PORTLAW

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dillon, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Morrison and Sheila of Toronto and Miss Pearl Brayford of California were week end visitors at the home of Mr. Herb Betts.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Meldrum visited Sunday with Mrs. Leila Giles in Durham.

Mr. Joe Pedlar of Oxbow, Sask., called on his aunt, Mrs. Cecil Meldrum, a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Pedlar visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. F. Robinson at Dundalk.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McKee and Barbara of Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. John McKee of Flesherton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jackson.

Lorraine and Eleanor Shier are attending high school from our school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Meldrum and Donald spent a day at Wasaga Beach with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meldrum of Toronto. D. A. Fisher, Delbert and Chester Plantt also called on the Meldrums at the cottage.

The Mission Circle of Rock Mills church met at the home of Mrs. Earl Croft last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Love visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Lundy Johnston at Vandeleur.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Akitt, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wes Plantt, enjoyed a motor trip to Huntsville on the week end and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keys.

Mr. and Mrs. David Jamieson of Toronto are visiting relatives and friends in this district.

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Mr. Wm. Walters nnd Charlie of Toronto visited the Hudson family recently.

Mr. Dick Cameron of Southampton called on Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hudson recently.

Mr. Chris Thompson has returned home from visiting his brother, John Thompson, at Agincourt.

Mrs. Ethel Acheson is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McKee visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ab. Stewart at Flesherton. Mrs. Henry Alexander returned home with them.

Mr. Eli Robinson is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Dick Fadden, Barrie

Burns Presbyterian Church, Feversham, will hold anniversary services on Sunday, Oct. 3rd, at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Mr. John Bell will preach at both services and the Dundalk male quartette will sing at the evening service. There will be special music by the choir at the morning service.

BUCKINGHAM

Mr. Dick Cameron of Southampton is visiting at the Cameron home.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. Ralph were: Miss Ena Dello and Mrs. Jim Tran and daughter, Sheila, of Stayner.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith and babe and Miss Coreen McGregor of Camp Borden visited a week ago with Mr. and Mrs. A. Brownridge.

Miss Dorothy Hawkins of Detroit is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Alf. Hawton, and family.

A large number from here attended Collingwood Fair Saturday which, according to many, was the best in years, and certainly compared favorably with those in larger centres.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hough and Eleanor spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herb Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Taylor and Esther at Dunedin.

Mrs. Harry Udell spent a week recently with her daughter in Owen Sound.

The Community Club will meet at the home of Mrs. M. Douglas on Thursday, Oct. 7th.

If it is a long, dirty, sweaty trip to heaven, most women won't enter until they have a chance to clean up a little.

PRICEVILLE

Mrs. Jim Sturrock was hostess to the W.M.S. and W.H. Tuesday afternoon, with a good attendance of members and visitors, and Miss Kathleen McLean presiding. Considerable business was transacted and the roll call was answered by a preserving hint. Mrs. J. A. Nichol had charge of the program and gave two interesting readings, while Mrs. A. L. Hincks read the Scripture and also conducted a contest, the prizes of which were won by Mrs. B. Irwin and M. Nichol, and in group two by Mrs. A. MacCuaig and Kathleen McLean. Mrs. D. L. MacArthur presided over the W.M.S. meeting and Mrs. Thos. Nichol read the Scripture, and after the business period Mrs. A. L. Hincks gave the topic "Fading Leaves." A bountiful lunch was served by the hostess and her assistants and a social hour spent.

Mr. Jim Sturrock and son, Archie, visited with friends in Toronto and Georgetown recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tucker, Mrs. J. A. Nichol, Mr. and Mrs. Chas Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. T. Tucker attended the funeral of the late Dr. Robert Tucker at Paisley last week.

Mr. Emerson Meads returned to Guelph Monday for his second year at the Veterinary College. His father accompanied him down.

