

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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

BALLINAFAD

Miss Jean Irvine who has been spending a week visiting at the home of her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Irvine left on Friday for her home in Detroit.

BURLINGTON

A. Cope and Son have been awarded the contract to lay a water main on Brant Street to act as a feeder to the Hydro substation located north of the town, and it is expected that the work will be commenced this week.

NASSAGAWEYA S. S. No. 7

The Busy Bees held a dance in Brookville Hall last Friday evening. A good crowd attended and report a splendid time. Miss Doris Frank, Mr. J. Black and Mr. Stewart Elliott produced the music that put the dancers in good humor.

OSPRINGE

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Young, Townline, entertained the members of their families on Sunday afternoon at their home at a charmingly arranged buffet luncheon in honor of their daughter Marilyn's first birthday.

ROCKWOOD

There was a good attendance at the Sacred Concert Sunday evening at the Stone Church. Among those who contributed to the programme, were a number from Rockwood, Donald McArthur, Rockwood male quartette, Gibbs sisters, Lambert twine, Rev. J. Ward, Mrs. Ward Jr., Mrs. Ayles and Mr. Gerald Clemons.

OAKVILLE

Chief of Police David Kerr was again honored by the Ontario Police-men's Association when he was selected to the executive.

GEORGETOWN

Funeral services were held this afternoon from St. George's Anglican Church, Georgetown, for the late Mrs. D. McLeod, who passed away August 17th, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. McCraney, Oakville, following a lengthy illness. She was in her 72nd year.

Steam Cooking Feature of Cafe Car Kitchen



Steam-line Cooks Spuds

Mother performs culinary marvels with the kitchen range but could she have one of the new steam cookers such as are installed in new Cafe Cars of the Canadian National Railways, there would be ample potatoes for all and sundry at meal time.

England's Orchards Yield Tracer Bullets

And Flares for Shipwrecked Seamen

English farmers digging holes in the orchards of Gloucestershire are helping to make tracer bullets and signal flares for shipwrecked seamen.

ERIN

Messrs. Roy Miller and Douglas Robinson left early this week on a trip to Alberta, where they intend engaging in the harvest.

MILTON

Mr. Augustus Briddle, Musical and Drama Critic of The Toronto Daily Star, is spending a holiday in town, at the Inn.

LIMEHOUSE

Recent visitors in the neighborhood included: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Swackhammer and family and Mr. Van Gozen with the Misses Swackhammer.

This Cat is Ace Of Rat Hunters.

English Girl's Tabby Earned Her \$37 With a Catch of 1,000 Rodents

CASTOR, Eng. (CP)—Six-year-old Marlene Hodgson and her pet kitten are doing a powerful job to rid the country of rats and earn the youngster some pocket money in the bargain.

HAS 37 GODMOTHERS!

BORKING, England, (CP)—Pte. Albert Warren is a prisoner of war, but he can claim 37 young and good-looking godmothers. The Red Cross tried to find his mother but couldn't so Albert was "adopted" by 37 girls and three men employed in a Surrey clothing firm.

Probably a majority of travellers think of steam merely as the propelling power in the locomotive, but it has other railway uses.

Cowgirls Doing Real Good Work

Taking Places of Men They Are Good at Branding and Other Range Jobs

DENVER, COLO., (CP)—There's a soprano accent this summer in that old western roundup refrain: "Get along little dogie; get along," as ladies and dudes, too, take up the slack of a cowboy shortage and ride herd.

It's not surprising that so many cowboys have gone where the fighting is thickest, leaving their herds behind. Each month the cowboy shortage becomes more acute.

The Colorado War Manpower committee told this state's ranchers: "Don't be so choosy. The rancher must be prepared to take city youths and women and white collar workers; He must relax frivolous hiring rules based on prejudice."

Cowboys were flabbergasted because they long had considered their work strictly for-the-two-gun, he-man type. Says L. W. Van Vleet owner of one of the largest ranches in Colorado: "I was skeptical about the women because it takes a pretty husky fellow to stay all day on a branding job. First, there are more than 500 head of cattle and calves to be rounded up and driven through the timber to branding corrals. Then the calves have to be separated from their mamas."

Gardens of England's Kings

Growing Herbs for Chemists and Housewives

Deadly nightshade (belladonna) is being cultivated at Kew Royal Botanical Gardens in Surrey to let British manufacturers have the medicinal herb needed for rheumatic ailments. Kew is also growing colelum another anti-rheumatic herb, from bulbs collected by Boy Scouts in the English countryside.

Once the private gardens of England's kings, Kew has also set out to show the British-housewife what can be done with the traditional English herbs. Dill, fennel, sage, chervil, marjoram and thyme are some of the many herbs now being grown there, and all of them provide attractive flavorings for soups and other wartime dishes.

In the midst of its 288 acres, where 23,000 different species of plants from all climates flourish as they do at home, Kew has now a regulation 10-rod allotment with a woman gardener in attendance to help amateur food-growers with their problems of raising potatoes, sweet peas, parsnips, carrots, onions and other vegetables.

GENERAL TO PRIVATE

LONDON, (CP)—Maj.-Gen. N. G. Anderson, zone commander in the Home Guard, became Private Anderson, June 1. He had to relinquish his command because of the age limit, but remained on the strength with the lowest rank.

Everybody Cooks But Mother Here

Vacation-at-Home Can be Made Real Holiday According to One Expert

TORONTO, (CP)—This vacation-at-home stuff is fine, of course for Pop and the kids. They can go golfing and fishing and cavoring as carefree as the breeze, at home or abroad, says a woman writer.

