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TEA TIME TALK

(BY WILMA J. MARCH)

Recently two Canadian stamps, issued in 1851, of 24c value, bearing a charming portrait of Queen Victoria, were sold in London, England for seven thousand dollars.

Dr. Bruce, lieutenant-governor of Ontario, has praised the Association of Canadian Clubs in their efforts to foster Canadian patriotism.

The advertising of Canada, abroad is a large task and an important one. Each province and municipality should have organized methods of advertisement. Far too little is known of the greatness of our Dominion, in foreign countries. The Canadian National Exhibition is one great means of extending the knowledge about Canada, to others. Also, our exhibits at foreign fairs stimulates this knowledge.

The mineral fields of Canada are the envy of the world. Her mineral wealth is beyond our calculation. The mining industry in Canada is traced back to the finding of coal from seams on the Atlantic coast in the last quarter of the seventeenth century. The search for minerals became evident when gold was discovered in B. C. in 1857 and in N. S. in 1860. Silver to the extent of \$3,000,000 worth was mined at Silver Inlet on Lake Superior between 1870 and 1884. Nickel-copper deposits were found near Sudbury in 1883, while in 1887 silver-lead ores were unearthed at the west coast. Then in 1897-98 the famous gold rush of the Yukon, went down in the history of the mining world. In the years between 1923-32 the mineral output for Canada was \$2,500,000,000, a figure which we can't imagine. In Ontario during that time the output was 935 millions of dollars. Thirty years ago Ontario's production of all metals was 5 millions. Last year her gold alone amounted to 60 million. Little wonder that American firms are keen to become a part of this tremendous industry. Also it is little wonder that when Canada or Ontario floats a loan, the U. S. finance houses buy as much of it, as is possible.

No nation can live into itself alone and imports and exports play a vital part in the existence of every country. U. S. is realizing that she must buy more beyond her borders. This country to the south of us imported Canadian goods worth sixteen million dollars during the month of April this year. That sum was fifteen times the amount of imports bought from Canada in the same month a year ago. During the same period Canada bought over twenty-six million dollars of goods from U. S. which was twice that of the same month in 1933. Of all the

U. S. customers only the United Kingdom bought more than Canada. These figures prove beyond any doubt that Canada is alert about her trade problems. It also proves that U. S. might hold in highest respect her British and Canadian markets.

Tourist trade is greatly stimulating the industrial markets. The tourist season is with us again and it is not until one really studies this industry that they realize its importance to Canada. Three hundred million dollars brought into the Dominion yearly, by tourist folks is something which might well not be sneezed at. Our farm products are used when at their prime. There are few people in Canada who do not benefit directly or indirectly by the tourist trade.

Canada's educational system is second to none. One quarter of the population of Ontario goes to school of some sort. Likewise the other provinces rate high in educational standing. The percentage of illiteracy in our province is smaller than any of the other provinces and also any of any English speaking part of the world. Within a few hundred miles of Washington D.C., in the Carolinas to be exact, there are people at present, who can neither read nor write—not a few but whole mountainous districts. They, too, are bound by superstition so strongly, that they still believe in witch doctors and many old beliefs which fill their lives with fear. The northern and remote districts of Canada are kept in touch with the educational and medical centres by means of radio and aeroplane service, while many stalwart doctors, nurses and teachers bring to these people in the outlying districts, the best attention possible. Our colleges and Universities are recognized the world over and their share of graduates reach the Hall of Fame.

Canada's R. N. W. M. P. force has a reputation, which is respected the world over. Foreign criminals think twice before seeking escape in the Canadian provinces for they know the old saying that our mounties "get their man". This means more to Canada and her people, than we might think. Those red-coats are on guard while we sleep; knowing that much is expected of them they live up to those ideals. And this is one more notch of distinction for our fair Dominion.

The sun never sets on the domains of Britain and we should be proud, more proud than we sometimes appear, that no flag, unfurling its folds in the breeze, is quite so beautiful and glorified as our own Union Jack.

