

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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

NASSAGAWEYA

Sacramental services were held at Ebenezer last Sunday morning.

Chicken thieves have been operating in this district. One group stole a number from the flock of Mrs. C. Price.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Kitching of Corwin visited their cousin, Mrs. Caldwell in Acton on Sunday.

There was a splendid display of the Northern Lights on Sunday night.

Farmers are now busy cutting their spring crops of oats and mixed grain. The grain is a pretty fair sample but the straw is not heavy.

In the election last week, the results at Kitchbull were: Blackstock 58; Foster 4; Hall 4; Wilkinson 120.

Mrs. E. G. Robertson of Beverley Township visited her sister, Mrs. Dun-cann Moffat.

GEORGETOWN

Canadian troops are playing a leading role in the invasion of Sicily, and word has been received in two dispatches telling of the bravery of Major J. E. C. Sutherland of Limehouse, who led a company in a fighting drive which took an important ridge near Enna, Sicily, on July 30th.

Word of the marriage of Margaret Isabel Leslie, W.R.C.N.S., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Leslie of Georgetown rural district, to Sgt. George Percy Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Chapman of Hamilton at Vancouver, has recently been received by her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wiley, Paper Mill Road, recently received a cable from Ottawa, stating that their son, Pte. Robert Wiley, had been reported missing in action. The cable did not state in what particular theatre of war he had been engaged, but it is presumed that he was in the Sicilian campaign. It is hoped that they may yet receive word of his safety.

Mrs. Delany Harris has been appointed secretary of the Local Station Board, and although she began her duties on July 5th, official authorization of her appointment from headquarters did not come through until last week. Mrs. Harris takes the place of Mrs. P. E. Harrison, Town Clerk, who found the duties of secretary of the Station Board too burdensome when combined with all the work involved in handling municipal affairs.

ROCKWOOD

During the absence of Dr. K. B. Waller who is on his vacation, Dr. Roberts is supplying and carrying on at the former's residence.

In the absence of Rev. E. A. Brooks, Mr. C. O. Hanney conducted services at St. John's Church on Sunday morning.

The many friends of Mrs. Thos. G. Hutchinson will be pleased to learn that she is gradually improving following her recent illness.

Mrs. J. Ayles is able to be up and about her home following a brief illness.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Royce on the arrival of a son at Guelph General Hospital.

The annual picnic of "The Boys' Own" Mission Band is announced for this Thursday at the home of the President, Gordon Harris. A good program of sports has been prepared for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson, Miss Margaret Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. George Gordon, returned home during the week-end from a two weeks' camping at Normandale.

Week-end and Sunday visitors: Messrs. Joe Oakes and James Lynch of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McLeod of Hamilton.

Mr. Bert Nightingale of Orangeville.

Elathertwick family, Kitchener.

Sgt. George Day of Hagersville.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton of Barrie Hill.

Beverly Clarke of Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Thatcher and babe of Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Mendell and babe of Guelph.

Recent holiday visitors not mentioned in last week's correspondence: Mr. Charles Harris of Niagara Falls and Rev. C. Gordon Harris of Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Allan and family of Toronto, Marie Allan is holidaying with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pearson.

Rev. C. Gordon Harris was in town Saturday evening on his way home from Toronto, during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Engley and babe Fred of Lakeview, Ont., spent the week-end with Mrs. Powers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford Hewat of Toronto, are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Isabel Hewat for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Royce and son returned to Toronto after a week's holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Royce.

EVERTON

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McKay, Guelph, spent the week-end with Mr. T. D. McCutcheon and Mrs. Harvey Joslin and on Sunday they all went to visit Mr. and Mrs. John McCow, Nassagaweya.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCutcheon are visiting for a few days with their son Wilbur and family, 5th line.

Mr. and Mrs. Kitchener Head, Guelph, spent the week-end with the former's parents, Col. and Mrs. Will Head.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bonham and son Joe and daughter Willa spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Maitland, Elora.

Miss Lois Black spent a few days last week in London with her sister Mrs. A. D. Robertson and family, also her sister, Mrs. Albert McWilliam and family, Puslinch.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Robertson and sons Douglas and Kenneth, Oshroge, spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. C. G. Robertson.

Miss Joy Smith is holidaying with friends in Acton.

Misses Mary and Edith Robertson, Cleveland, Ohio, are spending a couple of weeks at the home of their brother, Mr. Will Robertson of Guelph Road and other friends.

