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LOCAL NEWS

Miss Freda K. Eagles is attending Summer School at Hamilton.

Miss Lois Acheson is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. E. R. Smith, in Toronto.

Miss Margaret Neely of Winnipeg is visiting with her sister, Mrs. J. E. Cron.

Mr. Alex Vost of Meaford is spending his vacation with his mother, Mrs. A. Vost.

Dr. Percy Moore of Ottawa spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thibaudeau.

Mrs. L. Clarke and son of Meaford visited over the week-end with Mrs. C. B. Leaver.

Miss Mary Thompson of Toronto is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Thompson.

Miss Irene Gemmel is spending a week with Miss Isabel Norquay on the Manitoulin Island.

Miss Greta Elliott of Toronto visited over the week-end with her father, Mr. Jack Elliott.

Miss Annie Davidson is spending a month with her parents at her home at Lake Charles, Ontario.

Mrs. Robt. McMaster of Brantford was a week-end visitor with her daughter, Miss Pearl McMaster.

Mrs. F. J. Ritchie visited with her son, Mr. John Ritchie, Mrs. Ritchie and family in Oshawa last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Thibaudeau of Toronto spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. F. Thibaudeau and Frances.

Mr. and Mrs. John Talbot of Proton Station were Sunday visitors with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Alcox.

Miss Freda K. Eagles attended the wedding of her friend, Miss Dorothy Cranston, at Caledon East on Saturday, July 8th.

Miss Mary Annis, nurse-in-training in the Western Hospital, Toronto, is visiting with her parents, Rev. S. E. and Mrs. Annis.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Alton and children of Bala spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Alton.

The members of the ladies' Sew Club enjoyed a picnic at Mrs. L. Rapp's cottage at Wassaga Beach on Friday last.

Mrs. J. Norquay and children have returned to their home at Coniston after visiting with the former's brother, Mr. W. J. Plewes.

Miss Dorothy Mann, who is attending Summer School in Hamilton, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mann.

A tour of inspection of the Grey and Dufferin County Forests is being sponsored by the Department of Agriculture on Wednesday, July 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Allison, Master Joey and J. T. Allison attended the funeral of the latter's sister, Mrs. Bella Carr, at Beaton last week.

New awnings have been erected at several business places in town recently, the latest being Oliver's, Wright's, Graham's, Leaver's and King's.

Mrs. C. C. Johnson of London and Miss Omel Brodie of Radville, Sask., were week-end visitors with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. White.

Markdale Rotary Club members have decided to hold a street frolic on Thursday evening, August 10th. Particulars will be announced at an early date.

Markdale Orangemen, with all other Orange Lodges in the district, spent the 12th in Owen Sound where 67 lodges participated in one of the largest demonstrations ever held in the city.

Miss Florence Irwin of Winnipeg and Mr. Bert Armstrong of Bruce Mines, who is taking a Summer Course in Toronto, were week-end visitors with Mrs. J. R. Armstrong and family.

Visitors last week with Mrs. J. E. Matson and Miss Elvie were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Matson and sons, Jim and Douglas, of St. Marys and Miss Lily Matson of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wilson and Gloria arrived from Eston, Sask., by motor on Saturday night to visit the former's father, Mr. T. H. Wilson, and their daughter, Miss Audrey, who has been with her grandfather for the past year.

Grey-Bruce Conservatives will hold a Nominating Convention in Hanover on the evening of Friday, July 28th, when Mr. Gordon Graydon, M.P. for Peel, will be the guest speaker. Some newspapers have announced this convention for July 21st, but Friday, July 28th, is the date.

Much credit is due Frances Thibaudeau, aged 9, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thibaudeau, as she has been quite successful in her music, passing Grade V with 68 marks. She also passed in Theory, Grade I and Grade II, receiving first class honors, 85 marks, in Grade II. Frances is also quite clever in her school work, having passed into Grade VII in the Public School.