JOHNSON - WHITE

High Park United Church, Toronto, was suitably decorated on Saturday afternoon with pale blue delphinium, Pewel gladioli and palms for the wedding of Margaret Adele, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. White of Markdale, and Charles Johnson of Toronto, formerly of London, England.

The Rev. Dr. H. W. Avison officiated, assisted by the Rev. J. F. Reycraft. Throughout the ceremony, quiet music was rendered by Miss Grace I. Irwin. At the conclusion of the ceremony, the bride and groom remained at the altar. Miss Mary B. Scott sang the hymn "O Perfect Love," and during the signing of the register, "Deep as the Night."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an exquisite gown of tea rose suede lace over taffeta. The form-fitting jacket was caught at the neckline with dainty fragonard clips, the cascades of the skirt extending to form a short train. She wore matching shoes and a halo hat with shoulder length maline veil and carried a shower bouquet of lily of the valley and Johanna Hill roses.

The only attendant of the bride was her cousin, Miss Marion White, who wore a becoming frock of triple sheer in perverche blue with large picture hat of matching lace straw, and gloves and shoes of tea rose shade. The bouquet she carried was of tea rose sweet peas and pale blue delphinium tied with silver ribbon. The groom was attended by Mr. Roy G. Allan. The ushers were Messrs. Harvey E. and R. White, brothers of the bride.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. David White, where the bride's mother and aunt received, assisted by Mrs. Walter Johnson, sister-in-law of the groom. The bride's mother was becomingly gowned in navy and white chiffon with matching navy hat and shoes and wore a shoulder bouquet of Johanna Hill roses and lily of the valley. Mrs. David White was in a modish gown of flowered chiffon, with black hat and wore a corsage of Talisman roses. Mrs. Johnson was dressed in black lace with black straw hat and matching accessories and her corsage was of Talisman roses and corn flowers.

Later the bride and groom left for an extensive motor trip through Quebec and the Maritime provinces, the bride travelling in a smart navy blue taffeta suit and navy taffeta hat with matching accessories. On their return they will reside on Riverdale Drive.

SHEPHERD - WRIGHT

The marriage of Jean Holland Ruthven, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas Wright of Markdale, to Dr. Francis Harold Shepherd, son of Mrs. Shepherd and the late Mr. Frank Shepherd, took place Friday in College Street United Church. Dr. R. J. Wilson officiated. The bride, given in marriage by Mr. Stuart Gilray, was gowned in turquoise silk net, with matching moiré hair and net hat, and she carried Butterfly roses. Immediately after the ceremony they left by motor for Northern Ontario. They will live in Toronto. For travelling the bride wore a smart navy triple sheer suit, with navy taffeta hat.

STRANGE - MACAULAY

At the United Church parsonage by Rev. H. S. Warren on June 30th, Hazel Viola, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Macaulay, Berkeley, to Leonard Richard Wilson Strange, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Strange of Owen Sound.

Card of Thanks

We desire to express our thanks to those who supplied treats, etc., for Mr. Breadner during his illness. We wish especially to mention the box sent by Temple Hill Ladies' Aid. Mr. and Mrs. James Breadner.

Card of Thanks

Mr. M. Beard, Harold and Thelma wish to thank their relatives, friends and neighbors for their kind expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes extended to them during their recent loss of a loving wife and mother.

ROBERT L. JOHNSTON

(By Temple Hill Correspondent)
With the passing of Mr. Robert L. Johnston on Saturday evening, June 30th, 1934, this community has lost one of its most highly respected pioneer citizens.

The late Mr. Johnston was born on April 23rd, 1852, at Lindsay, Ont., coming to this country with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, at the age of 12 years and settling on the farm now owned by Mr. Roy Rae of Harkaway. Residing there a short time, they then moved to the farm where Mr. Richard Johnston now resides. He and his older brother, Richard, cleared the land, making a home for their parents and younger brothers and sisters.

On February 12th, 1881, he was united in marriage to Elizabeth Margaret Patton. To this union were born four children, two of whom survive, one child passing in infancy and Victor in February, 1917. Mrs. Johnston passed away in April, 1933.

