

# NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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

## ROCKWOOD

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Wm. McCutcheon and members of family in the death of Mr. McCutcheon at his home in Acton last week. Previous to removal from Rockwood, where he was well known, he had resided in Acton. The funeral was held last Thursday with service in Johnstone and Rumley Funeral Home and Rev. Forbes Thompson in charge. Interment took place in Rockwood Cemetery. Besides Mrs. McCutcheon and two daughters (Elva), Mrs. R. Patterson and (Bertha), Mrs. Gray of Toronto, who mourn his loss, two brothers-in-law, Mr. Howard Osburn of Guelph and Fred of Vergara also survive.

Under the auspices of the Guelph Branch Christian Business Men's Committee International, an inspiring meeting was held in the Town Hall last Wednesday evening. Mr. McAllister had charge of the program. Several of the group who were present spoke briefly. In addition to community singing, Mr. Cecil Lyness contributed a few vocal numbers. A couple of piano duets were also enjoyed. Mr. Frank Guthrie delivered an earnest address.

Services at St. John's Church were well attended Sunday morning. Holy Communion was observed with the Rector officiating.

Following the past week's cold winds, the week-end mild weather was very welcome. Another drop in temperature Monday made fires very welcome.

Congratulations to Mrs. W. Gardner on the occasion of her 83rd birthday last week. She spent the day in Hamilton with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Day. Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Thomas were also present for the occasion.

Rev. and Mrs. R. M. Geiger of Paris were visitors in town Monday. Their son Gordon accompanied them here and will remain for the summer with Mr. Lloyd Thomas.

Mr. Ross Carlton left last Friday evening for Port Arthur district where he will be in the Fire Rangers office for the summer months.

## NASSAGAWEYA S. S. No. 7

Doreen Job has had her tonsils removed in Toronto Hospital. We hope she is feeling much better by now.

Mary Freeman, who was recuperating from having her tonsils and adenoids removed in Milton Hospital, has contracted measles. We wish her a speedy recovery.

A fair crowd attended the sale of farm implements and stock of Mr. Keith Budd last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. McLean and their son Laughlin, formerly of Toronto, have already moved to this farm, their new home. This section was well represented at Brookville Hall to hear the Eckhart Brothers Bellringers sponsored by the W. I. last Monday evening.

Mrs. Joseph Frank held a Busy Bee quilting last Tuesday.

Mrs. Margaret Robinson, Ancaster spent Friday at the home of her son Mr. and Mrs. Stan Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heatley and El-Inor, Guelph called on a number of their former neighbors last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Scott and baby Diane, Toronto were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Martin. Mrs. Vera Harris, Acton was also a guest in this home Sunday.

We hear that having nine grandparents is unusual. We happen to know that little Mary Freeman, who is six years old, had nine grandparents until she was two years old. They were: the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Freeman, Hamilton; the late Mr. John Marshall and Mrs. Marshall of Nassagaweya; Mrs. Katherine Anderson, Nassagaweya; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Anderson. Mary is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Freeman of this section.

Mrs. Walter Freeman received word yesterday that her grandmother, Mrs. Catherine Freeman, who has been staying at the home of Mrs. Hathaway, Moffat, has suffered a stroke. We are sorry to hear of her illness and hope she is soon better.

Wednesday evening a surprise party planned by Mr. Leonard and Miss Doris Cox for their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Cox on the occasion of their 29th wedding anniversary came off perfectly. The arrival of the guests was surprise number one. That everything was planned and prepared was surprise number two. The presentation of a lovely floor lamp from Leonard and Doris was number three. A few small gifts from guests that were hidden under the chest-of-drawers were number four and when lunch appeared to be over and a lovely decorated fruit cake was placed before the bride on the high cake stand that held their cake 29 years ago made surprise number five. Euclyre was enjoyed during the evening. Good byes were said amidst much joking over all the surprises and wishing of many more years of happiness to the host and hostess.

## CEDARVALE

Mr. and Mrs. E. Widits and Wilbert have moved to their new home near Hillsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. McArthur of Rockwood visited with Mrs. Angus McArthur.

Miss Adeline Cunningham of Acton sent Sunday at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Suter and family and Mr. O. Mulder have moved to their new homes at Limehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lawr and family of Georgetown visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Griffin.

Mrs. Gordon, Margaret, Doris and Mr. Wes Nelson visited with friends here.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Kesler and Mary to our community.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hurt of Hillsburg and Miss Grace Hurt of Toronto visited with Mr. and Mrs. James Delaney on Sunday.

## LIMEHOUSE

Mr. George Kay of Bracebridge, who was visiting his nephew, Mr. Earnest Kay had the misfortune to fall down stairs last week breaking a thigh bone just below the hip joint. We hope he may have a complete recovery in spite of his 70 years.

The Hillsburg Y. P. S. put on their 3-act play "Aunt Bessie Beats the Band" in the Hall here on Wednesday evening under the auspices of the W. I. Although the crowd was small those present were pleased with the performance. Mr. and Mrs. Ernie McEnery and Mr. Lloyd Swindelhurst rendered musical numbers between acts. The young artists were entertained at the home of Mrs. W. Mitchell and Mrs. Sanford afterwards.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Mulder and family to the village. They have purchased Mr. W. A. Lane's house.