Mrs. D. H. Parker accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. E. McMillan, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Parker, Brookville.

The August meeting of the Women's Institute was held last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. G. Robertson with the President, Mrs. Bonham, presiding and an attendance of nineteen.

It was decided to remember one of the boys of the community with a gift.

A committee was appointed for a community picnic to be held August 13th at the home of Mrs. Robertson. Mr. Hamilton had current events. It being the girls' meeting they gave the following program: group song; recitation by Muriel Bonham; reading on club work by Vera Fountain; solo, Barbara Bonham; reading, Eva Joslin; contest, Mrs. Bonham and Mrs. Robertson winning the prize; trio, Betty Hill, Jean and Dorothy Clark. The girls had the club work on display and were commended by the Institute. After the meeting closed refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Barbara Bonham.

OSPRINGE

Mr. and Mrs. David Stewart, and family spent Sunday with relatives in Hamilton. Miss Marion Rennie returned with them for a vacation.

Mr. Austin McCutcheon visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. August Young near Edon Mills.

Ward has been involved here from Niagara Falls that Arnold Suter is in the army and is at present stationed at Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Smart of Toronto, are holidaying with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Robertson, Douglas and Kenneth visited on Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. C. G. Robertson, Everton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Struthers and Mrs. Walker visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hindley.

Mr. and Mrs. Muriel McCutcheon, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. McKinnon and Blanche motored to Lakelet on Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Allison and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McCutcheon, Erin, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. F. Brydon.

Rev. Turner of Hillsburg occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church on Sunday. Mrs. K. Kalthoff contributed a soprano solo, "My Task," accompanied by Mrs. Gordon P. Altken at the organ. Next Sunday Rev. John McKenzie of Bradford is to be in charge.

Mrs. Brownson and grandson Billie Brownson of Chicago are visiting at the home of the former's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fisher.

Corp. Bert Weeks of Hamilton, visited with his wife over the week-end.

Mrs. D. G. Robertson was hostess on Wednesday evening for the monthly meeting of the Women's Institute, with seventeen ladies in attendance.

Miss Doris Fines called the roll, which was well responded to by "Don'ts for the kitchen." Twenty dollars was voted to the township Red Cross to buy jam and honey for overseas.

Misses Blanche McKinnon, Doris Fines and Mrs. A. Fisher, were appointed a committee to arrange for a sacred program to be held in the near future. The topic for study was "Home Economics" and a very interesting paper on the subject was given by Miss Blanche McKinnon. Instru-mental music by Mrs. Gordon P. Altken was much enjoyed. Mrs. George Young received a prize in the button hole contest with Mrs. F. Brydon and Mrs. G. Cook acting as judges.

The hostess, assisted by Mrs. A. Fisher, served salad, sandwiches and tea, and a social chat was enjoyed.

ERIN

Daniel J. Held, of Erin, passed away at the General Hospital, Toronto, on July 21st, 1943.

Rev. T. J. Ross was again in charge of the United Church services here and at Hillsburg last Sunday after three weeks vacation.

Mr. Alex. Tarzwell has returned home, following an operation on his left foot, which he underwent at Toronto General Hospital.

Cars driven by David Rennie and Don Moffitt, both of Erin Township, collided at the intersection of the seventh line and seventeenth avenues, Erin, last Saturday evening, when both machines were damaged considerably.

L.A.C. Joseph Longo is in the Guelph General Hospital with facial injuries suffered when the car in which he was riding with four other passengers, collided with another car on Highway 104 Saturday evening, near McCusky's garage. -Advocate.

MILTON

In St. Joseph's Church, Hamilton, recently Miss Jean Olive Brunette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Brunette, Hamilton, was united in marriage to Cnr. James Henry Hyder, R.C.A., son of Mrs. A. Murdoch, of Milton.

Gerard Kelly, Oakville, charged with assault, was remanded for a sixth time on a request of the Crown, to be in custody of the police on Wednesday. The chief witness, Ernest Cadmore, was still unable to appear.

A number of Miltonians accompanied the members of our Pipe Brigade to their annual celebration, which was held in Acton on Saturday and Sunday.

J. L. Landborough, editor of the Grand Valley Star and Vidette, his wife and daughter Joyce, visited their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Hays, last Sunday afternoon.