Mr. Johnston leaves to mourn his passing one daughter, Nettie, at home, who so lovingly cared for her father, one son, Stanley of Owen Sound, two grandchildren, Miss Mildred and Mr. Bob Johnston. He also leaves three brothers and three sisters. Mr. Richard Johnston of Harkaway, Mr. Joshua Johnston of Pleasant Valley, Mr. Wm. Johnston of Lilyoak, Mrs. J. Bradley of Berkeley, Mrs. M. Patton of Harkaway, Mrs. Hawkins of U.S.A.

The late Mr. Johnston was a man of very fine character and was held in high esteem by all who knew him. His many acts of kindness will ever be remembered by his neighbors.

The funeral was held on Monday afternoon at Temple Hill Cemetery. After a short service at the house, the funeral cortege then proceeded to Temple Hill Church where the deceased, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Millie, conducted the service. The church was filled to capacity which showed the high esteem in which the deceased was held. Mrs. (Rev.) Wilkinson and Mrs. Danard Croke rendered a beautiful duet, "Some one will enter the Pearly Gates". The pallbearers were Messrs. Wilbert Menary, Geo. Seabrooks, Clifford and Gordon Erskine, Carl Boyd, Wm. Hannah, John and Norman McInnis.

Friends from a distance who attended the funeral were, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Willis Smith, Mrs. John Patton of Thornton; Mrs. Smith and son Angus and daughters Katharine and Grace and Mr. Harold Miller of Kincardine; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bannon and Mrs. Robinson of Dundalk; Mr. and Mrs. Shields of Bognor; Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. J. Breadner of Meaford; Mr. H. L. Menary of Owen Sound; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hannah and Mrs. Givens of Chatsworth.

The community joins in extending its deepest sympathy to the sorrowing family.

MRS. ROBERT WHITE

Friends in the vicinity received word on Saturday of the death of a former highly respected resident in the person of Mrs. Robt. White, death occurred in Pangman, Sask., at the home of her son, Robert.

Mrs. White before her marriage, was Elizabeth Boyle, daughter of the late Francis and Eliza Boyle, of Glenelg township, and later resided with her husband, the late Robert White, on a farm just north of Berkeley. They farmed there successfully for many years, during which time a family of three sons and three daughters were born to them, all of whom survive: Mrs. J. A. Ledingham of Duluth, Minn.; Mrs. Leslie Gaisop of Assiniboia, Man.; Mrs. John Kirk of Massie, Ont.; Frank, Charles and Robert of Pangman, Sask. One sister, Mrs. John Ritchie of Winnipeg and two brothers, Rev. W. H. W. Boyle of New York city and Joseph Boyle of Moose Jaw, Sask., also survive. The late Mrs. White, who was in her 83rd year, had for the past 22 years made her home with her son Robert in Pangman.

The remains of the late Mrs. White were brought home for interment in the family plot at Berkeley, arriving on the noon train Wednesday. Service was conducted in the United Church at Berkeley

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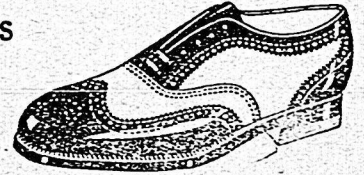
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JUNE HOSPITAL NEWS

Major operations:

Mrs. J. H. Lougheed of Thornbury has returned home after goitre operation much improved in health.

Mr. Sam. Stauffer of Flesherton, who was operated on for ruptured appendix and was critically ill left the hospital last week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Parker of Maxwell has returned home after goitre operation and is doing well.

Master Gordon Nichols of Mount Zion, who was operated on for ruptured appendix, has returned home.

Mr. John O'Neill of Glenelg is much improved after goitre operation and is convalescing at his home.

Mrs. W. J. Hawkins, Harkaway, had a successful cataract operation on her right eye.

Miss Agnes McArthur of Warton had appendicitis operation and has returned home.

Mrs. Ernest Gordon of Thornbury is recuperating at Miss E. Arley's after goitre operation.

Mr. Lloyd McLean, Walters Falls, made a quick recovery after his operation for appendicitis.

Minor operations such as tonsil, etc. were in number about ten.

Medical cases—the principal one was Mr. William Stafford of Berkeley who is making satisfactory progress after his severe burning with gasoline at the garage in Berkeley.

