

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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

BALLINAFAD

A Dance was held in Ballinafad Town Hall on Tuesday night.

Mr. C. Steen's new barn is nearing completion.

Mr. Arnold McEnery has undergone an operation in the Guelph General Hospital and is recovering slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Campbell have moved into the house recently vacated by Mrs. Soper.

Miss Ethel Swindlehurst of Toronto, spent the week-end at her home.

Miss Alma McEnery of Georgetown spent the week-end at her sister's Mrs. Stanley Sinclair.

Pte. Charles Burgess spent the week-end at his home.

NASSAGAWEXA S. S. No. 7

The Busy Bees held their second dance of the month at Brookville Hall with Mrs. Laurence King as convener and had a splendid turnout and plenty of fun.

Mr. Stuart Elliott, Mr. John Black and Miss Dorothy Frank as usual supplied the music.

Mr. Jack Mast of Puslinch acted as floor manager for the evening and is engaged for the next dance.

The ladies cleared thirty-five dollars from their evening's work.

Mrs. E. Britton gave her home for a quilting last week and the Busy Bees added another quilt to their list of orders.

The radio farm forum met at the home of Mr. Harold Bell where there was a good attendance and all enjoyed an interesting evening of good discussion on questions asked.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos Kennedy are spending a few days at Acton with their daughter, Mrs. Massey, who has been ill with congestion of the lungs. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Wilfred Kennedy and Master Tom spent Tuesday at the home of her sister in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Davenport, Ellnor and Martin spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cole of Georgetown.

Mr. Bonnie Beavers bicycled to Roseland, a distance of fifty miles, to visit his brother Fred, last Sunday.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kennedy were Mr. and Mrs. Stan Eyre and baby Stan, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Howden and Mr. Edward Robertson of Hornby and Miss Pearl Kennedy of Milton.

No. 7 is busy with a play for the Christmas concert entitled "Dr. Cure-all" Howard (Tony) Frank, the main actor is Dr. Cure-all. Miss Elliott is directing the play.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. William Woods (nee Lottie McLeod) who were married at Georgetown on Saturday.

ROCKWOOD

The Boys Own Mission Band of the United Church are sponsoring a White Gift service Sunday evening December 13th. Gifts will be sent by the Band to the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto, for Christmas.

The Boys Own Band could like every member to attend this service and each gift will be dedicated.

Owing to inclement weather conditions and bad roads last Tuesday evening Masters Neil and Norman Lambert were unable to attend a concert in Luttrell's School, Eramosa.

A number of Rockwood people attended the concert and dance for British Distress Fund sponsored by the old time fiddlers in Guelph City Hall last Wednesday evening.

The many friends of Mr. Fred McArthur regret his serious illness and wish him a speedy recovery. His daughter Mrs. Hodgson (nee Betty McArthur) was notified of her father's illness and is home from Cape Breton for a brief time.

Mr. Cecil Harrison has returned to Toronto General Hospital for further treatment.

Pte. and Mrs. Everett Coates (nee Lyla Lavery) left Monday for Vancouver, B.C., where he is stationed.

Week-end and Sunday visitors: Mr. and Mrs. Neil Gordon of Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Mendall of Guelph.

Gerrie Brothers of Hamilton, Gerald Clemens, R.C.N., of Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lavery of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lavery of Toronto.

Miss Edith Royce, R.N., of Toronto Pte. J. Ward of Camp Borden The Osburn family of Guelph.

Friends of Mrs. Fred Lambert will be glad to know that she is able to be up and around again after a few weeks of serious car trouble.

Mr. Richard Harris visited with Mr. J. K. Mullin in Toronto over Sunday evening.

Following his brief visit at home, Lloyd Dyer, R.A.F., arrived at Halifax on Monday evening of last week.

OAKVILLE

Cpl. Alex Phillips, R.C.A.F., injured two fingers while on duty and is home on sick leave.

Stating that the Oakville tax rate had been reduced \$2 mills during the past two years, Mayor Dr. F. M. Deane forecast a further reduction for 1943, when addressing the ratepayers at Friday's nomination meeting.

Christina Kate Chisholm, prominent and lifelong resident of Oakville, died in her 88th year, at her home on King Street on Sunday morning, following an illness which extended over many months.