Received Grand Lodge Honorary Certificates

At the regular meeting of L.O.L. No. 1045, Markdale, held on Thursday evening of last week Messrs. James Bradey and Joseph Richardson were presented with Grand Lodge Honorary Certificates. These certificates are presented to members who have been members of the order continuously for fifty years or more and both Mr. Bradey and Mr. Richardson have qualified having been initiated in the Markdale lodge on July 9th, 1886, fifty-three years ago. Past Grand Master Wm. J. Miller of Bogno made the presentations in an appropriate manner. They are now the two oldest members in connection with the local lodge and both were in the procession in Owen Sound on July 12th.

District Entrance Examination Results

The following are the results of the Entrance examinations. It will be noted that no honor standing is given but this will be entered on each pupil's certificate, where qualified.

Rocklyn Centre

Luxton Barry, Douglas Broadner, Harry Carbert, Iva Dixon, Dorothy Erskine, Aileen Graham, Maurice Graham, Gwendolyn Greenaway, Milton Hannah, Irma Lanktree, Arthur Leppard, Lulu Lyons, Wilma Murray, Jim Menarey, Raymond Merrifield, Florence Miller, Norville Parker, Jean Risk, Doris Seabrook, May Sewell, Isabelle Erskine.

Kimberley Centre

Leota Gilbert, Della M. Markle, Donald B. Rear, Kenneth Strickland.

Chatsworth Centre

Joseph Belinas, Maxine Ruth Buchanan, Maxine Connell, Aleda Elder, Richard Foster, Joseph D. Gordon, Kenneth C. Graham, Dorothy Gunn, Mary Hansen, Howard Henderson, Gwyneth Henry, Ione Hodgson, Douglas Inglis, William Inglis, Lloyd Jackson, John Johnson, Jane B. Kerr, Robert A. Kiff, Jean King, James Laird, Frances McAulay, Russell McCracken, Clifford McKibbin, Donald Meyers, Jessie Mustard, Jean Phillips, Gordon Ramage, Muriel Ramage, Mabel Richardson, Harold Slade, James Smith, Ralph Sutherland, Doris Taylor, Betty Young, Laverne Henderson Reg. 10 (6).

Zion W. I. 25th Anniversary

The 25th anniversary of Zion branch Women's Institute was held on the spacious lawn at the home of Mrs. W. I. Greenwood on July 5 with 125 people in attendance. Many former members of Zion branch returned to help celebrate. Mrs. W. I. Ritchie, president, read an address of welcome, paying tribute to those women who 25 years ago had the vision and courage to organize. At the beginning there were only seven members, now there are thirty. She especially welcomed the past members and friends.

Miss Margaret McGirr, who had been at the organization meeting twenty-five years ago, brought greetings from the Durham branch, which is the mother branch in South-Grey, and gave a talk on "Twenty-five Years." Miss Clara Jack gave a report of the work of the last 25 years. Duets were sung by Mrs. R. Staples and Mrs. W. Ellison and Mrs. W. G. Firth and her daughter, Jean. Mrs. Arthur McNally and daughter, Leona, gave violin and guitar numbers and readings were given by Mrs. Albert McNally and Mrs. J. C. Cook. An interesting feature was the roll call of every person who had ever belonged to the branch. At the close there was a minute's silence observed in memory of those who had passed away. Tea was served. The decorations were carried out in pink and white. A four-storey birthday cake with twenty-five candles, centred the table. Mrs. R. T. Edwards, one of the oldest past members present, put the knife in the cake. The cake was made by Mrs. T. Glenross. Those pouring tea were Mrs. J. J. Peart, the first president of the Institute, and Mrs. W. J. Greenwood, first vice-president, and Mrs. William Cook and Mrs. Henry Beaton, both early members. Greetings were read from South Glenelg Women's Institute and a number of letters from those who were unable to attend.

Dundalk will celebrate Derry Day on Saturday, August 12th.

