

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths... Additional for poetry.

MARRIED

WOODWARD-SPROWL—On Wednesday, February 22nd, 1939, in the Metropolitan Church, Toronto, by Rev. A. J. Eagle, Mrs. Amanda M. Sprowl, Acton, to Mr. Frank B. Woodward, of Kamloops, B.C.

DIED

LAWSON—At the home of her daughter, 242 Spence Street, Winnipeg, Man., on Monday, February 6th, 1939, Mrs. J. J. Lawson, formerly of Acton.

ORIEVE—Suddenly, in Pasadena, Calif., on Monday, February 20th, 1939, Medford Charles Orieve, beloved husband of Alice MacGregor. Funeral service at 2:00 p.m. Thursday, Interment in Pasadena, Calif.

IN MEMORIAM

KENNEDY—In loving memory of our dear sister, Rachel F. Kennedy, who died February 25th, 1938.

To-day I'm thinking of someone who was loving, kind and true; Whose smile was as dear as the sunshine. That someone, dear sister, was you.

SISTERS AND BROTHERS

TAYLOR—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Isabel Taylor, who passed away February 19th, 1938.

We miss your smile and ever will, Your vacant place there is none can fill; Down here we mourn, but not in vain, For up in heaven we will meet again.

HUSBAND AND SONS

Northern Lights

The article this week will be of interest chiefly to hockey fans. The group here in the Porcupine section Senior N.O.H.A. consisted of six teams, Dome, Buffalo, Ankerite, McIntyre, Pamour, Hollinger, Coniarium. A double schedule was arranged which meant that each team would play 20 games, making a total of 130 games for the six teams.

Pamour and Dome used the South Porcupine arena for their home ice; Buffalo, Ankerite, and Hollinger, the Timmins arena; Coniarium and McIntyre, the new McIntyre Community Building. The four teams standing highest were to enter the group playoffs; but at the end of the schedule, Dome and Ankerite were tied for the other position. So it was necessary to play two extra games. Dome defeated Ankerite, and Pamour took Coniarium, which made the play-off standing Dome, Ankerite, Pamour and Coniarium.

From the first of the season it seemed to be an understood fact that Dome would take the group without much trouble, but the "Dynamiters" from Pamour pulled a surprise by tying the Dome "Porokies" 5-5 in the first play-off game. Ankerite, as expected, took an easy victory over the "Flyers" from Coniarium, 4-3.

To-night (Monday) Pamour and Dome play their second game after which one will go on for the championship and the other retire for the season. This game should draw a crowd of about 1,000.

Dome have a very powerful fast skating outfit, and the team that puts them out will have to be in there battling at the way. Coached by Al. Huggins, formerly of Montreal Maroons and Windsor Bulldogs, these Dome "Porokies" have some of the finest senior players in the country.

In Goal—Brownlee, from Port Colborne, rated tops last year in the net tending division.

Defence—"Cyclone" Taylor, Dunn and Frank Huggins. Huggins played with the Newmarket Juniors on the Dominion championship team a few seasons back.

Forwards—Caki (Niagara Falls) Nevins (Toronto McColls); Red Reynolds (Port Colborne); McCann (Ottawa); Woon (Newmarket); Horne (Kitchener).

The "Porokies" also have the first line from last year's St. Boniface Junior champs, and for sub-goal, Esseltine, from Niagara Falls.

Here are the "Dynamiters" from Pamour, that have pulled the big surprise of the year:

In goal—Sus Bentley (Atlantic City).

Defence—Mansfield (Wemby Lions, London, England); Marshall (Acton Intermediates); Mayes (City Service, Toronto).

Forwards—Red McArthur (Newmarket); Vic Hansberry (played all his hockey here in South Porcupine, and tried out two years ago with Toronto Maple Leafs); Harmon, LaRoche and Woods (Gravenhurst); Fumerton (Port William); Kilrea and LaFoley (Ottawa).

Coach—Karl Gilmore (formerly of Gravenhurst, played pro. for Tulsa Oilers).

Two other coaches, perhaps better known to Acton hockey fans, are Marty Lauder, of the McIntyre, who coached Durham to the Provincial Championship, and Joe Raybold, of the Ankerite, who played for Durham the same year as their star centre, Joe since they have hung up the blades, and is now considered to be the best coach in this district.

The winners of this group play the "Blue Devils" from Kirkland. After the upset pulled by the Pamour in tying the "Porokies" last week, anything can happen and all four teams have a fair chance of taking the group honors.

The building of the new McIntyre Community Building has inspired hockey here to its best year in history. This fine building, erected at a cost of over \$200,000, boasts an artificial ice surface 30x190 feet. The red and blue seats and large sport timer clock make it a miniature copy of the Gardens in Toronto.

Sorry to end this article so abruptly, but must rush to the arena and help cheer the good old "Dynamiters" to the victory we are all praying for. So long for now.

7:30 a.m. Tuesday.