The 8th annual reunion of the M. W. Clements family was held at the home on Sunday, July 25. Nine of the immediate family were present, Harold being absent attending R.C.A. F. Initial Training School, Victoria, B.C., Sunday, Jan. twenty-six, attended St. Paul's United Church. In the afternoon forty-two relatives and friends enjoyed a pleasant reunion.

Establishment of a local Station Board at Milton is announced by the Station Administration of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

Recently the town of Milton was served by the Oakville station board. Chairman of the new board is Mayor George Dawson, who has given splendid service as Milton's representative in having a separate board established. -Champion.

NASSAGAWEYA

(Intended for last week.)

The Busy Bees have quilted three quilts in the schoolhouse the past two weeks with a good turnout of help for the work.

This community was shocked when word of the death of a former minister, Rev. C. G. Jones, was received from Christie Street Hospital, Toronto. Deepest sympathy is extended to the loved ones left to mourn their loss.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Frank had Mrs. Dayton, Little Britain, the latter's sister, as their guest for a week's holiday.

Mrs. S. C. Smith of Toronto, spent the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. and Mr. J. King.

Those attending the McEdward reunion at Freilton were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frank and family from this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence King and Blanche are leaving Friday morning for Irondale, Hillsburg Highlands, to visit the latter's uncle for a few days.

Friends are pleased to hear that Mr. George Tinsley is able to return to his home where he is convalescing favorably.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Woods upon the birth of a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Morton and Mrs. E. Tindale visited the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dredge over the holiday.

Mrs. J. Massey and little daughters spent a week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Heard and Bobby spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Britton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Anderson of Guelph, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Heatley on Sunday.

Mrs. George Robinson entertained Oakville friends at the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Robinson, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frank have as guests for a week's holiday, Mrs. Mitchell and Mrs. Jevons of Toronto.

We are pleased to have Mr. Alf Talbot and Mrs. D. Talbot back with us again.

Miss Dot Massey of Acton is holidaying at the home of her cousin, Marie Kennedy.

WOMEN DRAW THE LINE

PRICE, Utah, (CP)—The state has eight women painting those yellow dividing lines on highways in eastern Utah.

OAKVILLE

Stan, Nolan, of the R.C.A.M.C. who has been stationed at Ottawa, has been promoted from Corporal to the rank of Staff Sergeant.

The funeral of Mrs. H. W. Hanson, who died at Oakville Private Hospital on Aug. 3rd, 1943, was held on Wednesday, August 4th, from Stussell's Funeral Home.

Sgt. Air Gunner P. W. Tommy Eger, son of W. H. Eger, who was reported missing about six weeks ago, following bombing operations over Germany is now reported to be a prisoner of war.

Mrs. John Donald, Herald Ave., suffered two strokes to her right arm when she fell from her bicycle at the corner of Thomas and Wilbourn Streets at 10:30 Monday evening. -Recreator.

BURLINGTON

Mr. Walter Perkins and family returned home from a two-week's holiday in the Marlborough district. Mr. Perkins bought a small month's lease for six months, and is having it mounted.

Mr. Louis Walker, well-known town employee, had the misfortune to fall off the town truck recently, and injure his back.

Miss Helen White, teacher at the high school here for the past few years, has resigned a position on the staff of the high school of Shelton.

At the regular meeting of the Nelson township hall Monday, a by-law was passed striking the tax rate for 1943 at 49 mills. This is a reduction of one mill from last year.

Tom Wamsley and Wm. Motzfeldt attended the annual convention of the Ontario Farmers' Association held at Acton over the week-end. Mr. Wamsley was re-appointed treasurer, and Mr. Motzfeldt a member of the audit board.

During the last three days of last week, local police received reports of citizens losing money, and in two instances it appeared as though it may have been the result of pickpocketing during their Carnival festivities.

Among the nine applicants for the position of town constable to fill the place of Eric Malhot, who resigned in June, were those local men, Stuart Emerson, Archie Spanow and Nelson McCay. The applications were considered by the police committee on Monday night and Tom Hill, who now resides at the town hall, was chosen as the constable from among the applicants. -Gazette.

LIMEHOUSE

Recent visitors include: Miss Hope Scott of Toronto, with the Follett's.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwood of Toronto with Mrs. Mummy.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Greenleaf and children of Milton with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Boston.

Miss Marie Roe with the Millers this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamilton of Aberfoyle, with Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hamilton.

Mrs. Sowerby of Savanpau, Georgia, with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Wright.