Miss Ma Dennett will have charge of the evening service in the Gospel Workers' Church on Sunday next.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Beaton and son, David, spent a few days last week with relatives in Ottawa. Mrs. M. Oliver and Miss Marion Beaton, who had been visiting there, returned home with them.

Annesley Young Men Help The Harold Annis Fund

The members of Annesley Young Men's Class may be occasionally seen these evenings heading for Bill Kinney's farm on the West Back Line. They have a vegetable garden up there, the plot generously donated by Bill and his Mother, on which they have set their hopes. It requires a lot of hoeing, but they are working in a good cause. The money they hope to make from the sale of these vegetables is to be a contribution to the Harold Annis Memorial Fund. A group of boys in the East End of Toronto has agreed to dispose of as much as possible there.

A group of local men has voluntarily organized into a committee to receive such other contributions to this cause as friends may wish to make. The committee is: Gordon Beaton, Chairman; Hillis Burnside, Secretary; Nelson Armstrong, Treasurer; W. J. McFadden, Milson Henry, Bill Kinney.

The aim is to raise a sum the interest on which will be sufficient to send a boy of Christian character to a camp or school where he may become inspired and somewhat equipped to give Christian leadership to younger boys in the community. The problem of leaders is always with us and the object of this fund is to help meet that problem.

The benefit of the fund is to be shared equally by boys of Markdale and of Woodbine United Church in Toronto. Its control is in the hands of a trustee board representative of Markdale, Woodbine Church and the Toronto Boys' Work Board, with the Rev. John Hoyle as Secretary-Treasurer.

Any one anxious to help along this effort to help our boys is invited to give his or her contribution to any member of the local committee.

Give the Children an Outing

Some time ago the following letter was received by Rev. S. E. Annis from the Neighborhood Workers Association of Toronto and presented by him to his congregation. But the situation for which the appeal was made is still very far from being met and another call has come for help. Perhaps a number of homes in our community may be interested.

Dear Mr. Annis:

As the calendar says "May", our minds think of "July and August". While for many, that means holidays in the country, for hundreds of children it means playing on hard pavements, sleeping in crowded, stuffy rooms - hot days with no cool respite at night. Why? Because their families are quite unable financially to provide a holiday for them. Economic conditions have not brightened the past winter. The number in receipt of relief is still a staggering one. For other families, the never-ending struggle to stretch a very small wage to cover all the needs of the family, results in homes racked by fear, anxiety and in bodies, pale, thin and undernourished.

For some years now, many children, through the kindness of people in the country, have had the thrill of a holiday, of playing on green grass, picnicking in shady woods, swimming in a cool running stream, eating nourishing food, drinking lots of milk, and it is only natural that children who have had such a delightful experience are longing to repeat it.

We ask you to bring our appeal to the attention of your people. For your convenience in forwarding to us the names of hostesses interested in giving children a happy, health-building, two-week holiday, we are enclosing a form which provides space to state the hostesses' preference as to the age and sex of the guest and the time of the holiday.

While the hostesses entertain the children without remuneration, the Neighborhood Workers Association pays the transportation. Each child is medically examined before leaving the city.

For the sake of these children, may we hope to hear from you in the near future?

Very sincerely yours,
F. N. Stapleford
General Secretary.

A later letter states that outings will need to be arranged this summer for approximately 1200 children. Up to the beginning of July about 300 children have been invited to homes in the country. A large number is, therefore, still unprovided for.

If you wish to assist in this worthy enterprise you may write direct to the Neighborhood Workers Association, 22 Wellesley St., Toronto, or to Rev. S. E. Annis or any minister in Markdale, stating the number of children you will take, your preference as to age, sex, and time. For the sake of the children!

A revival of old-fashioned honesty is one of our many needs to-day.

Some Highlights on the Entrance Examination

Mr. Pentland, the Inspector of Schools for South Grey, sends us the following information about the recent Entrance examination, which may be interesting to our readers.

