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LOCAL NEWS

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The Ontario Government To Help The Farmers

Every boy and girl of school age in Ontario will be given an opportunity to play a part in Canada's war effort. Prime Minister M. F. Hepburn revealed this week at Queen's Park.

The Ontario Government's plans in this direction entail setting up a "Soldiers of the Soil" committee in each county, and once this preliminary organization is completed, mustering the full strength of this Province's young people at useful tasks in the furtherance of war activities.

First duty to be assigned to the "Soldiers of the Soil" will be to assist in the harvesting of Ontario's crops. Faced with an acute shortage of farm labour, the Ontario Government is enlisting the co-operation of local school boards in keeping primary schools closed until September 16th, and secondary schools until October 2nd.

"This will make available to the farmers of Ontario a vast reservoir of farm help", Mr. Hepburn said. "Not only will it permit farmers to keep the assistance of their own children during a period when they would normally be at school, but it will also make available for farm work a great number of city children. In each county a committee has been set up to include the agricultural representative, school inspector, superintendent of employment offices, warden and reeves of the various townships for the purpose of registering both the farmers who require assistance, and the school-age children willing to fill in at this work."

"Young people who are trained this year will be just that much better equipped to help out in 1941. This war is not going to be over in a day. We must look to the future and prepare ourselves for what is likely to develop in the immediate years to come."

Under the direction of the Ontario Government, a special committee is now engaged in working out details of a scheme to put across a gigantic drive for the sale of War Certificates. When the proposal was first made by Mr. Hepburn to the Ottawa Government, it was enthusiastically received, and the Province is now proceeding with a plan which will enlist the help of all the Secondary School girls.

They will be enrolled by the local Soldiers of the Soil Committees and school teachers will be asked to help by exercising supervision over the plan's operation.

"The Dominion Government considers the sale of War Savings Stamps and Certificates as one of the most important links in the whole chain of war undertakings", Mr. Hepburn said. "Here is a tangible way in which every child can assist in the sale of stamps or by earning money for their purchase. It is a two fold program that cannot fail to be of immeasurable worth."

N. O. HIPPEL, Minister of Labour.

Berkeley and Desboro Tied In Final Series

In the final series of the Holland Softball League series Berkeley and Desboro are tied with a win each and a tie.

At Berkeley on Thursday evening last the home team won by a score of 8 to 3 and at Desboro on Saturday night the score was four all. On Monday night at Berkeley without the services of Archie Macaulay, their pitcher, the home team suffered defeat, the score being 18 to 4. Roy Macaulay was on the mound for Berkeley and turned in a good game but luck was against him.

Archie will be on the mound for Berkeley at Desboro on Wednesday night and at Berkeley on Friday. He then goes to Brandon, Man., to join up with the Air Force.

Saunders - Murray

The marriage of Miss Jean Murray, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Murray of Walters Falls, and Mr. Douglas Saunders, son of Mr. Samuel Saunders and the late Mrs. Saunders of Walters Falls was quietly solemnized by Rev. Mr. Wakefield at his residence at Holland Centre, Wednesday, August 7.

The bride was attired in a dress of turquoise blue sheer with white accessories and wore a corsage of butterfly roses. The attendants were Miss Myrtle Heighes and the groom's cousin, Mr. Fred Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. Saunders left on a post nuptial trip to Guelph, Niagara Falls and Northern points. They will reside at Walters Falls upon their return.

"We have been led by men with the hearts of rabbits."—A French soldier.

Markdale Band Played The Foresters Off To Camp

The Second Battalion of the Grey and Simcoe Foresters left for camp on Monday morning, taking a special C.P.R. train at eight o'clock. The troops paraded at the Markdale armories at 7 a.m. and were led by the Markdale band to the station and given a rousing send-off. After arrival at Toronto the troops marched to the docks and embarked on the boat for Niagara-on-the-lake, where they will spend the next two weeks training. The troops expect to return home on Saturday, August 24th. "B" company, includes the Markdale and Durham detachments and will go into camp with 150 men of all ranks. Following is the list of those who left for camp from the Markdale recruiting centre: Major W. Turney, O.C., Flesherston.

Lieut. F. J. Thurston, Flesherston. Lieut. F. D. Sawyer, Markdale. K. G. Gemmill, C.S.M., Markdale. A. Turney, Flesherston, C.Q.M.S. Ceylon Men—G. Jaynes, C. Smellie, G. Teeter, C. McWilliam, E. Plester, G. Stuart, R. W. Meads, E. Mathewson, W. McDermaid, J. Kennedy, S. Piper.

Dundalk Men—A. Bellamy, G. Grummett, J. Hill, A. Langdon, D. McIntyre.

Eugenia Men—M. Phillips, J. B. Fawcett, H. Fawcett, D. Cairns, C. Williams, N. Williams.

