

Social and Personal

The Englehart Times last week says: "Mr. and Mrs. J. Smart spent Christmas day in Haileybury."

Mrs. H.A. Seymour and daughter, Miss Shirley, left on Thursday evening last to visit friends in Toronto.

"On the Stroke of Twelve" at Broadway Theatre Monday and Tuesday—a thrilling, mysterious drama.

Wilbur McKinnon was home from Toronto to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McKinnon.

Miss A. Leishman and Mrs. C. W. Tully, with their niece, Miss Florence Pomeroy, are spending a few days in Toronto.

McGill Maltby was home from the Frood Mine, Sudbury, to spend Christmas with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Maltby.

Mrs. A. W. Mitchell, of North Bay, formerly of Haileybury, is visiting friends and relatives here and in Cobalt this week.

Mr. Fred Hamilton, of Cochrane, fire inspector for the Department of Forestry, was a visitor in Haileybury this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Mills, of Iroquois Falls, are in Haileybury this week for a visit with Mrs. Mills' mother, Mrs. John Wilder.

Mr. Leo Erenhaus was up from Toronto last week and spent Christmas at his home here, after a visit to the mines at Kirkland Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. John Berry left on Monday evening for a couple of months' visit with their son, H. C. Berry, at Salem, New Jersey.

Mr. Skelton, of Guelph arrived in town on Tuesday to take charge of the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Express offices.

BORN — On Christmas Day, December 25th, 1929, to Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Burton, Blackwall Street, Haileybury, a son — Kenneth Ross.

Miss Lee, of the public school staff at Kapuskasing, is spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lee, Little Street.

Bernard Hartley arrived home this week from Kapuskasing to spend the New Year holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Hartley, Russell Street.

Mrs. (Dr.) C. E. Taylor and children of Timmins, are in Haileybury for a visit with Mrs. Taylor's parents, Sheriff and Mrs. Caldwell, Browning Street.

Miss Rita Burns, nurse in train-

CHURCHES

The United Church

Rev. D. A. MacKeracher, B.A., Pastor  
Mr. R. H. Unwin, Organist and Choirmaster.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 5th  
11 a.m. & 7 p.m.—Anniversary Services, conducted by Rev. J. D. Parks, of North Bay.

2.30 p.m.—Church School  
Thurs., 7.30 p.m.—Y.P.S.  
Fri., 8 p.m.—Choir Practice.

Salvation Army

Sunday Morning Service at 11.  
Sunday Evening Service at 7.30.  
Sunday School—2.30 p.m.  
Tuesday, 8.00 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.  
Friday, 7.15 p.m.—Junior Meeting.  
8.00 p.m.—Y. P. Legion Meeting.  
Saturday Service at 8 p.m.  
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Public Meeting.

The Baptist Church

A. PRICE, Pastor  
Sunday Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.  
Sunday School at 2 p.m.  
Prayer Service, Wednesday at 7.30 p.m.

Albert Gospel Hall

ALBERT STREET  
Sunday School . . . . . 2 p.m.  
Gospel Meeting . . . . . 7.00 p.m.  
Bible Class, Thursday, 8 p.m.

To the Ratepayers of Haileybury:

Dear Sirs:  
The recent proceedings to unseat Mr. Charbonneau as Mayor-elect of Haileybury were with the primary object of causing a discussion of the Town's affairs so that the ratepayers would realize its financial position, due to a very large extent to the passiveness of the Mayor of the past year in the collection of taxes, which culminated in the repeal of the by-law compelling payment of taxes for the privilege of voting at elections.

As you are aware the town has collected only \$55,000 on a levy of over \$80,000 for 1929.

There is owing to the Royal Bank for loan \$60,000 over and above unpaid cheque to the Public School for December and nearly \$3,000 to the Separate School on the 1929 requisition.

Mr. Charbonneau as Mayor is ex-officio a member of the Housing Commission and is himself in arrears of payment for a whole year (and this was over 18 months a few days ago) and the Town is just now going behind at the rate of approximately \$400

ing at St. Mary's Hospital, Timmins, was home for Christmas holidays with her parents, Capt. and Mrs. McCarthy Burns.