Mr. Wm. Currie, who has been at Highland Lodge nursing home for the past year and a half, fell and broke his hip on Monday and passed away Wednesday morning of last week, in his 86th year. He leaves to mourn, one sister, Mrs. M. Strong, of Vancouver, B.C. A service was held at the home of Mrs. Koertz on Thursday evening, when Mr. Grant Muir had charge of the service and gave a comforting message. Interment was made Friday at Mansfield Presbyterian Cemetery.

The Y.P.S. was held Wednesday night in St. Andrew's church, with a good attendance. Mr. Grant Muir gave a very fine address on his trip and the work in his ministry at Barr River and Sowerby, where he spent the past four months, and where he met some old Pricevilleites. Mr. Willis Sayers gave a very interesting talk on his trip by motor to the coast, coming home by plane. It was a very descriptive and interesting talk. Willis has returned to Toronto University.

Misses Betty Tucker and Emma Meads of Toronto spent the week end at their parental homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill and Sandy and Mrs. Belle McLean of Fergus visited recently at the home of Mr. Lachie McKinnon. Mrs. McLean remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sayers and family of Guelph spent a few days with his parents.

Mrs. Mary McLachlan held an auction sale on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McLachlan and family of Orillia were present at the sale and visited friends.

One of our Priceville boys occupied the pulpit in St. Andrew's Church on Sunday, in the person of Mr. Grant Muir, when a good congregation was present. The Rally Day program was followed by Mr. Muir's address, which was very fine. The Priceville people are very proud of Grant. Mrs. Sims rendered a lovely solo "The Ninety and Nine," accompanied by Miss Margaret Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowerman of Manitoulin Island, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Duxbury and two sons of Toronto were week end visitors with Mrs. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Duxbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McKinnon of Hopeville were visitors last week at the home of A. L. Hincks.

Miss Mary Muir returned to Toronto on Sunday, after spending some time with her brother, Mr. Allie Muir.

Messrs. Willis and Grant Sayers enjoyed a few days last week visiting through the States.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Stickney and Dianne of Stratford spent the week end with friends here.

Friday afternoon the O.D.R. pupils played ball here with the Priceville boys, with the score in favor of the latter. Lunch was served.

Friday afternoon Alfred and Catherine McLachlan were presented with a gift of money from the pupils and teacher as a remembrance from their friends at the school. They are moving to Durham.

The Trail Rangers motored to Salem Saturday afternoon for a game of ball, which was won by the Salem team. The boys enjoyed a hike and then lunch.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nichol, who celebrated their silver wedding anniversary Sunday, Sept. 26h, at their home. It was also the birthday of their son, Harold. Best wishes are extended to this highly esteemed couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Wickens visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stewart, Meaford.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Wiley and Devona were recent visitors at the home of Sam Wiley, Wodehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Ferguson and Allan of Meaford were visitors at the home of Mr. Joe Gibson.

Mr. Ernie Williams was taken suddenly ill while he and the family were spending the afternoon in Owen Sound and, was taken to the hospital there and underwent an operation for appendicitis. His many friends wish for him a speedy recovery.

VICTORIA CORNERS

(Intended for Last Week)

Misses Christena Duncan and Jean Love, and Mrs. George Moore attended a meeting in Flesherton church Monday evening, representing Inistioge church in a joint missionary discussion.

Mrs. George Ludlow underwent a double operation on Wednesday a.m. in Lord Dufferin Hospital, Orangeville. Her many friends are glad to know she is making quite favorable progress and look for her early return home.

Miss Florence Batchelor has been enduring a painful finger infection during the past week.

Mrs. Wilfred Gallaugher is able to be up again although not very strong.

Friends here offer their sympath to the husband and family of the late Mrs. Wm. John Talbot, who passed away on Saturday evening, September 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Copeland and Miss Christena Duncan attended the wedding in Dundalk United Church on Saturday afternoon, of Miss Helen Duncan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Duncan, Dundalk, and Mr. Harry Lyon, Shelburne.

Miss Doris Bannon and Master Tom Bannnn, Toronto, visited from Friday evening until Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bannon. Sunday afternoon visitors in the same home were: Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bannon and little daughter, Donna Gail, Toronto, bringing with them Miss Kaye Bannon, Vancouver, who arrived at Malton airport early Sunday morning and will spend a week's vacation at her parental home.

