

THURSDAY, MAY 24th, 1945

Personals

Dr. McNiven of Toronto was in town on Monday. Mrs. Ames Mason was in Toronto for a few days this week. Miss Helen Malnprise of Guelph was home for the week-end. Mr. John Kenney, of Guelph called on Acton friends yesterday. Mr. Geo. Murray was home from Toronto last week on holidays. Mr. and Mrs. James Easterbrook of Toronto were in town on Monday. Miss Jean Sanderson of Toronto spent the week with Lena Perryman. Miss Ruby Clark of Toronto spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gould. Lieut. Nursing Sister Nora Kenney spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Kenney. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Symon of Toronto visited with his mother, Mrs. Jas. Symon on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reeve and son Billy of Streetville visited on Sunday with Mrs. Nelson F. Mjore. Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hall of Wingham spent the week-end at the home of his mother, Mrs. W. J. Hall. LAC. Bert Allen, who has been stationed at Patricia Bay, B.C., has been discharged and has returned home. Mrs. Oliver Shaw of Stratford and Miss Marion McLean of Guelph visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Shaw. Mr. Bill Wilson and Miss Swindell, of Guelph, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hall of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Perryman. Miss Hazel Wilson, R.N., and Mrs. Colcott, of Sarnia General Hospital, were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilson. Miss Helen McEachern, nurse-in-training at Women's College Hospital, Toronto visited with her sister, Mrs. J. Smethurst in Sudbury last week. Friends will regret to learn that Reeve Wesley Murray of Esopus Township is in Guelph General Hospital and will wish him a prompt recovery. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wansborough, Robble, Carol and Bonnie and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McKay all of Toronto visited Mrs. R. H. Wansborough on Saturday. Mrs. Wm. Thompson of Owen Sound is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McArthur and attended the funeral of her aunt, the late Miss Minnie Nelson in Guelph on Monday.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Bohler announce the engagement of their daughter, Shirley Marguerite, to Pte. Bradford Donald Laing, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Laing, Rockwood, the marriage to take place in June.

TERRA COTTA

Miss Pearl Kennedy of Georgetown, who is leaving this community, was presented with a well-filled purse by her Sunday School class and friends at the United Church on Sunday. Miss Shirley McNally read the address and the gift was presented by John McNally. Mr. Jas. Mackie has arrived home from Christie Street Hospital at Toronto much improved in health. Norman Leam is on the sick list. We hope to soon hear of his complete recovery. Miss Laughlin of Toronto spent the week-end at her home. Mr. W. J. Rutledge has the electric lights installed. Miss Annie Puckering of Toronto spent the week-end with her mother Mrs. R. Puckering. The Misses Wrights of Toronto spent the week-end at their home here. We are pleased to learn that Mr. J. Hayes is improving in health.

GEORGETOWN

A happy family reunion took place on Monday when Mrs. Schrag and Patsy greeted Carl, Lex, Schrag on his arrival home after three and a half years overseas. Reassuring word came to Mrs. Geo. Greensward (nee Evelyn Sanderson), last Thursday, when she received a telegram from her husband, Pte. Geo. Greensward, telling her that he had been liberated from a German prisoner-of-war camp and had been repatriated to England. The housing shortage in Georgetown was a topic of discussion at the Council meeting held last Thursday in the Municipal Building. Mayor Cleave had obtained preliminary information about a Government housing scheme whereby a block of 40 to 50 houses could be erected at government cost with the town supplying the land.—Herald.