The regular monthly meeting of the Home and Foreign Mission Circle of the Baptist Church will held on Thursday, January 9th, at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Jack Belland, Blackwall Street.

WEDDING BELLS

McKinlay—Ross

The following announcement of the marriage of a popular Haileybury girl appeared in The New Liskeard Speaker last week. "A quiet wedding took place Saturday, Dec. 21st, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McKinlay, New Liskeard, when Berniece N. Ross, of Haileybury, and John S. McKinlay, formerly of Elk Lake, were united in marriage, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Geo. N. Simmons, B.A., B. Th. The happy couple left on the evening train for points south

a month on the whole scheme. Mr. Charbonneau has not paid water rates for about 5 quarters and is abusing his trust as Mayor in not paying these.

Mr. Charbonneau as one of the committee handling money for the skating rink has failed to account to the Town to his own profit.

This year's Council will have to face the situation and most likely will have to issue debentures to cover uncollected taxes and an increase in taxation is accordingly inevitable.

Lack of space does not allow going into further details, but I trust that the citizens will realize the situation and endeavor to put in a new Council that will handle the situation fearlessly and without favoritism.

I have the honor to remain, Yours sincerely,  
JOSEPH A. LEGRIS.

Clover Valley News

Mr. Ritchie Plaunt has gone on a trip to Renfrew.

Jack MacLean has returned from Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Nickle and son, Will, were down to visit Mr. and Mrs. Will Craig on Sunday.

The annual school meeting was held at the school house on Dec. 26th. There was a very small attendance. The Trustees are Archie MacLean, John Fleming and Leonard Heard.

The Christmas entertainment was held on Dec. 20th. The entertainment proved a great success. The children were well trained in all their parts and were a credit to their teacher (Miss McRobert). Space will not allow a full account of the program.

Don't forget voting day, Jan. 6th. The men in the field for Bucke Council from this section are Olaf Nelson, Fred Radley and Tom Fleming.

Christmas was spent very quietly around here.

Wishing everyone a prosperous New Year.

Harold Lloyd in "Welcome Danger," his latest and greatest comedy. Laughs galore. Harold makes only one picture a year, so don't miss this one at Broadway Theatre Wed., Thurs. next. Matinee Wednesday at 4.15; children 15c.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Thomas White

The death of Mrs. Thomas A. White, aged seventy-two years, and eight months, took place at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. Blair, View Street, early on Sunday morning. She had been in poor health for the past couple of months and had been seriously ill for the past three weeks, so her death was not unexpected.

The late Mrs. White had been a resident of Haileybury for the past 14 years. She came here from Brooke, near Perth, Ont., to make her home with Mrs. Blair and had become well known and respected by a large circle of friends. Two daughters, Mrs. Blair and Mrs. James Norris, formerly of Haileybury, now of Cobalt, and one son, William White, of Brooke, survive. Her husband predeceased her many years ago.

The remains were taken on Sunday evening to her old home at Brooke for interment. Funeral services were held at the undertaking parlors of Thorpe & Branchaud, and were conducted by Rev. D. A. MacKeracher, her pastor, and Rev. Canon Hincks

and Rev. Fred. Smith, of the Cobalt United Church. There was a large gathering of relatives and friends and many beautiful floral tributes testified to the esteem in which Mrs. White was held.

