

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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

BALLINAFADY

Mrs. F. J. Shortill is in Toronto General Hospital having undergone an operation. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. David McEneaney is confined to bed. We trust it won't be too long before he is out again.

Mr. Lloyd Swindlehurst has rented Mr. A. E. Perryman's farm and has taken possession.

The Farm Forum met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Marshall. After listening to the broadcast on "What about export markets?", interesting discussions followed on the two main questions, (1) Canada's resources and climate are such that a large volume of export trade is necessary to maintain a high standard of living; (2) prices of farm produce on the export market have often been lower than the cost of production in Canada. Mr. Grenfell Wright, acting as convener, Mr. Morgan Madill and Mrs. Elwood Snow had charge of the recreation which was followed by lunch.

A very successful bee was held in Mr. F. W. Shortill's bush cutting wood for the church.

TERRA COTTA

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ellwood and family of Toronto have moved into their old home here.

Mr. J. F. Rutledge, we understand, expects to move up to his new farm that he recently purchased, better known as the Roger's Homestead on the 10th line.

Auction sales seem to be the general order of the day at present.

Mr. J. W. Rutledge is having his residence, formerly owned by Mr. Jas. Mackie, wired for the installation of the byrds.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lyons, who have been visiting with friends here, have returned to their home in the west and report having had a very pleasant trip.

Miss Mary Lyons, who also came over from the west returned home by plane and reports making the trip in eight hours.

Miss L. Laughton of Toronto spent the week-end at her new home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hogg of Toronto spent the week-end at their summer cottage here on the town line.

Mr. J. Edge has commenced work in opening his quarry here on the town line.

NASSAGAWEYA

The sympathy of this community goes out to Mr. George T. Hampson and family of Guelph, in their bereavement, through the death of the wife and mother of the home.

Owing to the heavy snow storm and blocked roads on Tuesday, the auction sale of Mr. Charles Ryder was postponed until Saturday last.

With the flu colds in many homes in this district, the schools and churches have had small attendances this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Wilson and Mr. Ernest Wilson of Acton visited relatives and friends at Knatchbull on Sunday last.

There was a small gathering of the Bloombury Farm Forum group at the school on Monday evening.

Mrs. Arthur Nightingale and son Bert of Orangeville were guests at the Roberts-Webber nuptials in St. Nicholas Anglican Church, Lakeview on February 11th.

Mr. Bert Nightingale of Orangeville spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nightingale.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cargill and sons Bruce and Brian spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nightingale.

The Women's Association and W. M. S. of Ebenezer United Church held their monthly meeting on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Elias Easterbrook.

A meeting in connection with the World's Day of Prayer will be held in the Ebenezer United Church on Friday, March 8th, for this community.

The Heather Mission Band of Ebenezer United Church held their regular monthly meeting in the basement of the church last Sunday morning under the leadership of Mrs. Harry Fatt.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Boles and daughter of Guelph visited relatives and friends in Nassagaweya last Sunday.

Mr. Charles Ryder held a successful auction sale of farm stock and implements and household goods last Saturday. There was a large crowd and bidding was brisk and good prices were realized.

There have been a few farmers making maple syrup during this mild spell. The sap was running good.

There was quite a large attendance at the Bloombury Farm Forum meeting held in the school on Monday evening.

The farmers of this district are getting their supply of wood cut for next summer and winter before spring work starts.

OSPRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Smith and family moved on Friday to their new home, recently the "Duffield Farm" on the Rockwood line.

Miss Blanche McKinnon was guest soloist at the Bradley-Young wedding, at Knox Church, Acton on Wednesday evening.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. James Struthers was the scene of a happy gathering on Sunday when they entertained the members of their family. It being the first family gathering since the return of their two sons, Russell and Pat, from the service.

Guests included Miss Mary Struthers, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. William Struthers, Acton, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Struthers and Terry Preston, Miss Helen Aitken, Georgetown and Pat Struthers.

Several from here attended the funeral on Saturday of the late Miss Marjorie Reed at Exeter.

Friends of Mr. Josiah Stewart and Mr. David Stewart will be sorry to learn they are both ill and confined to the house.

Only a fair turn-out attended the moving pictures at the school on Monday evening presented by the National Film Board.