The satisfaction of Oakville's ratepayers with the council's work during the past year was evident from the lack of new nominations for office at Friday's nomination meeting. The members of all civic bodies were returned for the ensuing year.—Record-Star.

EVERTON

Dr. and Mrs. Barlett and daughter, of Brampton visited on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bonham and family.

Fussler Harvey Jestin, of Niagara, was home on furlough for two weeks and visited friends in Freeman and Toronto, returning back on Thursday.

All were glad to hear that Mr. Gibson Mack is home from the Guelph General Hospital, where he has been for some time getting treatment for a broken arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Murray, Guelph, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Col. and Mrs. Will Head.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chanler of Rockwood were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. E. Shepherson.

Mrs. Robert Patten, Guelph, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Alton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Akerly and son Wilbert, Guelph, visited Mrs. W. Usherwood on Sunday. She returned to Guelph with them for a couple of days.

Rev. J. P. McLeod occupied the pulpit Sunday morning at Hillsburg while Rev. Bruce Stalton of Hillsburg preached here.

LIMEHOUSE

It was decided to send parcels to the local boys overseas by the W. I. when their December meeting was held at the home of Mrs. S. M. Wright on December 3rd. \$31.90 was raised for war work during the month.

The treasurer was instructed to send \$23.60, the proceeds of a bingo to The Georgetown Herald for Christmas cheer for British children; \$15 was to be given the Georgetown branch of the Red Cross; \$15 was to be spent for wool if obtainable and \$5 was sent to The Star Santa Claus Fund. Local men in the army still in Canada are to receive a Christmas box from the branch and the latest recruit will receive a money belt.

The roll call was answered by handing in a Christmas card for sale at the close. Mrs. W. Mitchell was appointed convener of funds for December.

Mrs. A. V. Benton read current events and Mrs. Wm. Gowde read a paper on nutrition, entitled, "Eating to Beat War Axioms."

The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

Dr. A. Cochrane of Port Credit was guest speaker at Limehouse Presbyterian Young People's Society meeting November 30. He gave a very interesting and enlightening talk on the state of the confessional Church in Germany just prior to the outbreak of war. While studying for his Doctor of Divinity degree he spent some months in Germany.

The girls' Lookout Club bazaar sale of baking and afternoon tea was a decided success in spite of bad roads and cold weather. Mr. Fred Green of Guelph held the winning ticket on the patchwork quilt.

The Young People held a euchre at the home of Miss Doris Harding on Monday evening. Messrs. Joe Scott and Archie McDonald had high scores.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ellery spent the week-end home from Ipperwash. The snow plough paid its first visit of the season on Saturday.

"GRASSHOPPER" PILOTS

NEW YORK (AP)—The U.S. Field Artillery has "grasshopper" pilots, fliers and mechanics of small, low-powered observation planes which have replaced the balloons, once the "eyes of the service."

ERIN

World has been received that Capt. Jack M. Abbott has been promoted to O.C. of the 7th Division, Composite Co., R.C.A.S.C., stationed at Sussex, N.B.

Mr. Donald Bell suffered a nasty cut on his right hand when working with stove pipes. It required a couple of stitches to close the wound and he is nursing a sore hand.

The local entry in the Kitchener Bonspiel, last Friday, were justly proud of their skill and winnings when they came home with the Gordon Trophy, and each with a Hudson Bay four-point blanket. The rink, skipped by W. E. Busch was George Horton, vice; R. O. Harris, second stone, and Clayton Barbour, lead. They played six games and won five. Advocate.

BURLINGTON

Invitations are being issued for the Warden's Dinner, which is being held this year at the Estaminet on Wednesday, December 16th.

The Halton Presbytery met in Trinity United Church on Tuesday. The morning session took the form of a spiritual retreat, led by Rev. Geo. Service of Zion United Church, Hamilton.

Very little interest was shown by the ratepayers in the municipal nominations held in the town hall on Friday evening last. The attendance was around fifty people, and the number of candidates nominated was one of the smallest in the history of the town.

Sixty-one parcels were shipped last Wednesday night to H.M.C.S. Burlington by the Owsoson Parcel Fund committee, being the town's Christmas boxes to the officers and ratings of the boat. Another 22 parcels have been sent to England for the overseas boys' Christmas, one box being shipped to South Africa. Gazette.

