

Personals

Mrs. John Easterbrook of Toronto, called on Acton friends this week. Miss Margaret Garvin visited friends in Hamilton over the weekend. Mrs. Arthur Dryden and boys of Flint Mich., visited with Mrs. Dryden here. Mrs. Edwin Currie of Milton Heights spent a few days in Toronto last week. Sgt. Joe and Mrs. Hurst, Peter and Michael visited their mother and sister on Tuesday. Spinn. Frank Jones of Vimy Barracks, Kingston, spent the week-end at his home here. Miss Janet Henshall of Ottawa visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence MacArthur last week-end. Mrs. Allan Smith is pleased to be out again after being under the doctor's care for six weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Ewart Goy and Allan, of Toronto, visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. Rognovaldson on Sunday. Corp. Evan Nason and Pte. J. Hollinger of Toronto, spent the week-end at the latter's home here. Miss Wanetta Smith and her friend Miss Irene Thomas of Toronto, spent the week-end at her home here. Friends are pleased to see Mr. William Nichol home again and improving after his illness in hospital in Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wansbrough and family, Mrs. Gordon McKay of Toronto, visited with their mother Mrs. R. H. Wansbrough. His many friends are glad to hear that Mr. Edwin Currie of Milton Heights, returned home last Friday night from the St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto and is doing nicely. Mrs. Frank Sagnakle and daughters Leona and Fay and Robert of Acton spent Sunday with Mrs. Robert Currie and Mrs. Edwin Currie and Bobby at Milton Heights. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Robbins and two daughters Myrta and Gertrude of Elmira, Ont., and Pte. Ivan C. Chalmers, R.C.A.F.C. of St. Thomas, were visitors at the United Church paragonage on Sunday. Mrs. Edna Snyder, Miss Campbell, Mrs. Warriner, Flight-Lieut. Lloyd Warriner, Flight-Lieut. John Owen and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Symon of Toronto, were visitors on Sunday at the home of Mrs. J. A. Symon. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Mooney, Acton, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Helen Sara, to Mr. Harry Orberstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Orberstein, Preston, Ontario, the marriage to take place quietly in July. Mrs. Adam Stewart on Sunday observed her eighty-third birthday at the home of her son in Kitchener where she has been visiting the past month. We join with other Acton friends in extending birthday greetings and best wishes for many more such happy events.

CARD OF THANKS William Allan and family wish to thank all those who loaned cars and friends and neighbors who showed such kindly helpfulness and sympathy during their bereavement when the beloved wife and mother passed away.

CARD OF THANKS William Nichol desires to thank his friends in Acton and district for the kindness shown him during his illness in the hospital in Toronto, also the Crosson's (Corners Sunday School and Carry On Canada Club for flowers and fruit sent and for their cheery messages.

Curfew Rings, Beer Slacken War Effort (Continued from Page One) guardian or an adult appointed by the parent or guardian to accompany such child. If a child found violating the provision of subsection 1 may be warned by any constable or probation officer or officer of a Children's Aid Society, and if such warning is not regarded or after such warning the child is again found disobeying the provisions of this section, such child may be taken by the constable or officer to his home or to the Children's Shelter. If a parent who permits his child to violate this section shall upon summary conviction thereof for the first offence incur a penalty of \$1 without costs, and for a second offence \$2 and for a third or any subsequent offence \$5. It was arranged to hold regular council meetings in July and August only on the second Tuesday of each of these months.