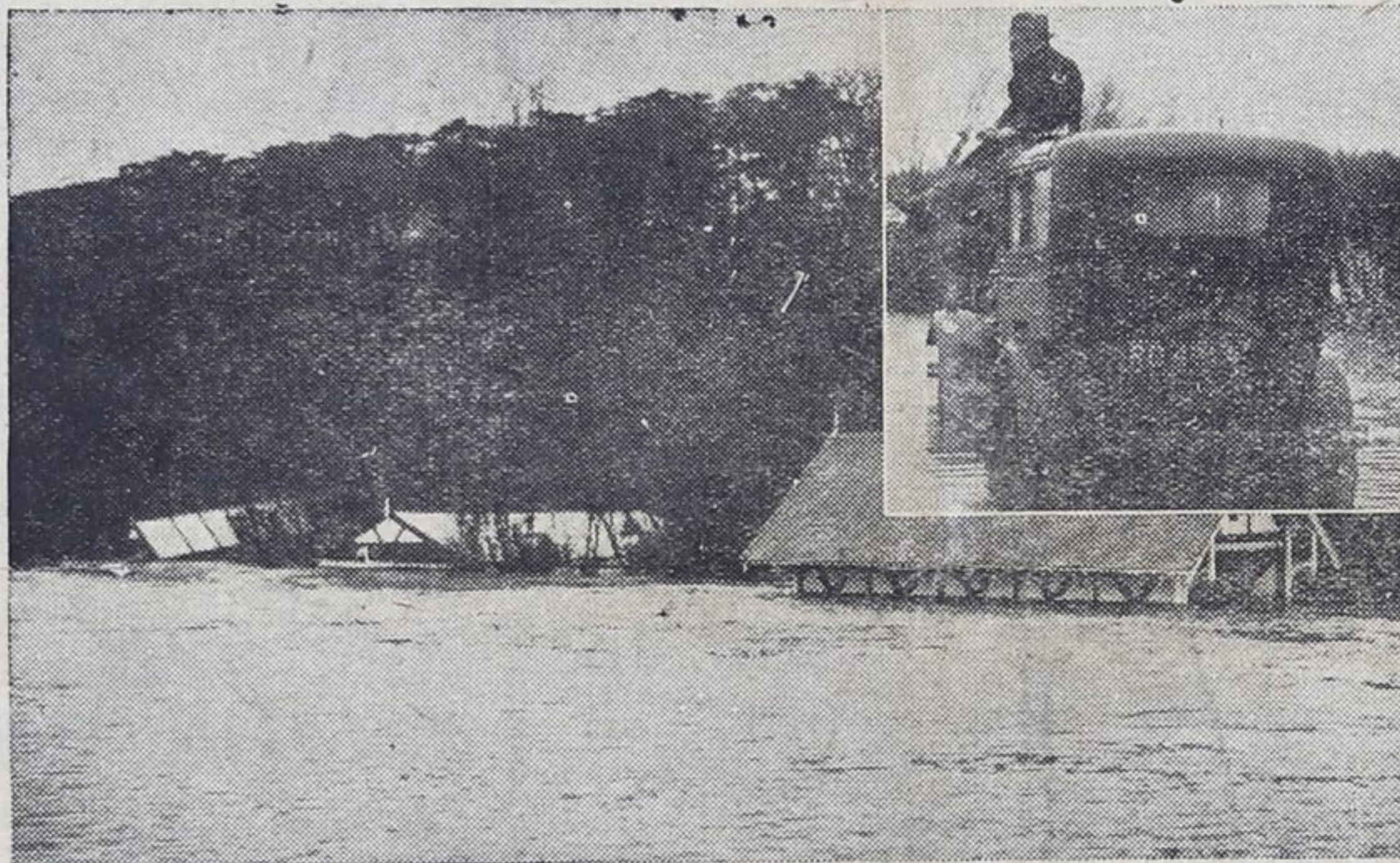
Mrs. Blair and Mrs. Norris and their families have the sympathy of all their friends here.

Mrs. John MacLeod

The death of Mrs. John MacLeod, which took place at her home on Monday morning, removed one of Cobalt's well known citizens. She was forty-seven years of age and leaves her husband, who is a brother of Mr. Fred. MacLeod, formerly of Haileybury, and a family of small children. She had been a resident of Cobalt for many years and a large circle of friends and acquaintances regret her early death, and extend sympathy to the bereaved family. The funeral was held on Wednesday afternoon, interment being in Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Haileybury.

