanding may be accomplished in this great work.

Born

OSBORNE — In Markdale Hospital on Sunday, June 24, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. George Osborne (nee Elsie Steer) a son.

SMITH — At Mrs. Nuhn's Nursing Home, Flesherton on Sunday, June 24, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith of Corbetton, a brother for Dorothy.

TEETER — At Mrs. Nuhn's Nursing Home, Flesherton, on Wednesday, June 20, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Kendal Teeter, a daughter, Joan Elaine.

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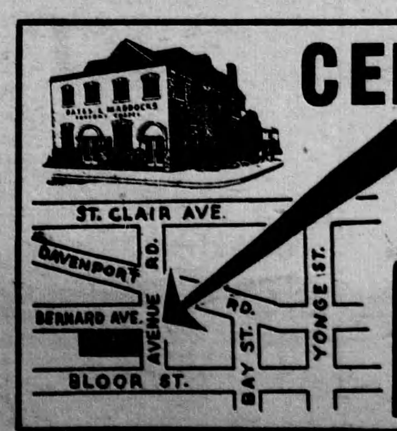

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Stores Open For Clinic Thurs., June 28

Owing to the fact that the 9th Flesherton Blood Donors' Clinic is being held Thursday, 28th, which is a whole holiday in Flesherton, the merchants have decided to keep their stores open Thursday morning, so that those attending the clinic would be enabled to do their shopping while in town, thereby assuring the Clinic a sure measure of success. The stores will also remain open Wednesday night, June 27th.