

Personal

Mrs. Maurice H. Stark, Hamilton, Ont., has returned to action.

Mrs. James Higgins and Jessie spent a few days in Toronto.

Mr. James Ward and Thelma spent a few days in Toronto visiting friends.

Mr. Eddie Williamson, of Guelph, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Brown.

Mr. R. H. Johnson, of Guelph, visited his mother, Mrs. Wm. Johnson, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cooper of Guelph, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cooper.

L.A.C. Elmer Lashay is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George King at Mississauga, Ont.

Mr. Percy Martin of Guelph is visiting with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wilds.

Mrs. Murray Smith is improving nicely after an appendicitis operation at Guelph General Hospital last Thursday.

Mrs. Gates has returned to her home in Guelph after spending a week with her brother Mr. W. J. O. Gates, Willow Street.

Mrs. Jean Bentall has left for Peterboro, to take up the position of laboratory and X-Ray technician at the Nicholls Hospital there.

Little Miss Sharon and Master Stomie Hauck of Guelph, spent last week at the home of their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kelly.

Pte. Elwood Pearyman and Pte. Raymond Robinson of Woodstock spent the weekend at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Perryman.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Bailey and Dennis and Dorothy of Kepuskeagan visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hoganson and Mr. John Hoganson.

Mrs. A. L. Starkman is visiting her daughter and family in Windsor. She is also attending the Graduation Exercises of her nephew at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Mrs. Peter Smith and Miss Pearl Smith will attend the graduation exercises to-morrow of Mrs. Smith's granddaughter, Miss Mary Sibbitt, who graduates with honors in her course at Trinity College.

Pte. Anne Keely of Newmarket is on two weeks' furlough at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kelly, and is spending a few days in Guelph with her sisters Mrs. L. Fenton and Mrs. F. Hauck.

Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Harrap and Rose Marie of Belleville, Mr. and Mrs. W. Harrap and Shirley Gall of Hamilton, Mrs. Ted Harrap of Guelph, and Miss Paul Harrap of Detroit, visited last weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Harrap.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson, Miss Doris Wilson and Mr. Bill Wilson, attended the graduation exercises at Toronto University yesterday when Miss Hazel Wilson graduated in her course in hospital supervision. Miss Wilson joins the staff of the Western Hospital in Toronto.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gordon, Rockwood, Ont., announce the engagement of their only daughter, Floris Jean, to Lloyd Arthur, only son of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Thomas, Rockwood, Ont. The wedding is to take place the latter part of June.

H.Y.P.U. RE-ORGANIZES ELECTS OFFICERS HOLDS FIRST MEETING

On Tuesday evening May 25th, the Baptist Young People held their annual meeting. Mr. W. Coles led a sing-song. Mr. Len Atkinson acted as chairman for the evening. The secretary-treasurer's report was given and adopted. The election of officers followed.

Hon. President—Rev. J. E. Ostrom. President—Wilma West. Vice-President—Ida Fryer. Secretary-Treasurer—Heda Lincoln. Pianist—Jean Matheson.

Mr. S. Cripps closed the meeting with prayer.

The B.Y.P.U. held its regular meeting Tuesday, June 1st, with the president in charge. Following the business session a short program was presented.

Kenneth Anderson and Bertie Collett read prayers. Mrs. C. Landenborough sang a solo and Rita Lincoln led in prayer. Ida Fryer read the Scripture lesson. Mrs. Grundy, speaker for the evening, took as her topic "Who is My Neighbor," which proved very interesting and helpful. Elvin Koenig played a musical number, which was followed by a hymn. Mrs. Anderson closed with prayer.



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Will be Held in the

TOWN HALL, MULTON

—on—

FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 2nd, 1943

at eight o'clock D.S.T.

Sincerely,

JAMES R. BROWN, M.P.

Mr. Brown is a Farmer from Souris, Manitoba

EVERYBODY WELCOME

Lt.-Col. S. H. Pepler, President

Lloyd D. Dingle, Secretary

GREGORY THEATRE

FRIDAY, JUNE 1

TRIBE OF THE YANKEES

(The Life of Lou Gehrig) played by Guy Cooper. Cartoons "Suffragette Cats". Chapter 2 "King of the Mounties".

SATURDAY, JUNE 2
Midnight 1:00

"GHOST OF FRANK-ENSTEIN"

Lon Chaney, Evelyn Ankers.