GEORGETOWN

Miss Ruth Evans, District Private Secretary of the Dominion Life Assurance Company at St. Catharines, and Miss Margaret Evans, of the Galt Public School teaching staff, spent the week-end at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Evans.

Drawing into line with the power conservation program advocated by the government; two of our largest industrial concerns in town, Provincial Paper Limited, and Alliance Paper Mills, Ltd., are altering their weekly work schedule. Alliance Paper Mills will close down on Monday of each week, and Provincial Paper Ltd. will not work on Wednesday of each week.

Mrs. Kathleen Cleave and Mr. John D. Kelly addressed council at the last meeting as a deputation from the Public School Board. The deputation asked for a grant to cover the year's deficit on current account amounting to \$600. The deficit was due to a lower government grant, and the fact that sufficient coal was purchased this fall to cover the winter's need and carry a number of tons over for another season. Council granted the request.—Herald.

MILTON

James Kennedy has joined the Air Force. He went to Toronto yesterday, where he started training.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wilson and family, of Hamilton, have moved to town. He will be employed in the Princess Theatre.

The Milton Arina will open for the winter months as soon as it is possible to make ice. The caretaker for the season will be Harry Coulson.

Lorne Dixon, of Nelson township was injured when the car which he was driving was involved in a collision with a delivery truck driven by Edwin Hall, Hamilton. According to police, the truck was travelling in a southerly direction on Saturday afternoon on fourth line, Nelson township. Dixon was on his way home at the time.

The annual banquet of Peel and Halton ex-Wardens' Association was held at the Milton Inn, when an excellent fowl supper was served. An interesting program followed with Mr. Victor Hall, president, in the chair. Solos were tendered by Miss Marjorie Dawson and Mr. D. T. Geloway. Mr. G. E. Skinner, Port Credit, proposed a toast to the ladies which was ably replied to by Mrs. John Blair, wife of Halton's Warden.

Mr. John Blair proposed a toast to the ex-Wardens and replies were made by Messrs. Amos Mason, from Acton; M. C. Smith, Burlington, and David Wilson, Peel County Clerk, of Brampton. Ex-Warden H. Cleave of Georgetown, introduced the guest speaker of the evening, Rev. C. C. Cochrane, of Georgetown, who gave an interesting address on the subject: "Religious Education in Day Schools."

After the program, the annual meeting was held, when the officers for 1943 were elected as follows: President—G. F. Skinner. Vice-President—John Irving. Secretary—Treasurer—O. R. Church, re-elected for a fifth term.

Executive Committee for Peel: Messrs. W. Bates and Ed. McCulloch. Executive for Halton—Messrs. Mason and L. Kearns.

The 1943 banquet is to be held in Brampton. Champion.

Bridge Repair, Urge Securing Public Health Nurse

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Accounts were passed for payment as follows:

Panther Oil and Grease Co.	\$ 65.79
Dept. of National Revenue, duty and tax	36.00
E. J. Hassard, supplies	1.25
A. J. Melanac, trucking	8.25
Georgetown Lumber Co., supplies	60
A. T. Brown, Apples	60
Guelph Sand & Gravel Ltd., sand	23.00
E. E. Harrop, postage	54
E. E. Harrop, gasoline for municipal purposes	50.00
W. D. Talbot, supplies	11.94
Acton Public Utilities, various services	140.34
Acton Fire Brigade, annual grant	300.00
Welfare for December	44.98
Dr. W. G. Cullen, salicy and supplies	107.75
D. Brown, trucking	11.50
Waterloo Music Co., repairs	12.21
C. M. W. express	45

Council granted permission for the Junior Band to use the Council Chamber for practice with arrangements to be made with Mr. Harrop on the rights available.

The treasurer asked instructions regarding collection of certain taxes owing and council gave the ruling.

Notices were received from hospitals and the County Treasurer regarding accounts for indigent patients. More of the accounts were accepted by Council.

Letters were received from the Wartime Prices and Trade Board specifying the type of uniform procurable for police officers and drawing attention of council to the ruling regarding the opening of new businesses.

Chief Harrop reported that the drain on Knox Avenue had been opened partially and the sewers were draining, but some further repairs should be made in the spring and provision should be made for street drainage. The snow fence had been erected although the storm had caused some delay.

The clerk reported receipt of a letter from Night Constable Locker stating he was resigning effective December 31st. The resignation was accepted.