In the entire Inspectorate of South Grey, there were 311 candidates in all, of whom 112 were allowed their standing on their year's work. Of the other 199, all of whom had to write; 142 passed, or 71.3 per cent. From the six urban centres, Hanover, Neustadt, Durham, Markdale, Flesheron, Dundalk, there were 126 pupils prepared, of whom 66 obtained their standing on their year's work, and the other 60 wrote. Of those who wrote 49 passed, or 81.16 per cent, and 33 candidates won honours, part on their year's work and part on the written examination, or 26.2 per cent.

From the six townships, Artemesia, Bentinck, Egremont, Glenelg, Normandy, Proton, a total of 185 were prepared. Of this number 46 were given their standing on their year's work, and the other 139 wrote. Of those who wrote, 68 per cent passed and 31 won honours, part on their year's work and part on the written examination, or 16.7 per cent.

The highest standing in the entire Inspectorate was Phyllis Vaughan, a little thirteen year old girl from No. 5 Glenelg, (taught by Miss Elva Horn), who heads the Honour list, beats the Inspectorate, and wins the Dr. Jamieson Gold Medal. A very close runner-up was Phyllis Roberts, a twelve year old girl from No. 5 Osprey, who was taught by Miss Jeanette McNicol. (For examination purposes Osprey comes in with South Grey.)

The best writer in the Inspectorate was Marie Fritz, of the Neustadt Public School, taught by Mr. Roy Brown. The best spellers were Hubert Hay, of the Durham Public School, taught by Mr. Noble, Gordon Weiser, of U.S. No. 3, Normandy, taught by Miss Irma Dingwall, and Elvie Wylie of No. 18 Euphrasia, (who wrote at Markdale, and who was taught by Miss V. Murray). All of the above obtained full marks.

The best at Grammar are, Gordon Weiser, and Eugene Wells, the latter of the Hanover School, taught by Mr. Magee, both equal and both high. The best at Literature was Matthew O'Farrell, of Separate School Section No. 10, Normandy, taught by Miss Agnes Quinlan, and the best Mathematician in the Inspectorate was Phyllis Vaughan, the gold medalist and champion pupil of the Inspectorate.

Orangemen Attend Church Service On Sunday

The members of L.O.L. No. 1045, Markdale, with visitors from neighboring lodges, attended service in Cooke's Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening last. The brethren met at the Orange Hall and paraded to the Church where Rev. J. E. Taylor preached an interesting and uplifting sermon, basing his remarks on the words found in Job 3, "Beloved, when I gave all diligence to write unto you of the common salvation, it was needful for me to write unto you, and exhort you that ye should earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints."

There was a good turnout of the lodge members in spite of the fact that a heavy rain was falling at the hour of gathering. On returning to the lodge after the service a resolution was passed extending the thanks of the brethren to Rev. Mr. Taylor.

King Family Held Re-Union

The second annual re-union of the King family was held on Thursday afternoon at the old family home now owned by Mr. Albert King. Around 80 guests were present, including the last members of the original family, namely Mrs. Shepherdson and Mr. Robt. King, who are twins and will celebrate their 80th birthday in September. Also a family of four generations were in the gathering.

The afternoon was spent in renewing friendships amongst the older while the young folk enjoyed baseball. Supper was served at 5 o'clock followed by a program of speeches, music and singing. Mr. Carman King presided over same and also the election of officers for 1940 when the re-union will be held on July 1st at the same home. Mr. Robt. King was elected president; Mrs. Erling Marshall, secretary; other committees appointed were Erwin Hammill, Mr. and Mrs. C. King, Mrs. Robt. King, W. Martin and Ab. King. About dusk friends departed for their homes in Brampton, Chateworth, Meaford, Markdale and Thornbury.

Each half of the world pities the other half, because it isn't as smart as it is.

