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Twice a year we hold a great disposal sale—one in January and one in July. Though we hold many interesting sales throughout the year, these two are the most important, for large stocks of seasonable merchandise are then offered at prices that bear no relation to their actual worth or value.

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WALTER BAUER
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JOHN GIBBONS (Honors)
CHAS. LANDSBOROUGH (Hon.)
CHARLES BELL (Honors)
JESSIE MORTON (Honors)
VIOLA WALLER (Honors)
FRANK BAUER (Honors)
DORRIE LAPPIN (Honors)
JACK McDOUGALL
LOTTIE HOLMES
JEAN McDONALD
KATIE ALGER
LESLIE GREGORY
ANNIE DUNN
ADDIE HURST
STANLEY MACKIE
FRANCES GIBBONS.

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ADA MILLS (Honors)
OLIVE PARSONS (Honors)
FRANK HOLLOWAY
ROBERT GRINDALE (on trial)
WILMER LOREM (on trial)
ELSIE LABBY
FLORENCE BARR
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TEDDY CLIFFORD
MARJORIE SMETHURST
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MONA SMITH.
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MARGARET GRINDELL
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GORDON HUFFMAN
MAC SYMON
IRENE WHEELER
HOWARD STATHAM
MELVIN DRON
TOM RAE
WILLIE BABCOCK
FRANCIS WILDS
JACK EWING
RUSSELL WEADOE
ALBERT YOUNG
WILLIE LITTLE
JOHN MANN.

From Senior Second to Junior Third
ETHEL JAMES (Honors)
IRENE DUNN (Honors)
OLIVE PRECIOUS (Honors)
CHARLES PRIVOST (Honors)
RAYMOND LAMBERT (Honors)
ELVIN GAMBLE (Honors)
MAX STARKMAN (Honors)
ARTHUR HENDERSON (Honors)
GORDON SMITH (Honors)
EDDIE GIBBONS (Honors)
DOROTHY CORDINER (Honors)
SIDNEY SCRIVEN (Honors)
EDNA GREEN
BEATRICE MELLON
GORDON McDOUGALL
ELIZABETH PATRICK
PHYLLIS COOK
GWENDOLYN MATTHEWS
DOROTHY McPHERSON
HILLIARD PRICE
JACK SYMON
HAROLD REID
KENNETH ROSZEL (on trial)

From Junior Second to Junior Third
(With Honors)
LILIAN TYLER
EILEEN McIVOR
MARJORIE SWITZER
BARBARA RAE
ISABEL FINDLAY
MARJORY MANN
ELSIE PARSONS
EVA WHEELER
LEONA WALLER
NELLIE BARBER
DOROTHY CAMPBELL
JEAN WEADOE
FRANK COOK.

From Junior Second to Senior Second
HARRY WYATT
ARTHUR LAWSON
FLORENCE ELLIOTT
DORIS LANTZ
DOROTHY EWING
ELEANOR CLIFFORD
HELEN COOK
IVY HOLMES
JEAN SMITH
MARGARET PRICE
DORIS MADDOCK
ISABEL LANTZ
STEWART MALCOLM
ROBIE WATERHOUSE
JESSIE ATKINSON
STANLEY MORRISON (on trial)
JACK REID (on trial)
LUCY GOLDHAM (on trial)
LESLIE GREEN (on trial)

From Senior First to Junior Second
HAZEL COXE (Honors)
MARGARET McDONALD
MERYL GRINDELL
ELIZABETH GIBSON
PHYLLIS TYLER
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DOROTHY SMETHURST
MALCOLM COLLIER
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KATHLEEN KELLY
WILLIE WATERHOUSE
VIOLET CURRIE
HENRETTA WALLER
CLAYTON HATTIN.

Pass to Senior First
GORDON CURRIE
GORDON BABCOCK
GLENN RYDER
VIOLET BLANCHE
HOWARD LABBROOK
ARTHUR GAMBLE
CLIFFORD PRECIOUS
NEIL PATRICK
VIOLET WOODS
ROBERT HALL
CARNEY HYBNS
MAE ELLIOTT
MELVIN LAMBERT
JOHN McLVIN
ISABEL SMITH
ALLAN MARSHALL
WALTER NEIL
GORDON REID
GEORGE GREEN
NEWTON HURST
DONALD MANN.

