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Sunday, November 1st
SERVICES 11.00 A.M. AND 7.00 P.M.

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Guest Minister—Rev. A. W. Currie, M.A.,
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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2nd
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REV. ROBERT H. ARMSTRONG, Minister

Tips on Touring

By Carol Lane
Women's Travel Authority



Recently, on a Sunday afternoon, I attended a suburban party for adults where the children had as fine a time as their parents did. Our childless hostess explained that many of her young married friends accepted invitations only if they could bring their youngsters. Seems that the cost of baby sitters would unbalance their budgets.

A smart and understanding woman, she had invited a neighbor's child of similar age to drop in the afternoon of the visit. And she had laid in inexpensive toys, games, children's records and books. The children were so busy entertaining each other that the adults had several uninterrupted hours in which to enjoy themselves.

When dinner was served, our hostess invited the children to help. Although their table-setting job was not exactly according to Emily Post, everybody had the necessary utensils just the same. During the meal, she made it a point to give the children the same good-natured attention she bestowed upon their parents.

I must say, the parents were equally helpful. When their children started making those typically restless motions, they packed them into the car, and set out for home, ending an afternoon that was actually relaxing instead of nerve-racking.

The Defence Research Board maintains close liaison with the U.K. and the U.S., to ensure the Armed Forces obtain the latest research and development information concerning their activities despite Canadian research in these fields.

Canadian Iris Are Suited to Climate

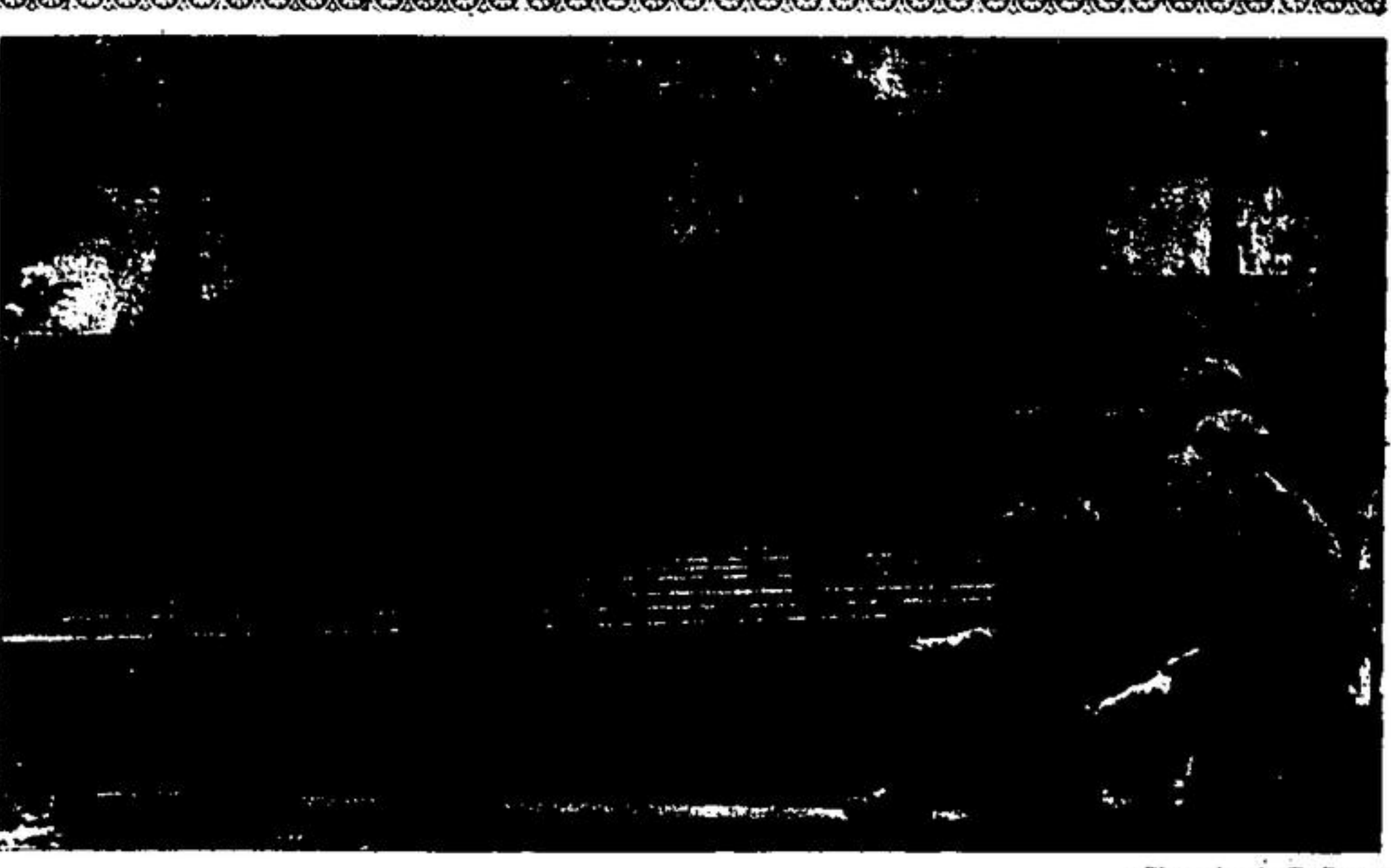
Most Canadian gardeners know that success, to some measure at least, depends on the hardiness of the plants they grow. For this reason alone, varieties of iris that have been developed in Canada should be popular, says R. W. Oliver, Horticulturist, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa. The iris has many attractions. It adapts itself to various soils provided that drainage is good; gives a very wide range of color and produces seedlings of varying characters with such ease that it is a favorite with an increasing number of people who practise plant breeding as a hobby.

