

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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

OSPRINGE

Owing to Anniversary Services being held at Burns Church, Erin, last Sunday, the local service was withdrawn.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rennie, and Marion, of Hamilton, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. D. Stewart at family.

Messrs. Oscar Locker and T. G. Aitken entertained their friends and neighbors at a dance on Monday night, held at the Town Hall, Acton. A splendid time was enjoyed by all.

Congratulations to Mr. Stuart Sinclair who was elected as Councillor at Acton on Monday. Previous to moving to Acton, a few years ago, he was a resident here.

Friends of Mr. Frank Leitch will be sorry to learn he underwent an operation for appendicitis on Saturday night. All wish for him a speedy recovery.

Friends of Mrs. H. R. McCutcheon, who suffered a fall at her home a couple of weeks ago, will be pleased to know she is feeling better and able to be up each day now.

Mr. Ross Anderson was home from Toronto for a couple of days last week. Ross has returned with a Toronto company engaged in repair work, to all guns, tanks, trucks, etc.

NASSAGAWEYA S. S. NO. 7

Friends and neighbors of this district gathered with relatives, neighbors and friends of the late Daniel Irving to pay respects to him and express sympathy to the bereaved ones. The fact that Rev. Mr. J. T. Strachan, St. Mark's and Rev. Mr. C. G. Jones, Grand Valley, two former ministers and Mr. P. Lawson, the present minister of this church conducted the funeral service, as well as the large floral contribution, speaks for itself of the esteem in which Mr. Irving was held.

The funeral service was held at his late home, Intermont in Nassagaweya Presbyterian Cemetery. Those who carried flowers were: Mr. Glen Britton, Mr. James Britton, Mr. James Early, Mr. John Wilson, Mr. John Irving and Mr. Duncan Moffat. Pallbearers were Mr. Wm. Early, Mr. A. Borders, Mr. Malcolm Holmes, Mr. John Wilson, Mr. J. Henderson and Mr. Wm. Dredge.

Mrs. Thos. Kennedy and Mrs. W. Kennedy attended the funeral of the late Mr. Charles Davidson, Friday at Acton. Mrs. Ed Davenport is spending a few days with relatives in Toronto.

Neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hamilton (nee Jessie Service) gathered at the home of her parents on Friday night and presented them with a shower of things for their new home.

At the proper time the address was read and presents carried in. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, both made a suitable reply thanking those who came and braved the mist to spend a night with them, when leaving her parents home for her own. Lunch was served after singing "For they are jolly good fellows." The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing which all enjoyed.

ROCKWOOD

A number from Rockwood and vicinity attended the funeral of the late George Leslie in Guelph, last week. Also a large number of his former neighbors from Shiloh were present. The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Leslie and members of the family in their bereavement.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. George Bayne, in the death of his cousin, Mr. David Bayne in Guelph last Friday. The funeral was held on Monday.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was observed at the United Church on Sunday morning. Preparatory services were held Thursday evening, when Rev. Mr. Dale, of Barrie Hill, addressed the congregation. Eleven new members were received into membership with the church.

The many friends of Mrs. George H. Pearen will be pleased to learn that she is improving after an operation in Guelph General Hospital recently.

Mrs. Everett E. LeViness of Buffalo is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Kilduff.

Recent and week-end visitors: Miss Florence Lash, R.N., at Mrs. Wm. Burns.

Mr. Roy Day of the University of Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Croft and family, of Toronto.

Mr. James Lynch of Toronto. Miss Lovena Richardson, of Kitchener. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Day visited in Toronto lately.

Mr. Russell Ross, who is working in the St. Thomas district, is home for two or three days.

At the monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the United Church last week, Mrs. E. LeViness took part in the program, dealing with the new study book for the coming year.

Miss Agnes Pasmore, of Toronto Normal, spent the week-end at her parents' here.

LIMEHOUSE

Visitors in Limehouse over the week-end included: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Scott of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Haines and children, of Glen Williams; and Mr. Kenneth Hoffmann, at Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Scott's.

Mr. Harry Smolhurst, Misses Helen McCann and Helen Sutherland, all of Barrie, at Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smolhurst's.

Mr. Ed. Beerman was home from Christie Street Hospital, Toronto, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Greenlee and daughter, Marianne, of Milton, with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brenton.

Miss Winnifred Lewis, of Toronto, was home for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Norrie attended a party at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Norrie's, Toronto, on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Sam Gishy has returned to her work at Brampton, following a week's holiday.

Limehouse ladies handed the Georgetown Red Cross Society 12 pairs of socks and 2 sweaters.

