

Personals

Miss Etta Dills visited in Toronto last week. Barbara Vincent of Toronto, is spending holidays with Acton friends. Bill Williams spent the week-end at his home in Acton.

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GREGORY THEATRE FRIDAY, AUGUST 14 "SHIPS WITH WINGS" With the mighty aircraft carrier H.M.S. Ark Royal in blazing battle. Disney "Early to Bed" Band "Serenaders" Chapter 2 "Dick Tracy vs. Crime." SATURDAY, AUGUST 15 Matinee at 3:00 "MR. & MRS. NORTH" Comedy-hit with Grace Fields, William Post Jr. "FLY BY NIGHT" Thrills, laughs, snags and action with Richard Carlson, Nancy Kelly, "Fox News." MONDAY, AUGUST 17 "RIDE 'EM COWBOY" They're making a mess of the west, Abbott & Costello. "Canada Carries On "Road to Tokio." "Unusual Occupations." Cartoon "Mr. Strauss Takes a Walk."

Engagements Mr. and Mrs. I. Korman, Oshawa, wish to announce the engagement of their second daughter, Dorothy Jane, to LAC. Clarence Laurd Rogvaldson, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. Rogvaldson, and the late Mrs. Rogvaldson of Acton, Ont. The marriage will take place the latter part of August. Mrs. Allan Guy of Newawa, Manitoba, announce the engagement of her youngest daughter, Hazel Gertrude Drew, R.C.A.F. W.D. of Rockcliffe, Ottawa, to Cpl. Allan David Leishman, C.D.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron B. Leishman of Acton. The wedding is to take place September 5th at Acton. Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Jackson, Everton, Ontario, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Anna E., to Kenneth J., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Stubbington, Osprey, Ontario. The marriage is to take place late in August.

Summer Visitors At Camp In Northern Ontario

C/o Forestry Branch, Matchewan, Ont. Dear Press Pass: Holiday time for those who are able to enjoy it, is a happy time. It so happens I am privileged to have such a nice place, so conveniently located and so thoroughly adapted for any one to spend a few days that, now it has become known. My own family and friends make it a point to spend a few days with me, in relays. This week-end though, it being the Civic Holiday, they ganged up and 10 came. Five of my family and Mr. and Mrs. Hill and three of their family from Lige House. They landed here for a late dinner Sunday. David and I had received a note saying to expect them, but no mention was made just when, so we were making all sorts of plans. But planning after all was unnecessary. The weather Sunday morning didn't require our presence in the tower, due to showers during the night, so we prepared dinner in camp. Then by preference, David volunteered to go to the tower for afternoon schedule and relieve me. While at lunch we had a message by telephone saying a big bunch had arrived in Matchewan and intended staying over night with us. That meant we had to have more bed accommodation, so I arranged that they bring mattresses and more blankets from stores at Forestry and fortunate for them my boss offered to bring them in his big boat with motor and they landed here about 2 p.m.

The week previous I had done some negotiating for a motor of my own and as luck would have it Mr. Hill brought it right with him and landed it here and to my least I was greatly pleased. Introductions and greetings also thanks for help over. We prepared dinner for ten. Fish that David and I had caught Saturday night provided the meat, new potatoes, peas and herbs with fresh berries they hurriedly picked, with cream and sugar, lemonade, bread, butter, brought from home provided them all a good meal.