Car. Gordon-Craig of Petawawa with the Newtons, Miss Evans and Mrs. Gale.

Mrs. Stacey and Mrs. H. B. McDowell of Toronto, with Mrs. Mills this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hall and children at the cottage for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Noble of Chatham with the Merediths on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Swackhamer and Jimmy with the Duries.

Mrs. Rose is visiting in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken. Hamilton and children spent a couple of days at Palgrave last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meredith and Miss Helen visited friends and relatives on Manitoulin Island last week.

The August meeting of Limehouse Women's Institute was held at Mrs. Joe Scott's cottage with twenty-two attending. The roll call was answered by a short poem. The treasurer reported \$69.25 cleared in July. It was decided to buy a money belt for a recruit and \$10 was voted to the Georgetown Soldiers' Comforts Campaign. Each convener of standing committees gave short current event items.

Miss Winifred Ivens, guest speaker, gave a splendid address on Education dealing with the possibility of a library for grown ups as well as children in the local school. As a result a committee was appointed to meet the school board to try to arrange for the purchase of books. The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

RIDDLES TO ASK

Q. Why is the letter "m" like a magician?
A. Because it changes "ice" to "mice."

Q. Why is a river like an elbow?
A. Because it is, and bends.

Q. Why is a tortoise like a cocoon?
A. Because its shell is hard to crack.

Mark Sheep With Washable Brands

In times of peace, the amount of wool damaged by the use of unwashable materials in branding sheep may not have been in sufficient quantity to attract the entire wool clip, but in war time, when every strand of wool is required for the war effort, the point of the manufacturer of woolen cloth, the use of washable substances, such as paint, tar, kerosene, and old crankcase oil, by sheep breeders in branding ewes, or in numbering sheep for sale, or for purposes of identification is very objectionable. In fact, branding or marking sheep with any substance that cannot be washed out is particularly injurious, because the brand or mark is usually stamped on the most valuable part of the fleece.

If it is difficult and costly to remove portions of the fleece marked by unwashable material, either when grading or sorting, and, if overlooked, the washable material will not wash out, but will be carried forward into the manufacturing process. The finished material carried the stain of the branding fluid and cannot be cleaned by solvents in general use in any clothing process. Washable branding fluids that do not stain the fleece have been prepared and are sold commercially. Only such branding fluids should be used, in order to insure the supply of active wool which is adequate, without imports, to keep Canada's fighting men in the field.

LONDON, (CP)—London's biggest single advance job, the breaking up of the temporary Victoria bridge which was used while the famous span was rebuilt, will provide 2,500 tons of steel, enough for 200 locomotive tanks.

BOARDSMOUTH, (CP)—Five thousand men of extreme danger, a snow hunting has blown into the Majesty's cruiser Norfolk so the crew have adapted the snow hunting as the ships' mascot.

THE FUNDAMENTAL REASON WHY THE WAR IS GOING BADLY ON THE HOME FRONT, WHY THE COUNTRY IS CONFRONTED WITH SUCCESSIVE DEMANDS FROM GRAPING THROATS OF ONE SORT OR ANOTHER, AND INFLATION LOOMS AS A GREATER AND GREATER THREAT, IS TO BE FOUND IN THE FACT THAT WE ARE TRYING TO RUN A FIGHT FOR HIGHER WAGES, HIGHER PRICES, AND HIGHER PROFITS.

President Roosevelt gives unusual lip service to the need for lower living standards "for the duration," and then his policies belie his words. In his address to Congress on last year, he said emphatically that "our standard of living will have to come down," and that "wages in general must and should be kept at goal posts." Actually, the trend ever since has been in the opposite direction.

Had it not been for the fact that the American population which is double in this emergency, the average farmer, is solidly patriotic, and the farm lobby in Washington is out to get what it can.

Hundreds upon hundreds of cases involving alleged war frauds, from minor shuffling to conspiracy totaling high in the millions of dollars, are under investigation.

Efforts to limit the war into a profit-making for the nation is the only thing which has not defied us. Mr. Philip Hickey, in the Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Church News

United Church of Canada
Acton, Ontario
"The Friendly Church"
REV. A. WATSON, MINISTER
S.A., B.S., M.A.
Parkington—Bower Avenue
SUNDAY, AUGUST 15th, 1943
MORNING SERVICES ONLY
11:00 am.
August 15th W.M.S. in charge.
"Come and Worship—Everybody Welcome."