From Junior First to Senior First
MILDRED HOLLINGER (Honors)
BETTY FINDLAY (Honors)
HAZEL SMITH (Honors)
DOREEN MAHALES
CLARICE MORTON
DORIS McDONALD
JAMES McCUTCHEON
AUBREY GERVAIS
BURT GIBBENS
EVELYN MATTHEWS
HOWARD SWITZER
IRENE CROSS
CORA WHITE
RENA BELLO
IRLAY SMITH
CHRISTINA McKENZIE
FLORENCE CROSS.
IVY MILLER.

From Senior Primary to Junior First
LILY NEALE (Honors)
LOIS ATKINSON (Honors)
WILLA LABBY (Honors)
CHARLIE HOLMES (Honors)
TOMMY GIBBONS (Honors))
FRED GREEN (Honors)
ELSIE EDWARDS (Honors)
LAURA HALL
PHYLLIS LABBY
ABBIE PRICE
THOS. GIBBONS
HERBERT TAYLOR
TOMMY ELLIOTT
BILLY JONES
FRANK WINTER
COLIN McNABB
MILDRED WATSON
EDITH MILLS
ARTHUR HEATH
KATHLEEN COOK
JOHN BARBER
LEONARD EWING
ELWOOD YOUNG
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VIOLA WILSON
ROB ANDERSON
CHARLES BROWN.

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MARJORY GARDEN
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LILLIAN PERRY
OLIVE ROOKER
ADABEL BROWN
DORIS HAYDON
VELMA BLAIR

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THORA COOK (Honors)
WILFRED McCUTCHEON (Honors)
GORDON HANSEN (Honors)
HAZEL HILLMAN
FORD HILLMAN
BILLIE WILLIAMS
GORDON TITUS
NORA WATERHOUSE
VICTOR ELLIOTT
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NADEEN STUCKY
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ROSS HUNTER
FRED BROWN.

Nassagaweya is Enquiring for Hydro Power

The Council Invites Hydro Representative to Explain System and Estimate Cost

NEW BRIDGE OVER GRAND RIVER DISCUSSED

At the meeting of Nassagaweya Council on the 27th inst., the Clerk was instructed to write the Hydro Commission to send a representative to meet the Council at Campbellville at an early date to explain the system and give estimates of the cost of installing Hydro power in rural communities.

The Reeve, Councillors Whitley and Anderson were appointed a committee to procure plans and estimates for a bridge over the Grand River, lot 20, concessions 5 and 6.

The following accounts were passed at the meeting:

Guelph General Hospital, Albert Cargill's account	$126 50
Acton Free Press, printing	7 21
R. R. Fleming, grant to School Fair	25 00

Expenses of Committee to Toronto before the Railway Board re crossings:

D. R. Hutcheon, Reeve	5 00
J. Marshall, Clerk	5 00
Ed. Agnew	5 00
Ed. Agnew, expenses of engineer	10 00
A number of road and bridge accounts	1,800 00
Sheep killed by dogs	91 00

The Garden in July

The home gardens are yielding gratifying returns these fine days. An average list for the daily bill of fare now includes: lettuce, cress, onions, radishes, peas, carrots, new potatoes and greens, raspberries and currants. There are usually sweet peas and roses and abundance of the pretty annuals and perennials. Oh, it pays to have a garden.

Barn Destroyed in Esquesing

A disastrous fire occurred on the farm of Mrs. H. C. Robinson, eighth line, Esquesing, near Hornby, on Saturday afternoon, in which all the barns, with contents, including stock, were entirely destroyed. The total loss is over $5,000, partly covered by insurance. The fire originated in the hay mow and is supposed to be the result of uncured hay heating, followed by spontaneous combustion.

