DISTRICT NEWS

Various Items Concerning Activities in Communities Nearby Where Many of Our Readers are Interested

EVERTON

Mrs. W. Head were, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Murray, Guelph. Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jestin were Mr. Mrs. Archie Lasby and two daugh-

ters, Frances and Dorcen. Mr. and Mrs. T. D. McCutcheon visited recently with Mrs. Irene Walker and Blanche, Acton. Supday visitors with Mr. and plant at Toronto. Mrs. John Alton were Mr. and

Mrs. Robert Patten and Miss N. Robinson, Guelph.

NASSAGAWEYA

hold their monthly meeting in Nasagaweya with a large crowd G. Robertson. present to enjoy the contests and Mrs. Wallace Lasby Jr. and the and family. winners for progressive euchre joyed by all.

being arranged for next Sunday, and Mr. Thomas rines were February 29th in Ebenezer United | ners at euchre. Lunch was serv-Church to commemorate this leap ed at the close of the evening's year of five Sundays in February. Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Wilson and daughter Betty of Acton visited

with relatives and friends et Knatchbull last Sunday. Mr. Chas. Darby is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kingsbury of Lucknow, this week.

MILTON

Archie Metcalfe, well know lo cal garage operator, narrowly escaped serious injury during a flash fire in the work shop Monday morning. According to Mr. Metcalfe, a customer had come in to the garage and removed the gas tank of the car for repairs. Later when Mr. Metcalfe started the acetylene torch to cut some iron for a car spring, gasoline which had accidently been spilled on the cement floor in the basement work shop ignited. Grabbing a pail containing gasoline, which he thought was water to extinguish the blaze, he threw the contents on the already blazing

Sunday evening Knox Church was the scene of an interesting and educational service when the church played host to the Girl Guides, their leaders, the Cubs and their leaders.

would of necessity be 43 mills and 1 mill subsidy making net tax, rate of 42 mills to the friend. In addition to other relathe expenditure of the town for leaves a neice. Miss Eleanor 1948. This tax rate will raise Knowles who resided with them. \$52,359.07 on the present assessment. It is one mill higher than Cemetery beside his late partner last year. -- Canadian Champion.

CAMPBELLVILLE

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. George Black and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Walton, each on the arrival of a baby girl at Milton Private pre-communion service was held

Hospital last week. held a Valentine Party in the Masonic Hall on Wednesday evening. Mr. Edward Mahon was auctioneer of the nicely decorated boxes. which were sold at top prices. Crokinole prize winners were Mrs. Ross Mitchell and Mr. William Bryant. Chinese Checker prize winner was Miss Jean Cramp The committee in charge were Mrs.

and Mr. William Bryant.

with Mrs. Sophia Patterson. Mrs. William Cowper and Mr. Robert Menzies, who were ill in who deserve credit for their ef- than twice the total expenditures of the hospital are at their respect- forts. ive homes and we wish them a

greedy recovery. The Willing Workers Mission itself, and it should mean a good! In Britain, while the expenditure Band of St David's Church met at deal to the community. Miss is less, the proportions devoted to the home of Miss Beverly Roberts Hammill spoke at some length in friendship and to fear are similar. on Saturday afternoon with M'ss connection with such an under- It is a curious judgment on our-Norma Brown presiding. The taking, and Mrs. Loren J. Guild developing civilization that the secretary Miss Virginia Mitchell also addressed the gathering brief- very people who are doing their utread the minutes. Misses Jane ly. Mrs. L. Guild also spoke along most to restore a world to its pre-Smith and Joan King each gave a similar lines. prayer. Mrs William Roberts read Mr. G. Frank's many friends still go about their work of mercy

and contests. About seventeen ailment. He will be confined to that war is man's natural element. girls were present to partake of bed for three weeks. Mrs. Robert Inglis attended the Mr. Howard Crispin returned could do about that.

rey Donaven, Hamilton, over the a two weeks' holiday in the Mount week-end.

with Mr. and Mrs. T McPhall. For ironing household linens Guelph were Sunday visitors in announces that special scholarand men's shirts, use of a wider town.

OSPRINGE -

on Saturday night.

on Friday at the Massey Harris pean children when \$23, was rais-Mr. and Mrs. George Renick of Hamilton were, Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. David Stewart

Mr. Dan McLean of Acton called on friends here on Saturday. Miss Helen Jackson and Mr. The Bloomsbury community club | Douglas Robertson, Guelph, spent the week-end at the home of the Bloomsbury School, S. S. No. 9, latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D.

and family.

Mrs. Dan Boudreau of Ottawn a year.

were for Ladies, Mrs. Alex Near | for the Farm Forum on Monday | the figure one to get mad about and for the men, Mr. Ross Gord- night at the School. Twenty-one but not to understand. But the The ladies served a dainty were in attendance. A special catch in the statement is that lunch and a social time was en- appeal was made for funds for the there is a relatively distant assoc- leadership, ... "Save the Children Fund for lation between what you earn, A special service of worship is Europe". Mrs. George Grundy and what an all-wise government long and strenuous day. He rises wheels of the carrin the direction

> entertainment Friends of Mrs. Robert Fisher will be sorry to learn her condition does not show much improve-

ROCKWOOD

was a member on the Board of | charitable obligations?

