

# NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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

## ORTON

Master Jimmie Morrison had his tonsils removed in Lord Dufferin Hospital, Orangeville last week and is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lane, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. Dickson enjoyed a week's motoring vacation last week returning home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Winters and family have returned home to Toronto after a week's vacation at the Leeson home.

Miss Perlea Roszel, Hamilton was a recent guest with her sister, Mrs. N. A. Dearing.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. N. J. Reid and family from a host of friends in this vicinity in the sudden death of Nathaniel Reid who was favorably well known in this district.

Mrs. J. Wilson (nee Sadie Edwards) of Vancouver called on friends here last week. She formerly lived in Orton, and it had been 35 years since she left for B. C. so many were the changes she noticed, also a large number of familiar faces were missing.

## CAMPBELLVILLE

Mr. J. W. Kitchen of Smith Falls is visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Menzies for a few days.

Rev. Poole of Moffat conducted the services at St. David's Presbyterian Church last Sunday.

Misses Mary and Amy Kennedy, accompanied by their brother, Mr. Angus Kennedy, left on Tuesday evening for the Pacific Coast.

Mr. Mac Easley of Contralla visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Easley last Sunday.

Rev. F. Lawson of Kitchener visited several friends in the village last week-end. Mr. Lawson is now enjoying his vacation and has just returned from Chicago where he attended a conference.

Miss Lola Stevens of Hamilton is visiting Miss Jean Snyder for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Allen of Corwin visited Mr. Allen's sister, Mrs. F. Garrett on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Weir and Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McPhail are vacationing at Boat Lake.

## NASSAGAWEYA

S. S. No. 7

Thirteen members of the Busy Bees Club attended their August meeting held in the school house. Twenty-three quilt blocks were handed in in answer to roll call. Planning of an annual sale and starting dances at Brookville again were discussed. The financial statement showed \$189.01 cleared from their garden party and the sum of \$100.00 for donations. In the correspondence, a thank you for good cheer sent was received and one from Pte. Glenn Britton, now in France, for eggs. In making donations, \$25.00 was to be sent the Salvation Army, Guelph for the British Diarists Fund; \$25.00 to the Acton and Vicinity War Service League for boys overseas; \$5.00 to the Ladies Aid of the Church and \$5.00 to the church in appreciation of the use of the church, piano, chairs etc. and garden party platform, lighting etc. Rest of the money is for packing our own boys overseas boxes of the month.

Quilt discussion then took a few minutes in which much business was done by the committee and members. The annual sale was to be held the first week in October as usual and those having aprons to be made to try and hand them in at the September meeting. A motion was passed that we start our dances at Brookville Hall. Mrs. Little offered her home for the September meeting. A few went in the morning and started the quilt, enjoying a pot-luck dinner. The quilt was finished during the afternoon and one that had been quilted by one member alone was bound.

Mrs. C. E. Davonport held a quilting last week at her home.

Marie Kennedy enjoyed a week's holidays at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Howden, Hornby last week and is enjoying the company of her cousin, Dorothy Massey, Acton this week.

Miss Dorothy Bunting, Toronto was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Freeman last week.

Herbert, 16 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dredge, St. Helena, is under the doctor's care, having been scalded about one arm, shoulder and legs. We hope he is soon well again.

Mr. Grant McMillan is in Hamilton hospital, having had the removal of an eye that was hurt in the bush accident a number of years ago. We sincerely hope Grant is soon home again and feeling better.

Mr. and Mrs. James Massey, Eileen and Dorothy were the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kennedy on Sunday.

## NASSAGAWEYA

The service last Sunday in the Ebenezer United Church was conducted by the W. M. S. with Mrs. S. Trousdale as leader and Mrs. John Little and Mrs. Frank Moore of Rockwood taking a leading part in the service. There will be no service in Ebenezer Church next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stevens of St. Louis, Montana, visited relatives and friends in Nassagaweya over the week-end.