Mr. George Pearen and daughter, Mrs. Edna Hosking of Rockwood visited on Monday with Mr. John Aitken.

GEORGETOWN

"Mack's Park," Belfountain summer home of the late C. W. Mack has been sold and purchasers are planning to establish a summer hotel and winter mesita in the Peel County beauty spot familiar to many Georgetowners.

Miss Beatrice Patricia Joan Browne and Mr. George Carter were married Saturday, February 23rd, in St. Paul's Anglican Church, Noxall, by the Rev. Mr. Hugh Pink, Rector.

Two brothers who have served for several years overseas returned to Canada together last week in the persons of Cpl. T. S. "Nick" Brown and Pte. Herbert H. Brown.

Last of four children of Mr. and Mrs. William Schenk of the Glen return from service overseas, Lieut. Bertha Schenk came home last week on the Queen Elizabeth.

The banquet room in the Oddfellow's Hall was nicely decorated with a big "Welcome Home" flag and red, white and blue streamers on Saturday night as the Coating Mill banqueted employees recently returned from the Armed Services and their wives and sweethearts.

Probably for the first time in the past twenty years, a Georgetown Intermediate team eliminated the Acton team, their closest rivals in the sectional play-offs of Group 5 O.H.A. Herald.

NASSAGAWEYA S. S. No. 7

No. 7 Farm Forum group on February 25th met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frank. Between 27 and 30 attended this meeting. After listening to radio broadcast discussions until eleven, euchre was then enjoyed and a lovely lunch and cup of tea was served by the hostess.

On Friday, February 22nd, the Busy Bees held a progressive euchre in No. 7 school. Those winning prizes were: gents Ist, Mr. D. McPhedran, ladies Ist, Mrs. W. Britton, Acton; Ist, Mrs. W. Kennedy. Lunch was served and a social time spent.

Mrs. W. Kennedy held a Busy Bee quilting last Wednesday.

Mr. Stan Robinson was under the doctor's care last week, suffering from infection. We are pleased to report he is able to be about again.

Miss Lorna Frank, Acton was home with an attack of flu.

Mrs. Paul, teacher of No. 7 and who motors from her home in Acton each day missed her first day last Wednesday because of blocked roads. Snow ploughs had all roads cleared for Mr. Howard's sale on the former Finney farm last Wednesday. We hear there were few attending.

Mr. John M. Wilson has sold his farm, lot 13, con. 5, to his son-in-law, Mr. Christian Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Frank are planning to move to their new home this month. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson are moving to the home of their son, Mr. John W. Wilson.

Crows have been heard by several on the warmer, sunny days since the snow-storm. Maple syrup makers are preparing for the day of tapping.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Davenport and Martin spent Sunday, February 24th with their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cole, Guelph on the occasion of their 5th wedding anniversary.

Miss Pearl Kennedy of Milton spent Sunday at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Frank report their brother, Mr. Wm. Frank, Acton who has been in Guelph hospital for many weeks is resting more comfortably and is much brighter. We are pleased to hear this.

OAKVILLE

The new Legion Hall was filled to overflowing on Sunday afternoon for the dedication and memorial service, conducted by the padre, Col. the Rev. C. K. Nicol.

The Rotary Club of Oakville celebrated the 41st anniversary of the founding of the International Rotary organization at the Club's regular meeting in the Oakville Inn, on Monday.

A large number of citizens joined with the Scouts, Hovers, Cubs, Girl Guides and Brownies in a Memorial Service for Lt. Hon. Lord Baden-Powell, held in St. John's United Church on Sunday afternoon.

Marked progress was evidenced by the reports presented at the annual congregational meeting of St. John's United Church, held in Lusk Hall on Tuesday evening.

The quick action of Chief John D. Berry resulted in the arrest of three Oakville youths, ranging from 15 to 18 years of age, responsible for a series of break-ins that had taken place in town during the last few weeks.

The marriage of Helen Julia Borson, daughter of Mrs. Mary Borson and the late James Borson, Bronte, Ont., to Mr. Arthur John Henry Ribble, took place in the home of the bride, on Feb. 22nd, with Rev. Simon Edwards officiating. Record-Star.