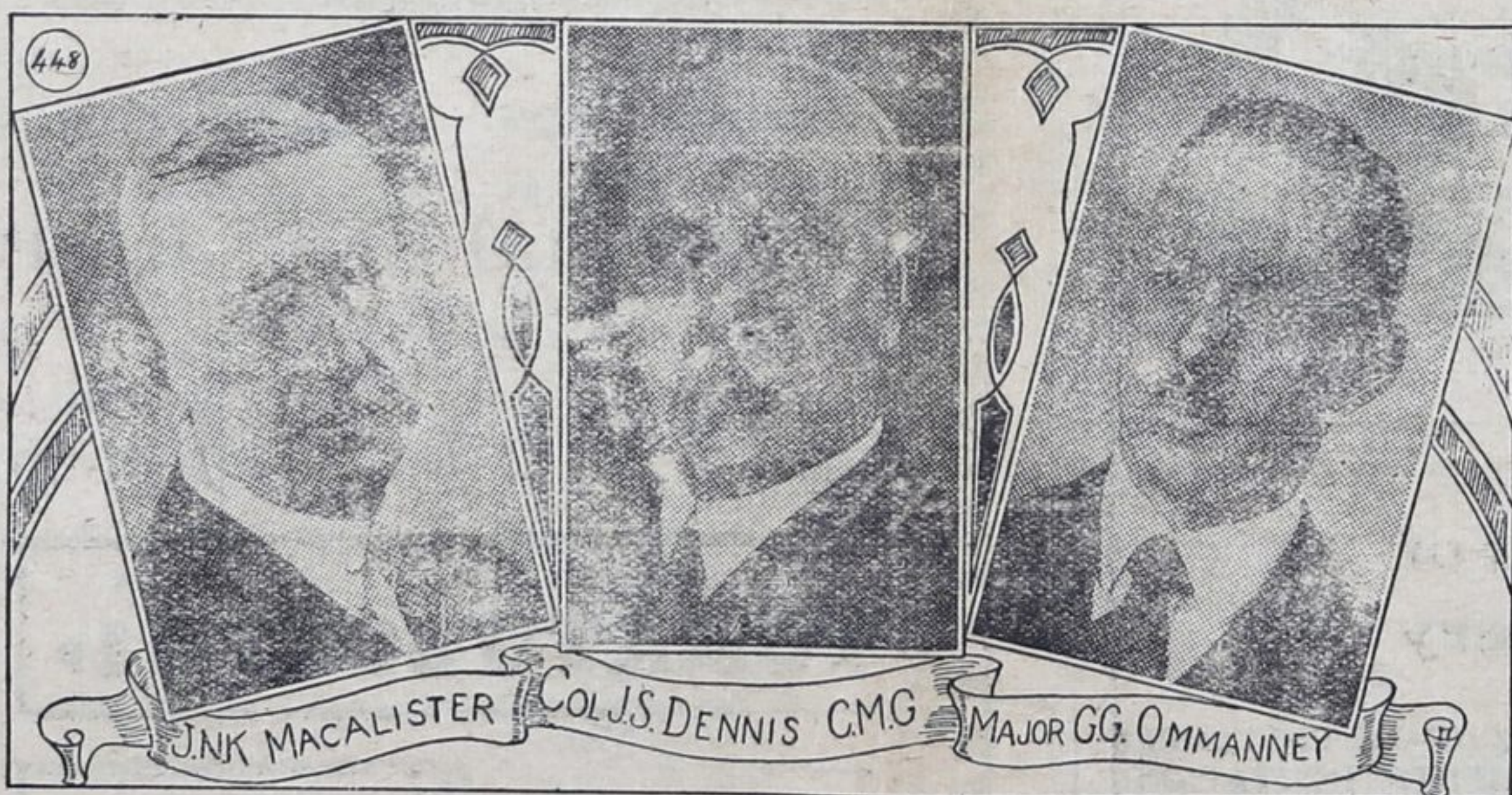
The annual meeting of the Haileybury Chapter, I. O. D. E., will be held on Monday next, January 6th at 3 p.m., at Hotel Haileybury. As there will be nominations of officers for the coming year, it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

Floods in England Create Serious Situations



Above are two photographs just received from the Old Country showing the effect on the countryside of the many floods which have swept over various parts of the British Isles. The picture shows the tops of some summer residences with the swollen waters of the River Thames threatening to sweep them away as it races down to the sea. Top, inset, shows one of the pleasures of motoring. The engine stalled and the unfortunate driver had to climb to the roof of his automobile as the rising water threatened his safety.