The W. I. party held in the Limehouse Memorial Hall on Friday evening was well attended. Prizes at each table went to Mrs. Schneider and Mr. Jos. McDonald, congratulations going to Miss Isabel Moore and Mr. Ken McDonald. Mr. Jas. McLennan held the lucky door prize number. The Rhythm Hopes provided music for dancing following lunch with Mr. Joseph McDonald, floor manager.

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

Mrs. Smeethurst is visiting in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Greenlee and children of Milton visited the Bentons on Sunday.

## CAMPBELLVILLE

The April meeting of the Ladies Aid was held at the home of Mrs. Alex. Moore on Wednesday afternoon when 11 ladies met and quilled a fancy quilt. During the business session a nice contribution was voted towards the Food for Britain Fund. Plans were made for another quilting in May. Tea was served and a very pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by all present.

The W. M. S. of St. David's Church packed and posted an 11-pound box of canned goods and other groceries to a home in Holland.

The Grace Mission Band held their April meeting at the home of Mrs. Menzies with the President, Miss Alice Sharpe presiding. The scripture lesson was read by Beth Pogue and the opening prayer by Ann Parker. Gertie Campbell read a story from Church Bells Calling. Joan King read a very nice Easter poem. Ruth Roberts played a piano solo. The topic "Harvest Festival in Africa" was given by Miss Reid and was interesting. Happy birthday song was sung for Alice Sharpe and Norma Brown. The roll call was answered by "Something to be thankful for." The meeting was closed with prayer by Norma Brown. A very nice feature was the exchange of Easter cards among the members. Quilt blocks were sewed for a short time and all enjoyed refreshments served by the hostess.

Pte. Robert Snyder, Meaford, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Snyder, of Flora, visited friends in Campbellville over the week-end.

Mrs. O. Morse is convalescing in Woodstock with her daughter, Mrs. F. E. Ellis, after having fallen at her home, fracturing her arm.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilmour and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McPhail were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Colin McPhail of Burlington.

Miss Anna Early is in the General Hospital at Hamilton, taking special treatment.

Miss Jane Easley of Milton spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Carbert.

A surprise party was held at the home of Mrs. Joseph Stokes, Sr., by the former members of the Free and Easy Group on Thursday afternoon. Cards were enjoyed during their visit and a dainty lunch was served. Mrs. Nelson Howard was in charge of the afternoon.

Miss Olive Mahon, Toronto spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mahon.

## ERIN

D. J. Sinclair has sold his house in Hillsburg to Mr. J. Soper of Erin. Mr. Soper has taken possession.

Daniel Gray has sold his farm, lot 5, con. 7, 8th line, Erin Township to Mr. Dymont of Toronto. Mr. Dymont intends to develop the trout fishing facilities and make a summer home of the property.

Rev. R. O. D. Salmon of Chatsworth a former Erin boy conducted a baptismal service in All Saints' Church last Sunday evening in the presence of a large congregation.

A heavy truck cut a swath right through a Hillsburg store from front to rear and property damage was extensive, provincial police reported, after arresting William T. Hayes of Hillsburg on charges of driving while intoxicated and careless driving. Advocate.

## OAKVILLE

Lieut. Charles Phillips, former student of the Oakville High School and son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. A. Phillips of Ceylon, died recently in the Kandy Military Hospital, Ceylon, as the result of an accident while swimming.

Every month for four years the High School Literary Society sent cigarettes to the men of H.M.C.S. Niagara and recently the Society received a cheque for \$200 from the ship's canteen fund. Mr. R. H. Archibald informed the Board of Education on Tuesday night.

Mr. R. H. Archibald introduced the High School Staff, Mr. Kenneth Prue of the Public School teachers, and Lion George Fletcher, the Clarkson teachers at the Lion's Club meeting.

Mr. Joseph McCully, Headmaster of Pickering College, Newmarket, who early this year went to England to help organize the Khaki University for overseas personnel, spoke of "Bridges Over Chaos." Record Star.

## EVERTON

Mrs. John E. Alton is visiting for a few days with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Tavel and other friends, Toronto.

Recent visitors at the home of Col. and Mrs. Will Head were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Kitchen Head, Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Couling sixth line visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Hamilton, Sunday.

Mr. Percy Peavoy has sold his farm on the town line to Mr. Wilfred Dietz, near Guelph and he has moved.

Mr. and Mrs. Rae West, Acton visited Mr. and Mrs. Percy Smith recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jesin and son Hobby have moved to their uncle's farm on the town line.

Mrs. Kate Boyd spent last week at Arthur with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Reed, who have been ill.

Miss Glennia Parker spent the week-end with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Rae West in Acton.

Mrs. E. Shepherson who has been quite sick, went to her daughter's home last Sunday in Toronto.

Miss Margaret Suter is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stewart, sixth line.

Mrs. G. G. Robertson is spending a few days at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Robertson, Ovington. Their son Kenneth had a serious operation on Monday at Guelph General Hospital.

Mr. Harold Suter has bought the Martionn home occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Beverley Hepburn.

The many friends of Mrs. J. A. Stewart will be glad to know that she is improving nicely at St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, after her operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Will West spent an evening lately at the home of Mrs. Will Peavoy and Mr. Percy Peavoy.

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