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Haltom County—Nelson Division Study Group C. C. F. MEETING High School Auditorium, BURLINGTON MONDAY, JUNE 29TH, AT 8.30 P.M. Speaker Miss Agnes McPhail Former M.P. Miss MacPhail will speak on Problems of Great Interest to Both Ladies and Gentlemen. Open Forum—Everybody Welcome

GREGORY THEATRE FRIDAY, JUNE 26 "BODY DISAPPEARS" Jeffrey Lynn, Jane Wyman, Mickey Rourke, "Main Street," "Rodeo Round-up," Chapter 7, "King of the Texas Rangers" SATURDAY, JUNE 27 Matinee at 3:00 "STEEL AGAINST THE SKY" Alexis Smith, Lloyd Nolan, Comedy "Trouble Finds Andy Clyde," Cartoon "Bedtime for Sniffles," Sport "Sky Sailing," Band "Those Good Old Days" MONDAY and TUESDAY June 29 and 30 "CAPTAINS OF THE CLOUDS" In Technicolor With James Cagney and the Royal Canadian Air Force. Cartoon "The Bug Parade" WEDNESDAY, JULY 1 "ON THE BEAT" George Formby, Novelty "Soldiers in White," Sport, "It Happened On Rollers," Cartoon "The Heckling Hare"

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NASSAGAWEYA

A very large gathering of the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Mansell Neils was held in Bloomsbury School, S. S. No. 9, Nassagaweya, on Tuesday evening, to honor them in their recent marriage. Mr. Alex Near was chairman for the program. The following characters took part in a mock wedding. The groom, Mrs. Wm. Early, the bride, Mac McLaughlin; best man, Mrs. Alex Near; bridesmaids, Melvin Storey and Clarence Wilson; flower girl, Donald Ferguson; minister, Mrs. Pearl Kennedy; bride's mother, C. J. vanGoozen; pianist, Mrs. C. J. vanGoozen. Following the mock wedding Mr. and Mrs. Mansell Neils were called forward and Mac McLaughlin read the following address: Bloomsbury, S. S. No. 9, Nassagaweya, June 23/42

To Mansell and his Bride: We, a few of your friends and neighbors have met here to-night for the purpose of extending to you, our congratulations and express a wish that has been in our minds ever since we heard that you had decided to take "The holiest vow, that man can make, The golden thread in life, The bond that none may dare to break, That bindeth man and wife."

We are happy to know, Mansell, that you and your wife are going to spend the rest of your lives together in love and goodwill of those, with whom we come in contact day by day, in business and social duties. This you have attained Mansell, by your love of fair play and warm co-operation in all our community enterprises, and we also appreciate the work you have done for us and with us, both with your musical and dramatic talents, which you have good naturedly shared, we also admire your high standard of honor in all our business associations with you.

To you, Edna, we extend a hand of welcome and good-fellowship. To those of us, you are a stranger and we are glad of this opportunity of meeting you. To others of us already you have endeared yourself and we number you as one of our friends and are pleased you picked one of our local boys to be your husband and our particular spot of the country to be your future home. Did either of you think in the years gone past, That fate would catch up with you at last.

That you would stand before a crowd of widows-well, sincere and loud, That the things so oft of others said, Would in turn rebound from your own head, That the ancient jokes of married life, To you apply, as man and wife, That the time would come when all you own Be split two ways for no longer, you're alone.

You travel around where a dollar bill Is just fifty cents, that is un-til-? When you said "I will," or was it "I do." You started a game that is all new to you, A game to be played whatever the deal, A game in which we all wish you well, Success to you will be our pleasure, May health and happiness be yours -A treasure, We hope our pranks you did not mind And for this gift some of us you'll find May God's riches blessings fall on you and yours Signed on behalf, MAC McLAUGHLIN, DONALD FERGUSON, DREW FULLTON, CLARENCE WILSON, MELVIN STOREY, ROSS GORDON, WM A DODDS.

At the proper time Messrs. Ross Gordon, Drew Fullton and Wm A. Dodds presented a beautiful china cabinet. Although taken somewhat by surprise Mansell made a very fitting reply thanking all for the kind words expressed and the beautiful gift. All joined in singing "For they are Jolly Good Fellows." A dainty lunch was served and the remainder of the evening spent in dancing. The John T. Wilson of Camp Borden is home on a two weeks' leave, and is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Wm J. Morley of Peterborough. Miss Grace Norris of Guelph visited with relatives and friends in Nassagaweya over the week-end. Mr. E. Doughty of Toronto visited with friends in Nassagaweya last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Near of Nassagaweya visited with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McLaughlin of Elmira over the week-end. Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kee (nee Tyra Wilson) on the arrival of a son.