Church News

United Church of Canada Acton, Ontario "The Friendly Church" REV. A. WALLACE FORBURY, R.A., M.D., Minister Parsonage—Lower Avenue SUNDAY, MAY 27, 1945 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship. The Minister in Charge. 12:15 p.m.—Church School. 7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship. Service in Charge of the Mid-week Service Group. "Come Before His Presence with Thanksgiving" Everybody Welcome Presbyterian Church in Canada KNOX CHURCH, ACTON REV. FORBES THOMSON, B.A., M.D., Minister Manse—Willow Street SUNDAY, MAY 27, 1945 10:00 a.m.—The Sunday School and the Junior Bible Class. 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship. "He Looked for a City" 7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship. "The Platform of the Christian Church." Sunday June 3rd—The 100th Anniversary of the founding of Knox Church will be celebrated with special services at 11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Guest minister, Prof. D. W. Hay, M.A., of Knox College; soloists Mrs. D. W. Gowdy and Mr. Cecil Lyness. "They That Wait Upon the Lord Shall Renew Their Strength" Baptist Church ACTON REV. W. H. WALLACE, Pastor SUNDAY, MAY 27, 1945 11:00 a.m.—Morning Service. 12:15 p.m.—Sunday School. 7:00 p.m.—Evening Service. Church of St. Alban the Martyr SUNDAY, MAY 27, 1945 Trinity Sunday 10:00 a.m. Church School Classes for beginners, primary and Junior pupils. Senior class closed until fall. 11:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist and Sermon: "The Trinity and Experience" 7:00 p.m. Evensong and Sermon: "The Trinity and Democracy" The Confirmation Class will meet after the evening service. The Confirmation Class will meet after the evening service. Liberal Committee Room NOW OPEN At Residence of Mrs. W. G. Cullen Mill Street, Acton For information regarding Voters List and Polling Arrangements Call No. 85. If you can help in either Provincial or Dominion Elections please report at the Committee Rooms.

The LETTER BOX

Germany, May 6th, 1945 Hello Mr. Dilla, I have just received another copy of the Free Press and was very glad to get it. I have been going to write to you for quite awhile and ask you, through your paper, to thank Beardmore & Co. and the War Service League for the parcels, cigarettes and papers that I am still receiving just like I have always done in the past few years. In your last few editions I noticed that quite a few of them have brought back English wives with them. When we all get home, which will be soon now that the war is "Kaput" it will be just like coming to an English town but I'm afraid we'll miss the old pint of bitter. I see "Cookie" is having an argument with the boys of his unit about the hockey. Well I hope you will be able to settle his argument for him and put the Woodstock and Owen Sound boys in their places. We are sure having some very poor weather here lately. For the last eight days it's been raining but I'm not beefing too much because I'm just waiting for the army to tell me to pack up and I'm hoping it will be soon. Well Mr. Dilla, that's about all for now. The dinner whistle is blowing and that's one parade you cannot afford to miss, at least not in Germany. Cheerio and thanks once again for the cigarettes and parcels from the people from home. Yours truly, Charles Tyler

MILTON

The Model Knitting Mills, set a precedent in Milton when Sam Smith, proprietor, tendered a banquet to his employees last Friday night, to rejoice in the European victory and to celebrate the factory's attainment of their victory loan objective. Nearly 300 people, Victory Loan officials, Mayor Geo. H. Dawson, members of the Town Council, municipal officials and their wives, employees and 30 officials from the Toronto plant attended the festivities, program and dance. Milton and District not only met their objective of \$360,000 in the Eighth Victory Loan Campaign, but exceeded it by nearly 50%. At the time of going to press, bonds to the value of \$525,000 had been purchased by residents of Milton and district. Altogether 1019 individuals of this district subscribed to the largest loan ever raised in this district. Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith, Court Street, have received a cable from their son Arthur, telling of his safe arrival in England on May 8th. He had been a prisoner of war since March 28th-1941, at a camp for Naval and Merchant Seamen, near Bremen, in north Germany and was freed by the British 2nd Army on April 28th. The May meeting of Hornby Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. S. Learmont on Wednesday May 9th. The topic for the day was "Agriculture" and the roll call was answered by naming a country and one of its agricultural products. The Red Cross secretary, Mrs. A. King, gave the financial report. Total receipts for the year being \$1,075.15. Canadian Champion.