Not Observing the Federation

William B. Forbes, M. A., principal of Watertown High School during the past year, has been engaged as principal of Stirling High School for the ensuing year. The Ontario Secondary Teachers' Federation tried to prevent the engagement taking effect, claiming Mr. Forbes was supplanting another teacher. He has, however, definitely decided to ignore the Federation and accept the position.

Laurier Memorial

The Laurier Monument Committee announces that the public subscription which was limited to a sum not exceeding $5.00 from any individual subscriber has realized $35,303.20, representing many thousands of subscriptions. The sculptors have been chosen and the monument for the grave of the illustrious deceased is being prepared. The Committee, in its name and that of Lady Laurier, takes this occasion to tender heartfelt thanks to all subscribers. By order of the Committee, P. C. Larkin, Treasurer, Toronto, Ont.

Farmers' Loses in Cattle

The Department of Agriculture representative in Lambton says: "The following incident is typical of the cattle situation as it affects the farmers of this province. One farmer, in relating his experience, says that he purchased $4,000 worth of stockers last fall, fed them all winter the crop that grew on 170 acres of land, and sold them this spring for $4,023. This shows how the farmers have to take their losses. And similar examples are to be found in the experience of farmers in this county of Halton, who lost their winter's work of feeding and all the feed consumed by their stockers as well.

News of Local Import.

Improving Their Holiday Time

Misses Minnie Bennett and E. E. Knapp, Mrs. Annie Somerville, Misses Clara Brown, Vera Harvey and Myrtle Claridge went to Toronto on Monday to take special summer courses at the University.

Three New School Books

When the Public Schools of Ontario re-open in September three new textbooks, the geography, history of Canada, and history of England, will be introduced. The prices will be the same as for the old textbooks.

St. Alban's Garden Party

Mr. John A. Kelly is engaged for St. Alban's Church Garden Party on Thursday, July 21. He is very highly commended as a ventriloquist, singer and entertainer. A varied programme and other attractions are being arranged. If you can't laugh don't attend.

Honors in Examination in Music

Miss Jean Orr, who took her Junior Piano examinations at the Conservatory of Music, Toronto, last month, has been notified that she has been successful in passing with honors. Miss Jeanie also took highest marks in Form I at the High School mid-summer examinations.

A Fine New Bank Barn

Messrs. Alexander Waldie and his son, Duncan, had a fine new bank barn, 54x64, raised on their farm on the first line last week. The barn is commodious, conveniently situated and will add much to this plendid farm. Mr. Jas. Douglas, the framer, is superintending the erection of the structure. It will have all the modern improvements and be completed in time to house the season's crops.

Changed Hands After Seventy Years

The home of Mrs. Thomas Ebbage, Main Street, has been sold to Mr. John Boyd, who recently sold his farm in Erin. This property was the home of Mrs. Ebbage's parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Overton, and has been in the family for about seventy years. The original home was destroyed by fire when the California Hotel was burned thirty-five or forty years ago, and Mr. Ebbage built the present brick residence on the site to replace it.

The West-Near Nuptials

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday afternoon, 29th June, at 3.30 o'clock at "Ireadale Farm," the home of Mr. and Mrs. William K. Near, third line, Erin, when their only daughter, Margaret Annie Kirkwood, was joined in the bonds of holy wedlock to David Frederick West, of the first line, Erin. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. H. McAlpine, B. A., of Hespeler, a former pastor the bride, assisted by Rev. G. K. Tyler, the present pastor of the Baptist Church. The ceremony took place in the parlor which was decorated with ferns and marguerites. The bride, who was unattended, was given away by her father. She looked very pretty in her bridal robe of hand embroidered white voile, with satin sash, and carrying bridal roses and maiden hair fern. Mendelssohn's wedding march was played by Rev. and Mrs. Tyler on the violin and piano. Many beautiful bridal gifts were received. Mr. and Mrs. West left in the evening on a honeymoon tour to Toronto and Niagara Falls. The bride's going away gown was a navy blue suit with hat to match. Their home will be at lot 7, first line, Erin.