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Weekly War Commentary

Specially Written for The Acton Free Press by GUY E. RHODES Canadian Press-Staff Writer

All war developments indicate that the participants in the war are enger for a knockout this year. The Axis is striving its utmost in Africa and Russia. Conferences between representatives of the Allies, including the third meeting of Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt, indicate that plans are being drawn to strengthen the active fronts where they show signs of weakness and perhaps to open up a new front in Europe. This latter project, urged by the Russians and supported by many in Britain, appeared to have suffered a setback as Field Marshal Erwin Rommel turned on a heel to have him checked in Libya and created a dangerous situation, somewhat similar to the one existing during the long, drawn-out siege of Tobruk last year. The Japanese drove hard on southeastern China, apparently seeking to sever it from the west—the source of help in the form of supplies. The Battle of the Coral Sea and the new Battle of the Pacific reduced the strength of the Japanese fleet far more than it did that of the United States and an air-sea battle in the Mediterranean caused damage to the British convoys en route to supply Tobruk and Malta. The Royal Navy suffered some damage but it was apparently far less than that suffered by the Italians. This battle disclosed for the first time that American air forces were operating in that theatre with the R.A.F. Theatre in Aleutians The situation in Alaska was obscured by fog and secrecy. It appeared that a Japanese task force of undetermined size had invaded the Island of Attu in the extreme west of the Aleutian chain. What its purpose was remained unclear. Some believed it was a token raid, others that it presaged an attempt to establish an air base from which to bomb the west coasts of Canada and the United States. The European western front remained quiet except for the rising tempo of Nazi repressive measures, an indication of German nervousness over the possibilities of an invasion. It was believed in competent circles that even if an invasion is not attempted this year, commando raids will be increased in scope and frequency, because they always stand a chance of establishing a bridgehead across the waters separating Britain and the continent which might be developed as the springboard for an invasion. Middle East Cockpit There were strong indications at the week-end that Hitler's great offensive this summer will be directed at the Middle East. Encouragement by Field Marshal Erwin Rommel's success in Libya it is believed a drive on Egypt, Iraq and Iran may be developed. According to British Dispatches the German fuhrer has made an urgent request to the Vichy government to cede 1,000,000 tons of French shipping in the Mediterranean to the Nazis. The ships would solve the problem of transporting Axis armies from Italy and Greece across the Mediterranean. On the other hand the matter of protection for convoys would involve serious difficulties in view of the weakening of the Italian fleet. Unless Hitler grabs French naval units the burden would fall on the German and Italian air forces. While strict secrecy surrounds the conversations at Washington, London reports hint that the Middle East situation is being envisaged thoroughly by Churchill and Roosevelt in view of the turn of events in Libya. Defence of Egypt and the surrounding countries falls on Britain and the United States and the two nations must bolster Turkey in the event that country goes to war on any Axis encroachment on its territory. Back to Border Cairo communiques June 20 stated that the British 8th Army had fallen back to its defences on the Egyptian-Libyan border after providing adequate forces for the defence of encircled Tobruk. Rommel is likely to reorganize his forces and await reinforcements in men and equipment before attempting to crack the British line extending from Salum southward to Halfaya Pass and Sid Barrani. These have been strengthened considerably during the past year and it is believed the railroad from Alexandria to Mersa Matruh has been extended to the Libyan border. Following up on the British retreat, Axis columns turned back within 35 miles of the Egyptian frontier after a brief fight with British mobile units. German armies drove with tremendous power against the Crimean front of Sevastopol at the week-end with the heaviest fighting found a fort, at the northern approaches to