"THERE'S ONE BORN EVERY MINUTE"

Hugh Herbert, Peggy Moran. For News.

MONDAY, JUNE 4
"WAR AGAINST MRS. HADLEY"

Ray Bainter, Edward Arnold. March of Time "The Navy and the Nation". Pete Smith "Wild Horset". Miniature "Inca Gold."

Rationing Time Table

(Clip This Out and Keep Available)

COFFEE OR TEA (General)
Coupons 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 now valid.

Coupons 9 and 10 valid June 24th.

No Expiry date.

Each good for 8 oz. coffee or 2 oz. tea.

SUGAR (Food)

Coupons 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 now valid.

Coupons 9 and 10 valid June 24th.

No Expiry date.

Each good for one pound of sugar.

Space B No. 1 coupon is no longer good.

Canning sugar special coupons marked June now valid. Each good for 5 lbs. sugar.

BUTTER (Food)

Coupons 12 and 13 now valid. Expire June 30.

Coupons 14 and 15 valid June 10.

Expire June 30.

Coupons 16 and 17 valid June 24.

Expire July 31.

Each good for one half lb. butter.

MEAT (Food)

Coupons 1 (pair) now valid. Expire June 20.

Coupons 2 (pair) valid June 3.

Expire June 30.

Coupons 3 (pair) valid June 10.

Expire June 30.

Each good for 4 to 14 lbs. meat.

Chronicles of Ginger Farm

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CHRONICLES OF GINGER FARM

Well here we are again—and this the last day of May. Yesterday we turned the cows out to pasture and the sun was not with us. Partner let them go late in the forenoon and we had just slowly finished dinner when our sons came in and asked if young Mugs was expect to the house. "No," answered Partner, "the certainly isn't."

"Well, he's running around in the doorway right now anyway," said Mugs.

So Partner changed into his working clothes once again and went back to the barn. There he found Mugs had unchained off the iron bar in his stall to which he was chained; moved open the stable door and was making the most of this unexpected liberty. You can almost imagine him saying "Well, after all why should all those females come and visit?"

However Partner thought otherwise so a new iron bar was installed and after Mugs was driven unwillingly back to the stall Partner put a rope chain as well as a chain. Mugs is just a young fellow and has never been asked before so he is not to forget this anxiety to get loose. In trying to ignore this he has run away with the manger.

When I went down to the barn last night the male was like hell let loose. Each time a cow was milked and turned out the rest of the herd followed their heads off thinking they were going to the herd. In the end I joined in the chorus while Mugs continued a sort of obbligo on his own. It was terrible.

Another week has gone by and still no weeding done, but we were very busy last week just the same. We had a carpenter here and the week building a new wooden fence and also a set of steps for the front door. It is nice to get these things done but oh dear, the price of lumber.

Friday we moved the chickens to their new quarters and they like the change very well.

Over the weekend we had our small family gathered again. I am so happy when it happens that way. I am never quite satisfied when one of our "children" is home without the other. It never seems exactly as it should be. If I watched the two of them come in and cross the lawn together Sunday night—tall and fully grown—and yet such a little while since they were a little boy and girl going to public school. Yet, it is all right to look back because there are always happy memories, but one does not look forward—not in accordance, with one in the army and the other in munitions. But there is always the present—and we can make the most of it.

Family life has many problems. For instance, in spite of hard work and years of struggling against depression prices for farm produce, we still think there is no better place to live than on a farm—although there are a good many improvements that we should welcome to make farm life more comfortable. We are looking forward to the day when we can afford to buy a home.

After the first week in June, dependence will have to be placed on each crop as a separate unit, and such other early varieties as the Kisholt, Goldsby, and Pagoda, may be sown up until June 25, with confidence of the crop maturing satisfactorily. Another crop which should be given consideration is one of the later hybrid corn varieties such as the 325, 335 or 355, which can be utilized for threshing purposes. Perhaps few farmers locally, realize that some will yield more pounds of dry grain than any other general crop. An acre or two of some for haying on many Halton farms, would assist markedly in solving the possible grain shortage problem. The ears may be removed in the fall and stored in a home made crib. The whole ears may be put through a hammer mill and used in the feeding of livestock. Mungo is another crop which who might well be given consideration under present conditions. Mungo is practically equal in feeding value to oats and barley and can easily fed up to 25% of the grain ration to hogs and up to 30% to dairy cattle. Mungo as a grain crop may be expected to yield more pounds per acre than late seeded oats, barley, or buckwheat. It does however, stated Mr. Whitlock, present certain mechanical disadvantages, two of which are first, its tendency to mouldiness, 2nd, difficulty of grinding.