Mr. Oliver recalls that the first Canadians known to him to carry on such work, some thirty years ago, were the late H. H. Groat of Simcoe, Ontario and J. W. Crow, who was at the time Professor of Horticulture at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Among the first good iris to be developed in Canada were the varieties Mount Royal, a two-tone violet-purple produced by Cleveland Morgan of Montreal called Alice Aileen; a tall pale blue that is still a good one for garden use, produced by the late Dr. F. G. Brethour of Toronto; and Shah Jehan, a good blend originated by W. W. Neel of British Columbia. Miss M. E. Blacklock of Meadowvale produced two good garden iris of intermediate height, Border Blue and Dora Campbell.

It was not until W. L. Cousins of London captured top honors of the American Iris Society two years running with his pale blue Great Lakes, that Canadian iris breeders made an impression. Now they rank with the best, thanks to the efforts of Mr. Cousins, William Miles of Ingersoll, the late Mrs. Harry Bickle of Toronto, and others.

TALES ON TINTYPES



Here is a picture of more recent years from the A. T. Brown collection. It shows the scene at the service in the Pioneers' Cemetery when the headstones were built into a permanent cairn and the old cemetery was levelled and made more respectable. The date is Sunday, June 3rd, 1934. The work was done by the descendants of the pioneers. The earliest date on the stones is 1830 and the last date recorded was December 1885.