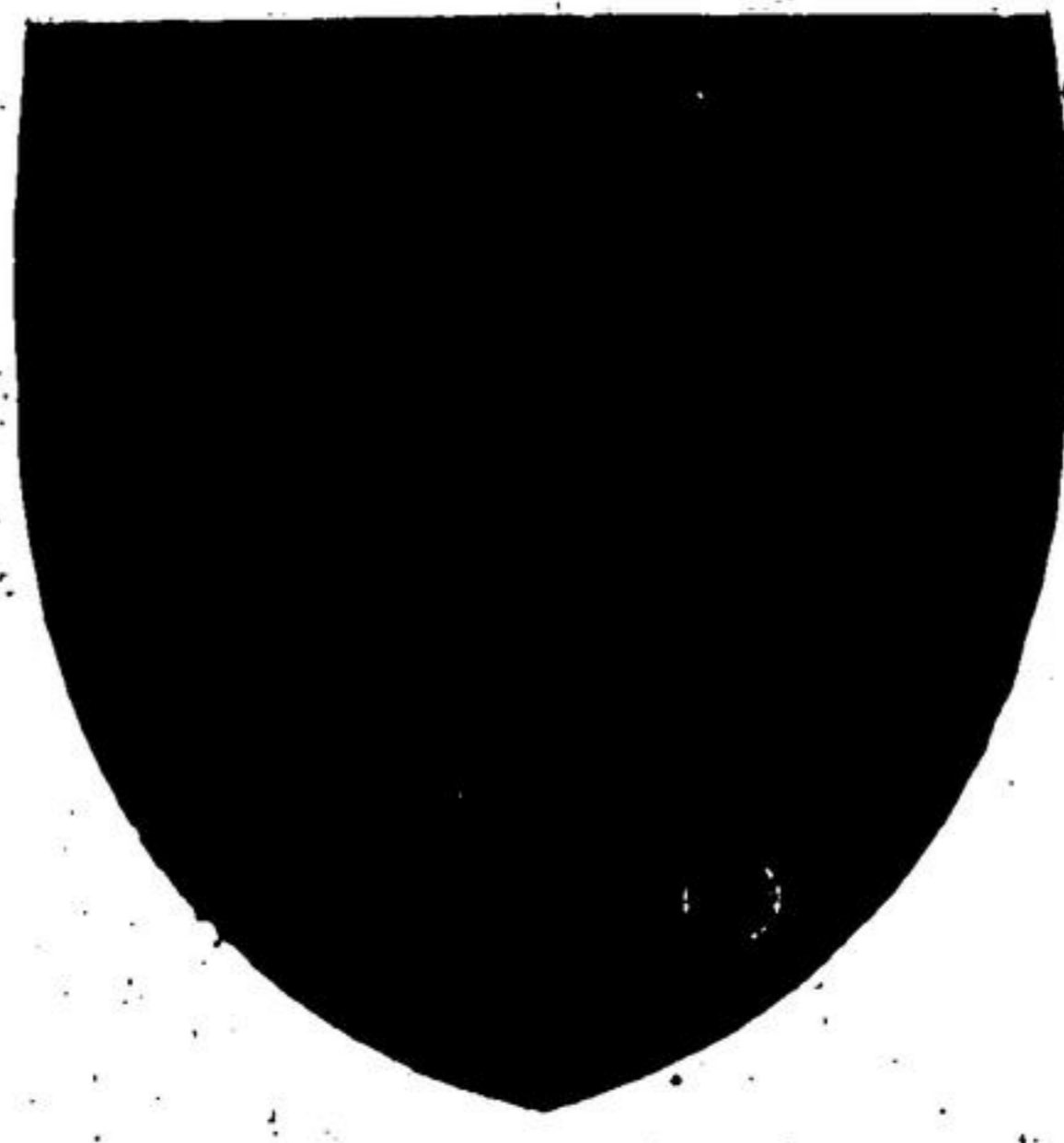
Fishing was immediately the favorite pastime for the young folks and three of them went and spent an hour or two. The children played in the sand and water while we more mature ones had a good visit. Then when the fishers returned, four or five of them went to the tower to see David and get the view and become acquainted, all came in together, David takes a keen interest in the tower operation and although only with me a week has learned to operate the generator charger and can operate the radio which as I have mentioned previously is a receiving and transmitting machine.

I have a regular schedule and after a little coaching he learned the dial settings, the procedure for calling and in a short time became quite proficient. So he welcomed the opportunity to relieve me and affiliate there. We all had tea or lunch together Sunday evening. Fish again was the evidence, due to the lucky fishermen. Then all that could get into the boat with motor included went with me down to the boat house and we got a big boat in storage there. We installed our motor and had a pleasant ride back towing the canoe, arriving about dark, after taking the bunch left in camp for a ride also. It was then bed time so after lots of fun and jokes we had beds draped all over the floor and the verandah was the dressing room, in spite of its chilly atmosphere, and we finally got settled down. Young folks were all on the floor on shakedown and two campers on trunks of timber being opened all the time. Lumber and timber are in great demand, also pulp wood.

This part of Ontario has been very fortunate, having very little fire in spite of a very dry time. Wells and streams are dry that have never dried up before and rivers and lakes gone down terribly. Here in this lake the water has lowered nearly five feet. Thousands of cords of drift wood is laying high and dry along the shores for hundreds of miles, so we have no scarcity of good fire-wood easily procured. It is too bad it wasn't available for countless numbers of people who could certainly use it. Now my letter although only meant to be short has reached considerable length so I must conclude. Cordially yours, R. W. JOHNSON

100-SHE DEFIES NAZIS GREAT YARMOUTH, England, (C.P.) Mrs. Eliza Holmes, centenary, who was bombed out of two homes after being evacuated from here, has returned to her old home. "I'm not leaving here again for anyone including the Germans." "FREDDIE'S NEW POST" LONDON, (C.P.) Wing Cmdr. Percy Charles Pickett, D.S.O., pilot of "F for Freddie" in the film "Target for Tonight," has been attached to the Airborne Division of the Army to direct the training of paratroop-carrying planes.

