

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Interesting Items Concerning Other Centres and Communities in which Many of Our Readers are Interested

HILLSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. James Cheyne, of Lakeland, Florida, are visiting relatives in Hillsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Booth and children, of Ailton, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Wm. Cheyne.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McClure and daughter, of Brampton, visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Cheyne.

Mrs. Henry Near, of Acton, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beatty.

School re-opened last Tuesday, with Miss Jean Hindley in charge.

Quite a number of farmers in this district have their corn out, a few of which have had it "blown."

Miss Margaret Bryan and Marjorie Thomsen entered the General Hospital at Guelph to train as nurses. Their friends wish them much success in their new work.

A corn and weather roast was held at the United Church, Kramowa, on Friday evening last. All present report nice time.

Mr. Henry Cox, formerly of Hillsburg, called at the home of his niece, Mrs. A. Roselli, on Sunday, on his way to Toronto, where he will spend the winter with his daughters.

ROCKWOOD

Owing to anniversary services at the Stone Church on Sunday, no services were held in the United Church here.

Rev. Geo. Attkin, of Guelph, was anniversary minister. Services were well attended.

Services at St. John's Church, Sunday morning, were well attended. Holy Communion was observed and conducted by the rector. During the service, a baptismal ceremony was performed for Shirley Ann Sackett, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sackett.

Since reverting back to Standard Time, church services at St. John's Church will be held Sunday afternoons, at 2.30 p.m.

Moving pictures were shown again on Monday evening in the Town Hall. Wm. Powell and Carole Lombard were the principal characters in "My Man Godfrey."

Congratulations to Thelma Ross and Gloria Powl in Continuation School work, the former securing a prize for highest marks in Form I and the latter prize for most progress in French in Form I.

Mrs. Frank Day's many friends will be pleased to learn that her operation last week was successful and look forward to returning home at an early date.

Recent and week-end visitors:

Dr. James Dundas of Minden City, Mich., at Mr. and Mrs. John Dyer's home.

Mrs. Wilma Milne, of Brantford, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Belbody, of Ashgrove.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Strone, Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Day, Hamilton.

Miss Lovina Richardson, Kitchener.

Mrs. David Beck, of Medicine Hat, Alta., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. G. Edwards.

Miss Jean Little is in Lastowel, visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. Jackson.

Mrs. Beck Hicks and daughter, of Kingston, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bolton.

Miss Doris Milne returned home on Sunday after her holiday in Montreal. She spent the weekend in Toronto.

Miss M. Milne's new residence on Richardson Street, is completed and already occupied.

After an illness of some duration, Mrs. Isaac Thacker passed away at her home on Saturday evening in her 78th year. The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon from her late home. Rev. Mr. Clark, of Eden Mills conducted the service and also at the graveside. Mr. J. A. Little and Mr. J. Elliott led in the singing of "Jesus Lover of My Soul." The pall-bearers were Messrs. R. F. and Walter McWilliams, Chas. Thatcher, Peter Sim, Wm. J. Gordon and A. J. Elliott. A few floral wreaths bore silent tribute to the high esteem in which the deceased was held. Her remains were interred in Rockwood Cemetery beside her late husband. Mrs. Thacker leaves to mourn her loss three sons, James, at home, Ernest and Elmer of Provost, Alberta; one daughter, Victoria. Mrs. Ernest Dyer, predeceased her some 25 years ago. The funeral, while not large, was indicative of deep respect for one so well known in her immediate neighborhood. Besides those who attended from nearby points, were some from Acton, Guelph and Hamilton.

Our local butcher, Mr. Arnold Cunnehan, has had his business place much improved with a roughcast surface.

Mr. S. B. Pratt is also having his hardware store, occupied by Mr. Alvin B. Rose, treated to a similar finish.

BALLINAFAD

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie returned home on Sunday after spending a few days in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott and family, of Toronto, were visitors on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wylie.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McCormack, of Brantford; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wheatley and daughter, Mary, of Port Stanley, visited at the home of their brother, Mr. Ray Thompson, during the past week.

With the opening of school yesterday, Georgetown lost one of their star junior hockey players, when Robert "Bob" Goldham decided to lose his cap in with Northern Vocational School in Toronto. Bob has every possibility of becoming a member of that school's rugby and hockey teams and will no doubt be a valuable asset to their teams Herald.

MILTON

Daylight Saving Time for this year will end in Milton on Saturday, September 17th, at midnight.

Mr. and Mrs. John Storey, of Cleveland, visited relatives here over the week-end.

William and James Hamilton, of Milton Heights, twins, celebrated their ninth birthday on Sunday, September 11th.

Miss Doris Knight, of Lastowel, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Knight, over the holiday.

Miss Emma Guillemin, of Milton, picked a box of nice ripe strawberries in her garden on Labor Day.

Mr. Skuce, of Sudbury, appointed Public School Inspector for Halton County, to succeed Mr. J. M. Denyes, superannuated, will reside in Milton, having bought Miss Barbara Elliott's fine residence, on the corner of Main and Court Streets.

A surprise presentation was made at Halton registry office, here, on Friday, in honor of Miss Jean Wilson, formerly Deputy Register of Deeds. Miss Wilson, who was married on Saturday to R. L. Martin, B.B.A., of Port Colborne, was an employee of the registry office for the past nine years. Following congratulatory speeches of Halton County officials, Miss Wilson was presented with a silver relish dish, by Miss Edna Anderson, Secretary to the Superintendent of Peel and Halton Children's Aid Society. The presentation address was delivered by W. J. Hampshire, Sheriff and Surrogate Court Registrar, who also acted as chairman Champion.

