

Personals

Miss Milla Rowles spent the holidays in Cleveland, Ohio.

Marie Overholt of Toronto is visiting her cousin, Verena Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Elliott and family are holidaying at Combar.

Mrs. W. McEachern spent the week-end with friends in Oakawa.

Miss Greta Joyce of Campbellville visited with her sister Leona Joyce last week.

Mrs. B. Harvey of Toronto is visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Russell.

Mr. Evan Nance of Hamilton visited over the week-end with Mr. Jack Hollinger.

Mrs. E. S. Cooper and Frank and Mrs. Spurling are visiting at Stanley Park, Erin.

Mr. Gordon Phippard, Nassau, Bahamas, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neil McNabb.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Branchflower of West Lorne visited with Mr. and Mrs. Norman McEachern on Sunday.

Mrs. Isabelle Winfield and Christina returned home this week after spending holidays at Port Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. C. McNabb, Nassau, Bahamas are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil McNabb.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lambert, Miss Beatrice Lambert and Master John are holidaying at Midland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cooper of Val d'Or, Quebec are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cooper this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Statham, Nadeline and Carol Anne of Ingersoll visited at the home of Mr. Geo. Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bruce, Bob and Bob Rowles returned Sunday after a summer vacation spent with relatives in Timmins.

Miss Joan Holmes has returned home after three weeks' vacation at the home of Mrs. John Campbell, Puelich, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Brignall of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. James H. Reed attended the funeral of Mrs. John Reed at Orton.

Miss Edna M. Moore and her niece, Edna Moore of Hamilton visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dills over the week-end.

Mr. Wm Bracken returned home this week after spending a week's holiday with relatives at Collingwood, Meaford and Thornbury.

Mrs. Frank Pollitt and children of Hamilton have returned home after a week's visit with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Brydon.

Mrs. Wm. Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Ray McDougall, Donna and Roddy have returned from vacationing at Lake Bernard Lodge, Burk's Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. George Scott, Sgt. and Mrs. Earl Ryder, Miss Mona Smith and Mr. A. Williams are holidaying at Merry Lake, Port Sydney.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Murray, Acton and Mrs. Oscar Ostrander, Rockwood returned from a trip through the Thousand Islands and Alexander Bay and visited friends at Brockville and Toledo.

Mr. Frank Holmes has returned from the north where he was visiting his son Bill, who is a partner in Moonbeam Tourist Camp at Goward. He reports a grand time and good fishing on Net Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil McDonald returned home on Sunday from Bracebridge where they had attended the funeral of Mrs. McDonald's sister, Mrs. Jas. Dashwood, who passed away after a lengthy illness at the age of 81 years.

Mrs. Jno. Scott of Shelburne and Mrs. M. Watson of Orangeville were guests over the week-end at Mr. Thos. Watson's. They with Mr. Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Macdonald, attended the Lovell-Thurston wedding in Cayuga on Saturday.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Munroe of Sydney, Nova Scotia, wish to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Helen Dianne, Reg. N., to H. Cameron Frankum, R.C.M.P., son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace J. Frankum, Woodbridge, Ont., marriage to take place latter part of August.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ewers, Rockwood, announce the engagement of their older daughter, Dorothy Elizabeth to Mr. John Cornelius van Gozen, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. van Gozen, R. R. No. 1, Acton, wedding to take place in St. John's Church, Rockwood on Saturday, August 24th, at 2 p.m.

CACHE CREEK, B. C. (CP) — A crow hatched a baby pheasant here when crow and pheasant eggs were exchanged in a barnyard experiment.

Church News

United Church of Canada
Acton, Ontario
"The Friendly Church"
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Parsonage—Bower Avenue

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18th, 1946
11.00 a.m.—The Gideons will have charge of the service.
12.15 p.m.—Church School.
Everybody Welcome

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Manse—Willow Street

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18th, 1946
10.00 a.m.—The Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship. "The Hidden Life of the Christian."
7.00 p.m.—Evening Worship. "The Epistle of James, Chapter 4: 13-5: 11."
"They that wait upon the Lord Shall renew their strength."