Mr. William J. Jackson

Mr. William J. Jackson, one of the most highly respected residents of the village of Berkeley, passed away on Thursday, June 29th. Mr. Jackson had a severe illness in April from which he rallied and was quite active again, having made a garden and split and piled several cords of wood for the coming winter. On June 19th he was taken ill again and although he had the best medical attention and loving nursing he gradually grew weaker until the end. Mr. Jackson was 83 years old on May 24 and was born and raised near Berkeley. Although he and Mrs. Jackson had travelled a lot, both in Western Canada and the United States, it was his wish to spend his remaining years at Berkeley where he had bought a comfortable home. He was an honest and upright citizen of whom it can truly be said, "He was a Gentleman."

Fifty-nine years ago he was united in marriage to Miss Sarah Anderson, who survives with a family of four sons and five daughters, namely: Sidney of Swift Current, Sask; Lyman of Toronto; Dr. J. Edgar of Georgetown and Leslie of San Diego, Cal.; Mrs. Martha Alm, Vancouver; Mrs. Annie Bunton, Toronto; Mrs. Stella Daniels, Vancouver; Mrs. Pearl Lane, Georgetown and Mrs. Lydia Macaluso, Chicago. Two sisters, Mrs. Jas. Edgar of Shallow Lake and Mrs. Walker of Port Francis, also survive. A daughter, Mrs. Sadie McCaw, and a son, Herbert, passed away some years ago.

The funeral, which was largely attended, was held from his home with service in the United Church and burial in Markdale cemetery. The floral offerings were many and beautiful. The pallbearers were all old friends of the deceased, A. Hannah, Wm. Black, Wm. Allen, Thos. Anderson, John Hannah and Dave Bradley. The services were conducted by Rev. R. K. Burnside assisted by Rev. W. G. Wakefield.

Abraham Dever

The death occurred of Mr. Abraham Dever, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Dever on June 28th in Saskatchewan, Sask. Hospital after an illness of only a few days.

The deceased who was in his 57th year was born at Berkeley; while a young lad he worked several years in Owen Sound, going West in the Spring of 1914 when he entered the store business with his brother Matt in Saskatchewan and the two brothers have continued in business there during the past 25 years.

Outside his business career his main interest was in his church, and especially the Sunday School where he was a faithful and ardent worker and bore the fine record of having missed only one Sunday during eight years of teaching his class. Following funeral services at Saskatchewan, Sask., his remains were brought home to Berkeley, where on Monday July 3, funeral services were conducted at the United Church by Rev. Mr. Burnside assisted by Rev. Mr. Wakefield. The Scripture lesson from I Cor. 15, was read by Rev. Mr. Wakefield and then he spoke of the deceased who as a young man was well known in the community and having been born and brought up in a Christian home, carried with him to his new home in a faraway province true Christian ideals which he practised in his daily life.

Rev. Mr. Burnside brought a comforting message from the words "O Grave Where is thy Sting; O Grave where is thy Victory?" The hymns sung were old family favourites, "Nearer My God to Thee", Rock of Ages" and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus". Mrs. A. E. McConnell sang as a solo "Some Happy Day". Many beautiful floral tributes from local friends and Saskatchewan friends silently carried their message of sympathy to the bereaved friends, and loving esteem for the late Mr. Dever. A beautiful spray from his minister and congregation in Saskatchewan was among the loving tokens.

The pall-bearers were three nephews, Messrs. David, Ernest and Carl Bradley, two cousins Robert and Abe Hanna and an old neighbour Thos. Anderson.

Out of a family of twelve children, three of which, two girls and a boy died in infancy, nine have lived to reach mature life, the late Mr. Dever's death being the first and left to mourn his passing are two sisters Mrs. D. R. Bradley, Berkeley, and Mrs. T. D. Crawford, Allenford, and six brothers, John A., Thomas G. and Wesley, Proton Station, James, Toronto, William, Allenford and Matthew, Saskatchewan.