The Baseball Field

The extreme heat of the past week has evidently taken the vim out of both players and fans. The Church League was not heard from at all, and the interest in the Halton-Peel League waned very manifestly. Acton went down on Saturday before Limehouse in a scheduled League fixture at that hamlet. The score was 11 to 4. The game was not very interesting, and the constant wrangling of the players did not help it any. Dr. Nelson pitched for Acton while Kentner did the receiving. The latter seemed to have trouble in handling his shoots. The Acton boys fielded very loosely, although it must be admitted that the Limehouse "diamond" more resembles a plowed field than a baseball green. Lynn, in the box for Limehouse, had the Acton batters lashed to the mast at all times, with the exception of Nelson, who collected two singles and a triple. The local boys will have to get down to business and have some good batting practice if they expect to make a showing in the League. It is in this respect that their inability to win chiefly lies. They have a bye in the league on Saturday and have arranged an exhibition game for that day with Rockwood in the park here. Batters: Acton—Nelson and Kentner; Limehouse—Lynn and Millere. Umpires, Scott and J. Hynds.

Knox Church Garden Party

The finest of garden party weather greeted this annual function of the Ladies' Aid of Knox Church last Thursday evening. Rain threatened during the day but the evening was clear and warm. As usual the event was favored with one of the largest crowds assembled for some time at a garden party in these parts. The programme was a most excellent one. Stanley, in his fine baritone solos and sketches, proved an exceptional outdoor entertainer. Every one of his numbers was greatly appreciated. Miss Lina Craine, who claims Acton as her birthplace, is a soprano soloist of merit. Her repertoire is varied and every number rendered by her was highly appreciated as evidenced by the vociferous encores. Miss Lina will always have a welcome awaiting her when she is billed to appear before any audience in her birthood's home. The comedian of the evening, Mr. Joe Williams, of Toronto, made his first appearance before an Acton audience. His quaint English accent and manner give him an advantage over the usual run of comedians. He managed to keep the audience in roars of laughter. In response to special request Rev. W. L. Findlay acceded to the call and gave a couple of excellent solos. Miss Browne, the pianist, was a real artist, and ably assisted in the programme with piano solos and her skilfully executed accompaniments. Piper Ross was on hand with the bagpipes and stirred up all the Scotch blood in the audience, and, judging from the reception given his playing there was considerable of the Scotch present. The Acton Citizens' Band contributed very materially to the evening's programme with a number of well-rendered selections. Rev. Mr. Findlay was the very capable chairman for the evening's doings. The booth was well patronized and the function a remarkable success from every standpoint.

Dominion Day Home-Comers Were Numerous

Canada's Natal Day Saw Many Visitors to the Old Home Town

AND QUITE A FEW WENT OUT OF TOWN FOR THE HOLIDAY

Mr. E. J. Moore was home from Toronto.

Mr. Fred Maddock was home from Toronto.

Mr. Lloyd Kenney was home from Toronto.

Miss Marjorie Hope was here from Toronto.

Mr. A. A. Rollit was here from Toronto.

Mr. Linton Kenney was home from Kitchener.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bennett were at Erindale.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Noble were here from Toronto.

Miss Mildred Matthews was here from Toronto.

Mr. Ernest Black, of Toronto, visited the old home town.

Miss Margaret Bennett visited friends at Kettleby.

Miss Vera Wiggins, of Toronto, was here for the holiday.

Mrs. (Dr.) Gray returned from her visit to Blyth last week.

Messrs. Gordon and Charlie McLeod were here from Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. LePage, of Toronto, were at Moorecroft.

Mr. Fred H. Smyth, Toronto, visited Acton friends on Tuesday.

Miss Gladys Huffman, of Toronto, is holidaying at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jolley and babe, of Galt, visited Acton friends.

Miss Margaret Kennedy was home from Toronto for the holiday.

Mr. George Rudman, Toronto, spent the holiday with Acton friends.

Miss M. Tassie, Guelph, is visiting at the home of Mr. A. E. Cripps.

Miss Hazel Mason is spending a couple of weeks at Grimsby Beach.

Mr and Mrs. Edwin Maddock, of Toronto, were here for the week-end.

Mr. C. B. Ebbage, of Kitchener, spent a couple of days in the old home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Storey and children of Toronto, visited the old home.