Mrs. A. E. Wilson and daughter Miss Olga and her girl friend of Detroit, Mich., visited relatives and friends in Guelph, Acton and Nassagaweya over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Wilson of Guelph visited relatives and friends in Nassagaweya last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Coulson and family of Milton and Mrs. Wm. Morley and son Gordon of Peterborough visited with G. T. Wilson and family on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Darby and family of Knatchbull visited relatives and friends in Campbellville last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stokes and daughter, Miss Evelyn Stokes of Campbellville visited relatives at Knatchbull Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nightingale of Knatchbull received word on Sunday that her brother, Pte. Harry Blakey has been officially reported missing on active service in France. Prior to enlisting he was employed at Beardmore and Co., Acton.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Early and family of Palmerston visited with G. T. Wilson and family for a short while Monday evening.

Miss Grace Marsh of Guelph is holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Darby this week.

Mrs. Harlan Wilson received word that her brother, Tpr. James Parker has been wounded in France. They received further word that it was a shell fragment in the arm and shoulder and he was in hospital.

## ROCKWOOD

In connection with the District No. 7 Horticultural Society picnic at Riverside Park last week, a contest in arranging flowers of a variety in suitable groups, and in a way to bring out the blending and contrasting colors in the most attractive bouquets, was held, in which Leona Gibb came second in a class of seven contestants. Among those present at the gathering, was Mr. John F. Clark, of the Ontario Department of Agriculture. Mention was also made of the ornamental entrance in cement at the York Road entrance to Guelph, as one instance of beautification efforts on the part of Guelph Horticultural Society who are sponsoring the project at their own cost.

The T. I. S. class of the United Church are holding a sacred concert in the town hall next Sunday evening. Mr. Frank Gullid and local talent will be on the program.

Mrs. John A. Little and Mrs. Frank Moore were in Nassagaweya Sunday evening, assisting in a W. M. S. service.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Nightingale and family in the death of the former's nephew Bill McFarlane, who was killed on active service in France during July.

Masters Nell and Norman Lambort who were on the sick list last week are around as usual.

The many friends of Mrs. Albert Shultis will be glad to know she is able to be home after her recent illness at Guelph General Hospital. Also Mrs. Robert Johnston is laid up with her leg in a cast. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Week-end and Sunday visitors: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith and babe of Alton.

Mr. Roy Day of Toronto.

Pte. John Dones of Toronto.

Sgt. George Day of Cornwall, Ont.

Pte. Ernest Gerrie who is on active service in Newfoundland is home on furlough. Also his brother Allan, Wren Jean McLean, R. C. N., Halifax, is home on a month's furlough.

Miss Vera Thatcher is home after a course at London Normal School.

## TONS OF REPAIRS

(MURBAN (CP)—One of the biggest ship repair jobs ever done in South Africa was recently completed in the graving dock here when the hull of a 5,000-ton American merchantman was shifted back into alignment. The ship, torpedoed toward the end of last year, had half her stern blown away.

## ABNORMAL DUCKS

BRUSSELS, Ont. (CP)—No ugly duckling was ever more of a freak. Mrs. Rolly Marks of Grey Township has five two-months-old ducks, two of which have but one webbed foot each, while the other foot is unwebbed. The other three have no webbs at all, the feet resembling those of chickens. Otherwise the ducks are normal.

## BURLINGTON

A unique service was held Sunday evening at St. Luke's church. It was a memorial service to the Royal Air Force lads who were guests in Burlington homes and have since paid the supreme sacrifice while on operations.

Mr. Harr. Copeland, Freeman, has received word that his son, Major Wm. Copeland has been appointed to the rank of Lt.-Colonel overseas.

Further word has been received regarding Lt. Jack Burnet who was wounded in action in France last month. His injuries consist of wounds in the shoulder and ankle. He is confined in a military hospital where Capt. Morley Weaver, son of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Weaver, is stationed.

While he parked his pation on the shore near the Brant Inn on Monday while he took a dip in the cool waters of the lake, Lloyd Waumley, Brant Street, later discovered when he went to put the pants back on that \$15. had been taken from the pocket. —Gazette.

## OSPRINGE

The many friends of Mrs. L. Nelson former teacher here, will be sorry to learn that she received word that her husband, Sgt. Nelson of the R. C. A. F. is listed as missing.

LAC Stanley Jay of Gander, Newfoundland and his mother, Mrs. Jay of Milton visited with Mrs. E. Sunter on Sunday.