Births:

To Mr. and Mrs. Fred McCutcheon, Markdale, on Sunday, June 3rd, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beaton, Markdale, on June 16th, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. John H. Menary, on June 25th, a daughter.

MILL BURNED

Herb Metcalf's chopping mill here was completely destroyed by fire on Tuesday evening. The first to see the fire was Mr. A. C. Stewart, who gave the alarm immediately but the building was all in flames and nothing could be saved. Besides the motor, chopper and oat roller there were several new machines which had been installed to manufacture sawdust products. Several cords of wood were also destroyed. Mr. Metcalf's loss will be heavy as the insurance carried was far below the value of the building and contents. The cause of the fire, which was discovered shortly after nine o'clock, is a mystery. It may have been caused from combustion or from defective electric wiring. While the blaze continued the business section of the village was in danger as sparks were carried for a great distance. The firemen were on the job promptly and kept two streams of water playing on the blaze until the danger was passed.

BORN

DAVIS—In Artemesia on Saturday, June 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Davis, a daughter. Stillborn.

United Church of Canada

Rev. H. S. Warren, B.A.

Sunday, July 8th, 1934
10 a.m.—Sunday School.

11 a.m.—Members of the Orange Lodge will attend service.

2 p.m.—Vandeleur service.

7.30 p.m.—Evening Worship.

BARRHEAD W. I.

The June meeting of the Barrhead W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Earl Smart on June 21st, with 18 members and 3 visitors present. The meeting was opened by singing the Institute Ode and repeating the Lord's Prayer in unison. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. L. Torry. The roll call was answered by "Suggestions to a Bride". The minutes of the May meeting were read and adopted. Among the correspondence read was a letter from the Sunshine committee and a notice of the District Annual Meeting at Kimberley on June 27 to which Mrs. L. Whitehead was appointed a delegate. Community singing was enjoyed after which Miss Mary McNicoll gave a very interesting reading. Mrs. Varty gave a paper on "Value of Honey". Community singing was again enjoyed. Readings were then given by Mrs. W. Boales and Mrs. J. Hatton. The current events were given by Mrs. S. Hill. The meeting was closed by singing "The National Anthem, after which the hostess and lunch committee served a dainty lunch. The July meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. R. W. Wilson on July 19th at 8 p.m.

VANDELEUR W. I.

The June meeting of the Vandeleur Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. W. Ratcliffe. This was to have been a picnic but on account of rain had to be held inside. The meeting was opened by singing the National Anthem. After the business part of the meeting a cent contest was put on by Miss Dora Bojana. Lunch was then served by all the members. The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. George Shaw.

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before interment in the church cemetery there.

ROBERT J. CLARKE

The sudden death of Robert John Clarke occurred at the home of his father-in-law, Mr. A. C. Paterson of Blantyre, about nine o'clock Tuesday evening, from kidney poisoning. Deceased had not been in robust health for some time and was taken dangerously ill on Monday evening when he lapsed into unconsciousness and failed to rally.

The late Mr. Clarke was born in Euphrasia township, some 59 years ago and spent his life in this section. For a time he carried on a farm implement business and acted as car salesman in Thornbury for a number of years. He later came to Meaford in the same capacity and carried on until a couple of years ago. Owing to the illness of Mr. A. C. Paterson, deceased has resided at Blantyre for some months and his sudden passing is much regretted by all who knew him. Deceased was a member of Thornbury Lodge, I.O.O.F., and was a member of the Meaford Masonic Lodge, the latter having charge of the funeral.

Deceased is survived by his widow, formerly Miss Margaret Paterson, and two brothers, Foster Clarke, Goring and Givester Clarke of Maxwell.

The funeral was held from Blantyre to Lakeview Cemetery Thursday afternoon. Service was conducted at Knox Church, 9th line.—Meaford Express.

DECORATION SERVICE

The annual Decoration Service at Markdale Cemetery will be held on Sunday afternoon, July 15th. The members of Saugeen Lodge No. 327, I.O.O.F., will be in charge of the service which will be conducted as in the past.