

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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

LIMEHOUSE

Tea ladies from Limehouse Women's Institute branch attended the district annual held in Acton United Church on Thursday.

Mr. John N. Newton sold his farm to Mr. Frank Brown of Georgetown during the past week.

Mr. Wallace Mackay of Weston is setting up the machinery here in preparation for graveling some of the township and county roads.

Friends and neighbors of Sgt. Edgar Beoney gathered at his parents' home on Friday evening to bid him farewell. Miss Dorothy Shebourn read a short address and Harold Scott presented him with a sum of money on behalf of those assembled. An enjoyable time was spent dancing to music provided by J. W. Nickell and R. H. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Mills, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Storey and Mrs. H. B. McDowell spent a few days at their summer home here.

EVERTON

Sunday visitors at the home of Col. and Mrs. Will Head were Mrs. Kitchener Head and Miss Doris Burnett, Guelph, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Murray, and Mrs. Geo. Garden, Acton.

Mrs. Harvey Jettin and young son returned last week from the Guelph General Hospital and Mrs. Beverley Hepburn and young son from the Nursing Home in Acton to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Allan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. McDonald have bought a house in Hillsburg and moved there on Monday.

Mrs. Morgan, of Albany N. Y., is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Morris.

Mrs. Mills, Guelph, is quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. H. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hepburn, who spent the winter in Acton, moved to their home here last week.

Dr. Wylie and son and daughter, Toronto, have moved into the cottage belonging to Mrs. Dampier.

BALLINAFAD

Mrs. Peter Binne, of Guelph, spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warns.

Miss Mabel Hardy, of Guelph, spent Sunday with Miss Lillian Shortill.

Mrs. Jamieson, who has been in Toronto General Hospital receiving treatment was able to return home on Sunday. We hope she may continue to improve.

Communion service was held on Sunday when two new members were received and one baby christened.

Mrs. McMenemy, who has been in Guelph General Hospital, is convalescing at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gear Sinclair, of Milton.

The farmers in this community are pretty well finished seeding and with such wonderful growth everything is away to a good start. The country looks so beautiful this time of year it makes one feel we live in a wonderful land and have much to be thankful for.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Annie Vannatter is in the Lockwood Clinic undergoing treatment. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

ORTON

On Wednesday evening, May 17th a pleasant evening was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. Wm. Donaghy, 12th line, when Mr. and Mrs. R. Hoore and Mrs. H. Reid and families, Orangeville, Mrs. Reeth, Grand Valley, Mr. and Mrs. B. Thompson, Hillsburg and the Leeson family surprised them, it being their 40th wedding anniversary. They were presented with a lovely walnut console table.

Wedding bells are ringing in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Porter and girls Corbetton and Mr. and Mrs. Marius Cox and Shirley, New Toronto were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. Roszel.

Mrs. Nelson Moore, Acton and daughter, Mrs. Fornace, Detroit were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Thompson and Roy, Hillsburg, visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Watson on Saturday.

Miss Margaret Reed, Mrs. Elmer Reed, Hillsburg were Sunday callers with Mr. and Mrs. W. Gregson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dickson and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lane motored to Toronto on Thursday.

Those attending the Centre Wellington District Annual of the Women's Institute at Elora on Tuesday were Mesdames Ed. Gray, Wm. Gibson, John Root, Earl Moore, W. Ballentine, Wm. Beesey, A. Awwy, F. Jackson, R. Wheeler.

ERIN

At a recent meeting of Erin village council the rate for the year 1944 was struck at 44.5 mils.

Erin village again exceeded the quota set for the victory loan, this time by 20,803 per cent. The quota was \$30,000 and the sales were \$36,250.

Mrs. Cook, 7th line, injured her left shoulder when she fell while attending to her household duties. X-ray revealed no broken bones; she is convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Barden, Hillsburg sold their beautiful team of Hackney mares, Whitegate Princess and Whitegate Sable, to Mr. Klugour Wilson of Lachute, Quebec for the handsome sum of two thousand dollars. They were shipped by rail from Guelph last Wednesday.—Advocate.

