

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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

NASSAGWEYA

The many friends of Mrs. Earl Price of Nassagweya, who has been laid up with pneumonia, will be pleased to learn that she is slowly but steadily recovering from her sickness.

The many friends of Mrs. Arthur Nightingale are pleased to know that she is steadily recovering from an attack of the "flu."

The annual musical festival of the schools in the township was held in the Brookville Hall on Tuesday afternoon March 31st with the winners here to compete at the county festival.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Tuhman on their marriage last Saturday.

Mr. W. Smith formerly of Eramosa who has rented the Cameron-Ramshaw farm, moved in last week.

There was a heavy run of sap last week which kept the sugar makers quite busy boiling it down.

BALLINAFAD

On Wednesday afternoon March 25th the regular monthly meeting of the W.M.S. was held at the manse with the president Mrs. Warne in the chair. The devotional exercises were conducted by Mrs. Warne; the study book was taken by Mrs. Foreman and Mrs. F. J. Shortill led a discussion on Christian Stewardship.

On Friday evening a joint meeting of the two senior classes of the Sunday school was held at the home of Walter Smart. Edith Warne, the president, opened the meeting with a hymn and the reading of the Scripture lesson by Lena Perryman. Business was then discussed. A social time followed with interesting games, and a tasty lunch was provided by Mrs. McEnery.

Mr. and Mrs. Spence were callers on Sunday at Mrs. Soper's.

Mr. and Mrs. Celi Soper were callers on Friday at the home of the former's father who has been poorly for some time but is improving.

Miss Marguerite Ryder, Mrs. Ryder and Mr. Alf. Ralph visited on Friday with Mrs. Soper.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Evans of Acton visited on Monday at the home of Mrs. Soper and Mr. J. Soper.

CREWSON CORNER

Friends were sorry to hear the sad news of the passing of Miss Emma Crisp who has lived in this vicinity all her life and will be sadly missed by all.

Mr. Wm. Nicol who has been in St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, for over a week, underwent a serious operation on Monday. Friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Plummer of Simcoe visited on Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. C. McBrain's.

The Carry on Canopia Club held another eucue last Friday evening and raised \$5.80. The prizes going to Mrs. George Graham, Mrs. Herb Allan and Mr. David Mannen. During the past month this club has sent four parcels overseas to Private George Airdrie, Hector Guthrie, Kenneth McDonald and Chester McBain.

NASSAGWEYA S. S. NO. 7

The Busy Bees held their monthly progressive and final eucue party in the school Thursday last. The usual tables were played and a good time had. The ladies' prizes went to Mrs. Grant McMillan and the men's to Mr. John Frank.

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ORTON

Miss Lorraine Mooney who was working in Toronto during the winter has returned home and is again in the store.

The members of St. John's Church are practicing for an Easter Cantata to be held in the church Good Friday evening.

The men's night at Atson Hall last Friday night was quite successful and a nice sum was realized toward the piano for the Sunday school which has been recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Reed spent last Tuesday evening in Galt celebrating wedding anniversary.

Rev. A. L. Atton, Mrs. Atton and Miss Betty Hayward spent last Tuesday in Toronto.

A white elephant sale is to be held by the Mimico Patriotic Club and any donation by only one in the community shall be gratefully received, so help your possessions and help a worthy cause and send it to Mimico Patriotic Club room.

Pte. W. L. Armstrong of the Veterans Guard of Canada, at Bowmanville, spent a few days at his home here.

Mrs. Sam Sutherland of Edmonton, Alberta and also Mrs. James Merritt of Grimshay, spent a few days with Mrs. Armstrong.

The Arrowsmiths of Toronto, spent Sunday March 22nd with Miss Synckhamer.

Mrs. Stuart Wright spent a few days in Toronto last week.

Pte. Arthur Gamble of Newmarket visited friends here over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Van Norman, Guelph, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bentham on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George and baby town, paid a short visit at the home of Mrs. G. G. Robertson.

Pte. Harvey Jeulin, Kitchener Training Centre was also at the same home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Van Norman, Guelph, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bentham on Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bradley and family have moved into Mrs. Miller's house.

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GEORGETOWN

At a special meeting of Georgetown Council on Monday evening, it was decided to purchase a new fire truck at a cost of \$4,000.

The annual "Ladies' Night" of the Georgetown Lions Club was held on Monday evening at the McMillan House. Lion president R. Ideats was in the chair and extended a welcome to the visitors.

The regular meeting of the Local Council of Women was held Friday, March 20th, at the home of Mrs. C. V. Williams. With Mrs. C. Hayes in the chair, business discussion included the final payment on the Victory Bond. Plans were also discussed for the next few months. Herald.

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The Y's men's club of Acton presented their play "20 Frontline Men" in the Church on Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid, to a very appreciative audience. Each member of the cast portrayed their part exceedingly well.

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Mr. Annie May McKee of Port Hope was sentenced to three months in jail when she appeared before Magistrate F. C. Macdonald at Milton last Wednesday. She had been remanded one week for sentence when she was convicted for the theft of \$121 and a watch from Mrs. Hazel Williams to Guelph. Their many friends wish them success in their new home and surroundings.

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OSPRINGE

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Mr. and Mrs. Archie Chisholm of Fort Erie and Mrs. M. Chisholm of Erin spent Saturday with Mrs. Edna Tovell.

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