

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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

ORTON

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne McGowan (nee Lucille Cox) were honored recently in Orton Hall by local as well as Maraville friends and relatives in the presentation to the happy couple of a solid walnut table and an electric table lamp. After lunch was served dancing was enjoyed to music supplied by Redman's Orchestra.

Mrs. James Nevills and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Nevills attended the wedding of Miss Ethel Ward in Toronto on Saturday.

June showers and weddings are prevalent in our vicinity.

A large number of friends and relatives presented a miscellaneous shower to Miss Doris Watson at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Logan last Friday night. Her wedding to Mr. Bilton is a June event.

On Wednesday evening another popular couple were honored by a large number of friends and relatives, when Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tarzwell (nee Mary McMillan) were made the recipients of a chesterfield suite in Hillsburg hall.

Mrs. Winnifred Thompson is visiting in Montreal at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Hall, Miss Glenn and Anna were Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Redman.

Those members attending the district annual in Belwood last Tuesday were Mrs. A. Rozell, Mrs. Robert Jackson, Mrs. James Jackson, Mrs. Wm. Ballentine, Mrs. E. Awrey, Mrs. C. Bacon, Mrs. Edward Gray, Mrs. Earl Jessop, Mrs. John Rood, Mrs. Robert Wheeler and Mrs. W. Flewelling. Mrs. Ballentine won first prize for the article made out of a feed bag.

OSPRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Bruce and Garnet spent the week-end with relatives in Lindsay.

Miss Blanche McKinnon was guest soloist at the Delaney-Miller wedding at Ballinacra United Church on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stabington were guests on Saturday at the Anderson-Stewart wedding at Acton United Church.

Miss Helen Jackson and Mr. Douglas Robertson, Guelph, spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carman Griffin of South Bend, Ind., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fines.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henderson and family who sold their farm on the Highway near the 5th Line, have moved in temporarily with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Ferguson, 2nd Line. The Hendersons anticipate a trip to Ireland later in the summer to visit with Mr. Henderson's family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl McGowan and Douglas of Acton were recent visitors with Mrs. E. Suter.

Mrs. Ruth Pappie spent the long week-end at her home at Burford. Miss Jean Watson of Forks of the Credit spent a recent week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Brown.

Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. George Robertson included Mr. and Mrs. Albert McWilliams, Lois and Norman of Puslinch and Mr. and Mrs. William Webb, Laurine and James of Guelph Township.

Mrs. R. VanNorman, Mrs. W. Benson and Wayne of Acton called on friends in the village one day recently.

Congratulations to Kenneth Robertson who finished his third year at the Guelph Collegiate last week, with out writing any exams, having obtained sufficient marks during the term.

On Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Kalhoff were hosts to nearly ninety employees of Meredith and Simmons of Toronto. Mr. Kalhoff has just recently retired from the employment of this company after fifty years of faithful service. In spite of the inclement weather, a jolly time was had ball games and sports were enjoyed between the showers. A bountiful lunch was served bringing to a close an enjoyable outing.

The June meeting of Ospridge Women's Institute was held in the school with thirteen members present. The Roll Call was answered by "A well known proverb." Arrangements were made for a general committee for the garden party. The Ladies Aid are co-operating with the W.I. on this. It was decided to raise the members fees to 25c to have one cent per member fee to the Associated Country Women of the World. The report of the District annual meeting at Belwood was given by Mrs. Ed Barber and Miss Doris Fines. Congratulations to Mrs. Thos. Fines on winning first prize on muffins and to Miss Doris Fines for 2nd prize on the Secretary's report.

Community singing was enjoyed by all and a contest on flowers.

Three persons near Paris, France, were bitten by a mad bull that had been bitten by a mad dog. After treatment they recovered.

EVERTON

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Head were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Murray and Mr. and Mrs. Kitchener Head, Guelph.

Misses Barbara and Muriel Benham of Guelph spent the week-end at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Benham.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jestin and Bobby visited Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Kingsbury, Guelph Rd., on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Couling, Orangeville, spent the week-end at the home of Miss Kate Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patten, Guelph visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Alton over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jestin and Bobby visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McKay, Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jestin visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lasby on Sunday.