Mrs. Chas. E. Moore of Toronto visited her son, George, and family from Friday night until Sunday. Other guests in the same home were: Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ward, Miss Helen Moore, Ted Moore and Miss Dorothy Evans, all of Toronto.

Mrs. Walter Acheson returned to her home Friday evening from Toronto, having had a week's vacation.

Inistioge Y.P.U. were guests Friday evening of the Wareham Y.P.U. at the home of Renfred Acheson.

Mr. Edgar Boyd and mother, Mrs Bedley, Toronto, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bachelor.

ROCK MILLS

Very warm dry weather prevails Good rains are badly needed, as pastures are drying up. There is very little feed out for stock.

Mr. and Mrs. Joyce Porteous and family visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McPhatter at Kemble.

A large number from here were at Collingwood Fair Saturday and report a splendid show and a very large crowd.

Misses Ruby and Eunice Dobson of Owen Sound were recent visitors at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Talbot are moving here to Mr. Ken Betts' residence, near the Eugenia corner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Johnston of Owen Sound and Mr. and Mrs. L. Hurlburt of Balmy Beach, visited on Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. Joyce Porteous and family.

KIMBERLEY

(Intended for Last Week)

Mr. and Mrs. O. Pearson of Kenora, Mr. and Mrs. Don Jordan and Judy left for home Tuesday morning, via Niagara Falls, Toronto, Oshawa and Ottawa, after spending a week with Kimberley friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Hindle moved this week to part of the home of Mrs. Jas. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Jordan and Judy spent the week end with friends in Barrie.

Miss E. McConnell returned to her home in Meaford on Saturday, after visiting here for a couple of weeks.

Friday night a number from here attended the meeting in the Orange Hall at Eugenia, held by Mr. Cairns, when he gave an interesting talk and showed a number of slides on the life of Zaccheus. He was assisted by the children.

Mrs. Wayne Weber and children have returned from Kearney, accompanied by Mrs. M. Brush.

Kendall Chard, Gerald Kirkpatrick and Stanley Teeter returned Friday from the West, where they assisted with the harvest.

Mr. C. oSul of Port Hope spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. T. Soul, who returned with him for a month's holidays.

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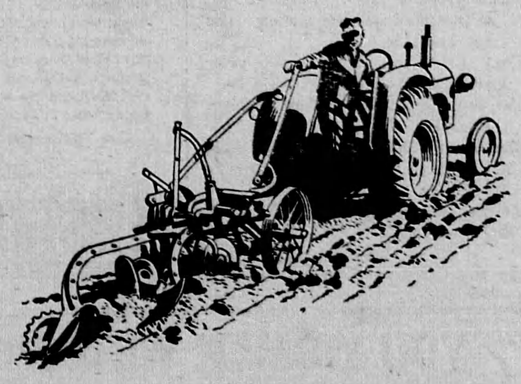

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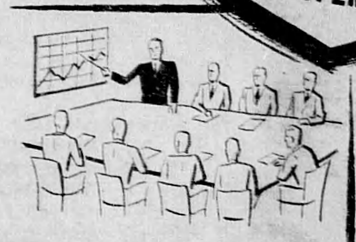

Every month the Dominion Bureau of Statistics issues the cost-of-living index. Consumer groups, trade unions, employers, the government and many others know the importance of accurate figures on the cost of living.

To keep the basis of the index up-to-date the Bureau is doing a survey across Canada to find out what percentage of income the average family spent on food, clothing, shelter, recreation, and other items in the past year.

We don't call at all homes. We can get a good picture by questioning a fraction of all families, chosen "out of a hat". If yours is chosen it will represent many other families like it in size, composition or income.

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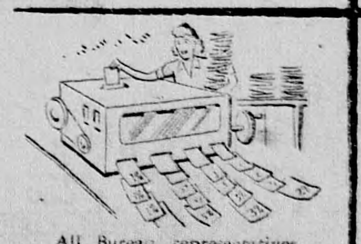

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