HUGHES CLEAVER Liberal Federal Candidate for Halton County To the Electors of Halton County: As there are only three issues of the weekly press between now and election day, I will endeavor to cover as fully as I can the platform of the Liberal Party in three letters, dealing this week with agriculture, next week with labour and in the final week with health, Family Allowances, Unemployment Insurance and other social security measures. I should at once state that the Liberal Party makes no special appeal to any group or class in Canada. We believe that Canada can only be prosperous if all of the three main groups, namely agriculture, labor and capital are fairly treated and are prosperous. The Liberal Party favors no one class, but on the contrary seeks the prosperity of all three classes. We seek the support of men of good will in all three groups. As to agriculture no one can deny the fact that this industry is not as prosperous as it should be. It is true that agricultural income has advanced sharply during the last few years, but here are the facts: 30% of our people are engaged in agriculture. If this industry were fairly treated, it would be receiving approximately 30% of the national income. During the fifteen years prior to the war, agriculture received on the average less than 15% of the national income, which is barely half of what it should have received. As a result we have depressed agriculture. I can take you to any township in this county and you can buy any farm with a good set of buildings on it for less than what it would cost you to build the buildings. Is any further proof required of the depressed condition of agriculture? While it is true that in some instances farmers are themselves to blame through being inefficient farmers, yet these exceptions do not prove anything. Our task is to see that in the overall picture agriculture receives its fair share of the national income. Our farmers produce quite large surpluses of food stuffs which are valueless unless marketed abroad. The Liberal Party has always encouraged foreign trade and this is why our farmers have been more prosperous under Liberal governments than under high tariff governments, but from the experience which I have gained through ten years of service as your Member, I firmly believe that foreign trade is not enough. I believe that all Canadian food products which we sell abroad should be finished products. For example we should sell bacon to Britain, instead of grain to Denmark to produce bacon in Denmark for the British market. The present Liberal policy is that by maintaining floor prices for staple farm products, by taking the tariff off farm implements, by making proper credit facilities available for farmers through amendments which have been made to the Bank Act and by trade agreements, we will restore agriculture to her proper place in our economic life. All of these provisions will be of a very material assistance, but personally I have some doubts as to whether these provisions will yield the full results which are desired. I believe it may be necessary to subsidize labor of agriculture to the same extent that we subsidize the labor of industry through tariffs. Only the future will tell whether I am right or wrong, but we do know that if agriculture is prosperous this industry alone will employ a half a million more men than it today employs on farms. Our Prime Minister, in his recent answers to questions published in Maclean's Magazine, stated very clearly that the Liberal Party is pledged to a policy which will assure to agriculture its proper share of the national income. In closing I would like to emphasize the fact that there is one thing which farmers can do for themselves, I refer to organization. Agriculture should be fully organized in order that the industry may be properly directed as to what products it should produce and in what quantities and in order that the industry may be able to intelligently convey to the government in office the needs and problems of the industry. Yours sincerely, HUGHES CLEAVER

Blood Donors Clinic Wednesday May 30

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PUBLIC MEETING Tuesday night at ACTON THEATRE MAY 29th, 8:15 p.m. SPEAKERS

Bert Leavens M.P.P. General Secretary Ontario C. C. F.

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CCF BROADCASTS

Thursday, May 24 CBL-8:00-8:30 p.m., E. B. Jolliffe, Leader Ontario C. C. F. Thursday, May 24-CKEY-8:45-9:00 p.m., Servicemen, Navy, Army, Airforce. Friday, May 25-CBL-4:00-4:15 p.m., Mrs. Strum. Friday, May 25th-CKEY-9:15-9:20 p.m., "A farmer-worker speaks" Monday, May 28th-CFRB-7:45-8:00 p.m., Ft. Lieut. Leslie Wismer, M. P. P. Monday, May 28th-CHML-8:30-8:40 p.m., Jim Gibson, farmer. Monday, May 28th-CKEY-9:30-9:45 p.m., Agnes McPhail, M. P. P. Tuesday, May 29th-CBL-8:30-8:45 p.m., Premier T. C. Douglas, of Saskatchewan. Tuesday, May 29th-CKEY-9:15-9:20 p.m., Mrs. Fraser Speaks on Housing. Wednesday, May 30th-CBL-10:30-11:00 p.m., E. B. Jolliffe. Thursday, May 31st-CBL-4:00-4:15 p.m., M. J. Caldwell, National C. C. F. Leader. Thursday, May 31st-CKEY-10:15-10:30 p.m., David Lewis, National Secretary C. C. F. KEEP THIS SCHEDULE FOR REFERENCE

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