

DISTRICT NEWS

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

EVERTON

Recent visitors at the home of Mrs. E. Shepherdson and Mr. Ben Simons were Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hall, Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Eberts and family, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Simons, and Mrs. Clifford Simons, Detroit.

MILTON

The President of the local Red Cross Society and Mr. L. Skorec had the pleasure of presenting Mr. A. C. Collins, principal of the United School, Section 17 of Esquesing, at Milton Heights, with a service badge being awarded by the executive of the Red Cross, of Toronto, in recognition of his activities in the Junior Red Cross for 32 years.

Miss Manche Walker, of Acton, is holidaying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. McCutcheon. Mrs. Barbara Benham, Guelph, spent the week end at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Benham.

An early summer wedding was solemnized on Saturday, June 25, at Knox Presbyterian Church, when Marjorie Isabel daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Dawson, was united in marriage to Mr. Harold Ross Magee, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George Magee of Paisley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Justin and Patsy attended the "Gilt" reunion held at Super Park, Galt, on Sunday.

OSPRINGE

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Peck (nee Bevan) have returned home from their honeymoon and are now residing in Georgetown.

NASSAGAWEYA

Mrs. Arthur Nightingale has returned to her home at RR 2, Rockwood, after spending a delightful two weeks' vacation at the home of her son, Mr. Bert Nightingale, of Orangeville.

Miss Joyce Robertson is holidaying with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Webb, Guelph Township.

Mr. T. C. Nightingale of Winnipeg, Manitoba, attended the Forester's Convention at London Ontario and then had a week of holidays with his mother and other relations in Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grundy and family attended a family reunion at Orangeville on Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Nightingale, Messrs. Bert Nightingale and Herbert Kerr, of Orangeville, were guests at the birthday supper for four-year-old Brian Cargill of RR 1, Campbellville on Sunday.

Miss Isabelle de'Entremont and niece, little Miss Gloria Brown left on Thursday night for a couple of weeks' visit with the former's parents, at Pubnico, N.S.

Master Alan Robertson of Guelph is holidaying with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Young, Townline.

Friends of Mrs. Leo Nicholson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Matthews will be pleased to learn she is convalescing at her mother's, following a recent operation at the Guelph Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Craig and Joan of Georgetown spent the holiday week-end with Messrs. R. and J. Hunter. Joan remained for a few days holidays.

Miss Margaret Winter returned to her home at Oustie following a holiday at the home of Mrs. W. J. Jackson. Miss Elvena Winter is now holidaying at the same home.

Congratulations to Misses Joyce and Marjorie Chester and Malcolm Leitch, local students at the G.C. V.I. on their splendid rating on the past term's work, all passing with honors.

Miss Mary Struthers of Toronto is spending a week's holiday with her brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. James Struthers.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Henderson of Guelph Township visited on Sunday with Mrs. Mary Cooke.

Mr. Dan McLean of Acton was a visitor on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Fisher and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Robertson of Guelph spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Young and Mr. George Peaton of Rockwood visited friends in the village on Sunday evening and attended the Anniversary service at the Church.

The local school combined with Cedarvale school for the annual picnic held in the local school grounds on Wednesday afternoon. A large crowd from both sections was present to enjoy the program of races, ball games and sports.

Free ice cream was provided for all, followed by a bountiful lunch of sandwiches, cake and cookies.

During the closing exercises of the school, the children presented their teacher, Mrs. Carney, with a black shawl, purple.

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LIMEHOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jones attended the Wilcox-Pollock wedding in Perth United Church on Saturday and later visited at Woodbridge.

EDEN MILLS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gardiner spent the holiday week-end in Pennsylvania. Mrs. Will Kingsbury of Oxbow, Saskatchewan, is visiting in the home of her brother, Mr. Donald Clark and Mrs. Clark.

ROCKWOOD

Tuesday evening last week the Young Women's Evening Auxiliary of the United Church held a successful pie and ice cream social in the Park which was well attended. A ball game was also on their program between the Rockwood boys and the O.A.C. Guelph Music was provided by members of the Rockwood band under the direction of Mr. E. Escott. Full justice was done to the good things in store for the evening's entertainment.

MANY ITEMS ON JUNE PROGRAM OF UNITED CHURCH W.A.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Woman's Association of the United Church was held at the home of Mrs. J. Stewart on Tuesday. The president, Mrs. J. Moore, was in charge of the meeting.

RAY OF HOPE

A ghost X-ray worker thought she saw a familiar face in the line of persons being X-rayed, asked the woman if she hadn't already had an X-ray. "Certainly," replied the woman. "I've had three already. The first didn't help me, but after the second one I began feeling a lot better. I don't have to stop taking treatments do I?" -Seattle Times.

FOUR LARGEST LAKES

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CAMPBELLVILLE

About 125 people attended the Gunby reunion at Victoria Park, Niagara Falls, Canada, and U.S.A. on Saturday afternoon.

Games and contests were conducted by Mrs. Roy Coulter of Lowville. Officers for the next year elected were as follows: President, Mr. Archie Gunby of Mounts-burg; Vice President, Mrs. Robert Hurren of Campbellville; Canadian Sec.-Treas., Mrs. Roy Coulter, of Lowville.

Sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Barber of Acton, Verna and Lois Cox during the loss of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cox on Sunday.

The ladies of St. John's W.A. met at the home of Mrs. E. Davenport for their June meeting, guests of the ladies being the W.A. of St. John's Rockwood also Mrs. Mc-Clean, Mrs. Hiltchen and Mrs. Donnellan.

President Mrs. Davenport was in the chair and the meeting opened first with a welcome to our visitors. Roll call was answered by 6 members. The June Bulletin was read by Mrs. Carbert. The flower and fruit report was given by Mrs. DeForest. The Dorcas report was given by Mrs. Britton. A sweater had been handed in by Mrs. J. Blacklock and Mrs. Britton was to attend to the rest of the articles for the sale.

The president asked Mr. Thompson to say a few words and he spoke on his 32 years at Holy Trinity church of Hamilton and was quite interesting.

This being the second birthday of the W.A. Mr. Thompson wished the ladies every success in their work.

Mrs. Britton conducted a contest and prizes were won by Mrs. Hamilton and Mrs. McClean. Martin Davenport favored the ladies with several fine solos. Several very interesting poems and readings were given by Mrs. Glen Britton.

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BULLDOG BREED

The heroic tradition of the Canadian Mounties, that they always get their man, is now being emulated by the collectors of income tax.

An employer in an eastern Canadian port sends in the information that one of his men has just had his wages garnished by the local tax office for unpaid income tax for 1947. The amount of the deficiency is one dollar and twenty cents. Estimated cost of proceedings up to and including issue of the garnishee order, ten dollars.

ONE CAPTURED

Policeman—(Calling up station)—"A man has been robbed down here and I've got one of them." Chief—"Which one have you?" Policeman—"The man that was robbed."

COLLAPSIBLE CANOE

Collapsible canoe with drawn aluminum ribs and keelson and canvas hull is said to fold into a pack 18 inches wide, 15 inches deep and 31 inches long, says The Financial Post. When unpacked is 13 feet long with three-foot beam and 1,000-lb capacity. Weighs only 35 lbs., carries two comfortably on demountable seats and requires no painting, varnishing, oiling or other treatment, Montreal maker states. Average mounting and collapsing time said to be 90 seconds.