Boy Scouts

Tent Problem Solved

The regular meeting night is now Wednesday and the scouts met last week in the School Room of the former Methodist Church. A feature at the Council Fire was a demonstration by Mr. 'Dick' Lucas in answer to the week's problem, which was as follows: "A boy has fallen off a cement pier into the water; he cannot swim and there is no ladderway or other means whereby a person could climb out with him; but the usual coils of rope that are usually found at such places are available. How would you proceed?" The answer was to use the double bow-line, be lowered in one loop and rescue the drowning boy with the other. Readers will notice that this does not even require the rescuer to be a swimmer.

Another of those wonderful cooking hikes was held on Tuesday, when in the absence of S.M. Cecil Henry, Rev. A. S. Mitchell was assisted by P. L. Bill Dundas. The following scouts passed with the fire lighting and cooking test for Second Class Scout, Fred Armstrong, Beverly Johnston, Elmer Hutchinson, Victor Ward, Roland Irwin, Alvin Noble and Wallace Gibson. So far the fellows have brought bread; who is game to try his and at 'Scout Bread'? We must try that shortly.

Up to the present we have had no Ladies' Auxiliary, because our Local Council hesitated to ask for any more organizations in a place the size of Markdale, but the need has been very happily met. We have been advised that the I.O.D.E. have assumed the duties of a "Ladies' Scout Auxiliary." This is a splendid arrangement for several reasons. It will save the addition of a separate organization, claiming the precious time of ladies who are already busy; it will give the members of the I.O.D.E. a continued recognition from and connection with scouting, that their initial gift of colors a few weeks ago, would warrant; it will be following the lead of I.O.D.E. chapters in other centres, but the new connection will be a great help in our work as scouts. The ladies have already made plans to show that they mean to be a real auxiliary (which means help), and have decided to place a Markdale Hut in White Cloud Island. This will relieve us of all further anxiety as to the tremendous expense of tents for camp, as the gift automatically makes available for our use the two thousand dollar equipment that is now on the island. We understand that the I.O.D.E. is planning to hold an Old-Fashioned Dance on the 28th inst., to raise funds for our Scout Camp, and we want the scouts to relay the information as widely as possible. Don't you think we might add to the Fourth Law, so that it would read "A Scout is a friend to all—but especially to the I.O.D.E."

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For information call at office in Markdale, or write to Miss M. McCort, 974 2nd Ave. E., Owen Sound.

COURT OF REVISION

TOWNSHIP OF HOLLAND

NOTICE is hereby given that a Court of Revision on the Assessment Roll for the year 1926, will be held in the Township Hall, Holland Centre, on Tuesday, May 25th, 1926, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. All parties having business with the said Court will please take notice and act accordingly.

JAS. P. HARE, Township Clerk
Holland Centre, May 10, 1926.

COURT OF REVISION

TOWNSHIP OF EUPHRASIA

NOTICE is hereby given that a Court of Revision on the Assessment Roll of the Township of Euphrasia for the year 1926 will be held in the Township Hall, Rocklyn, on Friday, May 21st, 1926, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon. All parties interested and having business with the said Court will take notice and act accordingly.

N. L. CURRY, Clerk
Rocklyn, May 10th, 1926.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

This Thursday is Ascension Day.

Seeding operations are now in full swing in this locality.

Clarksburg will have a junior baseball team this year.

Two good rubber tired buggies for sale. B. H. Walden, Markdale. 37c

Miss Ina Smith of Toronto spent the week-end at her home here.

Mrs. T. S. Cooper and daughter, Vivian, are visiting in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stephenson and Noel were in Wingham on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. York spent the week-end at the latter's home in East Linton.

Miss Laura Green of Heathcote visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Walton on Sunday.

Mrs. Jos. Irwin has returned to Markdale after having spent the winter months in Toronto.

This is the time of year when the neighbors' hens get in effective work on the newly planted gardens.

Rev. A. Mills moved on Monday to the residence of the late Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Taylor on Toronto street.

Watch for the announcement and date of the Band's Commencement Concert which will be held early in June.

The contract for grading and gravelling the Provincial Highway north and south of Markdale has been let and work will commence shortly.

A meeting for the purpose of organizing a baseball club will be held in the Public Library on Thursday evening, May 13th, at 7:30 o'clock. All interested are asked to attend.

The C.G.I.T. Group are giving a play in the basement of the former Methodist Church on Wednesday, May 26th. Keep this date open and watch for further announcements.

A play, "The Adventures of Grandpa", will be given by the young people of S.S. No. 9, in the Town Hall at Walters Falls on Friday evening, May 21st. Admission 35c. and 25c. 378c

On Friday evening, May 28th, Marne Chapter I.O.D.E. will give an Old-Tyme Costume Progressive Euchre and Dance in the Armouries, Markdale. Lunch will be served. Admission 50 cents.

Mr. H. D. McLoughry of the suburbs, who had several ribs broken a few weeks ago when a load of logs on which he was riding upset, has been confined to his home since and has suffered considerably as a result.

The Mission Circle of the United Church of Canada (formerly Methodist) will hold a Mothers' and Daughters' Banquet on Friday evening, May 14th, at 6:30 o'clock. Bring your daughter or borrow one. Admission 35c.