In a four year experiment at the O.M.C. milled goodness 2093 lbs. of grain per acre and slightly over 3 tons of straw. By far the best variety, from the standpoint of producing grain is the Siberian.

Buckwheat of course can be sown quite satisfactorily up until July 1st and in most years the same may be sold for corn for silage purposes providing moisture conditions are satisfactory. Certainly, in a year like this, there should be ample acreage of silage corn soon to ensure a full sail. Such hybrid varieties as 606, 625 or 645 are recommended and I should be able to suggest to you which ones are the best.

With the exception of the opinion that Halton livestock feeders should be encouraged to order their supplies of cereal grains at once. It is questionable, however, if delivery could be made until the month of August, or perhaps later. Our transportation systems are taxed to the limit last winter, and with the demands for the coming winter likely to be 50 to 100 per cent greater, it is questionable if it will be possible to fill late orders.

Good livestock men claim there is still a margin of profit to be made out of western grain at present prices in relation to livestock commodity prices. There should therefore be no talk of

Late Season Magnifies Food Shortage Problem

The lateness of the season has been serious not only to our farmers who are concerned with the production of feed for their livestock, but to our urban dwellers, many of whom for the third time in their lives are faced with food shortage, and because they cannot money to buy it. For the moment, money to buy it is present, certainly insomuch that there is not likely to be sufficient for the combined demands of our consumers, domestic and foreign, consumption, sales J. H. Whitehead, Agricultural Representative for Ontario.

Certainly from the standpoint of our defense needs the supply of food stuffs even though it means the tightening up of our belts there at home.

Here in Halton, it is questionable if more than 10 or 15% of the crop is in the ground, and approximately 30% of our farmers have not been able to get on the land at all. This situation is more or less prevalent in all parts of Canada and to a large extent in the United States.

It has been stated that Province-wide, the loss in the memory of those few alive, given the North American war effort, is total crop failure. Stimulated with this fact and with the optimism characteristic of those who till the soil, Ontario farmers are adjusting their results under the circumstances, may be assumed even though experimental evidence indicates that the crop will give worthwhile returns.

Crop specialists and many agricultural farmers are recommending that consideration be given to sowing early maturing varieties of oats, barley, corn, rye, and other early crops. It is not too late for the latter four crops. Furthermore, with good growing conditions during June, July and August, such early varieties as oats, rye, barley, corn, rye, and other early varieties as the Kisholt, Goldsby, and Pagoda, may be sown up until June 25, with confidence of the crop maturing satisfactorily. Another crop which should be given consideration is one of the later hybrid corn varieties such as the 325, 335 or 355, which can be utilized for threshing purposes. Perhaps few farmers locally, realize that some will yield more pounds of dry grain than any other general crop. An acre or two of some for haying on many Halton farms, would assist markedly in solving the possible grain shortage problem. The ears may be removed in the fall and stored in a home made crib. The whole ears may be put through a hammer mill and used in the feeding of livestock. Mungo is another crop which who might well be given consideration under present conditions. Mungo is practically equal in feeding value to oats and barley and can easily fed up to 25% of the grain ration to hogs and up to 30% to dairy cattle.

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Or do you go to the nervous habit of fiddling with one curl while you talk?

Are you one of the proud possessors of a glamour look, who is possessed of the desire to comb your hair at table? If you haven't thought, you'd better check up on yourself and see whether you are guilty of any of these.

Do you hit your hair "a tick and a toe" in the morning and notice it is slick and a "goose," in your kitchen or place of business with a comb, it will be all right to brush it with a comb.

Or are you guilty of regarding your friends with tales of the trouble you had with your hairdresser and what you told him?

If you have to admit to many of these, you can be sure that your looks—whether lovely or not—are jeopardizing your diplomatic relations.

reduction in livestock numbers, even in face of the present disengaging situation in this County. One final suggestion offered was that on some farms at least, the owners might well give consideration to seedling down at least one field without a cover crop, provided the field could be put to use for that purpose by the end of July.

We present these suggestions with the hope they may be of value to our rural families and also with the thought that this picture of the food situation may indicate to our urban residents another reason why they should plan to assist in the fields when seeding conditions are favorable, if they hope to have food enough.