Just in from shift: 38 below zero. Well, the Pamour pulled the second surprise of the year by defeating Dome last night 6-3. It was Pamour's game all the way. Their fast skating, close checking and organized plays had the Dome "Porokies" hog-tied. Allan Marshall, better known here as "Allie," played his best game of the season. Stick-handling through the entire Dome team, "Allie" laid in one of the nicest goals this person has seen in many, many moons.

Marshall and his partner on the blue line, "Bud" Mayes, played 57 minutes. A few weeks ago a hockey critic in Timmins made the statement that Dome would take this group without much trouble, and that Pamour would be lucky to get into the play-offs. Well, the "Dynamiters" fooled them all and we hope will go on fooling them right through to win the group.

ACTONIAN.

LIVING

He most lives who thinks most; feels the noblest, acts the best, and he whose heart beats the quickest lives the longest. —James Mathiepu.

Extraordinary afflictions are sometimes the trial of extraordinary grace.

BLOOD DONOR



When Jerry Doran, 3-year-old son of Mrs. Peggy Doran, of Kansas City, gave blood for his brother and sister, Donnie Joseph and Patty Doran, who show symptoms of sleeping sickness, he is believed to have set a record as the youngest blood donor in America. Jerry has recovered from an ailment similar to that afflicting his brother and sister and physicians believe that he may have developed an anti-toxin in his blood.

THOUGHTFUL LAD!

"I've been thinking, my son, of retiring next year and leaving the business to you."

"There's no hurry, is there, Dad? You go ahead and work a few years more and then we can retire together."

Notice to Creditors AND OTHERS

In the Estate of Martha Ann Hills, late of the Township of Esquimaux, in the County of Halton, Widow, Deceased.

ALL persons having claims against Martha Ann Hills, late of the Township of Esquimaux, in the County of Halton, Widow, who died on or about January 24th, 1939, are hereby notified to send to the undersigned Solicitor on or before the 25th day of February, 1939, full particulars and proofs of their claims. Immediately after the said 25th day of February, 1939, the assets of the Deceased will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which the Executors shall then have notice.

Dated at Acton this Sixth Day of February, 1939.

C. F. LEATHERLAND, Acton, Ontario, Solicitor for the Executors.

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The Column Y

The Ontario Young Men's Council will meet in St. Catharines the week-end of February 26th. Any young man a member of the Acton Y.M.C.A. may attend. We have received several invitations. If you are interested, call at the "Y" and get further information.

On Saturday evening last the Junior Girls' Group, under the leadership of Miss Ostrander, held a skating party and later returned to the "Y" for lunch. A very enjoyable time was had by all. More activities of this kind should be enjoyed by the groups.

Last Thursday, the Junior Boys had another game in their hockey schedule. There seems to be no stopping Vic Masters' Hawks. They won a hard fought battle against the Rangers under Bob Pearson. The score was 2-1. This makes four straight for the Hawks.

The Burlington Club journeyed to Brampton last week. The club reports another win. Many fine comments were heard about the good time the players had and also of the fine accommodation provided for visiting teams. There is some talk of fixing up a room at the "Y" similar to the one at Brampton. This would be a good idea. The cost would be negligible compared to the good times everyone could have.

What is the greatest danger in the world? Every moment that we live we are in danger from something: floods, earthquakes, lightning, automobiles, and factory accidents. Every newspaper in the land is full each day of the human tragedies that result from the dangers that surround us. It is dangerous to be alive, and yet how few folks there are that are really aware after all of their greatest danger.

Recently in a large city a Safety First contest was held and a prize offered to the scholar who should name the greatest ordinary danger that might befall the citizens. Thousands of answers were received by the committee in charge. One wide-awake boy who used his head as well as his eyes in summing up dangerous situations, hit upon the prize-winning answer. He said, "The greatest danger that may befall any of the people in this city, or anywhere else for that matter, is to fall into a rut." How true this statement was.

Being in a rut and being a failure are about one and the same thing. A successful man is rarely found in a rut. Constant energy and alertness and enthusiasm are the safety devices that save boys from ruts. Avoid falling into a rut in your thinking, in your conduct, in your reading, in your eating, in your pleasures, in your friendships, in your pastimes. Procrastination and downright laziness are responsible for more folks being in ruts than anything else. Let your slogan be "LET ME FAIL IN TRYING TO DO SOMETHING, RATHER THAN TO SIT STILL AND DO NOTHING."

NATIONAL MOVIE QUIZ ANNOUNCEMENT OF PRIZE WINNERS

Most motion picture audiences will be interested in National Announcement Night, that will be held in motion picture theatres throughout the country on Monday evening, February 27th; for this day will be truly remembered by 5,404 "sons-winners" of the \$250,000 Movie Quiz Contest. On this occasion announcement of the winners will be made from the stages or screens of all motion picture theatres that have participated in the campaign that marked Motion Pictures' Greatest Year.

The Managers of the Royal and Capital Theatres in Guelph will celebrate this occasion by announcing the names of all national prize winners from the \$50,000 first prize, \$25,000 second prize, \$10,000 prize, \$5,000 prize winners down to the \$1,000 successful contestants. In addition all local prize winners will be announced. Should winners be present in the theatres, certified checks, issued by the Chemical Bank & Trust Company of New York, will be presented to them on this occasion.