Although nearly two weeks of the trout fishing season has passed into history we haven't yet heard a fish story and we have failed to hear of the big ones which got away. Very few good catches have been reported so far this season.

Thinking of putting on a concert? The United Church Dramatic Club, Dundalk, has prepared a rollicking good play, "The Colonel's Maid," and is open for engagements. Time of play 2¼ hours. For particulars write Frank MacIntyre, Dundalk.

Commencing on Tuesday, May 25, and continuing for the balance of that week, old rubbish, not ashes, when placed in containers and left in a convenient place will be taken to the dump ground free of charge. Notify Percy Sims, the drayman, and he will do the rest.

Mr. Oscar Walden of Toronto was a visitor in town over Sunday. He has purchased a number of used autos in the city and they are being offered for sale here by his father, Mr. B. H. Walden. A number of cars are now on exhibition at the garage on Toronto street, next the blacksmith shop.

Mr. T. J. Fawcett of this place has disposed of his residence in town to Mr. E. Donnelly of Meaford. Mr. Fawcett takes the Donnelly residence at Wodehouse on the deal and Mr. and Mrs. Fawcett will move thereto shortly. We understand that Mr. Fred Hainer has leased the house here from Mr. Donnelly.

At an official meeting held on the 10th inst. in the Parlors of the United Church (formerly Methodist) a unanimous invitation was extended to the Rev. F. N. Bowes to remain for the sixth year at an increase in salary as Pastor in charge of the three congregations with whom he has so successfully labored for the past five years.

Clarke Russell, a game warden at Bancroft, Ont., was drowned in one of the rivers in that territory on Monday afternoon of last week. A party of searchers recovered his body on Sunday last. He was a son of Samuel Russell of Dundalk and for some years was a barber at Priceville where he was married to a Priceville girl who now survives with four young children.

Durham Council has decided to oil the streets this year.

Mr. J. J. Richardson was in Toronto this week on business.

Mrs. S. A. Morrison was a visitor in Owen Sound for a few days.

Mrs. I. Elder jr. of Flesherton was a visitor in town for a few days.

Misses Leita Mercer and Jean Walker were home from Toronto over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Buffam spent the week-end at the latter's parental home in Meaford.

Oakville will have no Fall Fair this year, and the grounds and buildings will be sold.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Browne celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home in Durham recently.

Mr. Chas. McClean of this place has purchased from Mr. D. A. Graham his farm at Vandeleur and has taken possession.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Perkins and daughter, Lorna, of Toronto were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Perkins and family over Sunday.

Notifications extending over several weeks the two local United Churches have decided to continue to function as separate congregations.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Burnside of Grimsby are visitors with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Burnside, and other friends in town.

Messrs. Johnson Lucas and Andrew Gillespie accompanied Rev. A. S. Mitchell to London on Monday as Lay Delegates to the Annual Synod of Huron.

During June, July and August the Markdale Chopping Mill will be open only on Thursday, Friday and Saturday in each week. J. M. Webb, proprietor. 37tf

Mr. Jim Porter, accompanied by Mr. Lloyd McQuarrie, both of Ventry, motored up Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Schell, Mount Pleasant.

Messrs. Cecil Henry, W. Alton, W. Dundas, V. Hockley and Jack Colgan were in Owen Sound Monday evening representing the local Boy Scouts at a meeting of the officers of the several Scout organizations in Grey County.

Mrs. Thom of Barrie was a visitor with Mrs. T. S. Sproule for a few days.

Bonds bearing 5½ per cent. interest are for sale by Baim Bradey, Markdale.

Mrs. Donnelly sr., has returned from Owen Sound and will spend the summer months with her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Scaton and family of Hamilton were visitors over Sunday with Mrs. Scaton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Dennison, and other friends in town.

The local automobile dealers have made numerous sales of new cars during the past few weeks and prospects are bright for increased business as the summer advances.

Lieut. Wm. Turney of Flesherton and Major Edgerton of Markdale attended the annual meeting and banquet of the officers of the Grey Regiment on Wednesday of this week.

Dr. McCallum of Thornbury is dead. By his death Thornbury loses her most public-spirited and loyal citizen, he having been mayor five times, and a councillor for five years.

Acton Citizens' Band recently held a Benefit Concert and Old-Time Fiddlers' Contest. The crowd in attendance was considered the largest ever assembled in the hall for a concert.

Cooke's Church Mission Band will hold a sale of Home Cooking at Mrs. Leslie's store on Friday afternoon of this week. Tea will be served, the proceeds being devoted to the sending of a delegate to summer school.

Recent promotions in the Grey Regiment include Major R. C. Ferguson of Clarksburg, who is promoted to 2nd in Command of the Regiment, and Capt. S. J. Edgerton of Markdale, who is promoted to the rank of Major.

We are glad to learn of the continued interest of the I.O.D.E. in the Boy Scout Troop. The building of good Christian citizenship would seem to be much in harmony with the ideals of that wonderful Imperial Order.

Rev. John Braham, B.A., L.Th., from Vermilion, Diocese of Saskatchewan, is expected to arrive in Chatsworth to-day, to assume the duties of Rector of the Anglican Parish of Chatsworth, Desboro and Holland Township.

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