Evangelical Church of Canada
Acton, Ontario
REV. CHARLES THOMPSON, M.A., MINISTER
Maine Willow Street
SUNDAY, AUGUST 15th, 1943
August 15: Mr. Murray Gales.
August 22: Rev. John R. Wadde, A. B.A.
August 29: Rev. J. L. Hoff, B.A.
October 5: Rev. J. L. Hoff, B.A.
No evening service.
"ALWAYS WELCOME"

Baptist Church
Acton
REV. SAMUEL GARDNER, M.A., B.S., MINISTER
SUNDAY, AUGUST 15th, 1943
11:00 am. M. & J. Burdum of Gull.
12:30 pm. Sunday School.
7:00 pm. Mr. Burdum.
Tuesday, 8:00 pm. W.M.S.
Everybody Welcome.

Small Advertisements

WANTED TO BUY
Dry hard and soft hardwood. Apply ACTON GARAGE

WANTED TO BUY
Electric Washer, also Electric Iron. Will pay highest cash price. Second-hand, suitable for use as well as new additional for each used item.

WANTED
City Bicycle wanted in good condition. PHONE 1843, ACTON.

To the Electorate of Halton County

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to all those who so loyally gave their time and used their influence on my behalf during the recent campaign and also to those who supported me on August 4th.

STANLEY L. HALL

NOW PLAYING AT THE GUELPH THEATRES

ROYAL PALACE

TO-DAY AND FRIDAY
"REMEMBER"
Robert Taylor,
Groer Carson
And
STRONGER THAN DESIRE
Joan Crawford

TU-FRI AND FRI-SAT
"THE FALCON IN DANGER"
Tom Conway
And
"CAPTIVE WILDWOMAN"
Acquanetta

NAT. MON. TUE. WED.
Deanna Durbin
Jos. Cotten
In
"HERE'S TO HOLD"

NAT. MON. TUE.
Jeanette MacDonald
Nelson Eddy
In
"NAUGHTY MARIETTA"

TAX NOTICE—1943

MUNICIPALITY OF ACTON

Third Instalment Now Due

Attention is drawn to the payment of 1943 Taxes, which are now payable in four instalments. Taxes are payable to the Municipal Treasurer at the

Acton Public Utilities Office

Instalments Are Due As Follows:
THIRD INSTALMENT — AUGUST 15th
FOURTH INSTALMENT — OCTOBER 15th

According to the Tax Collection By-law a penalty of Two per cent. will be added on the amount remaining unpaid after the Fifteenth Day of June until Sixteenth Day of August and an addition of Four per cent. on the Second Instalment remaining unpaid after the Sixteenth Day of August. This penalty applies to each instalment in a similar manner.

The attention of Ratepayers is directed to the Penalties and Other Clauses as printed on the reverse side of every Tax Notice.

Taxes are NOW due and payable. An additional penalty applies on the Second Instalment if not paid on or before August 15th and a penalty is applicable to Third Instalment if not paid by August 15th.

MAKE PAYMENT NOW AND TAKE YOUR TAX NOTICE WITH YOU WHEN MAKING PAYMENT

B. H. SPEIGHT, Collector

WANTED
Wagon load chairs top and for lawn. Guaranteed free from weeds. Preferably leaf loam. Cash on delivery. Acton early September. BOX 25, ACTON FREE PRESS.

TOWNSHIP OF NASSAGAWEYA VOTERS' LISTS 1943

Notice is hereby given that I have compiled with section 8 of The Voters' Lists Act and that I have posted up in my office at Campbellville on the 4th day of August, 1943, the list of all persons entitled to vote in the said Municipality at Municipal Elections and that such list remains there for inspection.

And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law, the last day for so doing being the 25th day of August, 1943.

Dated at Campbellville, this 10th day of August, 1943.

CHAS. F. NOBBISS,
Clerk, Township of Nassagaweya.

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Garden Party!

STANLEY PARK PAVILION
ERIN

Wed. Aug. 18
Under Auspices of Coleraine Women's Institute

FEATURING:
Mr. James Fox, Comedian
Miss Pat Halloway, Champion
The Hot Top Dance
Mr. Percy Davis, Entertainer
Miss Jean Simpson, Singer
Concert, at 8:15 p.m. Sharp

ADMISSION
Adults 50c — Children 25c
Proceeds to Aid of Red Cross