BALLINAFAD

Mrs. Newman and Frank West, of Simcoe, visited on Sunday at the home of Mr. John Harding.

Mr. J. Soper visited friends in Georgetown last week.

Mr. Russell Cripps, of Toronto, spent the week-end at the home of his mother, Mrs. Cripps.

Mrs. Soper returned home on Thursday last after spending a week or more with friends at Baden and Galt.

Mr. Arthur Bates, of Athens, and Mrs. Charles Hart, of Plum Hollow, were visitors during the week at the home of Mrs. Soper.

The Beef Ring of the district held their annual oyster supper in the hall on Friday night.

The children of the Sunday School are busy practicing for the Christmas entertainment.

Mr. A. H. Foster, of Toronto, visited Mrs. Bunt and daughter, Mrs. Allan, spent a day at Ancaster.

GEORGETOWN

The firemen were called to a fire at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McCarty this morning. No serious damage was done when the stove pipes took fire.

There was a good attendance at the dance in the arena last night when the entire proceeds were donated to the Red Cross Society. Doris Hull's Orchestra supplied the music.

Capt. J. A. Early has been transferred from the Lorne Scots Regiment to the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry in Winnipeg, and left on Sunday night to assume his new duties.

The Lions Club met with considerable success in their draw for the nurse doll, and a large number attended the Gregory Theatre last Thursday night, when the draw was made. The lucky winner was Miss Margaret Long, who received the doll which was dressed in \$25.00 Canadian currency—Herald.

CLEARING AUCTION SALE

FARM STOCK, IMPLEMENTS, HAY, FURNITURE, ETC.

The undersigned has received instructions from

GEORGE A. WILSON to sell by Public Auction at Lot 8, Concession 6, Esquesing, on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14th, 1939 at 12:30 o'clock, the following:

HORSES—Bay Colic Mare rising 8 in foal to Parveller, Imported, Grey Percheron Mare rising 14, registered in foal to Black Brilliant 2nd, Bay Colic Horse rising 3, Grey Percheron Boys, rising 5, Grey Registered Percheron Mare rising 2, Spring Colt, Filly, Petz, chester eligible for registration.

COWS—3 Durham Cows, with calves at foot, registered Ayrshire Heifer, with calf at foot, Holstein Heifer calf at foot, part Jersey Cow, due January 3rd, Durham Heifer, due February 7th, Durham Cow, due February 11th, Blue Cow, due February 2nd, Durham Cow, due March 5th, Jersey Cow, due April 3rd, Holstein Heifer, due May 2nd, 2 Heifers, rising 1 year.

PIGS—Yorkshire Sow, with 9 pigs, 5 weeks old, Yorkshire Sow, due 2 Yorkshire Chunks.

IMPLEMENT—Mower, Massey-Harris Side Delivery Rake, Massey-Harris Side Rake, Dane Hay Loader, Spring Tooth Cultivator, Steel Roller, Disc, Seed Drill, Section Harrow, Manure Spreader, Double Furrow Plow, Cockshutt, Single Furrow Riding Plow, Cockshutt, Walking Plow, Tullage-Anderson, Set Bolted, Lumber Wagon, with box and spruce; Democrat, Buggy, Cut; Hay Rack, Chatham Fanning Mill and Bagev, Clover Harvester, Pea Harvester, international Cream Separator, Platform Scales, Root Pulper, Wheelbarrow, Stone-burner, Extension Ladder, 32 foot, Tread Emery Stone, Grain, Bases, 2 sets Whiffletrees, 2 Neckbeams, Lumbering Chains, Cross Bar, Forks, Picks, Shovels and Other Articles too numerous to mention.

QUANTITY OF HAY: HARNESS—Set Show Harness, Set Work Harness, Set Single Harness, Set Heavy Harness with Breaching, 1 Open Collar, 4 Scotch Collars.

FURNITURE—2 Bedroom Suites, Davenport, 2 Single Beds, Sideboard, Bureau, 100 years old, Hall Rack, 3 Small Tables, Glass Cupboard, Morris Chair, 1 Rocking Chair, Four Burn Cooking Stove, 3 Dining room Chairs, Scales, Quebec Heater, 4-burner Oil Stove, Pillows, Lamp, Milk Pails, Quantity of Fruit Jars, Pictures, Good Collie Dog.

All of the Above Must Be Sold Off of the Farm Has Been Sold.

TERMS—Cash.