Directors of Eramosa Mutual Fire Insurance Co., and also a memher of the village council up till 1946, where he manifested a keen interest in the affairs of the community. During the funeral ser-Council decided the tax rate vice, Rev. W. G. Luxton, the new Rector spoke in high terms as to the worth of this citizen and tives who mourn his passing, he Interment took place in Rockwood who predeceased him last year. Pall-bearers were Messrs. G. Laverty, H. Benham, W. Passmore, W. Dunbar, R. Spencer and Beard. Numerous floral wreaths bore silent testimony to the high

esteem of the deceased. Thursday evening, last week, in the Presbyterian Church with The Y.P.S. of St. David's Church Rev. Fred Williamson in charge. During the service he-officiated at a baptismal ceremony, as well

was observed at the Public School, good will that it is hoped will when a Handi-Craft exhibit was restrict the spread of militaristic George Ingles, Mr. Robert Elliott | held, showing work done by a communism. Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hammond up such work under the guldance Congress has been considering the of Buffalo and Mr. John Hammond of Miss Hammill. Quite a num- budget for the year 1948-1949. The of Lowville were week-end guests her-were present for the occasion, major item in that budget is \$11 and much interest was manifested billion for defence. Together in the work done by the pupils these items alone represent more

open to others outside the school prior to the war.

the study book story after which regret that he is under the doc- with arms in their hands. Perhaps Mrs. A. T. Moore conducted games | tor's care as a result of a heart it is true, as men have claimed,

Miss Lois Ingles and Mr. and onto was home for the week-end, and there might be something we birthday celebration of Miss Aud- home during the week-end from Forest district. He reports the Mr. and Mrs. William Elliott of snow banks along the highway are Young building apprentices are

roadway wide for traffic.

simplify the weekly froning task a popular young couple in town. ing Council

BALLINAFAD

to hold its meeting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Clifford Reid in Georgetown when 22 attended, also a special guest was Miss Neddler who was sent out from the head office in Toronto to visit some of It being he different forums. review night, special discussions were held on the different quiz program in the form of true or Mr. Wilfred Awrey, accompan- guide which proved to be very in- school it means a hot dinner for led by his three brothers, attend- teresting. Mrs. Flindall and Mrs. some children, but not for all-not ed the hockey game at Toronto Robt.-McEnery had charge of the by any means. For more than half Mrs. Ruth Papple spent the lunch was served by the hostess. schools in Ontario the noon hour week-end at her home near Bur- Mr. Flindall moved a hearty vote means a lunch carried from home Messrs, Jack Beamish and Nor- for a very sociable evening. A bag. man McKenzie attended a banquet | collection was taken for the Euro-

Pity the New Poor

By Joseph Lister Rutledge The other day the newspapers reported, with varying degrees of envy, prejudice and anger, that the president of a certain company had carned a salary of \$60,000

games. The first contest was visited for a few days last week That is a tidy little nest egg and won by Mr. Ross Patterson and with Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Brown it isn't wholly surprising that we 2,545,225 taxpayers who earned leas Mr. Harold Smith was leader and, mainly so much less, found

> In all Canada there are onl some 584 fortunate persons who earn, in this governmental sense, upward of \$50,000. In the group of 475 persons who earn all the way from \$50,000 to \$100,000, the energy. Building material is essenaverage salary, or whatever it tial for growth if strong bodies are may be called is \$65,000. That is to result. We must also supply what the Finance Department children with the foods necessary calls their earnings. But when that to keep the various organs func-The funeral of the late John same department has got through tioning, and resistant to disease. Lister was largely attended at St. with the matter and assessed an John's Church last week, where average tax of \$38,380, the spend- plans are being proved important he was a charter member, and ing money remaining is reduced the week's menu is posted so that also a lay delegate to the synod. to \$26,620. But of course there mother may round out the lunch The late Mr. Lister was the last are churches and hospitals and and supper with the daily essenremaining member of a family of innumerable causes to be support- tials. In this way mother and three sons and two daughters, ed, and naturally, the bulk of the teacher are co-ordinating their whose parents resided on a farm supporting is done by this group, plans using the daily Basic Nutjust below Rockwood, Mr. and Mrs. After all when it is advertised rition Pattern: Joseph Lister, and among the that you earn \$60,000 a year you 1. early settlers of Eramosa Town- become a marked man for all ship. Back in 1898 John Lister dealers in good works and causes in was united in marriage to Miss and developments. So really Anna Knowles and they settled what you are dealing with is the on a farm just below the town- new poor because it isn't easy to line in Nassagaweya township, cut your scale of living by a good where they resided until 18 years deal more than half. Where, for ago when they disposed of the instance, are you going to sell farm and moved into the village, your big house or how relieve For many years John Lister yourself of business, social or

But, let us forget any sympathy for these folk, who still have considerably more to spend than the average of us. Suppose they weren't there, or got incomes like the rest of us, who would look after these obligations or who would pay the taxes that they now proide? Or suppose that by some modern magic we could dispossess these 475 and divide their total income among the rest of us, each of us would average a benefit of almost a dollar a month. That wouldn't be so bad if it weren't that to secure it we would have to dig up an extra \$18 million in taxes and look after all the good works for ourselves. Personally these reflections make us more satisfied with our modest lot.