FOR THE BEST ALL-ROUND PAPER



The Hugh Savage Shield for the Best All-Round Paper in Class Three of the annual contests at the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association Convention at Saskatoon, won this year by THE ACTON FREE PRESS.

had a look through the Young-Davidson Mining Co. machine shops, mill and shaft head. Also we saw a hoist being operated by electric control from the ground level, to 250 feet, 400, 600 and 800 ft. levels at that particular time. I was able to get some very good samples of ore, also diamond drill cores, from the Matchewan Consolidated or Ventures as it called here. He got a machine to drill end also as a souvenir, and in taking a case procured right up near the tower. For two days prior to his arrival a Monstrous Bull Moose had come into a little lake close to the tower and fortunately the day he made his first visit up there we waited nearly all day to get a look at him and were finally rewarded. He came just before leaving time, so we delayed leaving to get the best view possible. A buck deer was there at the same time but didn't interfere with each other. And peculiar to say was a good camera with him and had hoped to get a picture. But he only got a good look and no picture. The weather nearly ever since he came, has been poor for picture taking. But he has a few good shots if they just turn out.

The folks who visited us on Civic Holiday said more were planning on coming later in the week. Harold who is home on holidays for two weeks also Lillian and a neighbor girl friend who has been the Thornloe school teacher and changing for next term away, down to Pelee Island, so we are having plenty of company and David has shown no sign of loneliness yet and seems enjoying his holiday.

Rumor says that enlistments and military call-up, no priority granted for gold mining material, is beginning to have a noticeable effect on our two Matchewan mines and men employed there any time is every indication of a shut down this fall for the duration. Notice has been given that the Elk Lake branch of T. & N. O. Ry. from Earlton is to be discontinued this September and will be scrapped and all turn up and material removed. Lack of revenue is the chief cause. Transportation will continue by bus and truck by road.

The Tyrant Mine in Tyrrell Twp. closed down the last of July for the duration, due to war conditions. But lumber has steadily become more active and volume and more active tracts of timber being opened all the time. Lumber and timber are in great demand, also pulp wood. This part of Ontario has been very fortunate, having very little fire in spite of a very dry time. Wells and streams are dry that have never dried up before and rivers and lakes gone down terribly. Here in this lake the water has lowered nearly five feet. Thousands of cords of drift wood is laying high and dry along the shores for hundreds of miles, so we have no scarcity of good fire-wood easily procured. It is too bad it wasn't available for countless numbers of people who could certainly use it.

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White Feather Drew Spanking LONDON, (C.P.) There's one young woman in London who probably won't hand out white feathers to men in civilian dress any more. She gave white feathers to two men in Piccadilly Circus. They were R.A.F. officers in mufti and one turned her over his knee while the other spanked her, right in full view of the Piccadilly crowds.

CANADA NEEDS MORE WOOL NOW SAVE GOOD EWES

Few Canadians have stopped to consider the precarious position with respect to wool supplies. Perhaps the following facts will provide food for thought: The fleeces from at least nine sheep are needed to supply equipment for one soldier. Canada has now well over 600,000 men in the armed services, hence wool requirements for military purposes alone involve the total production of about 5,500,000 sheep. On December 1st last, Canada's sheep population was about 3,500,000 head, nearly 2,000,000 less than the number required to supply wool for our armed forces. One does not need to be a mathematician to figure out the fate of Canada's 11,000,000 civilians should anything occur to seriously interfere with imports.

In the light of these facts, every ewe lamb suitable for breeding purposes should be saved. Farmers are being urged to increase sheep production. Surveys, conducted in various counties of the province, indicate that they are responding to the appeal. The results in Halton are typical of the trend in many others. In this area, 63 farmers claimed ownership of 2,363 sheep. 85 of those ewes will be discarded during the present year on account of having outlived their usefulness. 399 ewe lambs will be retained. After making allowance for replacements, the increase will be 304 head or 22.3%. If the intentions of the flock owners reporting are representative of the trend in the other flocks of the county, the 25% increase aimed at by the Department of Agriculture will be very nearly attained in the existing flocks. That many farmers are going all out in their efforts, is indicated by the fact that quite a number of the men reporting intend keeping all their ewe lambs. The remainder of the farmers will have 180 ewe lambs for sale. Complete details about these lambs are in the hands of the Agricultural representative.