T. F. CREEHOLM, Auctioneer, W. A. WILSON, Bookkeeper.

FLIER KILLED



Pilot Officer Thomas Ross Williams, of Ottawa, was killed in an airplane accident in England.

BACK IN OFFICE



Heading the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada for the second year will be G. Sydney Haller, of Winnipeg, above.

EVERTON

Recent visitors at the home of Misses Mary and Kate Reed were their brother Mr. Archie Reed and two daughters, Doris and Marjory and son, Elvin, Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McArthur, fifth line, Erin, and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Avey, of Guelph, visited recently at the home of Mrs. Usherwood.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. Ben Simons were Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Cooper and sons, Fred and Raymond and Mrs. West, Toronto.

Mrs. Lillian Suter visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert McWilliams and family, Pauline, and also with Mr. and Mrs. Will Webb, Paisley Block.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Benham and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Van Norman and family, Guelph.

Mr. George Mack, with his helpers, are building a new barn near Brampton. Mr. and Mrs. W. McKenzie and family, Capricorn, and Miss Muriel Stewart, sixth line, visited Miss M. Suter on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jackson, Mimosa, visited on Sunday with Mrs. G. G. Robertson, also Mr. and Mrs. George Young, townline, and her grandson Kenneth Robertson, Ospringe.

Rachlin's for Christmas Gifts!

As usual, Rachlin's will be the Gift Centre for Christmas. Our Huge Gift Stock is being Attractively Displayed Daily to Assist You in Choosing Gifts for those that are on Your Lists. We again stress that you should shop Now while the Assortment is Large and at Pre-war Prices.

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A Comfortable Pair of Shoes
Oil Silk Umbrellas
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Dressing Gowns and House Coats
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Silk Underwear
Fine Wool Snuggles and Vests
Sweaters and Pullovers of Finest Imported Wools
Boxed Handkerchiefs
Fancy Linen Handkerchiefs
Kid and Chamoisette Gloves
Bed Jackets
Evening Bags and Smart Leather Handbags
Silk Slips and Pantie Sets

For Children

Infants' Bunting Bags
Wool and Esmond Blankets
Infants' Madeira Dresses, Slips and Rompers
Shawls and Carriage Covers
Woolen Bonnets, Booties and Jackets
Girls' Sweaters and Pullovers
Girls' Velvet and Plaid Dresses — from 2 to 4
Woolen Fancy Gloves, Mitts and Parkas
Ski Suits
Boys' Helmets, Windbreakers, Breeches, Hi-top Boots, Ties, Shirts, Pyjamas, Golf Socks

For Men

Hats by Stetson
Scott & McHale Shoes (we probably have his size on file)
Arrow and Forsyth Shirts and Pyjamas
Dressing Gowns
Large Assortment of Socks and Ties
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Church News

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10th

United Church of Canada
The Rev. O. Clifton Gifford, B.A., Minister

11:00 a.m.—Sermon: "Beware! lest you lose Christmas."
Anthem, "Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem," by J. H. Maunders.
12:15—The Church School.
7:00 p.m.—A Picture Sermon, Appropriate Music.

Presbyterian

KNOX CHURCH, ACTON
REV. H. L. BENNIE, M. A., Minister
Manse—Willow Street

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10th, 1939

11:00 a.m.—"Is it better, at all costs, to be a live dog than a dead lion?"
2:30 p.m.—The Sabbath School, "Reaction to Good News."
7:00 p.m.—Adventure—"Going Down to the sea in ships."
Note: The Young People's Guild, on Monday at 8:00 p.m. Fellowship Committee.

Baptist Church

ACTON
REV. E. G. BAKER, Pastor

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10th, 1939

11:00 a.m.—Church Service
12:00 noon—Church School
7:30 p.m.—B. Y. P. U.

Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.
A WELCOME TO ALL.

Small Advertisements

Advertisements under this heading... one cent per word... minimum charge... per insertion... five insertions for \$1.00... if paid cash... the usual 10% charged... where terms have to be booked.

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Phone 6274 Rockwood.

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BOX 40, ROCKWOOD.

AUCTION SALE
Alfred Chambliss, whose farm adjoins Mimosa on the First Line, Erin, will hold a Clearing Sale of his Farm Stock Implements Ray Grain etc. on Monday, December 18th, at 12:30 sharp. ROY HINBLEY, Auctioneer. Phone 1566, Erin.

ARENA DISCUSSION
Tenders will be received by the undersigned for the privilege of conducting the Refreshment Booth at the Arena in Acton Park until Monday, December 18th, 1939, at 5:00 p.m. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
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C. F. LEATHERLAND, Clerk.

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