

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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

CREWSON CORNER — NASSAGAWEYA S. S. NO. 7

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cornell and son of Toronto visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gauthier and Mr. and Mrs. Lynd Smith on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Johnson, and Grace and Marilyn of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown on Sunday.

Mrs. H. Brown and Jean of Ottawa, are visiting for a while at Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown's.

EDEN MILLS

Mr. and Mrs. W. Munro and family of Acton, visited on Sunday in the home of the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Munro.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Banner and family of Hamilton, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Milne.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Muir and Miss Jean of Hamilton, visited on Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. MacDougall.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Craft and family of Toronto, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. Craft.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hull of Camp Scouting, visited on Sunday in the home of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watson.

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OSPRENGE

The monthly meeting of the Women's Institute was held on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mrs. Isabella Scanlon, with thirty-one ladies present. The reports of the Standing Committees were given. Home Economics, Miss Dorothy McKeown; Community Activities, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Reid; Historical Research, Miss Ada Currie; Temperance, Mrs. Wm. McKeown; Health and Child Welfare, Mrs. George Young; Mendians, Mrs. Agnes Gordon Atken; George Young and Miss I. Scanlon were appointed delegates to the District Annual, which is to be held early in June in the local Presbyterian Church. The following ladies were appointed as lunch converters for the District Annual. Mrs. E. Barber, Mrs. W. McKeown, Mrs. O. Lockett, Miss A. Currie, Miss Scanlon was the report of the recent District Executive meeting. In the past year, the losing side are entertaining at a picnic at a future date. Miss Ada Currie presented the report of the Children's Aid Society. Miss Edna Cook was winner in the "Glove Contest." Election of Chairman of the Standing Committees were as follows: Education, Mrs. Gordon Atkin; Community Activities and Relief, Mrs. H. Reid; Home Economics, Miss D. McKeown; Historical Research, Miss A. Currie; Temperance, Mrs. W. McKeown; Peace and International Relationships, Mrs. C. Bruce; Legislation, Mrs. W. Standish; Canadianization, Mrs. A. Tandy; Current Events, Miss B. McKinnon; Agriculture and Canadian Industries, Mrs. G. Cook; Health and Child Welfare, Mrs. E. Fisher, Mrs. W. McKeown gave a two-minute speech on the motto. An excellent address on the administration was given by Mrs. R. D. Graham of Elora, and thoroughly enjoyed. Music was given by Misses Loraine, The hostess and her assistants served a hearty lunch and a social time was enjoyed.

Misses Edna Cook and Lorina Lester are attending the Girls' Conference at the O.A.C. Guelph this week.

Communion service will be observed in the local Presbyterian Church on Sunday.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Robertson were Mr. and Mrs. Reg Carter, Hamilton, and Mrs. Charles Williamson, Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford McDougall of Etobicoke spent Sunday with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kingsbury.

Several relatives of Dr. Otto Mung arrived safely from England last week and are now present visiting with him and his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Webb and baby of Guelph Township, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ruff and children, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. S. McCutcheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mollie McLean, Guelph, was a visitor on Sunday with Mrs. S. McLean and Mrs. I. Threlfall.

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STUCK TO HIS POST



Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Player, Hamilton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Wilson on Sunday.

Mr. Wm. Dodge is with his sister in Toronto who is 43.

Mrs. Agnes Case, Toronto, visited with her mother Mr. and Mrs. Case.

Mr. George Robinson, is spending a few weeks with his son, Mr. and Mrs. Stan. Stan.

At the start got a stiff before noticed in Mr. Matthew Jobs bush gave cause for worry to those living near before it was put out.

A number are suffering with heavy colds. Some have had the doctor's care.

The rainfall received last week was appreciated by the farmers.

Mrs. Margaret Davenport, Milton, spent the week-end at her home.

The Sabbath School has commenced again, with most of the children and young people there. Next Sunday is Mother's Day.

Although the weather is not the best for fishing a few are being caught.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hamilton, Milton, spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Service.

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ERIN

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Finn, Miss Irene Walker of Toronto, spent the week-end with Mrs. E. Walker and Mr. Ed. Brook.

Mrs. Kenneth McDougall who was undergoing treatment at Guelph General Hospital, has recovered sufficiently to be able to return home where she is convalescing.

While attending to other school business last Friday afternoon, the members of Erin School Board decided to turn in a fire alarm at the school, and were well pleased with the results. All of the students and teachers were out of the building in fifty seconds.

Misses E. and M. Skilton recently received acknowledgement from Northwest Comfort Funds, London, England, for \$1.56, which they remitted from the Sunshine Club.

Mr. and Mrs. James Henry Gibson of Erin, Ontario announce the engagement of their daughter Cora Estelle to John Alexander Lanouette, son of the late Mr. Zogone Lanouette and Mrs. Larouette, of Belcourt, New Brunswick.

The marriage will take place in St. Basil's Church, Toronto, on May 11th. — Advert.