OSPRINGE

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. Struthers were Mrs. Morley Walker and Mrs. Alfred Hales Sr. of Guelph.

Miss Jean Kirkwood of Guelph is holidaying with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. F. Brydon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mann of Acton visited on Sunday evening with Mr. Duncan McTavish.

Mrs. E. Sunter, Mrs. M. Aitken, Miss Emma Balle and Mrs. L. Nelson, spent Tuesday evening with Mrs. Arnold Sunter and Mrs. M. Hurren at Erin.

Misses Blanche McKinnon and Doris Fines attended the District Annual meeting of Centre Wellington Women's Institute at Elora on Tuesday. Mrs. E. Sunter, who is secretary treasurer of the local branch again received first prize for her year's reports.

Mr. Duncan McTavish and Mr. Geo. Anderson visited on Tuesday with the latter's niece, Mrs. Hattie Swackhamer at Brampton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jackson spent Sunday with Mrs. Bert Robertson and children at Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. William Webb and children of the Palaley Block visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Robertson.

BURLINGTON

With the arrival of 8 mail boxes here on Monday it is expected that pick up collection of mail from 8 different points will be in operation here by the end of this week.

The Sixth Victory Loan thermometer for both Burlington and Nelson blew the top early Friday morning and this area once again went over the top.

On Monday afternoon last, Stanley Craze, co-chairman of the Sixth Victory Loan Committee, presented an honor pennant to the A. S. Nicholson and Son Co. This firm not only went over their quota but had the very fine record of having 96 per cent. of their employees taking bonds.

Three local men were arrested Tuesday by Chief Smith and Provincial Constable Kersey for an alleged offense against a local girl. As the crime was committed in Wentworth County the men appeared in Hamilton police court to-day (Wednesday). The case was adjourned for further hearing.

A petition was received from the business men, asking the council to proclaim May 24th a holiday. The Mayor said it could not be proclaimed a legal holiday, but suggested that the council pass a resolution asking the citizens to observe Victoria Day. He said that the bank could not close as May 24th was not a legal holiday any more. The necessary resolution was passed granting the request, although it was agreed by council it had no legal status.

Cr. Smith submitted the report of the Road and Bridge Committee; also a report on the garbage collection for the past three months. The cost from February 1st to April 31st was \$341, which he said meant considerable saving to the town. The amount also included gasoline, and if there was no increase for the rest of the year, the garbage collection under the present plan would cost the ratepayers about \$1400.—Gazette.

NIGERIA (CP)—The virtual defeat of yellow fever in West Africa is expected as a result of the incessant battle which West Africa wages against the mosquito.

ROCKWOOD

The concert held last Friday evening in the town hall under the auspices of St. John's Church Choir was well attended and enjoyed by the large number who were present. The program was well arranged and of good variety. Rev. Canon Smith, who has been supplying at St. John's Church since Rev. E. A. Brook's departure in February, made his first public appearance when he acted as chairman for the occasion.

Program included the following items: Chairman's address, preceded by Dr. Waller's brief remarks introducing the choir; opening chorus O Canada, followed by choir number under the direction of Mr. Neil Hansen, recitation, "Gratitude's Spectacles," by Aloha Bacon; piano solo, Mrs. Freeman; vocal solo, Mrs. Loren; vocal solo, Masters Neil and Norman Lambert; violin solo, Mr. Neil Hansen with Miss Frances Gibb at piano; selection by Happy Gang of Artrell; reading, Mrs. Frank Dean; vocal solo, Barbara Ward with Mr. A. M. Titt at the piano, vocal trio, Joyce, Nancy and George Waller with the Doctor at the piano; vocal solo, Leona Gibb with her sister Frances at the piano; vocal duet, Mesdames A. Beard and A. Cantelon; lucky ticket draw for electric lamp won by Mrs. Arthur Ewers with Miss Dorothy Ewers in charge in connection with St. John's Mission Aides; vocal solo, Mrs. Lorve; piano solo, Mrs. Loty; vocal duet, Mesdames J. D. McNabb and A. Shultis; Happy Gang selections; waltz contest conducted by Mr. Leonard Nightingale; church quartette selection, Misses F. Dean, D. Ewers, C. Linfoot and I. Nightingale and Mrs. L. Nightingale at the piano; guitar selection, Leona Gibb; violin duet, Mesdames J. Ward and A. M. Titt with Mr. Titt at piano; reading, Mrs. Moffatt of Artrell; piano solo, Mrs. Moffatt of Artrell; selections; Shultis; Happy Gang selections; quartette number, Miss Ida Nightingale; Mesdames J. D. McNabb and A. Shultis and Mr. A. M. Titt; selection by church choir; God Save the King.