Baptist Church
ACTON
REV. W. H. WALLACE, Pastor

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18th, 1946
11.00 a.m.—Morning Service.
12.15 p.m.—Sunday School
Anniversary services Sept 15
A Welcome to All

Church of St. Alban the Martyr
The Ninth Sunday after Trinity
SUNDAY, AUGUST 18th, 1946
11.15 a.m.—Holy Eucharist and Sermon.
No evening service.

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Duney — "Squatter's Rights"
Final Chapter — "Raiders of Ghost City"
SATURDAY, AUGUST 17
"BEHIND GREEN LIGHTS"
Carole Landis, William Gargan
"PENTHOUSE RHYTHM"
Kirby Grant — Lois Collier
Fox News
MONDAY, AUGUST 19
"MY REPUTATION"
Barbara Stanwyck, George Brent
Comedy — "I'll Take Milk"
Cartoon — "Mighty Mouse at Krakatoa"

ERIN

Members of the Bridge Club entertained Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Elgie to a dinner at Conestoga and a theatre party in Guelph.

Mr. C. E. McMillan recently suffered a fractured index finger on the right hand when a car door slammed shut and caught him.

Mr. Roy Miller suffered a fracture of a small bone in the right ankle when he slipped on the floor in the family home. He will be obliged to be off duty for quite a time.

The Community Memorial Service on Sunday and the sports program on Monday, organized by the Erin Township and Erin Village Welcome Home Reception Committee in honor of the active service personnel of Erin Township and Erin Village attracted large crowds and was a complete success.

During the early hours of Thursday, August 1st, thieves entered Wright's creamery and carried away a large safe and a small wall safe, containing almost \$500 in cash and several hundred butter ration coupons. In the morning the large safe was found on the side of the road south of the village with the door pried open and quite badly damaged. Advocate

FALL FAIR DATES ANNOUNCED FOR THIS DISTRICT

Fall fair dates for the coming season were released today by the Agricultural Societies' Branch. Dates are tentative and subject to change.

Those listed for this area are as follows:

Acton	Oct 4, 28
Milton	Sept. 27, 4
Brampton	Aug. 31 and Sept. 1
Elmira	Aug. 30, 31 and Sept. 1
Fergus	Sept. 6, 7
Georgetown	Sept. 6, 7
Grand Valley	Sept. 12, 13
Mount Forest	Sept. 9, 10
New Hamburg	Sept. 13, 14
Orangeville	Sept. 10, 11
Caledon	Sept. 20, 21
Galt	Sept. 19, 21
Shelburne	Sept. 17, 18
Streetville	Oct. 5
Eberfoyle	Oct. 7, 8
Aberin	Oct. 12, 14

SPECIAL CROPS ARE IMPORTANT

Many people think of Canadian crop production in terms of wheat, oats, and barley, states J. Cole, senior economist, Economics Division, Dominion Department of Agriculture. There are, however, a number of crops which occupy smaller areas but contribute substantially to cash farm income in these areas in which they are grown. These include tobacco, sugar beets, hybrid corn, soybeans, sunflowers, rape seed, honey and maple products.

Interesting information on all these crops is given by Mr. Cole, in the latest issue of the Agricultural Institute Review. Sugar beets, for instance, are grown in fairly well defined areas in four provinces but favorable conditions for production of this crop exist in other large sections of the country. High labor requirements and competition from intensive crops restrict the area of the sugar beet crop. In Ontario, beets are grown in Essex, Kent, Elgin, Middlesex and Lambton counties. The production from this area was at one time the sole Canadian supply of beet sugar. Factories are located at Chatham and Wallaceburg. In recent years, however, the largest area in beets has been grown on irrigated land in southern Alberta. Commencing in 1940, Manitoba farmers began producing this crop for processing in a new factory at Fort Garry. Later another new factory was built at St. Hillaire in Quebec and operation commenced in 1944.