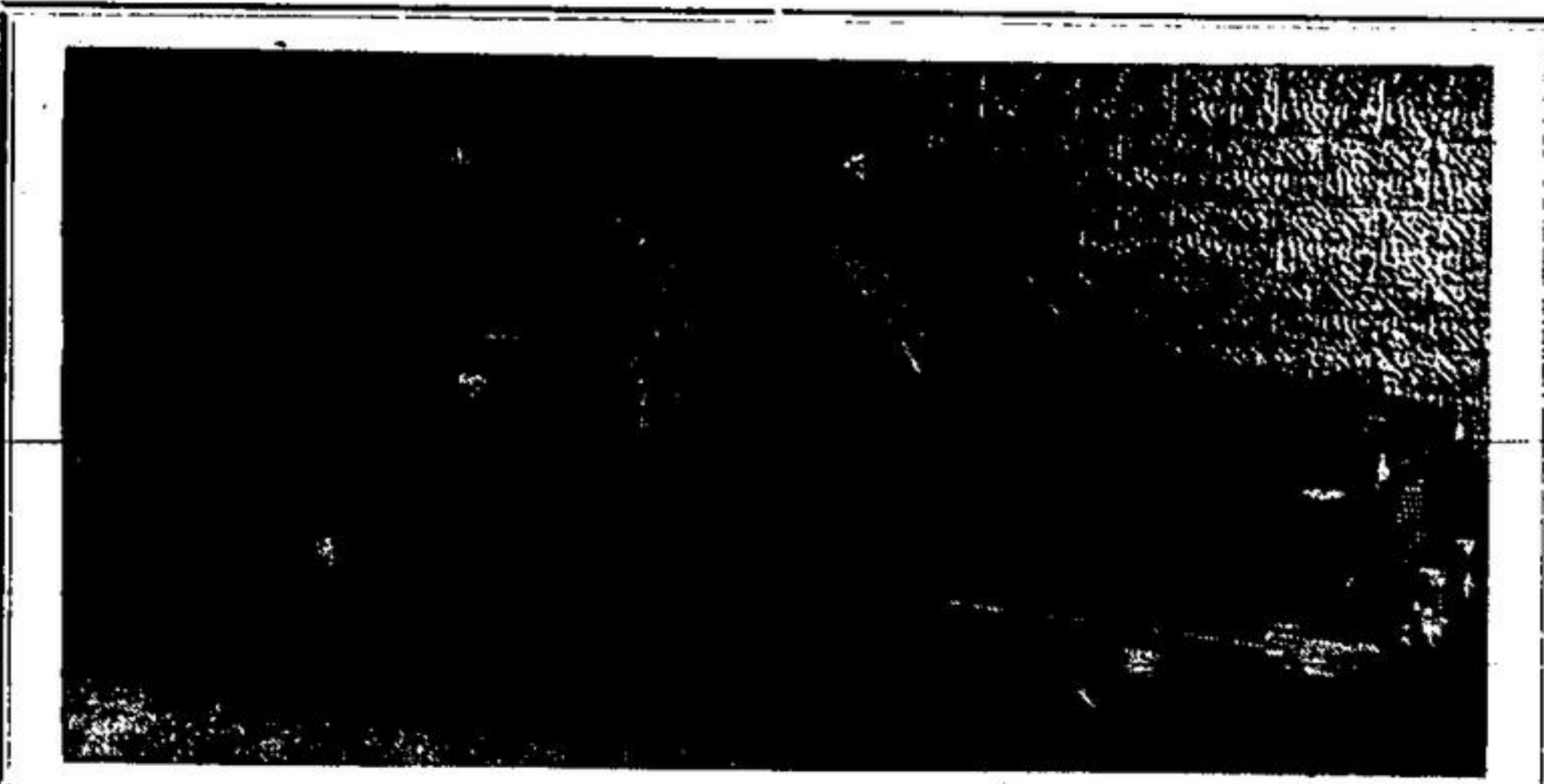
The trustees of 1933 who guided this worthy work were R. N. Brown, R. L. Davidson, W. A. Lasby, W. McDonald, N. F. Moore, D. McDougall and J. McGregor.

Taking part in the memorial service were Rev. H. L. Bennie, who can be seen standing in the centre; Rev. C. L. Poole, Rev. H. Brilling, Mr. Easter, Mr. W. A. Lasby was chairman at the event and N. F. Moore told of the work in the memorial erection, Mr. R. D. Warren gave an address.

A little historical booklet published at the time gave brief facts relating to the Pioneers' Cemetery and recorded the burials made and some of the other facts that tell of the early days of Acton's pioneers.

The plot is well kept and Mr. W. K. Graham and Mr. W. J. O. Oakes, who live near, have kept the grounds around the cairn neat and had flowers in during the summer months.

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The Thankoffering of the Baptist Mission Circle was held Wednesday evening in the church.

Mrs. H. Helweg presided at the meeting and welcomed the visitors from the local Protestant churches and the Georgetown Baptist Mission Circle.

