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KIMBERLEY

Members of the Baptist churches of Kimberley, Duncan and Providence held a picnic at Midhurst Park. The weather was perfect and all had a good time. Over 50 attended.

Marilyn, Murray, Anne and Ruth Burritt are spending some holidays with their grandmother, Mrs. S. S. Burritt.

Mrs. Burritt had the real pleasure of a visit from Mr. and Mrs. G. L. McKenzie of Calgary and their daughters, Coleen and Nelda, and Mrs. F. Lawrence (Ruth) and little daughter of Galt. They were on a motor trip from Calgary to Nova Scotia and were going back home via Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Sproule are spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. H. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander and boys of Collingwood, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Betts and Janet of Flesherton visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Weber.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Weber, Donna and Leith, spent the week end on a trip.

Thornbury and Kimberley played a final game of ball at Kimberley, with Thornbury winning the round.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Chard and family have moved to their new home across the street from the store.

A pleasant event took place at the home of Ian Wilson Friday night, when many of the community gathered and presented the newly-wedded couple with a cabinet of silver, and spent the evening in games and a fine program of singing. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson thanked all in a kindly way.

Doreen Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Armstrong, had her tonsils removed in the Collingwood hospital on Friday. She came home Saturday night feeling well.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hammond of Toronto visited Monday with Mrs. Burritt.

Mr. Will Plewis of Collingwood is visiting with his sister, Mrs. Chas. Graham.

Fergus Firm Has Given Baby Bonus 20 Years

(Fergus News-Record)

Twenty years ago, the local firm of Beatty Bros. Limited inaugurated a policy of making a gift of $25.00 to the mother of each new-born baby, where the father was an employee of the firm. In the last 20 years, 941 children were born in the homes of Beatty employees. Of these, 468 were boys and 473 were girls. A total of $23,525 has been distributed in the 20-year period.

Hastings County, Ontario, had the Baby Bonus a long time ago, the Tweed News comments, showing that minutes of the first council 100 years ago showed a special bonus was being offered for "triplicate births".

Two old-timers are discussing a mutual friend. One says, musingly: "Poor old Herb seems to be living in the past."

The other answers bitterly "Why not? It's a lot cheaper."

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EUGENIA

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Armstrong and Mrs. Armstrong's sister, Mrs. Rogers, and little daughter of Toronto are spending a week's holidays at the Scarrow cottage, near the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patterson and Bobbie and Mr. and Mrs. Cheesedale of Meaford were week end visitors with Mrs. Fred Jamieson.

Mr. W. Swannel of Heathcote spent the week end at the Tudor home.

Miss Mary McKee and Mr. F. W. McCarthy of Toronto are holidaying at the McKee home.

Little Victor Breadner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Breadner, is still in the Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto. We are pleased to report that he is gradually improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Partridge and little son, Barry, spent Sunday with Mrs. Partridge's sister, Mrs. Grant at Angus. Mrs. Partridge's mother, Mrs. J. Fawcett, who is taking treatment for her eyes at Barrie and Toronto, is continually improving.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Honer of South Porcupine, and Mr. Honer's sister from Ireland, were recent visitors with Mrs Fred Jamieson.

Mrs. W. Pinkerton is holidaying with her sister in New York.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Williams, 8th line, were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Park and Roy of Flesherton, and Miss Marjorie Park of Toronto and Mrs. Kathleen Hawkins of Flesherton.

Mr. Rogers of Toronto is holidaying with his daughter, Mrs. E. C. Burton, and Mrs. Burton.

Mr. W. A. Martin of Oakville is speding a fortnight at his parental home and with friends.

Miss Dorothy Genoe of Toronto was a week end visitor with her father, Mr. Dave Genoe.

Mr. Cecil Magee, who is with the H.E.P.C. at Islington, spent the week end with his wife and son.

Little Miss Dale Magee of Maxwell also Carson and Dean Magee, 8th line, were holidaying with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Magee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Martin and Marge visited recently with Mr. Harold Lever, north of Flesherton.

Mrs. J. Cairns accompanied her cousin, Mr. Mac Hamill and Mrs. Clarke of Walter's Falls to Baden on Sunday and visited their cousin Mrs. Clarence Phillips and family.

Miss Shirley Cairns is holidaying in Niagara Falls with her sister Mrs. Stewart Elkins.

Sunday School teacher: "Who can tell me anything about Ruth?"

Johnnie: "He made sixty home runs one season."

Specialist: "This eccentricity you speak of in your daughter - isn't it, after all, a matter of heredity?"

Mother (severely): "No, sir! I'd have you know that there never was any heredity in our family!"