LIMEHOUSE

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. A. W. Norton on May 1st, with ten ladies present. The meeting opened by singing "Mother Macree," followed by the prayer. The roll call was answered by payment of fees for the coming year. Delegates Messmates Miller, Elbry and Wright were appointed to attend the District Annual. The problem submitted for the question drawer was "How shall we train men to hold the office of President?" Mrs. A. W. Norton was appointed chairman for the election of officers for 1940-41. Officers elected were: President, Mrs. W. Goudy; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. S. Wright; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. S. Kirkpatrick; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. A. W. Benten; Assistant, Mrs. A. Hill; Branch Director, Mrs. E. Beerman; Branch Director, Mrs. A. W. Norton; Social Convener, Mrs. S. Norrie; Visiting Committee, Mrs. A. W. Norton; Program Convener, Mrs. E. Ellerby; Mrs. S. Wright; Mrs. A. Hill; Press Reporter; Mrs. A. W. Benten; Plumber, Mrs. Wm. Goudy; Associate Pianist, Mrs. H. Norton; District Director, Mrs. E. Miller; Auditor, Mrs. A. J. Smethurst; Miss W. A. Lewis; Mrs. Beerman moved a vote of thanks to Mrs. Norton for the use of the room. Following the singing of the National Anthem a social hour was spent over the tea cups.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hill and family visited Mr. Wilfred Johnson, in Toronto on Sunday where he is progressing favorably after having been shot in the knee while hunting near his home at Thorntree. The bullet was removed last Friday.

Mr. Wm. Goudy and Mr. Gordon Grigg of Brantford visited with Miss Norton and the class on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wright of Erin, visited on Mr. and Mrs. S. Wright on Friday.

Sunday visitors in the village included

The Mills family, Mr. Hall, wife and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Robertson all of Toronto at their respective cottages.

Mr. Robert Storrs, Miss Norma Storey, Messrs. Lorrie and Clifford Storey and Mr. George Ingles of Toronto and Mr. Lloyd James with the Mills family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Morrison of Toronto, with Mrs. Robert Laing.

Miss Lillian Huggins, of Georgetown, Mr. and Mrs. F. Shelburne's.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Evans and baby daughter with Miss Evans and Mr. and Mrs. Gale.

Miss Ruth Norton was home from Brampton on Saturday.

GEORGETOWN

Mr. Clarence Phillips, working at the Casting Division of the Provincial Paper Mills left from a ladder and fractured his kneecap. He is in Guelph general hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Crispis wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Thelma Catherine, to Kenneth Alan Cotton, younger son of Mr. Billard Cotton and the late Mrs. Cotton, Orangegrove, the wedding to take place Saturday, May 19th.

It was a joyful "gong" that assembled at the Hotel McMillan on Thursday evening last for the complimentary banquet tendered to Georgetown's Intermediate and Junior Hockey Teams by the Arena Board. Hockey players, ice-keg fans and others turned out in goodly numbers to do justice to an excellent chicken supper, provided by the Arena Board in appreciation of the success gained by the local lads and the fine cooperation existing between the Club and the Board. Herald.

Services at St. John's Church on Sunday morning were well attended. In the absence of Rev. E. A. Brooks, who was conducting anniversary services in Hamilton, Mr. D. Curran, of Trinity College, Toronto, conducted the services.

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BURLINGTON

Miss Tempkin, who enjoyed a five-months' holiday in Florida, has returned to business.

People of Burlington are looking forward to the summer home at Cedar Springs.

At a meeting of the Town Council on Thursday evening last, the council passed a by-law that all unpermitted street signs be taken down and the cost charged to the property fronting on the street.

Burlington has an opportunity to secure a cold line industry if suitable quarters can be obtained. Considerable space is required for the industry which will employ a large number of hands.

Businessmen living in on the sandstrip within the town limits are very much interested over breakups in their cottages during the winter months and one resident has stated that he will endeavor to group the cottages together and refuse to pay taxes on the grounds that they were receiving no police protection and finally they found their cottages broken into.

The fireman answered two calls last Friday. The first ran at 12 o'clock noon to the home of Mr. A. Lainester, New Street, where shrubs had become ignited on the roof from a spark from the chimney. The damage amounted to \$25.00. The second call occurred at 5:30 p.m. and was at the residence of Mrs. Oscar Williams, Brant Street. Some shortening on the stove burst into flames; little damage resulted, but the wall and ceiling suffered from smoke.

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OAKVILLE

Sub-Lieutenant Jim Davis and Kenneth Chisholm, R.C.N.V.R., have been transferred to the Kingston naval base.

Following a short illness, Charles Steer died on Sunday evening at the home of Mr. George W. Barrett, Dundas Street, with whom he resided. The late Mr. Steer was in his 70th year.

Many parties have been given in honor of Miss Grace Biers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Biers, Oakville, whose marriage to Mr. Gordon H. Colbeck of Montreal, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Colbeck, Toronto, takes place in St. Jude's Anglican Church, Oakville on Saturday evening. Record-Star.

MILTON

Over 100 guests attended the 35th birthday party of Evelyn Starke, daughter of Captain Fred Burke. Above, as he is to count the sailors of the freighter Arlington, which foundered during a heavy storm in Lake Superior. All of the sailors aboard the Arlington were rescued by the freighter Collingwood.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Robertson, who has been visiting relatives in Somersett, Kentucky, U.S. for several months, returned to his home in Milton on Tuesday.

A number of St. Clair Chapter Comps, accompanied by their wives attended the 25th convention of council Lodge, which was held April 24th and 25th at the Scottish Rite Temple, Hamilton. Lt. Ex Comp. W. T. Barnard was appointed Grand Supt. of Hamilton District No. 5 for the coming year. Champion.

Work on the new tennis court has been resumed. More material is being laid over the whole area and rolled down.

More work is being carried on in connection with the trunk sewer, opposite J. A. Little's store.

As a result of the rains last week the vegetation is coming ahead. The lawns about the village are showing a healthy green.

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Last week at the C.N.R. station, the old midway siding on the south side, was taken up. In the days of the former Grand Trunk Railway a good many trains passed over the siding.

On the occasion of her birthday, Tuesday, Mrs. C. Campbell was tendered a surprise birthday party at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. Nickell, by a few of her neighbors. During the evening Mrs. Campbell was presented with a fine bouquet of flowers, accompanied with a card containing the names of those present. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served.