At the conclusion of the program all who took part remained for refreshments, including Canon and Mrs. Smith.

Mrs. J. Ayles was also accompanied for the Lambert twins and Mrs. L. Nightingale for other numbers.

Sunday evening, the annual meeting of the Rockwood and Everton Branch Bible Society was held at the United Church with Rev. J. Ward in charge. Owing to Rev. J. Ward having to leave for an appointment at Stone Church, Mr. George H. Pearen gave the report on the year's activities. Rev. Walter McCreary of Elora was present and gave an earnest discourse in connection with Bible Society work.

The congregation of the United Church are looking forward to the annual anniversary services in June.

The W. C. T. U. district convention is to be held June 7 in the United Church with all day sessions.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. Samuel Haldenby in the death of his mother last week in Stratford Hospital as a result of serious burns in March at her home in St. Mary's. When attending a roast in her oven, flames broke out and ignited her clothing. Even though she succeeded in beating out the fire with a towel and water, she was removed to the Stratford Hospital where she had been a patient until the time of her death. The late Mrs. Haldenby was in her 91st year.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Thos. G. Hutchinson and daughter, Mrs. J. Thompson in the passing of Mrs. Hutchinson following a lingering illness. The funeral held from her late home, fifth line, Eramosa was largely attended and a large number at McKee's Cemetery where interment was made. A brother, Mr. George Bayne, 7th line, Eramosa and a sister in the west also survive her.

The many friends of Mr. George Gordon regret that he is not so well at present in Guelph General Hospital.

Mr. Arnold Maw of Brantford is home for a fortnight and nursing a sore hand, as a result of a broken bone in his thumb.

Week-end and Sunday visitors: Miss Minnie Nickell of Toronto. Miss Marjorie Beard, R. N. of Toronto. Clarence Lynch, C. P. C., Camp Borden. Mr. James Lynch, Toronto. Mr. Joe Oakes, Toronto and friend. Pte. Russell Hepburn, London. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Turner, Niagara Falls. Miss Kay Whyte, Kincardine. Sgt. George Day, Hagersville. Miss Elsie Gordon, Acton. Mr. Percy Woods, Acton. Mr. and Mrs. Tony Mendell and daughter Sandra of Guelph. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelso and family, Guelph. Mr. George H. Pearen, Mrs. F. J. Hoaking and little Sheila Hoaking spent a day in Toronto last week. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Nightingale and son Len, Jr. spent Sunday at Grimby visiting Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Brooks and also taking in the scenery in the Niagara district orchard blossoms.

Mr. Joseph Moore who was in Guelph General Hospital for a short time returned home on Sunday.

NASSAGAWEYA

The Busy Bees Club quilted at the home of Mrs. C. E. Dav-erport last Thursday.

Friends of Mrs. Rachel Joyce are sorry to hear of her illness in a private nursing home in Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Kennedy, Tom and Hazel visited at the home of the latter's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill, Eramosa, on Sunday.

Tpr. Arthur Davenport and his friend, Tpr. Frank Cochran, Newmarket Training Centre spent Sunday at the home of the former's parents.

Mr. David McPhedran received word of the death of his aunt, Mrs. John Wilson, Milton. Interment was to be made at Erin Cemetery.

Mrs. Joseph Frank received flowers from her son, Sgt. Karl Frank, Italy for Mother's Day.

School children received a holiday Monday and Tuesday when their teacher, Mrs. Robert Stewart was given permission to close the school these days so she could spend them with her sister. They also have Wednesday 24th off duties.