Besides the many local friends present at the funeral services, were friends from Toronto, Dundalk, Proton, Allenford, Harkaway, Holland Centre and Markdale.

Interment took place in Berkeley where he was laid beside his Father and Mother.

Mrs. Andrew Gilchrist Dies After Long Illness

Death came quietly about 9.20 Wednesday evening of last week to Mrs. Andrew Gilchrist and brought to a close a lengthy period of suffering, patiently borne. She had been ill for the past several years and three years ago she required a leg amputation to prolong her life and a short time afterward the other limb was required to be taken off. She was tenderly nursed at that time by her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Johnson. During the past couple of years she has been able to get around only in a wheel chair, but was active in her home throughout that period. She made quilts, hooked mats and in various other ways kept actively occupied and passed the time usefully. She went on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Ross Stevens, and was taken ill about a month ago and at her request was brought to her home in town, where her condition gradually became worse until the end came quietly Wednesday evening.

The late Mrs. Gilchrist, whose maiden name was Harriett Stewart, was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Stewart, and was born on the west backline, Artemesia, and was in her 73rd year. In 1894 she was united in marriage to Mr. Andrew Gilchrist and together they made their home south of Ceylon until 19 years ago, when they moved to Flesheron. Mr. Gilchrist predeceased her by five years. She was a member of the former Presbyterian church and after union was a member of St. John's United Church, which she attended regularly until her health failed. She was active in the Ladies' Aid and other organizations in the church. She was of a most cheery disposition and even in her illness made light of her pain, and had a pleasant word for everyone. The world is much the better for having personages like Mrs. Gilchrist, pass through it.

She leaves a family of five daughters, all residing in Artemesia township, namely: Ella (Mrs. W. Johnson), Clara (Mrs. Edgar Patterson), Ethel (Mrs. John Nichol), Annie (Mrs. Ross Stevens), Mabel (Mrs. Ward Harrison). Four sisters and four brothers are also left to mourn: Annie (Mrs. John Nixon), Mono Mills; Bella (Mrs. Peter Thibaudeau), Toronto; Frances (Mrs. John Thibaudeau), Markdale; Louise (Mrs. Alex. McKae), Flesheron; John of Artemesia, Charlie of Kindsley, Sask.; William of Mt. Dennis and Mark of Flesheron. A sister, Jennie (Mrs. Donald McLeod) of Ceylon died three years ago and a brother, Dan, and a sister, Ellie, died in her youth.

The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon, when service was held in St. John's United Church, following a short service at the house, and was conducted by her pastor, Rev. G. K. McMillan. Interment was made in Flesheron Cemetery.

The pallbearers were: Messrs. Vernon Stewart, Kendal Stewart, Frank Thibaudeau, Gordon Thibaudeau, Harvey Nixon and Snowden McLeod, all nephews.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral were: Mrs. John McEwen of Owen Sound; Mr. and Mrs. A. Milne, Dunrobin; Mr. Bob Weir and Mrs. Geo. Weir, Mr. and Mrs. Will Weir, Mrs. F. Spearing, Mr. and Mrs. D. McAllister, all of Collingwood; Mr. and Mrs. V. Metherall and Thelma and Mr. Harvey Taylor, Dundelin; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson and Mrs. McDonald, Southampton; Mr. Harvey Nixon and son, Mono Road; Mrs. John Nixon, Mr. and Mrs. O. Potter, Mrs. Clayburn, Mrs. McElwain, Orangeville; Mrs. P. Thibaudeau, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thibaudeau, Miss Hattie McKae, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. W. Stewart, Mr. Dennis; Mrs. Wes. Arnott and son, Durham. —Flesheron Advance.

The Churches

Anglican Church Notes

Rev. C. O. Pheasant, B.A., B.D.

Christ Church, Markdale
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—Morning Service.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.

St. Matthias' Church, Berkeley
2.15 p.m.—Sunday School.
3.00 p.m.—Church Service.