Mrs. Jean Garner led the devotional period, basing her talk on John 9 the story of Jesus and the blind man. She raised the question: "How many people in our community have spiritual blindness?"

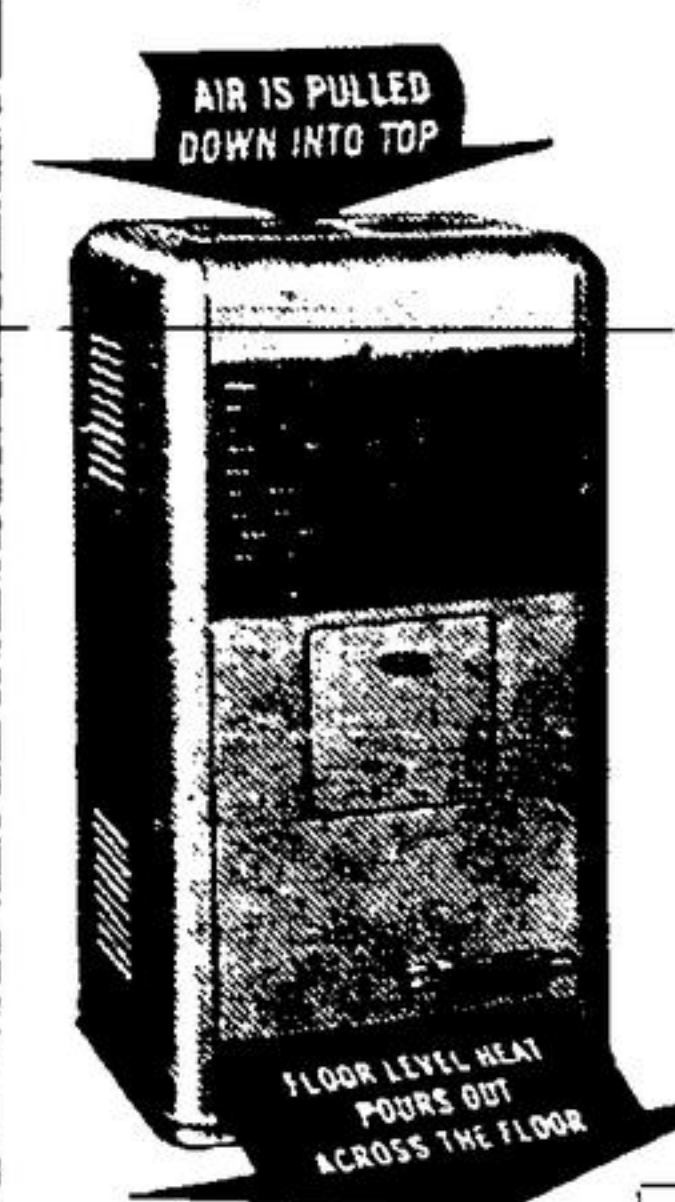
Prayer for the many missionary fields was given by Mrs. M. Landsborough and Mr. and Mrs. R. Costerus sang "Down from His Glory."

Fashion Hint

1. When putting your hat on, hold the brim firmly at front and back with the tips of the fingers close to the crown.
2. When placing a snap brim hat down, either turn the brim up or set the hat on its side. No brim will hold its shape if left on the "snap."
3. Hang your hat up carefully where it will not be crowded or jammed out of shape.
4. Keep your hat dust-free. A drop of rain on a dusty hat makes a mud-spot that is hard to remove.
5. Use a soft bristle hat brush to keep your hat clean. Brush with the nap, start at the bow and brush toward the back.
6. Turn the leather band up occasionally and let the air at it. This will help perspiration and hair oil evaporate.
7. Keep your hat away from radiators, stoves, etc. It is shaped with heat and heat will change its shape.
8. If you get caught in the rain, push out the creases and dents, turn the brim up and fold the leather band out. Stand the hat upright and allow it to dry at room temperature.
9. For renovating, take your hat to a qualified shop or return it to the hatter from whom you bought it for factory-renovation. It may cost more but you'll find it well worth it.

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