But what about Mom? What about those old three meals a day? After all, the only reason she ever consented to a hotel vacation was to get a rest from the cookstove.

Well, Mom, it can be done, even at home! Just put your foot down, turn off the electric and leave the cookstove. Tell the family they're going to have picnic meals for two weeks—and like it.

They will, too, when they find that a vacation from the cookstove means back-yard picnic meals, outdoor barbecues, casual catch-as-catch-can breakfasts according to the likes of each.

Make each member of the family responsible for his own food. You can go so far as to make the coffee each morning and then let Pop and little Johnny and Mary forage in the ice box for their own milk and eggs and oranges.

Raw Eggs. Go primitive, my good woman. Take a big bowl of carrots and tomatoes and lettuce and radishes and such out in the shade of the old apple-tree at lunch time, and let the family eat 'em raw! With bread and butter and milk and maybe some fruit or cheese.

At night invite the neighbors in and grill steaks or hamburgers over a back-yard campfire. A small barbecue grill, which you can buy for about a dollar at any hardware store, will simplify the process. Let the guests butter their own buns and serve themselves to fruit and green salad and coffee. Then relax and enjoy food fit for the folks of Mount Olympus.

J. Cadesky OPTOMETRIST

WILL BE IN ACTON ON Monday, August 31

Anyone suffering from Eye-strain, Defective Vision or Head-ache should not miss the opportunity of consulting this eye-sight specialist. Appointments may be made with Mr. A. T. Brown, Druggist.

Office Hours: 10:30 a.m. till 4:45 p.m. (D.S.T.)

SEE THE FARMERETTE HARVEST QUEEN CROWNED

By The Hon. P. M. Dewar, Ontario Minister of Agriculture — AT THE —

Community Fair! Victoria Park, Oakville Saturday, August 29th AT 7.00 P. M.

DON'T MISS TEN TO ACE The King's Plate Winner GAMES — DRAWS — REFRESHMENTS — MAMMOTH HINGO FORTUNE TELLING BIG DANCE — THE CLUB SWINGSTER'S MUSIC Proceeds for War Work of the Women's War Service League LUCKY GATE PRIZE \$25.00 ADMISSION 25c. Services in Uniform and those under 14 years FREE

Church News

United Church of Canada Acton, Ontario "The Friendly Church" REV. A. WALTER FOSBURY, B. B., Minister Parsonage—Bower Avenue SUNDAY, AUGUST 30th, 1942 11:00 a.m.—Worship services, sermon—"Righteousness in Excess—Can One Be Too Good?" 12:15 p.m.—Church School. 7:00 p.m.—Evening worship, sermon—"The Foolishness of the Cross." Come and Worship. Everybody Welcome

Evangelist KNOX CHURCH ACTON REV. FORBES THOMSON, B.A., Minister Manse—Willow Street SUNDAY, AUGUST 30th, 1942 10:00 a.m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a.m.—Morning worship, Rev. N. Stevenson, Toronto. No Evening Service. "ALWAYS WELCOME"

Baptist Church ACTON REV. JOHN OSTROM, B.A., B.Th. Minister SUNDAY, AUGUST 30th, 1942 11:00 a.m.—Church Service. 12:15 p.m.—Sunday School. Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.—Prayer meeting; 8:45 p.m., Choir practice. A WELCOME TO ALL

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SENIOR TABLETS "Senior Tablets, harmless and effective." Two weeks' supply \$1.00. BROWN'S DRUG STORE, 3-12 E.ow.

NOTICE My Beauty Parlor will be closed from Tuesday September 1st to September 8th. MRS. ADA NEAR, Acton.

FOR SALE Custom Pump, \$2.00; Quebec Cook Stove, \$10.00; Stove, Furnace and Plumbing repairs. Grate Bars Supplied and Installed. JOHN V. SAVAGE, Acton.

FOR SALE Brick Cottage 2 1/2 x 3 1/2 all complete. 10 Daily Evening Time plant. Building must be moved from present site. Apply WM. GOWDY, Timonituse.

PULLETS WANTED Wanted to purchase pullets all ages and breeds. Don't sell any before receiving our paying price. Apply TWEDDIE CHICK HATCHERIES LIMITED, Fergus, Ontario.

FOR SALE 8-Tube Console Radio, in working order, \$5.00; Square Box Type Quebec Cook Stove, new lining, \$10.00; also three sizes of silk and four pairs skates, sizes 4, 5 and 7 1/2. MRS. P. KILLICK, Main Street, Acton.

Notice to Creditors

In the Estate of Eliza McPherson, late of the Village of Acton, in the County of Haldon, Widow, Decedent.

Notice is hereby given that the estate of Eliza McPherson, late of the Village of Acton, in the County of Haldon, Widow, who died on or about the Twenty-sixth day of July, 1942, are required to send particulars and proofs thereof to the undersigned Solicitor before the Twelfth day of September, 1942, when the assets will be distributed among the parties legally entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims which shall have been filed as aforesaid, pursuant to Section 51, Chapter 155, R.S.O. 1937. DATED this Twenty-seventh day of August, A. D. 1942. (F. LEATHERLAND, Acton, Ontario, Solicitor for the Executors. Hubert McPherson, 181 Geoffrey St. Toronto, Ont. and Lucy Edna Snyder, 9 Marmaduke St., Toronto, Ontario.

W. T. PATTERSON R.O. Specialist in Eye Examination and Optician 103 WYNDHAM ST., QUELPH Phone 2100 Completely Equipped Office Below Maher Shoe Store