The Judges of the contest are: Mrs. Ogen Reid, Dr. James E. West, Mrs. Helen Wills Moody, the Honorable Bruce Barton and Mr. Hendrick Willem van Loon.

In the selection of the winning letters, the entries were considered without signatures and identified by a key number. In that way even the judges did not know the names of the successful contestants until after they made their selections.

The motion picture industry is proud of the success of this contest and the manner in which it was judged. Although a tremendous task, because of the large number of entries each answer was carefully checked by a staff of experts and through a process of elimination the letters were graded and then considered by the Judges.

McINTOSH APPLE A LEADER

According to the statistics just published during the year ended May 31st, 1939, McIntosh continued to lead all other varieties of apples, accounting for 25 per cent. of the total sales. This most popular stock of early varieties of apples was Yellow Transparent, and sales of Wealthy came first on the list of fall apples.

The LETTER BOX

The Editor, THE ACTON FREE PRESS, The Acton, Ontario

Dear Sir:—I would like to correct some impressions given in your excellent weekly feature, "Chronicles of Glinger Farm," in your last issue.

My I quote a paragraph from that column: "Now the CBC has seen fit to shut Beverly Baxter off the air and in his place they have Graham Spry, over his England, as official commentator for the CBC. At what expense? No wonder they need a radio license fee!"

Beverly Baxter was employed by General Motors as their London commentator. His contract terminated on December 9th, 1938, and General Motors apparently did not wish to re-engage him for they applied for permission to engage Mr. Kallenborn. The application was refused because the CBC has decided that news commentators should be devoid of commercial influence. So it is apparent that the CBC did not shut Beverly Baxter off the air.

Mr. Spry was not hired at any great expense to the CBC. His salary is \$35.00 per week, and half of this is paid by the British Broadcasting Corporation. Graham Spry is a former Canadian newspaperman and a Rhodes scholar and is very well fitted for the position he holds. Beverly Baxter was paid \$300 a week by General Motors when he was broadcasting for them.

It is possible, but I cannot say for certain, that Mr. Spry does not have the same opportunities as Beverly Baxter, who is a member of Parliament in England. I have often heard Mr. Spry give information over the radio, however, that I have not seen in the newspapers.

NEIGHBORS' FAREWELL TO MR. AND MRS. ALEX. MCCAIG

On Tuesday evening, February 21st, the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McCaig and family gathered to bid farewell to them, prior to their leaving the community.

Games and contacts were enjoyed, under the direction of Mr. J. McIntyre. The meeting was then called to order by Mr. Fred West, the chairman, and the following program was given: Solo, Mrs. Wm. Black, accompanied by Mr. J. McIntyre; instrumental, Mr. J. McIntyre; speech, Mr. Chas. McKinnon; vocal duet, Wilma and Helen West. The chairman then called on Miss Elva Pearson, who read the following address:

Greenock, February 21st, 1939. Mr. and Mrs. McCaig and Family: We, your neighbors, have met this evening to visit you in your home, where we have enjoyed many good times.

It is with a very real regret that we realize you will soon not be living right among us, because you have won a "place in the hearts of the members of this community that will not soon be forgotten or replaced.

In going to your new home, we hope that you will have the best of health and prosperity and that you will take with you there many memories of happy associations at Greenock.

As a small token of our deep regard, we wish you to accept this remembrance.

Your friends and neighbors, GORDON LESLIE, BILL JOHNSTON, JAMES GLENDENNING, FRED WEST.

At the proper time, Miss Elsie Maude and Mr. Gordon Leslie presented Mr. and Mrs. McCaig with a sandwich tray, cake plate and Aladdin lamp.

Mr. McCaig, in a few well-chosen words, thanked everyone for the kindness shown in the gifts, and extended to all present an invitation to visit them in their new home at Silver Creek. Mr. McIntyre led in singing, "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows," and Mrs. Black led in community singing.

The ladies then served a delightful lunch, after which a social time was spent. After singing "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," everyone dispersed, wishing Mr. and Mrs. McCaig, Mary and Evaline every success in their new home.

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After Their Majesties Dedicated Church



Accompanied by a member of his staff, King George escorts Queen Elizabeth to the saluting base where they reviewed the garrison at Aldershot after dedicating a new wing of St. Andrew's church, where the garrison attends divine service.

To Accompany Their Majesties on Canadian Visit



According to an official announcement from Buckingham Palace, the King and Queen will be accompanied by a staff of 10 when they visit Canada this May. Included in the royal suite will be Hon. Capt. A. Lascelles, left, private secretary to the King; Lady Catharine Seymour, top centre, and Lady Nubarna-holme, bottom centre, ladies-in-waiting; Lieut-Col. Piers Leigh, top right, and Commander E. M. C. Abel Smith, bottom-right, equestrians to the King.

"MIRACLE BABY"



After 35 minutes of "death" due to bronchial pneumonia, 14-month-old Edward Danner, of Woodstown, N.J., was brought back to life by Dr. Ralph Davis, at Audubon, Pa., who used his own method of artificial respiration when the boy's breathing stopped.