ROCKWOOD

Anniversary services were held at the United Church on Sunday with Rev. George A. Wishart, B.A., of Paisley Memorial Church, Guelph as guest minister for the morning service, which was largely attended. Owing to wet weather during the evening, church attendance was somewhat lessened and Rev. Mr. Dale of Speedside was also guest minister for the occasion.

The edifice was newly decorated with numerous warrigins flowers. Monday evening a pie social was held, followed by a program with the pastor, Rev. John Ward as chairman. Mr. Frank Guild of New York, who has just returned to his home town for a holiday, was also present and contributed a few numbers on the program.

The king's birthday passed off quietly Monday, the bank and schools closed for the day and post office open for a brief period in morning and late afternoon.

Miss Bessie Gardiner of Baln was also home over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Day of Hamilton were up over the week-end.

Mr. Richard Craddock of Toronto was also up over the week-end.

Since Mr. George Laverty disposed of his service station on lower Main Street to his son-in-law, Mr. Frank Kelso, lately of Guelph, the establishment has been renovated and minor improvements also made.

At St. John's Church Sunday morning Holy Communion was observed.

LIMEHOUSE

Recent visitors in the community included:

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ivens and family at Miss Ivens's.

Mrs. McAdams of Toronto with Mrs. Ellerby.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Greenloes and children with the Bentons.

Mr. Alex Wright home from Monto.

Mr. David Swackhamer of New Westminster with Miss M. Swackhamer.

Mr. and Mrs. Proctor of Toronto with the Mitchells.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mills and Susana with his parents.

The Spitzers visited at Breslau on Sunday.

Mrs. R. Lane spent a few days last week in Toronto with her daughter, Mrs. Morrow.

We regret to report that Mrs. Alex Currie is in Toronto General Hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gordon have moved into Mr. Rae Scott's stone house on the fourth line.

Twenty-two attended the June W.I. meeting in the Hall last Thursday. Roll Call was answered by each naming "vegetable I like to cook." Most ladies chose potatoes. Mrs. DeVries was guest speaker, choosing "The Dutch Food Question" as her topic. Having recently paid a visit to her home-land she brought first hand information concerning their hardships during the war years. She described the Dutch as an obstinate people, but with a good mixture of common sense. She said that the homes are being restored fairly rapidly now. The speaker was introduced by Mrs. S. Wright, home economics convener, in whose hands the program of the day was. The motto was "A stitch in time saves nine" and Mrs. A. Benton read current events.

An interesting part of the program was the presentation of gifts to the retiring president, Mrs. Ellerby and 1946-47 treasurer, Mrs. E. Miller. Mrs. Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Spitzer presented Mrs. Ellerby with a desk chair and a wall mirror as a token of appreciation of her six years of faithful service on behalf of the branch and Mrs. Gisby, new president, named a Federated W. I. of Ontario pin on her lapel. Mrs. Benton then presented Mrs. E. Miller with a cup and saucer on behalf of the members. Both ladies made suitable replies, although taken by surprise.

Mrs. Gisby served refreshments at the close which included a birthday cake in honor of a member whose birthday was the same day.

NASSAGAWEYA

One of the well drilling machines of Mr. Gow of Fergus, and operated by Mr. Ernest Grummet of Guelph commenced drilling a well for Mr. George Nightingale near his barn at Knatchbull on Monday morning.

In the election of elders held recently in the Ebenezer United Church Messrs. Sheldon Trousdale and Clare Pickett were elected for the three year term.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest G. Wilson and baby son of Campbellville R. R. 1, visited with relatives at Knatchbull on Sunday.

Miss William Forbes of Salem is spending a few days with her brother G. T. Wilson and family at Knatchbull this week.

There are quite a number of farmers from this district planning on taking in the visit to the O.A.C. during this farm and home week.

The apple orchards are, out in full bloom this week.

There will be a good crop of hay and wheat in this district this year.

CEDARVALE

A number from here attended the graduation of Miss Mabel Hardy of Guelph General Hospital last week.

Miss Joyce Letch, Lillian Shortill and Eleanor Griffin were waitresses for an afternoon tea for Miss Mabel Hardy.