In order to prevent their slaughter, the Ontario Department of Agriculture is planning to buy good lambs on the market and to assemble them at a depot established in the Toronto area. The lambs so assembled will constitute a reserve supply and will be offered for sale to anyone who wishes to purchase them, but more particularly to supply the requirements of counties where local production is inadequate. It is not intended that lambs be shipped to

BRIDE AND GROOM HONORED BY BALLINAFAD FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS Neighbors and friends in Ballinafad community gathered on Wednesday evening August 5th to honor Miss Helen McLean and Mr. Donald Brown with a miscellaneous shower on the eve of their marriage. A lengthy program presided over by Rev. Foreman consisted of readings by Rhoda French, Annie Snow, Mrs. T. Givens and Joanna Shortill; solos by Ernie McEnery, Lorena Lockyer, Alan McEnery, Mrs. Clark and Mr. Phinney; instrumental selections by Miss Joan McLean and the Shortill family; also step dancing by Reg. French accompanied by Mr. H. Shortill. After this Mr. Foreman invited the bride and groom to take the easy chairs in front of the bridal arch while Mrs. Vanmatter played the wedding march. At this time Mrs. Jesse McEnery read the following address: Dear Helen and Don: It is with feelings of joy and pleasure that we, your friends and neighbors gather around you in this hour of happiness. We extend to you our heartfelt congratulations on your approaching marriage and express our best wishes for your future happiness. You, Helen, are one of our own girls who have grown up in our midst. Your happy smile and winsome manner has won you many friends. Your sunny disposition will be missed, most especially in your home but also in the whole community. We trust it will make you many new friends for to make friends you must be a friend a lesson you have already learned. We wish you "Bon Voyage" ere you embark upon the sea of matrimony. You, Don, have lived among us long enough to have made many friends. We admire your industrious spirit and genial manner, and hope that kind fortune will continue to smile on all your efforts. We congratulate you on your choice of a life partner and know that our loss is your gain. To you both, we wish health, happiness and prosperity during the joys and sorrows that lie ahead as you travel down the road of life hand in hand. God hath not promised skies always blue, Flower strewn pathways all our life through, God hath not promised sun without rain, Joy without sorrow, peace without pain, But God hath promised strength for the day, Rest from the labor, light for the way, Grace for the trials, help from above Unfailing sympathy, undying love. We ask you to accept these gifts and as you look at them may you have happy memories of your friends around Ballinafad. Signed: JANE GIVEN, MARGARET SINCLAIR, MRS. DAN CAMPBELL, MRS. JESSIE MCENERY. At the proper time little Muriel Hills and Billie Sinclair dressed as bride and groom, complete with bridal veil and silk hat, drew in a decorated wagon laden with gifts. The groom expressed thanks on behalf of himself and his bride. Lunch was served and the remainder of the evening spent in dancing.

SMALLER UMBRELLAS

LONDON, (C.P.) Utility umbrellas with eight instead of 10 ribs will be placed on sale in Britain shortly.

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- SPECIALLY PRICED LINEN FOR THE WEEK-END PURE GOOD PEAN TENDER, No. 8 Selva 2/25c Country-Kist CORN G. Great Cereal 2/25c Charles TOMATOES CHOICE, 1 lb. Tin 2/25c Great WAX BEANS 2/25c Keep a supply handy Ayimer LIMA BEANS With or without Sauce 2/25 Country Kist Asparagus Tips and Cutting 2/25 Ballant's MEATIES DRIED BEEF CUTS 2/25c RICE KRIBBIEN 2/25c Kellogg's KRUMBLEN Another big seller 2/25 TEA BAGS SALADA GOLD MEDAL 25c PACKAGE LIPTON'S WORLD'S BLEND Two Coupons Required HIBWAY FLOWERDALE Required Sugar For Threshing For Canning For Household Use Coupons or Vouchers Accepted BARR'S

MOTORISTS

In the universal war effort every car is an asset. Naturally you will want your asset in the best condition. Conserve it in every way do not use unnecessarily and keep it in good condition. A car not equal to an emergency is NO contribution to your own security or to your Country's War Program.

THIS WAR HAS TO BE WON- This should be the first thought in every one's mind; make the best of various restrictions, and each do his part as efficiently as possible. Your car must be in condition to give the most economical service with the least consumption of vital supplies. Gasoline, Oil, Rubber and Steel, which are really ammunition these days, should be saved. Transportation is equally classed as ammunition and naturally more vital than any of its components.

YOU WILL HELP TO CONSERVE SUPPLIES- By utilizing preventive service which will cost you less than by waiting until you need a large repair job or lay your car up and lose one of Canada's vital transportation units.

IF YOU ARE PERPLEXED- By various rumors and regulations which arise from time to time, the members of Garage Operators' Association of Ontario have information at their disposal which may assist you. You can also deal with confidence at Garages operated by members of the association. The member is pledged to fair dealing and agrees to submit to board of arbitration any differences that cannot be settled amicably.

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