Gospel Workers' Church

Rev. W. F. Dean, Minister

Markdale Church
10 a.m.—Sunday School.
11 a.m.—Church Service.
7.30 p.m.—Church Service.
Church Prayer Meeting Tuesday evening.

Williamsford Church
11 a.m.—Sunday School.
7.30 p.m.—Church Service
Friday evening — Cottage Prayer Meeting.

Pentecostal Assembly

Meeting in the Orange Hall on Sunday evenings at 7.30 o'clock. Come out and enjoy the Old Time Religion. All are welcome. Worker in charge: Mrs. Fred Taylor

The Presbyterian Church in Canada

Rev. J. E. Taylor, Minister

SERVICES AT
Priceville—11 a.m.
Swinton Park—3 p.m.
Markdale—7 p.m.
Sunday School each Sunday morning at 10 a.m. All boys and girls are welcome. If you have no Church home come and worship with us. You will find a welcome.

United Church of Canada

Rev. S. E. Annis, M.A., B.D., Pastor

10.45 a.m.—Morning Service.
12 noon—Sunday School.
3 p.m.—Ebenzer — Communion Service.
7 p.m.—Evening Service.
Annesley Sunday School and Congregational Picnic is to be held in Harrison Park, Owen Sound, Thursday, July 27th.

United Church of Canada

Holland Centre Circuit

Rev. R. K. Burnside, L.L.B., Pastor

11 a.m.—Berkeley Service.
2.45 p.m.—Harkaway Service.
7.30 p.m.—Holland Centre.

Near Score of Bachelors in House of Commons

Nearly ten per cent of all the members of the Canadian House of Commons are bachelors, according to Gordon Graydon, member for Peel. He doesn't mention Miss Macphail so we are not sure whether she is included among the "bachelors" or not, of whom, he says, there are 19. Leading the parade is the premier himself, and when the King and Queen visited Ottawa Mr. King had his sister, Mrs. H. M. Lay, act as his official hostess. She lives in Barrie. Hon. J. C. Elliott, of London, formerly postmaster-general, is also a bachelor, as is Hon. Ian MacKenzie, minister of defence. Cupid has never been able to pierce their armor. Tommy Church, seven times mayor of Toronto, is another famous bachelor. Mr. Heaps, of the C.C.F., is a widower, the Social Crediters have one bachelor, Walter Kuhl, 34, six feet four, and the Tories have three bachelors, Georges Heon of Quebec, W. K. Esling of Kootenay, B.C., nearly 70 and almost blind, and Mr. Church. The other 15 bachelors are all Liberals, possibly showing the influence of having a bachelor leader, and six of them are French Canadians, a race noted for its early marriages and large families. One of the Liberal bachelors, John Angus McMillan, of Wadena, Sask., is said to be the biggest man physically in the House, and, since he entered parliament in 1936, Mr. Graydon says he only heard McMillan make one speech and that was a few weeks ago on the wheat legislation. Howard Winkler, of Manitoba, is another bachelor, and his father was formerly minister of agriculture of that province. Howard's stenographer got married the other day at Ottawa and she asked him to "give her away." Mr. Graydon says the members wondered why he didn't keep her instead of giving her away.

Coming Events

Notices under this heading are inserted at five cents per line for each insertion with a minimum charge of 25 cents.

There will be a dance at Beaverdale on Friday, July 14th. Adm. 10.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will hold a Bake Sale and Afternoon Tea in the Knott shop on Saturday, July 15th. Everyone welcome. 45-6

North Glenelg Baptist Church will hold their annual garden party on Thursday, July 27th, at the home of Colin McArthur. Good program. Supper served from 6 to 8. 46c

Prior to leaving Flesheron, Mr. Ernest A. Hutton, a member of the high school staff for some years, was presented by the staff and pupils with a set of military brushes and a travelling case.

This week's fairy story: "There's a man in this town who has never been known to complain about the punk weath on the half holiday."