A number of friends and neighbors met at the home of Mr. Fred Smith on Thursday evening to present him with a presentation: Mr. Flindall was chairman for the following program: music by the orchestra, which was Miss Mary Currie, Mrs. Archie Kerr, Leslie Swackhamer, Frank Freeman; instrumental, Mrs. Elwood Jackson; reading, Bessie Reed; solo, Sid Spears; mouth organ selection, Stanley Swackhamer; solo, Mrs. Donald Matheson; reading, Miss Mary Currie. Mr. Smith Griffin Jr. then read a lovely address and Mr. Smith was presented with a radio. Lunch was served and an enjoyable evening spent.

JUNE MEETING OF ACTON BRANCH WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The June meeting of the Acton Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. E. F. Collier. The president, Mrs. R. L. Davidson, presided. Fifteen members responded to the roll call with a suggestion for the new program being arranged. There were five adult visitors and five junior visitors. Convenors of the various committees were each called on to report for their own department. Home economics convener gave a recipe for canning rhubarb in cold water. Layette convener reported it had been completed and sent with the local donations to the flood victims. Another layette is to be prepared by a shower at the August meeting. A request for the use of the booth was granted.

The president invited the branch and their families and friends to her home for the July meeting in the form of a picnic. An interesting program was arranged and given by the losing side in the attendance contest the past year, as follows: current events by Mrs. Francis Wilds; motto, "Be still and know that I am God" by Mrs. Fred Hunter; a reading, "Grandma stayed out late" by Mrs. Holloway; a quartette by the ladies Mrs. George Lantz, Mrs. W. Hall, Mrs. R. L. Davidson and Mrs. F. Anderson; and a recitation by Mary Hunter, "When I go to church."

The repeating of the Lord's Prayer brought the meeting to a close. A social time was enjoyed when the same committee provided a banquet lunch of salad, bread and butter, relishes, cream, cake and tea. The expenses were donated by Mrs. Drysdale and won by Miss Donna Anderson.

A Toronto columnist explaining the well-known absence of any activity on Toronto's downtown streets on Sunday morning states that an American tourist approached a policeman and asked, "Where is everybody?" The big Irish cop considered for a moment. "The Catholics are in Church," he explained. "The Protestants are in bed, and the Jews are in Florida."

Toronto Salesman Committed to Higher Court

Charged with Intent to Defraud Acton Resident/Other Cases in Police Court

Henry Boisclair, a trailer resident living in Trafalgar, was sentenced to six months in the county jail when he appeared for sentence by Magistrate Kenneth M. Langille, in county magistrate's court in Milton yesterday. Maniton Langille, a companion, was given a 60 day sentence on the same offense. Both pleaded guilty a week ago to two charges of stealing a quantity of wheat from Milton McClary, a farmer, residing in the same township. On a third charge, Boisclair was sentenced to three months and Langille 30 days. This sentence was to run concurrently with the others.

Appearing for the accused, George E. Elliott entered a strong plea for leniency stating he was prepared to make restitution. He said that Langille had never been in trouble before while Boisclair, admitting a previous record, had kept out of trouble since 1939, and had served five years in the army.

William K. Hawke, father of two children, was placed on suspended sentence for six months and ordered to pay the costs of the action amounting to \$30. He was also ordered to report at the first of each month during that time to Chief Lee J. Smith.

Accused pleaded guilty a week ago on two charges of theft from the Lakeside Dairy at Burlington in March and April of this year. Walter Tutchie, Hamilton, made a strong plea for leniency stating accused's family would be destitute unless he were allowed to continue the job that was open for him. Crown Attorney W. I. Dick said he had no objection to a suspended sentence as restitution had been made.

Following a two month adjournment of his case, Henry Bausch, Toronto, stock salesman, was committed for trial at a higher court when he appeared yesterday. The adjournment was granted on April 27 following the preliminary hearing when his counsel advised the court restitution was to be made.

Crown Attorney Dick informed the court, he was given to understand Bausch had given the complainants a promissory note covering the amount of money in question had paid the interest up to date and had agreed to pay five per cent, up to the time it was paid. He said the complainants, Acton residents, had accepted this agreement. "However the crown desires this case to be continued. Even if restitution is made, that doesn't mean the offense did not occur," Mr. Dick said.