ORTON

Mrs. John Hurst attended the funeral of her great uncle, the late Mr. Stockdale in London last week.

Mr. George Rozel, Acton visited relatives here over last week-end.

Mr. Albert Rozel attended the funeral on Saturday in Toronto of the late Charlie Cantelon, whose death occurred very suddenly last Wednesday.

Mr. Herb Howlett is holding a clearing auction sale and for the present, he and Mrs. Howlett and family are moving into the house occupied by their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Crowder, up the 12th line of Gara.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Reed visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Piercey near Elora last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansley Gregson and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gregson and Miss Archie Gregson Sunday.

Messrs. Jack and Clarence Dearing are holidaying with relatives at London and Detroit.

Sunday visitors at Wm. Ballentine's were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hewitt, Joan and Billie, Ferguson, Mrs. N. J. Reed, Clifford and Murray, Rockwood and Kenneth Ballentine, Brampton.

Mimosa Farm Forum met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jessop last week. After discussion, progressive euchre was played with Mrs. C. Bacon and Ed. Cox as high scorers.

Mr. John Bacon, who suffered a paralytic stroke at his home near Ert in last week is convalescing at the home of his son, Clayton, Mimosa.

The National Film Board presented "Guest of Honor," "Child Welfare in Sweden," "Kitchen Come True" and "Adventures of Bunny Rabbit" in Orton Public School Monday afternoon. These pictures are well worth the patients' time to come out and enjoy them with their children.

ROCKWOOD

The sympathy of the community is extended to the families of Mr. George Cook, who passed away Saturday at his home on Main Street as a result of a stroke which he suffered some weeks ago. Besides his wife, who mourns his loss, he leaves two daughters, Mrs. Frank Morrison and Mrs. Verne T. Smith with whom he made his home, and a son, Ralph Cook of Erinova.

Funeral took place Tuesday with service at Acton in the Johnstone and Bunby Funeral Home and interment in Rockwood Cemetery.

Also to Mr. L. K. Fox, who is believed through the death of his wife at Guelph General Hospital on Saturday. One daughter also mourns the loss of her mother, Mrs. Harry Huxley of London, Ont., and a son, Stuart at home. The late Mrs. Fox has been ailing for some years and death was a welcome release from her suffering. Funeral was Tuesday at her late home with interment in Rockwood Cemetery.

Sheila Hosking was able to return home last week from Guelph General Hospital. Mrs. Wilcox, who was also in the hospital at Guelph, is also home.

A number of our townfolks are suffering from effects of gripple and flu including Rev. J. Ward.

Mrs. J. Ayles is able to be up and around town.

Mrs. McNeil is also home from the hospital where she had been confined for treatment. Mr. Roland Ramshaw of Detroit was home during her illness.

Recent and week-end visitors: Miss Edith Royce, R.N., of Toronto, Miss Pearl Hamilton, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. J. Glendinning, Acton, Miss Leovona Richardson and friend of Kitchener.

Mr. Stewart S. Royce is in Toronto attending the Hydro convention.

LIMEHOUSE

Mrs. Leslie Campbell of Hamilton visited the Norton's on Sunday.

Mr. Alex. Wright was home from Toronto during the week-end.

We are pleased to report Mr. Jas. Noble home again and progressing quite favorably following his operation.

The Tuesday afternoon euchre was held at Mrs. Roughley's last week. The Mission Band meeting was held at Mrs. Gishby's on Sunday evening.

So far as we have heard, Mrs. John Newton saw our first robin on Monday morning, March 4th.

CAMPBELLVILLE

The Grace Mission Band held their March meeting at the home of Ruth Roberts. The vice-president, Norma Brown, presided. The scripture lesson was read by Gertrude Campbell and prayer offered by Marina Hood. Ann Parker gave a recitation, "Just May" by Norma Brown and Bobby Lusk each played piano solos. Miss McPhee read a story "Dry Season Plans" from the study book. Mrs. Menzies read a short chapter from "Church Bells Calling." The roll call was answered by "Something to be Thankful For." The meeting was closed with prayer by Joan King. The girls sewed quilt blocks for a short time. Mrs. Roberts served a lovely lunch which was enjoyed by all.

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