The foliage this spring appears greener and heavier than usual.

This community is losing a family, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wardlaw and children, who have been with us over a year and who have made many friends and helped in many ways. We wish them success and happiness in their new home on a farm near Milton.

Farmers attended Mr. Chas. Morton's sale last Wednesday.

CEDARVALE

Pte. Archie Cunningham, of Ipperwash, spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Clara and Mr. Arthur Tarrwell, of Hillsburg, visited on Sunday at the home of Mrs. H. Koeler.

Mr. Fred Smith, of Cleveland, Ohio, is spending a few days at the home of Mr. Ed. Smith.

The Cedarvale Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Ed. Widdis on Wednesday, May 17th. The roll call, "What I serve to unexpected guests" was answered by the members. After the business part of the meeting the following program was given: reading, Mrs. Wm. Cox; paper, Mrs. Cunningham; instrumental, Eleanor Griffin; reading, Mrs. Henderson; hidden word contest given by Mrs. D. Hurren and Mrs. Widdis being the winner. Singing of the National Anthem brought the meeting to a close and an enjoyable social half hour was spent.

Master Gordon Delaney underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Guelph Hospital. His friends wish him a speedy recovery.

MOFFAT

The recent rains have held up many of our farmers in the work of seeding. Some on the low and flat land are pondering if we are to have a repetition of last spring.

Mrs. Charles Roberts is visiting her sister, the Misses McParlane of Guelph.

C. L. and Mrs. Poole were in Toronto for a few days as the guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Adams.

Mrs. George Amos has gone to spend some time with her son, Mr. T. C. Amos.

Murray Donaven of Windsor, Nova Scotia was home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James Henderson and Carol of Toronto spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Campbell.

The municipality has opened up a fine gravel pit on the farm of Mr. J. P. Allison and is busy raising the road through the swamp west of our village.

The return baseball match between No. 7 and No. 3 schools will be played on the grounds of the farmer on Wednesday afternoon, May 24th.

The communion service at Nassagaweya church on Sunday morning was well attended.

Moffat Community Church is planning for anniversary services to be held on Sunday June 11th.

Our school children are busy practicing for their musical festival to be held in Brookville Hall in the near future.

Miss Kay McGillivray of Hamilton spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. Clarence Easley visited at Mr. Russell Easley's over the week-end.

RECORD FLAX PRODUCTION

CANBERRA (CP)—The production of flax in Australia as a war measure has been increased from 2,000 acres in 1940 to 56,000 acres in 1943 and the objective for 1944 is 70,000 acres.

Mark Every Grave

We are carrying on business in the same location on Mill Street in Acton and can fill all orders for monuments and work on any stones in cemeteries in this district.

PROMPT ATTENTION TO ALL ORDERS

Acton Monument Works
J. NICOL, Prop.

Small Advertisements

Advertisements under this heading 25¢ each with order, up to 25 words. Additional words per line 10¢. Cash does not accompany the advertisement, minimum charge 25¢ and 50¢ per week additional for each week over.

FOR SALE
Large size Boys Wagon, like new. \$3, cost \$2. Apply
No. 2, ALICE STREET

IF BACKACHES are slowing you up, take RUMACAPS. Pains and aches are relieved after the first dose. Brown's Drug Store.

FOR SALE
Power cleaned buckwheat for sale. Apply
GORDON JOHNSTON
R. R. No. 1, Acton

LOST
Collie dog, last seen in town Sunday night. Colors black and white. License No. Esquing Township 307. Phone 32r11 Acton. J. D. BROWN

FOR SALE
Massey-Harris Cream Separator No. 7, stainless steel disc, in good condition, reasonable.
JOHN C. DENNIS
Phone 51r3, Rockwood.