Mr. John B. Moore, Toronto, spent the holiday with his mother and sister.

Mr. Will Pearson, of Toronto, is holidaying at his mother's home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Anderson, of Toronto, were at Mr. Spencer Husband's.

Mr. Albert Wildgust, of London, visited friends in Acton over the holiday.

Miss Lina Craine was the guest of Mrs. W. J. Gould during her stay in town.

Mr. Harold Kennedy spent the holiday with his brother Joe, in Point Anne.

Miss Winnifred Watson, of Toronto, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. William Williams and Mr. T. Kilty motored to Toronto on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Sloat, of Stratford, visited at the home of Mrs. Morris Bayers.

Mrs. Weaver, of Hope Bay, is the guest of Mrs. William Thompson, Willow Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Brown, of Kitchener, are visiting at the parental home here.

Mr. Charles and Misses Katie and Sarah Caswell, of Toronto, spent the holiday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lashbrook, late of Stratford, have taken up their residence in town.

Mrs. D. R. Hutcheon, of Campbellville, is spending a few days with Mrs. Wm. Johnstone.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brown visited friends at Brantford and Woodstock during the week.

Mr. James Erwin, Campbellville, was a guest of Mr and Mrs. James Anderson last week.

Mr. George Scott of the Galt Postal System, visited his brother, Robert Scott, Bower Avenue.

Miss Violet Laird, of Georgetown, is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Huffman, Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McIntosh, of London, spent holidays with his mother and sister here.

Misses Ettie Dills and Mary Spearing, of Toronto, spent the holiday at the former's home here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Van Norman, Lenore and Willa, Guelph, spent the holiday at Mr. G. H. Lantz's.

The Misses L. and M. Ramshaw have been spending a few holidays at Newmarket and Orchard Beach.

Miss Constance Scott, of Brampton, is spending a few holidays at the home of Mr. J. R. Kennedy.

Mr. A. McNiskin who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Millar, left on Tuesday for Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Soper, Guelph, visited at the home of Mr. George Soper, Acton, over the holiday.

Mrs. Leslie S. Cockburn and Miss Constance, of Trenton, Mich., are guests with Mrs. Wm. Johnstone.

Misses Edith Mahon and Miss Jessie Woodhall have just returned from a two weeks' vacation at Albany, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Collier and Misses Florence Jones and Viola Norris, of Toronto, were guests of Mrs. Collier.

Miss Ruby Clark is home from Toronto. She will spend her holidays at the summer cottage of her brother, Campbell, at Elgin, Ont.

In Memoriam

MISS ANNA DUNN

The sad news reached Acton last Wednesday of the somewhat sudden death of Miss Anna Dunn, daughter of the late James Dunn, of Chatham. For several years Miss Dunn had led a retired life due to illnesses contracted while on nursing duties. She received her early nursing train in St. Joseph's Hospital, Chatham, and was one of the first nurses to graduate from the institution. Miss Dunn was born in Esquesing, but removed to Chatham with her father's family when quite young. She was prominent in nursing circles at Chatham for many years. The surviving members of the family are two sisters, Sister M. Veronica, of St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton; and Miss Elizabeth Dunn, of Chatham, and five brothers, James P., of Chatham, John and Theodore, of Acton; William, of Hamilton, and Edmund, of Toronto. The funeral was held on Friday from the residence of her brother, James P. Dunn, Chatham, Rev. Father Holanus officiating, and upon arrival here Rev. Father Goodrow took charge. The pall bearers here were three brothers, John, Theodore and Edmund, John Gibbons, Norman McLeod, and J. P. Dunn, Jr., a nephew. Interment was made in the family plot at Dublin Cemetery. The remains were accompanied to Acton by Sister M. Veronica and Sister St. Jean, of Hamilton, Miss Elizabeth, of Chatham, Edmund, of Toronto, and J. P. Dunn, Jr., of Chatham.