COLONEL J. S. DENNIS RETIRES



Colonel J. S. Dennis, C.M.G., Chief Commissioner of Colonization and Development, Canadian Pacific Railway, will retire January 1, after 28 years with the company, according to the recent announcement made by E. W. Beatty, chairman and president of the system, and the department will then be divided into the Department of Immigration and Colonization and the Department of Development. J. N. K. MacAlister, at present assistant chief commissioner of Colonization and Development, will be chief commissioner of the Department of Immigration and Colonization and Major G. G. O'Manney will be the director of the Department of Development.

Colonel Dennis, or "J.S." as he is known to old-timers, was 73 years old last October, and has had as colorful a career as any man in Canada. He went west in 1872 at the age of 16 on survey work and in 1885 saw service against Louis Riel as commander of the Dominion Land Survey Intelligence Corps which during the rebellion was known as "Dennis' Scouts". Among the outstanding work in which he was engaged was the laying out of irrigation systems later constructed in the Lethbridge region and in the great Bassano Dam irrigation project of the Canadian Pacific Railway, east of Calgary. His unrivaled knowledge of Canadian economic and agrarian development has caused Colonel Dennis' name to be placed among the foremost of Empire builders. Although retiring as active head of the Colonization and Devel-

opment of the Canadian Pacific Railway system, he will still participate in the future development of the department since he will act in an advisory capacity to the company's directors.

Mr. MacAlister has for more than 22 years given close attention to colonization problems. Since 1906 he has been immediately interested in opportunities of development and colonization in the west and entered Canadian Pacific service in 1907. He has done much work in the United States drawing attention to the unparalleled opportunities offered by the Canadian West. He was appointed assistant commissioner of the department in 1926. His ability in his chosen field was recently recognized by colonization experts from all parts of the continent when they elected him chairman of the immigration committee of the American Railway Development Association.

Major O'Manney joined the Canadian Pacific Railway in 1907. As a qualified civil engineer he had previous to that date done work all over the world. In 1914 he was appointed special engineer to the president, and from 1915 to 1919 was overseas with the Royal Engineers Imperial units. On his return from the war he was appointed to Colonel Dennis' department as development engineer, to bring the natural resources of territories covered by the Canadian Pacific Railway into commercial use. He was appointed Director of Development Branch of the Department of Colonization & Development in January, 1928.

THESE WANT AD'S BRING RESULTS  
WANT AD'S

Lost — At Haileybury Rink on Christmas Eve, Ladies' Wrist Watch. Return to Miss M. E. Forge, New Liskeard 39-1c

Wanted—at once, Maid for the Children's Shelter. Apply to the Matron, Miss Perrier, or to Mrs. R. McGillivray, Blackwall Street. 39-1c

To Rent—Furnished, heated room centrally located. Light house-keeping if desired. Apply at Haileyburian Office. 38-t.f.

Lost—At the Rink or between there and Fleming's Store, a large square scarf. Finder return to Haileyburian Office. Reward. 39-1-c

For Sale or Rent—Six Roomed house on Ferguson Ave., opposite Simard. Apply to E. Simard. 34-t.f.

For Sale—on Latchford Street, a five roomed-bungalow with all modern conveniences. Large living room and sun-room. Apply to J. M. Philip, 283 Snowden Ave., Toronto.

For Sale—Nordheimer Piano, in perfect condition, walnut case. Apply to Mrs. D. W. Cameron. Phone 345. Haileyburv. 28-t.f.

To Rent—8 Roomed House on Latchford St. Apply to M. J. Conkey. Phone 138, Haileybury. t.f.

For Sale — Well-built, Modern house in excellent location; 6-room and 10-ft. enclosed verandah. Housing Commission and terms. Mrs. D. W. Cameron, Browning St. Tel. 345. 14-t.f.

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