The danger to pedestrians from boys riding bicycles on the sidewalks was drawn to the attention of council. Chief Harrop was instructed to have a warning notice inserted in The Pazz Pass and take up the matter with the school principals and Y. M. C. A. officials and if the practice continued to lay charges against the culprits and have the cases appear in court.

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STARTING SATURDAY	TUESDAY TO THURSDAY
Gene Tierney in "THUNDERBIRDS" In Technicolor	"SHERLOCK HOLMES AND VOICE OF TERROR" With Basil Rathbone
Coming Christmas Day "ROAD TO MOROCCO" Crosby—Hope—Lamour	"LUCKY LEGS" With Jinx Falkenburg

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Church News

United Church of Canada
Acton, Ontario
"The Friendly Church"
REV. A. WALTER FORBES, R.A., R.S. Minister
Parsonage—Bower Avenue

Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Mid-week service at the home of Mrs. Caldwell.
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13th, 1942
11:00 a.m. Worship Service—Sermon, "The Great Commission."
12:15 p.m. Church School.
7:00 p.m. Vespers Service—G.I.T. and Trail Ranger groups in charge. Guest Soloist, Mrs. C. Lashman. Christmas Carols. Come and Worship—Everybody Welcome.

Presbyterian
KNOX CHURCH, ACTON
REV. JOHN OSTROM, R.A., R.T. Minister
Manse—Willow Street

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13th, 1942
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.
2:30 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class.
7:00 p.m. Picture Sermon, "Christ and the Fishermen."
Wednesday, December 16th. The Mission Fellowship at 8:00 p.m. The Mission Band will put on their Christmas Candle Lighting Service. "ALWAYS WELCOME"

Baptist Church
ACTON
REV. JOHN OSTROM, R.A., R.T. Minister

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13th, 1942
11:00 a.m. Worship service—The Minister.
12:15 p.m. Sunday School.
8:00 p.m. Evening worship. Ordination of Baptism will be observed at this service.
Monday, 8:00 p.m. B.Y.P.U. Christmas Social.
"A Hearty Welcome to All Above Services"

UNCLASSIFIED—Small Advertisements

Advertisements under this heading are run with order, up to 25 words. Additional words per word. If cash does not accompany the advertisement, minimum charge 50c and 10c per word additional for each word over 25.

FOR SALE
Nine Pigs, Anglo. Apply to ROBERT PATTERSON, Seventh Line, Eramosa, Lot 3.

FOR SALE
Grip, C.C.M. Skates and Boots, size 13, in excellent condition. MRS. FRED ANDERSON, Brock Street, Acton.

WANTED
Two rooms or apartment wanted in Acton or short distance from town. Light housekeeping, on or before December 10th. Apply to BOX 10, ACTON FREE PRESS.

LOST
Small brown spaniel, last seen at Archie Kerr's. Anyone knowing where this dog is, please PHONE TOM GIBSON, Acton, C. A. DOWNS, Phone 2854, Guelph.

WANTED
Information regarding location of my ten-foot ladder with hook-up top end, also fifteen-foot light chain with three hooks attached, gratefully received. J. W. BARBEREE, Acton.

FOR SALE
Handle for axes, splitting axes, shovels, shimmers, hatchets, picks and some winter tools. Would like to get some straight-grained second growth Hickory timber. TOM RUMLEY, Acton.

WANTED
Wanted flocks all breeds to supply with hatching eggs for the 1943 hatching season. Flocks culled and bloodstested under Government Supervision free of charge. Guaranteed bonus over Grade A large price with additional hatching eggs. Your chance to make up to 25c per dozen premium over the price of Grade A large. Also turkey flocks. Write for particulars. TEDDIE CHICK HATCHERIES, LIMITED, Eramosa, Ont.

TENDERS WANTED FOR GARBAGE COLLECTION
Tenders will be received by the undersigned until Tuesday, December 22nd, at 5:00 p.m. (D.S.T.) for the collection of garbage and waste material in the Village of Acton. Collection is to be made twice weekly and the tenderer must carry public liability insurance on vehicles and back after the municipal dumping ground. Particulars as to other requirements and draft contract may be obtained upon application to the Clerk. The lowest of any tender not necessarily accepted. C. F. LEATHERLAND, Clerk Acton, December 8th, 1942.

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