

# NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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

## NASSAGAWEYA S-S No. 7

Telephones are in working order again. Only trouble is to get central to answer your ring.

The snow plows have the snow off the road and the sand trucks have them sanded for safety.

Mrs. John Frank is teaching at No. 8 school during Mrs. Bowman's absence.

The weight of the ice and snow caused the roof of the McLean barn to cave-in. Fortunately no harm was done.

When Mr. Leonard and Miss Doris Cox were on their way down Highway 25 to work on Thursday morning a 4 ton truck sailed from the side road at Glenaspay farms onto the highway in front of them. Only the quick thinking and action on Leonard's part averted a serious accident as it was they received a shaking up.

The Radio Farm Forum met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Locker on Monday evening. The attendance was only large enough for one group to discuss "What should the World Federation do and how does it concern the Canadian farmer?" The questions called for a great deal of thought and study. Some learning for the first time that I.F.A.P. stood for International Federation of Agricultural producers.

B. part of question one, "What should be done to keep farmers informed about I.F.A.P.?" and Question 2, "How could the individual farmer help the C.F.A. to finance its share, as well as Question 3 "Should Canadian agricultural policy in the future take into consideration the recommendations of I.F.A.P.?" were all questions of importance and interest, but so hard to answer. A social hour was spent in this hospitable home. Next meeting to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Davernport.

## ROCKWOOD

The January meeting of the W.C.T.U. was held at the home of Mrs. Annie Harris, with the president, Mrs. O. Ostrander in the chair, and Mrs. J. W. Wilcox presiding at the piano.

Miss J. Little conducted the worship service. The central thought of the New Year's Message was, "Ye have not passed this way hitherto, God will lead you, He is able." She read three poems, "New Year," "Joy Poem," "To One Outward Bound," composed by a friend. She closed with prayer. Mrs. Ostrander read a New Year's poem composed by Mrs. Nightingale, formerly of Rockwood.

Mrs. Copeland read a splendid article, "Cocktail Lounges", giving a condensed history of the liquor traffic from the time of the open bar, the Prohibition period, Government Control, the Beverage Rooms and to the "ignominious granting of licenses" and bars. Mrs. Geo. Ford followed with figures showing the increase in sales. Mrs. Orlando Jolliffe gave a most interesting address on the Chinese New Year and liquor conditions in China. She told how only at their feasts strong drink was used in only very small glasses. There were no people seen staggering on the streets and no drunkards.

Mrs. Jolliffe paid tribute to General Odium, former ambassador to China, a non-smoker and total abstainer and also gave credit to the discipline in the British camps. She told how the films shown were all the rejects, giving a wrong impression of our country. She scorned the subtle way in which the brewers carried on their advertising. Her address was greatly appreciated. Mrs. A. K. Thomas gave a reading, "Why Abstain?" The meeting closed with the W.C.T.U. devotion and prayer by Mrs. Chas. Jolliffe. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess and her sister, Mrs. J. W. Wilcox.

Mr. Frank Ostrander was a delegate from Eramosa Township to the Federation of Agriculture held in Toronto last week in the King Edward Crystal Room.

Mrs. Nancy Glendinning is confined to her home with a heart condition. Her many friends wish for her a speedy recovery.

The many friends of Miss Emily Nightingale will be glad to know she is getting along nicely following her recent operation for appendicitis and is expected home shortly.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Maw (nee Loh-Laverty) who were married in Guelph on Saturday. The groom is a member of the Navy on the Aircraft Carrier "Warrior" which steamed into Victoria Harbour, B.C. before Christmas, having come around to the Pacific Coast via the Panama Canal.

Services were resumed at St. John's Church Sunday, after a delay in weather conditions and doors closed tight on account of the recent sleet and ice storm. Holy Communion was observed during the morning service.

In the absence of Rev. F. Williamson, the previous Sunday, Mr. George Hupton of Kitchener conducted the service.

## BALLINAFAD

The W. A. held their January meeting at the manse the president Mrs. McEnery, presiding.

Mrs. R. McEnery took the scriptural study. Topics were given by the Secretary, Mrs. Smith; Treasurer, Mrs. Shortill, showing a nice balance on hand. Mrs. Marshall, Red Cross secretary, reported \$18.00 had been raised through the 10c tea after each meeting. Mrs. Marshall had charge of the program, Miss J. Given assisted Mrs. Flindall to serve a most tasty tea.

The Farm Forum met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McEnery, the subject for discussion being, "What should the World Federation do?" Rev. Mr. Flindall was convener and Mrs. F. W. Shortill and Mr. Morgan Madill, program committee.