Flesherston Men—K. Goheen, G. Boyd, J. Banks, D. Graham, J. H. Solomon, W. Henry, E. McKillop, A. McKillop, J. A. Senn, W. Best, P. McTavish, H. Bibby, R. Banks, J. H. Thurston, W. McCracken, C. Teeter, A. Weir, K. Betts, M. Duncan, C. McMaster, C. McTavish, J. Nuhn, J. A. Richards, C. McMaster, R. Phillips and J. Beatty.

Markdale Men—K. Bartley, H. Bennett, E. Clark, A. Holley, R. Love, A. Love, M. Richardson, S. Woods, W. Wyrville, H. Williams, E. Ward, F. G. Scott, N. Wilson, D. Torrie, L. Pitt, F. Noble, L. Metcalfe, A. R. Love, W. Manley, J. Lunn, B. Johnston, W. Hill, R. Fitch, W. Arrowsmith, J. Down, J. Hamilton, A. Fitzsimmons, L. Piper, A. Noble, J. Hill, A. Saunders.

Proton Station—Robt. H. Carson. Rock Mills Men—E. Croft, Roy Fisher, Stewart Foster, John Osborne, L. Phillips, P. Partridge, A. Laughlin, G. Croft, M. Fisher, L. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kirk and Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McTaggart and two daughters returned on Monday to Noranda, Que. after a week's visit at the home of their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Fitzsimmons and children and the latter's brother, Mr. Mack Cameron of St. Catharines are visiting with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cameron.

Mr. R. H. David and Miss J. Proctor of Toronto spent a few days last week with the former's parents.

Miss H. M. Whaley of Milverton is visiting at the home of Mrs. E. T. Walters and also other friends.

Dennis and Leonard Fitzsimmons and sister Audrey returned home from holidaying in Toronto.

Miss June Dodds, who has spent the past month here, is visiting relatives in Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Taggart and daughter, Eileen and Francis Lees of Toronto visited over the weekend at the home of the former's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. Baillie. Misses Florence and Doris McLaughlin returned home. Bobbie Veale, Clarence Taggart and Bobbie Weston returned to Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McTaggart of Quebec are visiting at the home of the former's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Weston and sons visited on Sunday with friends at Chatsworth.

The Red Cross dance held on Thursday evening on Mrs. Dods' lawn was fairly well attended and quite successful.

A presentation was held in the L.O.L. hall on Friday evening for Pte. Harold Whitney. An address was read by Mrs. Stan Stafford. A wrist watch and purse of money was presented by Messrs. Jim Watts and Clarence Stafford. The evening was spent in dancing.

Rev. E. and Mrs. Riddell and two daughters of near Milton visited on Monday with Mrs. S. Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucas Welsh and two children of Peterboro are holidaying this week with the latter's father, Mr. J. S. Price and other relatives.

Miss Alma Atkinson is visiting this week with friends and relatives at Proton.

Have you paid your subscription for 1940?

Five Will Oppose Miss A. C. Macphail's Election

Miss Agnes Macphail, U.F.O.-Labour representative of this riding in the House of Commons from 1921 until defeated this year by Walter E. Harris, Liberal, will have plenty of opposition in the August 16 federal by-election in Saskatoon. A six-cornered contest will take place in that riding to fill the vacancy in the house caused by the death shortly after the March 26 general election of Rev. W. G. Brown, Presbyterian minister, who represented the United Reform movement.

Six candidates filed papers as nominations closed. In the field are Miss Agnes Macphail, former member for Grey-Bruce, who is running as a United Reform candidate; M. P. Hayes, Liberal; Eddie Williams, Independent Liberal; Alfred H. Bence, Conservative; Miss Wilma Moore, Independent, and Lt.-Col. G. H. Bradbooke, Independent.

Nomination of Miss Macphail and Miss Moore makes the Saskatoon by-election the first in Canada ever contested by two women. Miss Moore is a school teacher, as was Miss Macphail before she started on her political career.

Miss Macphail was invited to seek nomination in two other constituencies, her United Reform party sponsors said. United Reform supporters offered to nominate Miss Macphail in the Carleton by-election, they said, while another group sought her to contest the Waterloo South by-election. Both Federal House vacancies will be filled by voting on August 19.

Middle School Results In Markdale School

Subjects—C.H., Canadian History; A.H., Ancient History; Alg., Algebra; Geom., Geometry; L.A., Latin Authors; L.C., Latin Composition; Fr.A., French Authors; Fr. Comp., French Composition; Agr., Agriculture; Chem., Chemistry.

Annis, Lloyd H.—C.H. 1; Alg. 1; L.A. 1; L.C. 2; Fr. A. 1; Fr. Comp. 2; Agr. 1.