Mrs. Shirley McTavish, Mr. Aberdeen McTavish and two sons, Mr. Hagar McTavish and Mrs. Warner, all of Toronto were Sunday visitors with Mr. Duncan McTavish.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Brydon visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. McCutcheon, Erin.

Miss Marion Altken of Lakelet is holidaying with her friend, Miss Joyce Burrows.

Mrs. Wright of Elora spent a few days last week with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Benish.

Miss Marion Rennie of Hamilton is spending this week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. David Stewart.

Mr. George Anderson spent a day recently with Mr. Alvin McCutcheon, Guelph.

Friends of Miss Grace Burrows will be sorry to learn she is confined to the Guelph General Hospital for X-rays and treatment and wish for her a speedy recovery.

Of interest to his many friends here is the forthcoming marriage of Russell Struthers, second son of Mr. and Mrs. James Struthers. Russell is with the R. C. A. F. and is stationed at Winnipeg. His bride to be is a Winnipeg girl with the Women's Division of the R. C. A. F. It is expected they will come east on their honeymoon.

## LIMEHOUSE

Lantern slides on British Guiana were shown at Limehouse Presbyterian Church on Monday evening when the recently organized Mission Band was received officially as a branch of the Limehouse Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society. Margaret Spitzer, president of the Mission Band was chairman. Anna Spitzer and Nell Benton sang solos and Miss W. Ivens told an interesting story of the Adrienne Mission.

Mrs. S. Glaby read a running commentary while the slides were being shown. Afterwards a few ladies served refreshments. The articles for the Mission Band sale were on display.

The August W. M. S. meeting was held at the home of Miss Ivens on Thursday evening with fourteen ladies attending. Miss Doris Mitchell sang "Bless This House" and Mrs. Smethurst read a synopsis on the Jhans Mission. Mrs. A. Benton read a prayer for our forces followed by announcing the hymn "Eternal Father, Strong to Save." Following the Benediction, Miss Ivens served refreshments. Several articles for the sale were handed in.

Mr. Bill Murray, formerly of Meosa Creek, is visiting his uncle, Mr. W. A. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Norton and children and Mrs. Robt. Lane visited in Toronto recently.

Mrs. W. Mitchell and Miss Doris visited Mrs. T. L. Campbell in Hamilton recently.

Miss Ivens spent the week-end at Balsam Lake.

Mrs. Munnery has returned from a vacation in the north.

Mrs. E. Miller and Russell are holidaying at Wasaga Beach.

The Spitzer children from Breslau visited their cousins here recently.

Buddy Haines spent last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Scott.

Mrs. Nell Silver and Marjory, formerly of Savannah, Georgia, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. S. M. Wright, left Thursday for their new home in Detroit, Mich.

Rev. Argyle Campbell conducted services at Limehouse on Sunday in the absence of Rev. C. C. Cochrane who is on vacation. Services will be withdrawn the next two Sundays, commencing again the first Sunday in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Goddard of Toronto spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown. Master Bill Goddard has been holidaying there.

## IN CASE YOU ARE INTERESTED

HUGHES CLEAVER

The remaining arguments against Family Allowances are:

1. It favors French Canada.

This measure fixes four as a standard family in Canada and when the family is larger than four the monthly rates per child drop sharply. In a large family of 13 children, the last five children are only paid \$2 each and the next three simply \$3 each. From these figures it will be seen that the large families are not as well treated as the small families so the charge that the bill favors French Canada has no foundation.

2. The benefits will not reach the children.

Most parents love their children dearly and do without things themselves rather than have their children suffer. Provision is made in the bill that the allowances will be cut off where the money is wasted. In Ontario the payments are to be made to the mother. I do not know anyone who could be better trusted to handle this money wisely.

## ERIN

There are 23 from Erin Village serving overseas and each has been remembered with a parcel this month.

Mr. David McEnery, Mr. and Mrs. Cam. McEnery, Mr. Ernie McEnery of Ballinacraig; Miss Early of Acton, visited at the home of Mrs. Soper, on Sunday.

Kenneth McDougall with the RCAF and Mrs. McDougall are visiting with their parents here.