Bausch is charged with stealing with intent to defraud from Fred Cooper, Acton two \$1,000 bonds; from Margaret Denny of the same village, a \$1,000 bond and \$500 cash.

Concluding the case against Walter Aikens, the court ruled he be placed on probation for one year on his own bond of \$100 to keep the peace. "If you keep the peace for a year you will have nothing to worry about," the court declared following the conviction.

"I'll never help another child as long as I live," Aikens declared as he left the court.

Aikens was charged a week ago with impeding pedestrians, and was granted a week's adjournment in order that a defence could be prepared. Fred Huffman, testified Aikens had been in Cavell's garage during the noon hour eating his lunch on the day in question. But under cross examination was not sure of the date.

Six 10 year old public school children, three boys and three girls testified a week ago accused had struck one of the boys on the ear and had chased the girls the following day.

Called by Charles Leatherland, Mrs. Smith and Malcolm McDuffe spoke highly in regard Aikens's attitude toward children.

"Taking the stand in his own behalf, Aikens said he was at the garage on the day in question from 12 noon until 1:30, denying he had seen the girls. When the court asked about the children seeing him hit the boy, Aikens replied "I'm getting the blame for it but I didn't do it. I have never hit a child in my life, I love them too much."

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NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of the Acton Y.M. C.A. will take place on Thursday, June 19th, in the "Y"

All Y.M.C.A. members who, as such, have the right, will be asked to vote on a motion to change Article 6, Section 1, of the Constitution to read:

"That the Board of Directors, or governing body of the Y.M.C.A., shall be appointed annually by the Acton Physical Fitness and Recreation Committee rather than being elected by the Y.M.C.A. members."

MEETING STARTS AT 8.30 p.m. SHARP

Father's Day Sunday, June 15



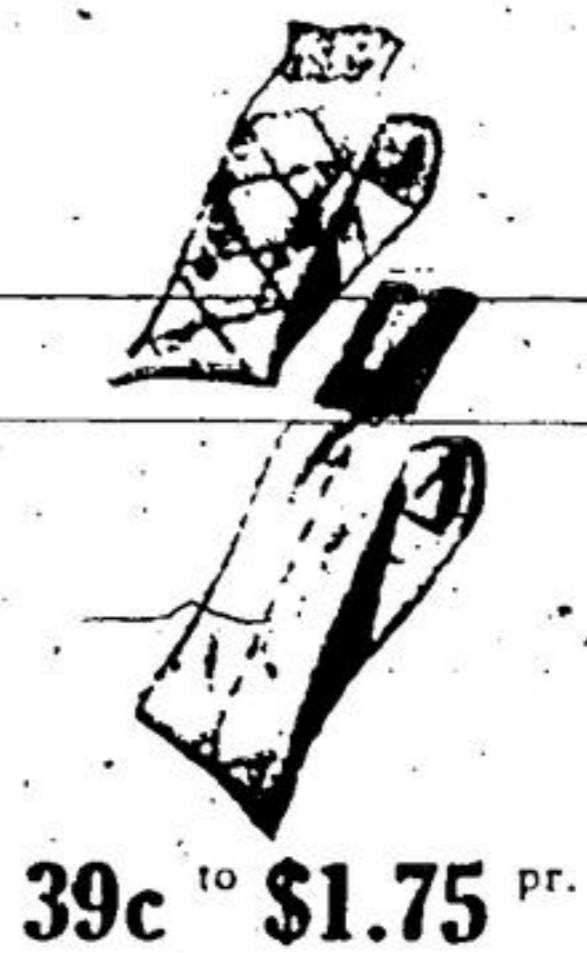
Some suggestions suitable for Dad.

Dressing Gowns
All wood Plaid.
\$14.95

Sweaters
Pullovers, Cardigans, Several Styles
\$3.95 to \$7.95

Sports Jackets
Several Styles and Qualities
\$7.50 and up

Socks
A large range to choose from



39c to \$1.75 pr.

Ties
Smart Patterns.



75c to \$2.00

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Braces

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- Twp. owned crusher may be used.
- Material must be crushed to 3/4 inch.
- A marked cheque for \$100.00 to accompany each tender.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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