## OSPRINGE

Holiday guests with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Matthews included their son-in-law and daughter and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Nicholson, Diane and Sharon of St. Catharines; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Picton, St. Catharines; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Watson and sons of St. Catharines; Mrs. R. Almas, Guelph; Prof. R. R. Graham, Guelph; Sheriff H. Thompson and Mrs. Thompson of Port Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Matthews entertained at cards on Saturday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Burrows of Guelph. Guests included Mrs. W. McKenzie and Norman; Mr. and Mrs. D. McDougall and Donald; Mr. and Mrs. George Burrows; Mr. and Mrs. John Beamish and daughter; and Mr. and Mrs. David Stewart.

Prizes for high score went to Mrs. W. McKenzie and Mr. John Beamish. Consolation awards went to Mrs. J. Beamish and Mr. D. McDougall. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. G. Burrows and Mrs. W. McKenzie.

Preparatory service was held in the church on Thursday afternoon with a fair attendance.

Communion was observed in the church on Sunday afternoon when Rev. McKenzie preached an appropriate sermon.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Armstrong are sorry to learn their daughter, Myrna is a patient at the Guelph Hospital where she is undergoing special treatments. Miss Blanche McKinnon, vocalist and her accompanist, Mrs. Gordon F. Aitken attended the Junior Farmers gathering at the King Edward Hotel in Toronto last Wednesday. Blanche contributed vocal solos to the program.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Stewart and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rennicks at Hamilton.

Friends of Mr. Josiah Stewart are sorry to learn he is confined to his home on doctor's orders. Visitors with him on Sunday included his sister, Mrs. Davidson of Winnipeg; Mr. and Mrs. Robt. King and daughter of Richmond Hill; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Robertson, Guelph Road.

The young folks of the village enjoyed a sleigh-riding party on Friday night through the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Evans. After a gay ride they returned to the Evans' home, where games were enjoyed, followed by a bountiful lunch served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. D. Stewart.

Mr. Douglas Robertson of Guelph spent the week-end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Robertson.

Mr. Byron Bruce of the O.V.C. of Guelph was a week-end visitor with friends here.

Mrs. Thomas Henderson, Guelph Township, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Mary Cooke.

The January meeting of Ospringe W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. McKenzie. Nine members answered the roll call. "Thoughts for the New Year" with one visitor present.

Names of those members interested in the Blue Cross Hospital Plan were sent in to gain more information on the subject. A report of the district director's meeting at Guelph was given by Doris Pines. The contests at the District Annual meeting to be (1) Potato Salad (2) Health Menu.

An article made from one white sack. The members decided to have a contest each month on one of these potato salad contest to be held at the February meeting. A letter of appreciation was read from the Children's Aid Society in Guelph for the donation of baby clothes they received Mrs. Sunter then read a letter from the Secretary-Treasurer of the Ospringe W.I. in England. We were pleased to hear they received the layer of our Institute's forty anniversary cake, sent some time ago. Their last letter having gone astray, we hadn't heard from them. Miss Doris Pines gave a reading on New Year's Resolutions. Mrs. Sunter conducted a quiz on articles of wearing apparel.

Miss Blanche McKinnon favoured with a solo, "To a Wild Rose" Mrs. Sunter gave a paper on "Publicity."

The meeting closed with God Save the King and lunch was served by the hostess and her assistants.

## ORTON

Miss Ida Gray of Mitchell was a welcome visitor during the past week with relatives in this locality.

We are pleased to report the condition of Mr. John Somerville is improved from his recent illness.

Mr. Robt. Ballentine is convalescing in St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, from an operation.

Mr. Leonard Bessey, Hillburg, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dearing recently.

Miss Hazel Smith, Hamilton, spent the holidays with her friends, the Misses McPhall.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hall had Mr. and Mrs. George Bryan, Hillburg, as visitors on New Year's Day.

Mr. Walter Shaw, Streetsville spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shaw.

Mr. Ross-Ballentine who has been in Los Angeles, Cal., the past four months, returned home recently.

Mr. Ken Ballentine returned to Brampton, after spending the week-end at his home.

Miss Melba Dearing returned to Toronto, having been home since New Year's, her brother Clarence accompanied her back.

Mr. George Lush has sold his farm on the Fifth line of Erin Township to Arnold Watson, son of Mrs. Chas. Watson, who bought stock, implements, as well as the farm.

## Biggest Year In History Reported by Acton Fair Directors

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A motion passed placed it on the agenda for the next meeting.

It was decided to organize a Grain Club in connection with the Fair and Messrs. R. L. Davidson, E. Johnston, Wallace Swackhamer and the President are to have charge of this feature. A Swine Club will be sponsored and the Committee in charge are Gordon Leslie, Geo. Somerville and Clarence Reid.

Mr. J. E. Whitelock, agricultural representative was present and commended the officers on the continuous success of the Fair. He offered a number of suggestions to keep the Fair at a high standard and offered to help if possible.