FEAR OR FRIENDLINESS

By Joseph Lister Rutledge A curious parallel has faced the world in the past few weeks. as receiving new members into The United States Congress has the Church. Sunday morning, the been debating the wisdom and ex-Sacrament of the Lord's Supper pediency of appropriating \$6.8 was observed, with a good attend- billions in a calculated risk to support Europe during the next 15 Monday evening a new venture months. It is a vast gesture of

number of pupils who are taking At almost the same, time the the United States, for all purposes. This kind of work is also in the relatively bountiful years

war prosperity and happiness must perhaps it is only that our triendy Mr. Donald McArthur of Tor- ships are not as strong as our fears

YOUNG BRITISH BUILDERS

Chatham were week-end visitors ten feet high on either side but being given an opportunity to take university courses in building Mr. and Mrs. Collingridge of science. The Ministry of Works ships are being arranged by the ironing board will shorten and Wedding bells are ringing for Building Apprenticeship and Train-



Hello Homemakers. When the false, as given in the Farm Forum clock strikes twelve at the rural recreation after which a lovely of the children attending rural of thanks to Dr. and Mrs. Reid in lunch kit, honey pall or paper

> In winter weather, cold sandwiches make a cheerless meal That kind of meal, added to a hurin a year are eaten at school.

Surely, then, the mid-day meal is of prime importance. Should it not be planned to meet definite educational objectives. Some school areas have done this; one particular section to be commended is the township north of Woodstock where the Red Cross Nutritionist is giving splendid

The average rural child has a then a drive or walk to school. from home-more chores before a hot meal. All this requires energy and the right food to supply that

In communities where lunch

Milk-4 glasses or equivalent in soups and desserts.

Vegetables-1 serving potatoes 2 servings other vegetables. Fruit -1 serving tomato or citrus fruit. 1 or more servings other fruit.

Ment, fish or cheese-1 serving of either of these. 1 egg or 4 a week. Cereal-1 serving whole grain cereal with milk. 4 to 6 slices

vitamin-rich bread. Some source of Vitamin D such as fish olls. Additional foods to satisfy the appetite and activity needs.

Good Food For Children

BAKED CUSTARD 3 or 4 eggs, 15 to 14 cup sugar, 1-8 teaspoon salt, 3 cups hot milk, 14 teaspoon vanilla or a little nutmeg.

Beat eggs slightly. Add sugar and salt. Add hot milk slowly, then flavoring. Strain. Pour into buttered custard cups and steam over boiling water, or place in pan of hot water and bake in slow oven (325 degrees F.) until firm about 40 minutes.

NOTE-4 eggs are necessary !f custard is being made in one large baking dish. To test custard, insert a silver knife in the centre, and if it comes out clear, custard is cooked.

BAKED APPLES Wash and core good uniform Canadian-grown apples. Put into baking pan, fill the centre of

of butter on the top. Add shough water to cover the bottom of the pan. Clanamon or nutmer may be sprinkled on the top if desired. Bake in a hot oven until soft (about 25 minutes), baste very. often with the juice in the pan-HONEY MUFFINS

3 thans, honey, 14 cup butter, 2 eggs, 1-8 tup, salt, 214 cups graham flour, . 14 cup white flour, 3 taps, baking mowder, 1 cup milk.

Mix and sift white flour, baking powder and salt. Add graham flour. Bent eggs until fonmy, add honey and milk. Melt butter and turn it into egg mixture. Turn wet ingredients into dry one all at one time. Stir vigorously until dry ingredients are just dampened. Fill muffin tins 2-3 full and bake In hot oven for 20 minutes.

NOTE -- Ann Allan regrets that ried breakast, and a long walk in listed ingredients were not correct the wind, does not give exactly the in a previous column for "Foolsort of foundation needed for a Proof Chocolate Cake". Here they good day's work! But it is a fact are: 114 cups sifted flour, 1 tsp. that for 200 days out of every baking soda, 16 cup white sugar, year, the child attends school and 14 top. salt, 14 cup cocon, 4 thaps. ents his mid-day meal there. All melted shortening, % cup sour told, one-fifth of the meals eaten milk, I beaten egg. I tsp. vanilla,

13 cup corn syrup. Sift and mix dry ingredients. Add shortening, sour mllk, eggs. vanilla and corn syrup. Beat thoroughly. Bake in 2 greased layer

TO STOP SKID

The Ontario Department Highways advisos motorists To pull-out of a skid, turn the front and apply the brakes with a light Ater seven or eight hours away pumping pressure. To stay out of a skid, keep spood down, allowplenty of space for stopping, and use tire chains on ice and snow.

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