ROBERT WALLACE

In the death of Robert Wallace on Dominion Day this community lost one of nature's noblemen and the home a father devoted, loving and true. For the past year or two Mr. Wallace was gradually failing in health. But he was industrious and kept at his large garden in the Wallace survey until about the middle of June. About that time he took a severe cold which developed into pneumonia. Although he was given the loving care and attention of his daughter, Mrs. George Murray, with whom he resided, and also of his other two daughters, Mrs. W. H. Gurney, of Windham, and Mrs. R. E. Battram, of Fort William, he gradually sank until death ended his sufferings last Friday. Robert Wallace was the son of the late Benjamin Wallace Sr., and was born on the homestead in Nassagaweya, in 1845. Forty-four years ago he married Marjory McDonald, daughter of the late Graham McDonald, also of Nassagaweya. Mrs. Wallace predeceased her husband fourteen years ago in October. Their's was a very happy home. Their three daughters survive. Their recollections of the home life together, when father and mother were with them, will always be recalled with loving remembrances. Mr. James McDonald, who died three weeks prior to Mr. Wallace's demise, was a brother-in-law. His death was a great blow. Mr. Alexander McDonald, of Church Street, is also a brother-in-law. Mr. Wallace was a man of sterling Christian character. He stood for what he believed to be right and lived in his daily life up to the principles of truth and righteousness. As his pastor remarked at the funeral service: "He was a religious man and he enjoyed his religion." For nearly fifty years Mr. Wallace was a member of the Methodist Church, Acton, and was loyal to all its services. For many years he was a member of the Official Board and a District Visitor. He had power in prayer and at the weekly prayer services his voice was always heard in earnest intercession. The funeral on Sunday afternoon from the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Murray, was largely attended. Many old friends were present to pay their respects to the memory of this good man. Rev. I. M. Moyer conducted the service. The body was conveyed to the tomb by the following pall bearers: John Cameron, A. E. Nicklin, John Stalker, H. P. Moore, John M. Warren, Wm. Thompson and J. Brooks.

Disastrous Fire in Guelph

Stewart's Planing Mill and Seven or Eight Stores Destroyed

A destructive fire started in Stewart's planing mill, Wyndham Street, Guelph, yesterday morning, and before it was extinguished seven or eight stores were destroyed as well as the planing mill property.

It is reported that when the first war discovered the roof of the planing mill was about to fall in.

The following buildings were destroyed in the conflagration:

The Apollo Theatre.
Wyndham Inn.
The Stewart Planing Mill.
Ciets Shoe Store.
A Millinery Store.
Grinyer's Electrical and Plumbing Shops.
The furniture Store, formerly Struthers.
Candyland, a confectionery store.

The loss will be heavy. Some of the premises are partially covered by insurance.

Acton Won Mercury Trophy

Gunner Gould's rink had a very successful experience at the Guelph tournament this week. They secured the Mercury's trophy and a silver flower vase each. During the tournament they played eleven games and won nine of the eleven.

Miss Mary E. McPherson, Assistant Superintendent of the General and Marine Hospital at Collingwood, is holidaying at her home here.

Misses Florence and Leona and Master Edward Flynn, of Buffalo, are spending a week or so at the home of their uncle, Mr. Joseph Flynn.

Mrs. Norman Lambert and her three children left for their home in Winnipeg on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. M. McLean accompanied them to Toronto.

Mrs. Marriott and baby Marriott and Miss Ada Marriott and Mrs. Crowson, Mrs. Joslin and Miss Howell, of Guelph, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bishop on Dominion Day.

Misses Hannah Wallace, Mary Harvey, Mrs. H. D. Croft and Tommy, Misses Elizabeth and Annie McDonald, Margery Cargill and Mrs. Lila Mills left on Dominion Day for Grimsby Beach to spend a couple of weeks.

Mrs. F. A. MacLean and Master Donald, who have been visiting at her parents' home here for the past month, have gone to Hillsboro Beach, Lake Huron. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Alice Johnstone.

Miss Margaret Bennett, of the Toronto teaching staff, is one of the Canadian teachers selected to teach in London, England, schools for a year, in the exchange with English teachers who are to teach in Toronto schools for the same period. Miss Bennett will leave for England in a few weeks.