During recent years and chiefly since the outbreak of war, great progress has been made in mechanizing the production of beets. In earlier years, contract labor was employed on a large scale. With the shortage of labor in wartime, the problem was met in part by the utilization of prisoners of war but it had to be dealt with on a more permanent basis. Thus planters have been improved so that more even stands may be obtained. Thinning and blocking machines have been developed. Harvesting and topping and unloading machines have been introduced on many farms. The supply of these machines is still small and some improvements are still to be overcome but the back-breaking work in handling beets on the farm is on the way out. At the factory, mechanical unloading and handling have been successfully applied.

CUPID THWARTED

LONDON, Ont. (CP) — London's housing situation is thwarting cupid and reducing the number of marriages here, civic officials have announced. Many couples planning to marry have been forced to postpone the event indefinitely because they are unable to find accommodation.

Uncle: Well, Tommy, I hear you are learning to swim. Tommy: Yes, so are you, ain't you, Uncle? Uncle: No, my boy, you do you ask? Tommy: Oh, I heard father say the other day that you had a hard job to keep your head above water.

CAMPBELLVILLE

Several hundred people attended the softball tournament on Thursday afternoon on the school grounds of this village. First game, Morrison defeated Milton 18-6, while in the second game, Milton defeated Campbellville 12-6. An enthusiastic crowd witnessed the play-off game between the winners of the former two, which were Milton and Morrison, score being 4-0 in favor of Milton, who received first prize of \$15. Second prize was given to Morrison, \$10.

After all had visited the supper booth sponsored by the Women's Institute, a girl's softball game was played between Milton and Acton, score being 17-3. First prize of \$10 went to Milton and second of \$5 to Acton. Later, on in the evening a street dance was held in the village with Bennett's orchestra supplying music and Mr. G. Kingsbury as floor manager. Mr. Sanford of Georgetown supplied the loud speaker system.

The fifth war bride to come to our community arrived on the Queen Mary Thursday, being Mrs. James Baynton, wife of Trooper James Baynton. She was formerly Margaret Flew of Cambridge, England. At present they are residing on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace King.

Misses Elsie Cairns, Doreen Walton and Jean (Yamp) spent their vacation at Franklin Camp on Georgian Bay. Friends of Mrs. Howson Lush are pleased to know she is home from the hospital and improving nicely.

We are sorry to hear Mrs. J. Teahney is confined to Milton Private Hospital after she underwent a serious operation last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David McPhail and son of Toronto spent last week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William McPhail.

Mrs. Smith of Beamsville visited Mr. and Mrs. George Black several days last week.

The 16th Currie reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Buck on Saturday afternoon. Officers in charge were president Robert Currie, secretary - treasurer George Currie. Committee in charge of spots were: Smith Currie, Murray Currie, Robert Hamilton, William Buck. Lunch committee were Mrs. Smith Currie, Jean Mitchell and Mrs. William Buck. At seven o'clock about 80 guests sat down to supper, nothing rationed, while afterwards games for young and old were enjoyed. Officers for 1947 were re-elected and the 1947 reunion will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Elliott of Brookville. Guests were present from Milton, Galt, St. Catharines, Puelich and Acton. There were four guests over 80 years of age, Mrs. Cartwright, Mr. Robert Currie, Mr. William Chapman, Mrs. J. Early, Mr. Near's orchestra furnished music for dancing. Miss Catharine Currie favored the group with tap dancing selections. Robert Currie, Roy Currie and Robert Hamilton were floor managers. After thanking Mr. and Mrs. Buck for their kindness, lunch was served later after the dancing. Friends and relatives departed saying it was the best reunion they ever had.

About 30 relatives of the Mahon family gathered at Crawford's Lake on Sunday afternoon to reminisce of old times.