Mrs. R. T. Elgie, underwent an operation at Guelph General Hospital last week and is convalescing.—Advertiser.

## EVERTON

Sunday visitors at the home of Miss Margaret Sunter were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Kingsbury and daughter Donna, 6th line and Mrs. W. McKenzie and son Norman, Ospringe.

Mr. J. W. Benham, Guelph visited on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Benham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Spence, Toronto spent Saturday at the home of Mr. T. D. McCutcheon and Mrs. Harvey Joslin.

Mr. Ben Simons and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sunter attended the funeral of the latter's father on Sunday, Mr. Andrew Riddell of Holstein who was drowned last Thursday at Streetsville.

Mr. Lloyd Robertson of Guelph spent the week-end with his mother Mrs. G. G. Robertson.

Mrs. E. Shepherdson is visiting her daughters in Toronto and Lindsay.

Mr. Hugh Black, Miss Lola Black and Mrs. Sunter spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert McWilliams and family, Pualloch.

Mr. Colin Parker spent the week-end in Galt at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Alexander, 5th line, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. Hamilton.

Misses Glenn, Marie and Eileen Parker of Acton are holidaying with her grandmother, Mrs. D. H. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Retz and son Kenneth, Limehouse visited with Mr. and Mrs. Beverley Hepburn over the week-end and spent Sunday in Guelph.

## BALLINAFAD

Pte. Ray Swindlehurst of Halifax has been spending a two weeks leave with his mother.

Mr. Seale has recently bought the property on the 7th line, owned by Mr. Wm. Swindlehurst.

The Women's Association held their August meeting at the home of Mrs. Jessie McEnery on Tuesday, August 15th.

Pte. Lloyd McEnery of Vancouver is on furlough at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Webb and two daughters of Pickering spent the week-end with Mrs. Webb's mother, Mrs. Swindlehurst.

The Mission Circle met at the home of Lillian Shortill on Friday night.

Mrs. E. Anderson, who has been in Toronto hospital has returned home. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Annie Vannator of Georgetown spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kirkwood.

## GEORGETOWN

Captain Lynne A. Wilson RCASC, attached to a Canadian armoured division, has been wounded in the arm in France, on July 24, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Wilson of 87 McTear Drive, Leaside. The Wilson family are former residents of Georgetown.

Official notice has been received by his mother, Mrs. J. M. Skelton, that her youngest son, P/O William Hugh Skelton (BIB), lost his life during flying operations on July 27 at Orléans Park, Shropshire, England, where he was training as a fighter pilot. The aircraft of which he was the sole occupant, collided in mid-air with another aircraft.

Word has been received by his mother of the death in France on July 21st, of Lt. Clarence Franklin Thompson, who was fighting with the Sherbrooke Fusiliers Armoured Regt.

An entertainment of unusual interest was held last Thursday evening on the spacious grounds of Cedarvale School, when the Boys' Band under the direction of Mr. Carter rendered a program of music. The program was a splendid demonstration of Mr. Carter's training and each number showed the future possibilities of the boys.—Herald.

## "John Stirling"

A MOVING PICTURE WITH SOUND EQUIPMENT

In the United Church Acton Sunday August 20th at 8.30p.m.

"John Stirling" is a story about a student missionary's tribulations and joys, picturing the need for individual responsibility and resourcefulness. Rev. A. C. Moorhouse, B. A., B. D., wrote the scenario, based on a story by the Canadian author, Marion Keith, and also served as camera-man, sound man, wardrobe manager and general handy-man. All the scenes depicted were filmed in the vicinity of Arkona, and all roles were filled by 69 amateurs of the town. Two years were required in production.

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**ROOMS FOR RENT**  
Two or three rooms for rent. Adults only. Apply THOS. RUMLEY, Park Avenue.

**WANTED**  
Part time help with house work and care of children. Will supply self-contained separate apartment in exchange. BOX 4, Free Press.

**FOR SALE**  
For sale, a small porch in good condition can be moved. Also Plot No. 4 heater in good condition, coal or wood. Apply BOX 6, FREE PRESS 7-2.

**WANT**  
From up at Matt. Job's a steer, 2 1/2 years old, white and blue in color, horns on and punch mark in right ear. CLARE ROBERTSON, Phone 15423, Milton.