Buchanan, Isabelle G.—Fr. A. c; Buchanan, Elizabeth—C.H. c; Alg. 3; Agr. 3.

Boyd, Dorothy—C.H. 1; Alg. 1; Agr. 1.

Bowler, Phyllis—C.H. c; Alg. 3; Agr. c.

Carefoot, Mary—A.H. c; Agr. c; Carefoot, Leonard—C.H. 3; Alg. 3; Agr. 2.

Cooper, Vivian—C.H. 2; Alg. c; Agr. 2.

Down, Elizabeth—C.H. c; Alg. c; Agr. 3.

Erwin, Jean—C.H. c.

French, Ruth—C.H. 3; A.H. c; L.A. 2; L. Comp. 3; Fr. A. 3; Fr. Comp. c; Agr. 2.

Gilpin, Robert—Alg. 2; Agr. 2; Hamilton, James—C. H. c; Alg. 2; Agr. 2.

Hamilton, Marie—Alg. 3; Agr. c; Hamilton, Helen—Alg. c.

Harper, Mildred—C.H. 3; Alg. 2; L.A. 3; L. Comp. 3; Fr. A. 1; Fr. Comp. 2.

Jackson, Floyd—C.H. c; Alg. 3; Agr. 2.

Kenefick, Kathleen—C.H. 2; Alg. 1; Agr. 1.

Morrison, Eleanor—C.H. c; Alg. c; Agr. 3.

Merriman, William—A.H. 3; Fr. Comp. c; Agr. c.

McGee, Jack—C.H. 2; A.H. 3; Alg. 1; L.A. 2; L. Comp. 2; Fr. A. 2; Fr. Comp. 3; Agr. 2.

MacAfee, Doris—C.H. 1; Alg. 1; L.A. 1; L. Comp. 1; Fr. A. 1; Fr. Comp. 1; Agr. 1.

Macaulay, Eloy—C.H. 3.

Noble, Kathleen—C.H. c; L.A. 1; Noble, Jane—C.H. c; A.H. 2; L.A. 2; L. Comp. c; Fr. A. 2; Fr. Comp. c.

Sullivan, Michael—C.H. 2; Alg. 1; L.A. 3; L. Comp. 3; Fr. A. 2; Fr. Comp. c.

Thompson, Mavis—C.H. c; L.A. 1; L. Comp. c; Fr. A. 2; Fr. Comp. c; Agr. 1.

Tuck, Edith—L. Comp. 3.

Walters, Wilda—C.H. 1; Alg. 2; Agr. 1.

Marshall, William—Geom. c; L.A. 1; L. Comp. 2; Fr. A. 1; Fr. Comp. 2; Chem. 2.

Thomas J. Poore Passed Away Suddenly Monday

Mr. Thomas J. Poore, father of Mrs. A. G. Robertson of this place, died suddenly on Monday evening at Pike Bay where he was holidaying with the Robertson family. They had gone to the resort Sunday to spend a couple of weeks and Mr. Poore was apparently in his usual health. It had been known for some time that his heart had been affected.

The deceased was born at Parkhill and was 73 years of age. In his youth Mr. Poore became interested in the oil business at Petroliia and later joined the Burma Company. He spent nearly twenty-five years in India, returning to reside at Leamington. Mrs. Poore passed away there five years ago and since that time he had resided with his daughter in Markdale. Here he took great delight in the lawn and flowers at the Robertson home and spent almost all his time working among the flowers.

Surviving besides Mrs. Robertson are two sons, Kenneth H. of Windsor and Chas. A. at Leamington.

The funeral takes place Thursday afternoon from the home of his son in Leamington with interment in the cemetery there.

NEW ENGLAND W. I.

The New England Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Sam. Wiley jr. on July 25th, with a fair attendance of members and visitors. The president, Mrs. Samuel Wiley, jr. presided.

Meeting opened by singing the Ode and repeating the Lord's prayer in unison. The Scripture readings were taken from Mark 1: 1-10 and was read by Ina Wiley.

Plans were made for an ice cream social. It was decided that the New England Red Cross branch would join the Rocklyn Red Cross.

The roll call was answered by "A Poultry Hint". The program consisted of a reading by Jean Risk, "Beautiful England"; a reading by Phyllis Lee, "Pa's Cheap Car"; a contest on nursery rhymes was put on by Phyllis Lee and won by Ruby Brown.

Lunch was prepared by Mrs. Sam. Wiley, jr. and Mrs. Ernest Hodgkinson.

The Institute is invited to visit the Rocklyn Institute for the August meeting.

Mixing Up The News

From the Sudbury Star we learn that Miss Agnes Macphail, former member of the House of Commons representing Grey-Bruce, was defeated by Captain I. Wagner of Owen Sound and that the latter is now with the Grey-Simcoe Foresters. The only thing wrong with the item as published by the Star is that Walter E. Harris of Markdale is the man who defeated Miss Macphail and his rank in the Grey-Simcoe Foresters is Lieutenant. Capt. Wagner's home is in Meaford and he is connected with the Foresters.