Miss Marion Mahon of Buffalo is a guest at the home of her brother, Mr. James Mahon.

Mrs. Cecil Early and daughter Christina are visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Early and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace King.

We are all pleased to have Mr. Audrey Sproal back on the Canada Bread truck this week after his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lush and family are spending two weeks' vacation at New York.

On Monday evening our local baseball nine played against a team made up of boys formerly of Campbellville which made a very interesting game for all. The score was 5-4 in favor of our local nine. Mrs. George Goldstraw and Mr. William Hunter were umpires.

Mrs. Edward Mahon was stricken with a sudden illness and was moved to St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton last Tuesday where she was operated on.

Miss Lyla Cairns has succeeded Mrs. Boyne Clement as organist of St. David's Presbyterian Church, also Mr. Robert Elliott has been appointed choir leader to succeed Mr. Murray McPhail, who has accepted a position as secretary - treasurer of the Feed Dealer's Association and will take over his duties next month.

Mrs. A. McPhodran received word this week of the death of her oldest brother, Mr. John Gillies of Australia who was about 80 years of age. He had been ill for some time before his death. Years ago he was a school teacher and at one time taught at Kelso. He then went to Australia and married and had one son and three daughters, all of whom are living. Interment was made in Australia.

Mrs. Fred Hamman and Mrs. Jas. McFarlane and son Ronald of Toronto visited Mrs. Sophie Patterson last week.

Miss Mary Linehan of Toronto of the department of mines and resources visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill last Monday.

Miss Della and Verle Vansickle and Onie Vansickle visited points north, Blaine River, White River, Sudbury last week.

Miss Patsy Ferris of Ingersoll is visiting Miss Anna Early.

Miss Betty Pegg of Nelson is visiting Miss Anne McLaren.

The Grace Mission Band were entertained at the home of Joan King on Saturday afternoon. The vice-president, Norma Brown, conducted the meeting. After the devotional period those taking part in the program were M. B. Story, Gertie Campbell; piano solo, Joan King; recitation, Marilyn Allan. Topic, "Over the Path" in the study book, was taken by Mrs. Menzies. The roll call was answered by reciting a line of a favorite hymn. Norma Brown very kindly thanked Mrs. King and Joan and the meeting was closed with prayer by Norma. There were ten girls and three ladies present. At the close of the meeting several games were played on the lawn, after which Mrs. King served lovely refreshments and all enjoyed a pleasant afternoon.

The regular monthly meeting of the W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. Thomas Whaley, Guelph Junction, on Wednesday afternoon with 15 members and four visitors present. Miss Jane Reid, president, opened the meeting with a poem. The roll call was answered by a washday hint. The assistant treasurer Mrs. Melvin Hood, read the minutes and gave the treasurer's report. She reported \$28.83 clear from the booth at the Baseball Tournament last Monday. Mrs. James Mahon reported for "Friendship". Mrs. Wm. McLaren gave the motto, "Benefits Derived from Rationing". A glass of milk a day, keeps the doctor away. Mrs. Thomas Hillson gave current events and a display of invisible patching was shown, the work of Mrs. Thomas Hillson. Mrs. Lloyd Crawford played a piano selection. Another quilt is to be made for another war bride, Mrs. Douglas Agnew, who recently arrived from overseas. A prize will be donated by the W.I. to a boy and girl from numbers 1, 8, and 10 schools for neatness, cleanliness and punctuality between fall and Christmas. Mrs. Frank Hill, Mrs. Wm. McLaren, Mrs. Morse and Mrs. Wm. Buck were on the lunch committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Mitchell spent four days last week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Edward McDonald of Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Donaven and Audrey and Mr. and Mrs. George Ingles and Lois each visited with Wilma Bell at Gravenhurst last week.

ACCORDING TO RULE

VANCOUVER (CP) — Vancouver pickets practised what they preached during the British Columbia lumber strike. They had a 40-hour, 5-day week while on duty outside their mills.

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