A tall cowhand wearing a ten-gallon hat was sauntering around in a large department store, and the salesgirl asked if she might help him. He repied: "No, ma'am, I reckon not. I've never seen so much I coud do without."

THE 1949 "FUTURAMIC" OLDSMOBILE announced recently by General Motors of Canada features an entirely new body design and greatly increased vision in both the Series "76" (shown above) and Series "88". The company has announced that a limited number of the Series "88" will be available with the new Oldsmobile Rocket engine—the same high compression, eight-cylinder, valve-in-head engine which has been in process of development for several years. The compression ratio of the "Rocket" is 7.25 to 1 and with only minor mechanical modifications can be increased on future models to 12 to 1, as soon as higher octane fuels are available. Its 135 horsepower makes it the most powerful engine ever installed in an Oldsmobile. The Series "76" also offers an improved "Big Six" engine. Hydra-Matic Drive is available as optional equipment on the Series "76" and is standard equipment on the Series "88".

THE MIXING BOWL

by Anne Allan
HYDRO HOME ECONOMIST

Hello Homemakers! Delicate in flavour, tender in texture, attractive in colour and shape and altogether delicious is the way all vegetables should be served. But too often common cooking methods leave vegetables soggy and colourless. So we review do's and dont's to encourage you to keep the true colour and goodness of fresh garden produce.

1. Never use soda in cooking vegetables. It destroys some of the vitamins and flavour.
2. Recommended cooking methods are baking, steaming, and steam-boiling. This latter method is cooking in as small a quantity of water as possible, such as half an inch. It is recommended for young, fresh garden vegetables.
3. Over-cooking and too much water cause loss of minerals and vitamins and destruction of true colour and flavour.
4. The liquid in which a vegetable has been cooked or canned should be used for soups, cream sauces, gravies or vegetable juice drinks.
5. Fresh or dried herbs, leaves from celery tops often add flavour and variety to vegetables or other dishes.
6. Serve a raw vegetables once a day.
7. Scrub tender young vegetables Trim wisely. When you peel, peel thin. When you cut, cut even pieces. When prepared do not allow them to stand in a warm room, keep in a small amount of water in the refrigerator. Better still, prepare vegetables in time to dash them onto the stove to cook.
8. Add 1 teaspoon of salt to each pint of water and then it is not necessary to add any salt when they are eaten.
11. When the pot of vegetables begins to boil, reduce the heat to keep boiling, but never allow a "rushing" boil.
11. Do not cook to death. Keep track of the time. When a fork can be gently pushed into a piece, drain the liquid into an enamel or heat-resistant glass jar.
12. To serve as a buttered vegetable, shake the fresh cooked, food over a warm electric element, then add 1 tbsp. of butter for each cup of vegetables. Fold a piece of cheesecloth over the food if it is not being served immediately. Serve in a warm vegetable dish.

TURNIP SCALOP

3 cups turnip
¼ cup margarine
¼ cup flour
2 cups milk
salt and pepper

Slice turnips thin, cut circular pieces in strips. Place a layer ot turnip in greased casserole, sprinkle with flour, salt and pepper. Now add second, then third layer, lightly sprinkling with seasoned flour. Cover with milk. Bake in preheated electric oven for 50 minutes.

TOMATOES STUFFED WITH SALMON

6 tomatoes
1 tsp. grated onion
1 tbsp. butter
½ cup bread crumbs
salt and pepper
½ cup salmon

Prepare tomatoes as for Stuffed Tomatoes. Cook onion in butter for 5 minutes. Add crumbs, salmon, salt and pepper. Stuff tomatoes and place them on a baking sheet. Sprinkle on a few more salted crumbs. Bake in preheated electric oven of 400 degrees for 20 minutes.

SPICED SUMMER SQUASH

Wash, quarter, or cut in thick slices. Steam or cook 15 to 20 minutes until soft, in a small amount of boiling, salted water. Drain thoroughly, mash, and season with butter, salt and pepper and nutmeg.

SPINACH RING

6 cups spinach
1-3 cup butter
¾ tsp. salt
2 cups cooked buttered beets

Cook washed spinach sprinkled with the salt for 12 minutes. Drain and dot with butter. Press into a ring on a platter, leaving centre for the buttered beets. Garnish with slices of hard-cooked eggs.

A Texas man of 97 is taking sax lessons. That's about the best time to start to learn.

The farm boy home from college for the week end said at the breakfast table: "Dad, I got up at dawn just to see the sun rise."

"You couldn't have picked a better time," replied Dad.

HONEY

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