## Notice to Creditors

In the Estate of JOHN McDONALD, late of the Township of Esqueping, in the County of Halton, Farmer, deceased.

The Creditors of Margaret McDonald, who died on or about the first day of January, 1945, at the Village of Streetsville in the County of Peel, late of the Township of Esqueping, in the County of Halton, a sister of John McDonald, late of the Township of Esqueping, in the County of Halton, Farmer, deceased, who died on or about the sixth day of January, 1944, and all others having claims against her estate are hereby notified to send in to Messrs. Langdon and Aylsworth, Georgetown, Ontario, solicitors for the undersigned executors of the estate of the said John McDonald, farmer, deceased, on or before the 15th day of February, 1947, their names, addresses, descriptions and full particulars of their claims and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them and that immediately after the 15th day of February, 1947, the executors will proceed to distribute the estate of the said John McDonald amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the executors shall then have notice.

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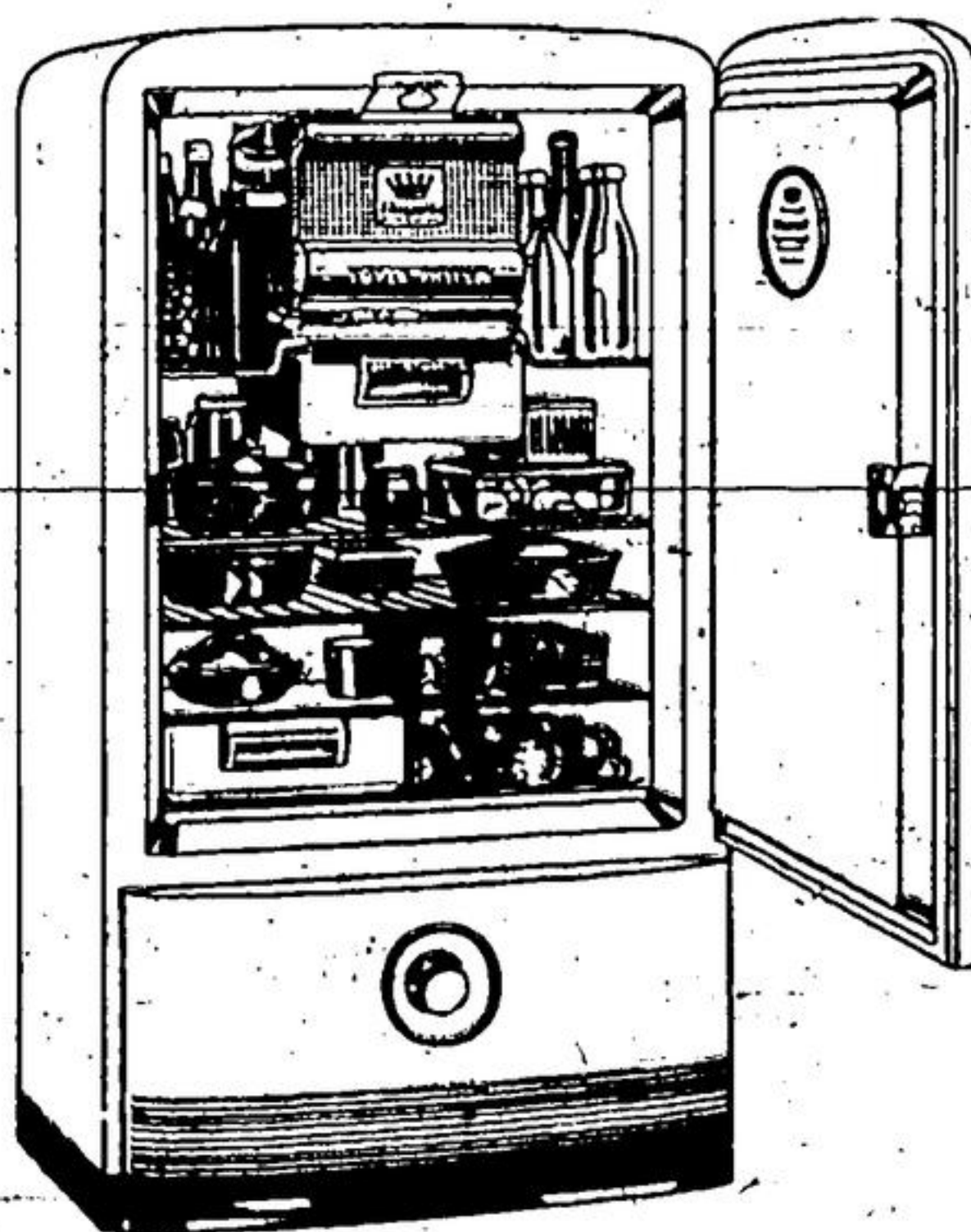
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