OSPRINGE

Mrs. M. Cooke has a peach tree growing in her orchard with two or three peaches on it.

Mr. T. O. Aitken received the sad news of the passing of his nephew, Lloyd Aitken, at Penrudd. Mr. and Mrs. Aitken and family attended the funeral on Wednesday.

Mrs. Martha Harris, of Owen Sound, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. F. Brydon and Miss Annie Kirkwood.

Mrs. Box, Sr., of Renfrew, visited for a couple of weeks with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Stacey Box.

Mr. Roy Hindley conducted a splendid sale on Monday for Mr. Arthur Thompson, third line. Good prices were realized and a large crowd was present.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. David Stewart, on the arrival of a young son, at the Guelph General Hospital on the corner of Main and Court Streets.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute was held on Wednesday afternoon at the lovely spacious home of Miss Ada Currie when the ladies of the Erin branch were guests, sixty-one being present.

Mrs. E. Barber presided for the business session and Mrs. F. N. Sunter read the minutes of the previous meeting.

Items of business pertaining to the tooth and dinner at the school Fair were discussed. An invitation was being extended to Mrs. A. Curtis, District Secretary, to be guest at the next meeting.

Mrs. E. Barber gave a splendid report of the recent "Memorial Day" held at the Eton Cemetery in conjunction with the Eton Institute and Cemetery Trustees. She reported one hundred and nine dollars and sixty-eight cents of a collection taken at the service and upwards of seventeen hundred dollars as total money received for Perpetual Care of the Cemetery.

To Miss Mary Campbell a vote of thanks was extended as this new idea of a Memorial Day in place of the usual garden party was made by her. Mrs. A. Short, Vice-President of Erin branch then acted as chairman for the splendid program given by that branch. Miss McMillan sang a very helpful and instructive address taking for her theme "Trees." Mrs. Magill, in her very pleasing manner, sang a solo, "Long Long Ago." A helpful and well planned paper on "The Creation of a Home," was read by Mrs. Sedgeworth. A humorous recitation, "Breaking the News Gently," by Mrs. R. D. Graham, was much enjoyed. A novel contest, conducted by Miss Helen Bush, on "Toronto Stores," was won by Mrs. Clayton Barber and Mrs. E. W. Anderson. A dainty lunch was served and a social time enjoyed.

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GEORGETOWN

The August relief account as presented by the Mayor amounted to \$10,772. This is an increase of \$4,13 over 1932.

Our High and Public Schools re-opened on Thursday for the fall term, with a good attendance and full staff of teachers.

Wonder if our citizens knew we hadn't a doctor in town last Thursday. They

were all at Toronto exhibition, enjoying

the music of the bands in competition.

Yes, and the undertaker was there, too.

"Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Neider, of Rochester,

N.Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gray,

of Brighton, N.Y., were weekend visitors

at the home of Mr. Alfred Collins.

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ERIN

Mr. Ross Overland has been quite ill recently, but is now convalescing.

Workmen have commenced building a

new garage at the Justice service station

Mrs. Dr. Gour and Mr. Douglas Gour

returned last week from a trip to the

Pacific Coast and Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Homer and son,

Tod, of London, spent the week-end with

his father and brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lambert and two

little daughters, Joyce and Betty, of

Acton, visited on Sunday with Mr. and

Mrs. G. A. Hamilton.

Mrs. J. Crawford and son, Stanley,

returned home on Sunday after a three-

week cruise with Mr. Crawford on the

S. S. Matilda.

Miss Betty Lyons, who has just returned

after spending a year on the exchange

teaching staff in England, and Mr. Hugo Lyons of Guelph, spent Sunday with

Mrs. flora Swinton.

Schools re-opened on Tuesday, with the

teachers and pupils back for the begin-

ning of a new school year. The classes

in the local school are larger than usual,

with 82 in the two Public School rooms,

in charge of Miss Abbott and Miss Holly-

ridge, and 68 in the Continuation classes,

in charge of Miss Waterman and Miss

McGregor. This is the largest number

of students in the Continuation class

in a number of years. Advocate.

BURLINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Howe and daughter, Barbara, of Ottawa, are visiting for a few days with Mayor George R. and Mrs. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Bridle, of Etobicoke, are enjoying a week's vacation at Forest, Ont. Mr. Bridle is recovering

from a recent illness, and hopes to resume his teaching duties by October 1st.

Mrs. Dorothy Cornish, of Freeman, was

successful in passing the Summer Course

in Education, held in Toronto. She left

on Saturday for Whitby, to resume her

duties on the Public School teaching staff.

On Friday evening last, the members

of the Town Council and Executive of

the Fire Brigade witnessed a demon-

stration of a Bickle pump. The demon-

stration was a revelation to those present

and showed what modern equipment can

do.

Chief Lee J. Smith is away on his

annual vacation for a couple of weeks.

The Chief expects to capture a few big

ones in the Pembridge district. During

the recent night Constable Dunham will

be in charge and Harry Mercer will again

act as Night Constable.

Early last week Mr. M. C. Smith, a

well-known resident of our town had a

miraculous escape from serious injury on

his farm on the mountain.