the city. During two weeks' fighting the Italians estimate 40,000 Germans fell before the city's defences. Russian military advices indicated there were few changes on other sections of the long Eastern Front, but a German report admitted that Red Armies had launched big attacks in the area around Smolensk. As heard in Moscow, the Nazi report said Russian infantry was attacking in waves with tank and artillery support. Fall of Tobruk Tobruk fell to Axis armies on Sunday after a vicious two-day assault by land and air forces. German and Italian sources claimed that 28,000 prisoners were taken together with many tanks and considerable equipment. No official estimate of losses at the British Mediterranean base has been given from Cairo or London, but there is no disposition to understate the Axis claims. A number of ships loaded with supplies managed to escape from Tobruk, but others were destroyed by air attack. A wave of bitter criticism developed in Britain and following a statement in the House of Commons by Dominions Secretary Clement Attlee it was announced June 23 that a two-day debate on the Libyan situation would be held in the near future. The debate probably will await the return of Prime Minister Churchill from the United States. Mr. Attlee told the Commons that the British 8th Army now defending positions on the Egyptian-Libyan border had received reinforcements and more were on the way. He read a report from Sir Claude Auchinleck in which the British commander in the Middle East said the Libyan battle was a fight to exhaustion in which the 8th Army was far too spent to deliver a decisive stroke at the one stage when Rommel had "literally fought himself to a standstill." Reporting to the House on the Mediterranean battle of convoys earlier in June, Mr. Attlee stated that the R.A.F. and the United States army planes had sunk an Italian cruiser of the Trento class, two destroyers and a submarine in addition to torpedoing a battleship and shooting down at least 65 aircraft. The Royal Navy lost a light cruiser, four destroyers and two escort vessels and 30 planes were also shot down.

THE NELLIS-COOK WEDDING AT SPRINGRIDGE HOME A pretty June wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Cook, Springridge, when their youngest daughter Edna Irene, was united in marriage to William Mansell Neils, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Neils, of Acton. The ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. A. O. W. Foreman, took place on the lawn under an arch of evergreen decorated with pink and white streamers and white wedding bells. Given in marriage by her father, the bride looked lovely in a floor length white chiffon gown with full skirt, long full sleeves and high neckline. Her finger tip veil was caught to her head with a heart-shaped halo. She carried pink Sweet-pea baby's breath, and maidenhair fern, and wore a pearl necklace, the gift of the groom. Miss Isabel Swankhammer was bridesmaid and wore a gown of pink chiffon, floor length, with shirred waistline, full skirt and long full sleeves, with halo, and pink net veil. She carried red roses and maidenhair fern, and wore a pearl necklace, the gift of the bride. AC 2 Dirk vanZanten of St. Thomas, acted as best man. Miss Lenora Lockie played the wedding music and during the signing of the register played, "I love You Truly." Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served in the dining room which was decorated with pink and white streamers, pommes and baskets of spring flowers. The bride's table was centred with a tiered wedding cake, iced in white, with pale pink roses and topped with two tiny horseshoes. The bride's mother wore a pale blue flowered sheer dress, white hat, corsage of many sweet peas. The groom's mother wore a dress of dusty rose, figured ermine and corsage of sweet peas. Later Mr. and Mrs. Neils left on their wedding trip to Ottawa and Montreal, the bride travelling in a Queen's blue ermine dress, with full-length redingote trimmed with blush rose, white hat and white accessories. Guests were present from Toronto, Welland, Acton, Rockwood, Guelph, Fergus, Orton and Belwood.

Sunday School Association Met At Ebenezer Church The annual meeting of the Nassagaweya S. S. Association was held in Ebenezer Church on Wednesday evening June 17th. The speakers were resident ministers, Rev. W. B. Beckwith, Rev. J. C. MacNeil and Rev. W. B. Irwin and the President, Mr. Ed. Dredge, was in the chair. The addresses and discussions had as their theme "Christian Education

Advance," and the following ideas were emphasized. 1. The Sunday School's work should be to supplement, not replace the teaching in the home. But, since many children get no religious training in their own homes, we shall have to use every church organization to assist the Sunday School in its work. 2. All the speakers advocated the introduction of definite Bible study into the public schools of the township. Under the supervision of the resident minister this work will be undertaken, beginning in September. 3. The goal of the Christian Education Advance should be to offset the materialistic tendency of this present day by emphasizing the spiritual life of the children and adults. 4. A broader type of instruction was suggested for older boys and girls—something that would enable them to meet and solve present day problems—economic, social and political. It is hoped that in the autumn a training course may be arranged for S. S. teachers or perhaps for the Young People of the township with this end in view.