John B. Hutchinson Died On Saturday

The funeral of the late John Byron Hutchinson, who passed away on Saturday evening, August 10, at the home of his son, Harold, took place to Markdale Cemetery on Monday and was largely attended. The service which was held at the house, was in charge of Rev. C. O. Pherrill of Christ Church, Markdale, who gave a helpful gospel message. The hymns used were "Abide With Me" and "What A Friend We Have in Jesus".

The beautiful floral tributes which included a pillow from the family and sprays and baskets from friends, were carried by four grandsons.

The pallbearers were Messrs. W. H. Heath, Albert Wyrville, Victor Brodie, Thos. Freeman, Joseph Cherry and Robert Brown.

The late Mr. Hutchinson who was in his 79th year had been ailing since last autumn, and had been ill for about six months, the last ten weeks of which time he spent in the home of his son, Harold, where everything possible was done for his comfort and well-being.

The deceased was born at Uxbridge and came with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hutchinson, at the age of three years to the 7th line of Euphrasia. Following his marriage to Miss Mary Ward, they took up farming on the 7th but some years ago, he bought and moved to the townline of Argetmesia and Euphrasia where later Mrs. Hutchinson passed away. He was highly esteemed by all who knew him.

Surviving of a family of ten are Harold B. Clifford W. Newton and Bert, all living in the neighborhood, Clarence of Durham, Mrs. R. Risk of Epping and Mrs. Robt. Kirkton of Holland Centre. Three brothers and three sisters also survive, Albert T. and Robert of Strongfield, Sask., Lance and Miss Edith on the homestead, and Mrs. Lou Boales of the 9th of Euphrasia and Mrs. John Kirkpatrick of Goring. Two brothers, George and Will passed away some years ago. There are 26 grandchildren living.

Mr. and Mrs. Christie Johnston of Shelburne and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Martin of Swinton Park were present for the funeral, also a number of friends from Epping and Kimberley.

Kimberley Baptist Church

Rev. E. H. Young, B. Th., Minister

3 p.m.—Church Service. Welcome to all.

Coming Events

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

D. Campbell, the Optometrist, will be at Marshall's Drug Store, next Tuesday, 20th, from 1.30 to 5 p.m. Please call early.

AUCTION SALE of Household Effects at the home of the late John Gawley in Holland Centre on Saturday, August 17th, at 2 o'clock, including Furniture, Dishes, Bedding, Etc. Terms: Cash. Alex. McTaggart, Executor. Geo. E. Duncan, Auctioneer.

In Markdale on Friday, September 6th, Bradey and Colgan will hold an auction sale of farm lands and other properties, over thirty parcels in all. Large posters announce the event which should attract a big crowd to Markdale. Geo. E. Duncan is the auctioneer. See the posters.

ALL-DAY, 185 MILE CRUISE

One of the finest cruises of the season will take place Tuesday, August 20th on C.P.R. Steamship "Keewatin", along the West Coast of Georgian Bay and into Lake Huron. Fare \$2.00. Leaves Owen Sound at 9 a.m.; returns 9.30 p.m. Secure tickets early from Daily Sun-Times, Owen Sound, or The Murray Drug Store, Markdale, Ont.

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Died

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Anglican Church Notes

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

Christ Church, Markdale

10 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.

United Church of Canada

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

10 a.m.—Sunday School.

11 a.m.—Morning Service. Mr. E. W. E. McFadden.

3 p.m.—Vandeleur.

United Church of Canada

Holland Centre Circuit

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

10.30 a.m.—Holland Centre.

2.45 p.m.—Harkaway.

7.30 p.m.—Berkeley.

Gospel Workers' Church

REV. W. F. DEAN, Pastor

10 a.m.—Sunday School.

11 a.m.—Church Service.

7.30 p.m.—Evening Service.

Tuesday evening: Prayer meeting at parsonage.

Thursday evening: Cottage prayer meeting.

Pentecostal Assembly

Worker in Charge: Mrs. F. Taylor.

Tent meetings are being held three miles south of Markdale on the highway. Services every night except Monday and Saturday at 8 p.m. Special old time Gospel singing and preaching. Everybody welcome.

Worker in charge: Mrs. Fred Taylor.

Assistant: Mr. Jas. Kell.

The Presbyterian Church in Canada

11 a.m.—Pricerville.

3 p.m.—Swinton Park.

7.30 p.m.—Markdale.

10 a.m.—Sunday School.

Rev. B. L. Walden, B.A. of Port Colborne, Ont., a former Markdale boy, will occupy the pulpit.

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