FOR SALE
Jersey Springer carrying second calf. Holstein cow due in June, carrying fourth calf.
C. E. CUTTS
R. R. 4 Acton, Lot 24. Con. 3 Esquing

HELP WANTED — FEMALE
Clerk for retail store, experience not necessary. Good wages, steady employment.
Employment and Selective Service Office
File No. 315 Guelph

NOTICE

Court of Revision
TOWNSHIP OF NASSAGAWEYA

Take notice that the Court of Revision for the Township of Nassagaweya for the year 1944 will be held at the Township Hall for Nassagaweya on Monday the 5th day of June 1944, at the hour of 8:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to hear and determine all the appeals filed against the Assessment Roll for the said Township of Nassagaweya for the Year 1944.

Dated at Campbellville this 22nd day of May, 1944.

CHAS. F. NORRISH
J. Clerk, Township of Nassagaweya

UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE

CHOICE LIVE STOCK

The undersigned has received instructions from

ALEX. SHERRIFF

to sell by public auction at Lot 6, Con. 3, Township of Nelson, half mile south of Lowville, on

THURSDAY, JUNE 1st

at Two o'clock the following:

HORSES—1 Clyde Gelding, 8 years; 1 Clyde Gelding, 10 years; 1 Percheron Gelding, 3 years.

COWS—1 Reg. Ayrshire Cow, fresh, twin calves at side; 1 Reg. Dual Purpose Shorthorn Cow, fresh, bull calf at side; 1 Reg. Shorthorn Cow, fresh, heifer calf at side; 1 Jersey Cow, in full flow; 1 Ayrshire Heifer, fresh, heifer calf at side; 1 Ayrshire Heifer, fresh, heifer calf at side; 1 Ayrshire Cow, fresh, heifer calf at side; 1 Ayrshire and Durham Heifer, bred in December; 2 Steers, 1 year old; 1 Dual Purpose Bull, 2 years old, an extra good stock bull.

HOGS—1 York Sow, due June 3; 1 Reg. York Hog, 1 year, Ad. Reg. breeding; a number of York Piglets, Weaners.

TERMS—CASH

Positively No Reserve as the Proprietor is retiring his stock owing to the help situation.

J. A. ELLIOTT, Auctioneer
E. Readhead, Clerk

TENDERS FOR COAL AND COKE

Federal Buildings—Province of Ontario

SEALED Tenders addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Coal" will be received until 3 p.m. (E.D.N.T.), Wednesday, June 7, 1944, for the supply of coal and coke for the Dominion Buildings throughout the Province of Ontario.

Forms of tender with specifications and conditions attached can be obtained from the Purchasing Agent, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and the Supervising Architect, 36 Adelaide St. East, Toronto, Ont.

Tenders should be made on the forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with departmental specifications and conditions attached thereto. Coal dealers' licence numbers must be given when tendering.

The Department reserves the right to demand from any successful tenderer, before awarding the order, a security deposit in the form of a certified cheque on a chartered bank in Canada, made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent. of the amount of the tender, or Bearer Bonds of the Dominion of Canada or of the Canadian National Railway Company and its constituent companies unconditionally guaranteed as to principal, and interest by the Dominion of Canada, or the aforementioned bonds and a certified cheque, if required to make up an odd amount.

Such security will serve as a guarantee for the proper fulfilment of the contract.

By order,
J. M. SOMERVILLE, Secretary,
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, May 15, 1944 47-2B

ROYAL PALACE

GUELPH'S LEADING THEATRES

TO-DAY TIL SATURDAY
Joel McCrae in
"Buffalo Bill"
In Technicolor

MONDAY AND TUESDAY
By Special Request
"The Sullivans"
This year's Most Enjoyable Picture with an outstanding Cast of Favorites

TO-DAY AND FRIDAY
Ann Sheridan in
"Shine On Harvest Moon"

SATURDAY TO WEDNESDAY
"The Miracle of Morgan's Creek"
With Eddie Bracken
Betty Hutton



FINAL NOTICE

This is the Final Notice Regarding Overdue Accounts for Cemetery Care

We have made every effort to bring before all concerned the urgency of this matter and, although a great many have taken care of their obligation, there are still a number who have not.

We have a duty to perform and, as much as we may dislike it, we must take overdue action is necessary to bring payment of ALL overdue accounts.

We trust that all concerned will see that payment is made, or make definite arrangements on or before June 7th.

THE ACTON CEMETERY BOARD