**FOR SALE**  
A limited quantity of clover honey. We will be able to supply you commencing Friday evening, August 18. Two pounds of honey for each preserve coupon. H. DODDS, Acton.

**WANT**  
On Monday, August 14th, from County truck on Speyside road, pneumatic clay up and air hose. Howard. Finder please communicate with

**COUNTY ENGINEER**  
Court House, Milton

**WANTED**  
Housekeeper, whole or part time. If separate living quarters desired, can supply suitable accommodation for three or four. BOX 5, Free Press.

**NOTICE**  
All tenants wishing to enter the soft ball tournament in the Lorne Scots Innhouse at Georgetown on Labor Day are urged to do so. Entries should be sent to C. S. M. Curney, W. Georgetown Armorial.

**NOTICE**  
From No. 7 Highway, near the farm of Mr. James Mann, on Sunday afternoon, August 13th, one C.C.M. Crescent Bicycle, color Red, Serial No. 2-A-3821, License Plate No. 555 Niagara Falls, 1944. Black Leather Kit Bag. One Big and Two Small Reflectors on back, Rubber Pedals. A man said to be of heavy build and about 40 years of age was seen riding the bicycle towards Acton. He was wearing overalls and may be a farm hand. Will anyone hearing anything of this machine kindly communicate with

Chief of Police E. E. HARROP, or Provincial Officer RAY MASON, Acton

**CLEARING AUCTION SALE**  
IN TRAFALGAR TOWNSHIP  
OF LIVESTOCK, FARM IMPLEMENTS, HAY AND GRAIN

The undersigned has received instructions from:  
**HERB. T. NORRIS**  
To sell by public auction at Lot 13, Con. 10, 9th Line, N. S., Twp. of Trafalgar, on:

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 25, 1944**  
At 2 o'clock the following:

HORSES—1 Clyde Mare, 10 years; 1 Percheron Gelding, 10 years; 1 Percheron Mare, aged.

COWS—1 Brindle Cow, milking bred May 5; 1 Black Cow, milking bred June 15; 1 Red Cow, in full flow, not bred; 1 Black Cow, fresh 4 weeks; 1 Black Cow, milking, bred June 8; 1 Black Cow, milking, not bred, fat.

YOUNG CATTLE—2 Baby Beefs; 1 Veal Calf.

POULTRY—150 White Leghorn, 1 year old Hens; 125 White Jersey Giant Pullets, laying; 125 Hybrids (Rock and New Hampshire) Pullets, laying.

HAY AND GRAIN—40 Ton Mixed Hay, Timothy and Lucerne; 200 Bus. Barley; 400 Bus. Oats.

IMPLEMENTS—Deering Grain Blinder, 6 ft.; Deering Mower, 6 ft.; Deering Reaper; Deering Manure Spreader; McD. Fertilizer Grain Drill, 15-disc, new; Deering Hay Rake; McD. Drag Cultivator, 2 section; McD. Culti-racker; Seed Harrows, 3 section; Single Furrowed Riding Plow; Oliver Gang Plow, Oliver Walking Plow; Set of Sloop Sleigh; Wagon and Flat Hay Rack; Fanning Mill; Fences with clover screens; Good Grain Treater; Root Pulper; 3 H. P. Gas Engine, F. and M.; 6 H. P. Gas Engine, Int.; Pump Jack; Grain Chopper, 6 and a half inch plate; Renfrew Scales, new; De Laval Cream Separator; Draw Rope for Sling; 1 inch, new; Sling Rope; Reamy Car and Pulleys; Set of Double Blocks and 75 feet of Chain; Electric Fence; Insulators and Wire; Set of Pole Climbers and Bell, new; Loading Chute on Wheels; Snow Plow; Ditcher; Rotary Pump, new; No. of Bags; Set of Double Harness; Odd Collars; Cook Stove, Coal or Wood; Forks, Hoes, Shovels, etc.

Positively no reserve as the proprietor, owing to ill health, has sold his farm and is giving up possession immediately.

TERMS—Cash settlement day of sale.  
J. A. ELLIOTT, Auctioneer,  
J. F. Robinson, Clerk