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401 Quilt, cotton piece	75	50	25
402 Six Blocks 12x12, cotton, different designs	75	50	25
403 Quilt Applique	75	50	25
404 Bag, New Idea in Quilt	75	50	25
405 Crocheted or Knitted Bedspread	75	50	25
406 Tufted Spread	75	50	25
407 Afghan, Knitted	75	50	25
408 Afghan, Crocheted	75	50	25
409 Tea Towels, assortment of 3 hand-finished	75	50	25
410 Pair of Bath Towels, embroidered	75	50	25
411 Pair of Pillow Slips, crocheted trimmed	75	50	25
412 Pair of Pillow Slips, Colored Embroidery	75	50	25
413 Pair of Pillow Slips with embroidery	75	50	25
414 Hand Made Lace Tablecloth	75	50	25
415 Sheet, Hand Hemmed and Initialed	75	50	25
416 Lunch Cloth, colored	75	50	25
417 Luncheon Set, Crochet, 9 pieces	75	50	25
418 Luncheon Set, Linen, 9 pieces	75	50	25
419 Bridge Cloth, New Idea	75	50	25
420 Hand Hemstitching, on linen	75	50	25
421 Needle Point	75	50	25
422 Best Specimen of Fancy Cross-stitch	75	50	25
423 Embroidery, Turkish Cut Work	75	50	25
424 Best Piece of Fancy Knitting	75	50	25
WEARING APPAREL			
434 Ladies' House-dress	75	50	25
435 Fancy Apron	75	50	25
436 Practical Work Apron	75	50	25
437 Ladies' Crochet Gloves	75	50	25
438 Ladies' Gloves, Hand Knit	75	50	25
439 Men's Glove and Scarf set	1 00	75	50
440 Ladies' Convalescent Jacket, Wool	75	50	25
441 Women's Knitted Suit	2 00	1 50	1 00
442 Ladies' Pyjamas, Cotton	75	50	25
443 Housecoat, (sample attached)	75	50	25
444 Boy's Trousers, made from old garment	75	50	25
445 Child's Dress, from old garment	75	50	25
446 Child's Dress, new, style	75	50	25
447 Child's Rompers	75	50	25
448 Child's Knitted Suit	1 50	1 00	75
449 Tailored Blouse	75	50	25
450 Turban, girl's knitted or crocheted	75	50	25
451 Men's Socks, fine hand knit	75	50	25
452 Sleeveless Sweater	75	50	25
INFANTS WEAR			
455 Baby's Knitted Jacket	75	50	25
456 Baby's Booties, knit or crochet	75	50	25
457 Baby's Bonnet, knit or crochet	75	50	25
MISCELLANEOUS			
460 Wool Work Bag	75	50	25
461 Three Articles, made from flour bags	75	50	25
462 Embroidered Picture, framed	75	50	25
RED CROSS SECTION. Made from Materials Supplied by the Red Cross Rooms			
480 Sleeveless Sweater	75	50	25
481 Socks, T-Pair Service	75	50	25
482 Three Knitted Articles for Red Cross Use	75	50	25
483 Surgeon's Coat	75	50	25
484 Pyjamas	75	50	25
487 Quilt, made from scraps	75	50	25
RUGS AND CUSHIONS			
490 Bag Floor Rug, braided	75	50	25
491 Bag Floor Rug, hooked	75	50	25
492 Sofa Pillow, Modern	75	50	25
493 Sofa Pillow, Wool	75	50	25
SPECIAL Five Novel Articles, suitable for Christmas gifts, cost not to exceed \$1.00			
	75	50	25