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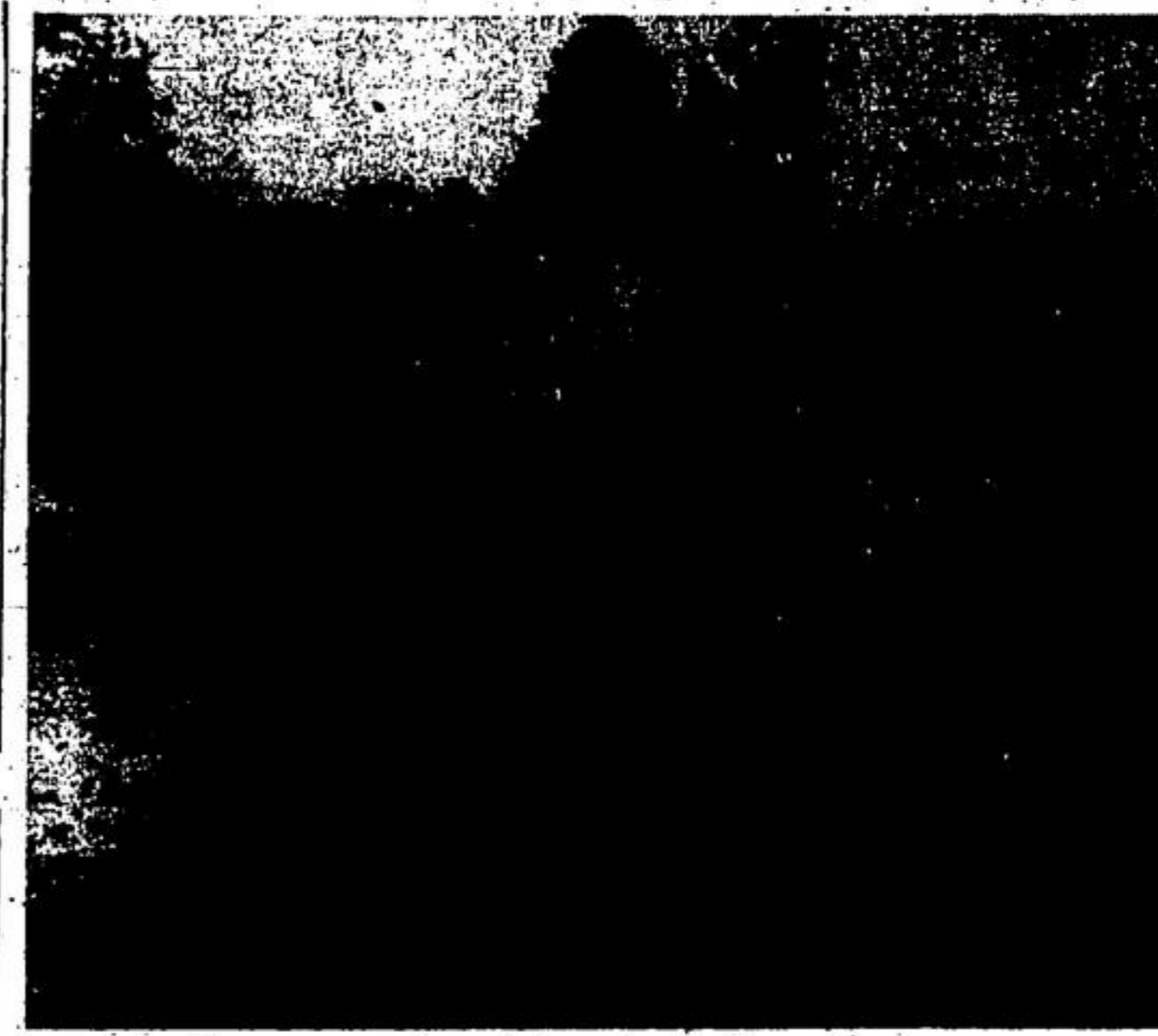
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OSPRINGE
Teachers Honored At Annual Section Picnic Attended By 115

One hundred and fifteen pupils and parents of the school section attended the annual picnic at "The Breezes" near Acton on Wednesday afternoon. After an afternoon of ball games, boating and swimming at this ideal picnic spot a full program of races were enjoyed.

Pre-school girls, Marry Buck, Carolyn McEwan; pre-school boys, Ronnie Smith, Gary Ferguson; girls 6-7, Judy Buck, Janet Hoofstead; boys 6-7, Barry Bruce, Kenneth Smith; girls 8-10, Lydna Ferguson, Muriel McCutcheon, Sandra McEwan; boys 8-10, John Stubbington, Paul Robertson, Hank Vleisstra; girls 11-13, Nancy Bulloch, Ena Okum, Margaret Klooster; boys 11-13, Eddy Smith, Harvey White, Garnet Bruce; teen-age girls, Zorra Klooster, Joan Aitken, Audrey Grundy; teen-age boys, Bert Sinclair, Eddy White, Glen Jackson.

Swimming race, girls, Joan Aitken, Zorra Klooster, Audrey Grundy; swimming race, boys, Gordon DeVries, Gary Randall, Gary Buck; married men, Alvin White, George Jackson, Clarence Hurren; married ladies, Mrs. N. McKenzie, Mrs. Ross McEwan, Mrs. W. Bruce; wheelbarrow race, Eddie White and Eddie Smith, Dan Winter and Keith Sinclair; 3-legged high school, Joan



TOO LATE TO SAVE the summer home of three Guelph men, Acton firemen arrived Sunday morning after searching about an hour for the location of the reported blaze. The log house with siding on the first line of Nassagaweya township was completely razed, but the fire did not spread to nearby barns and sheds. Treasured antiques were lost as well as a new furnace ready to install. The nine-room building was used as a country home by the three men, Les Churcher, H. Somerville and Tom Lawrence, and their families. The antique furnishings were collected over a period of years. Insufficient directions given hastily over the telephone caused the delay.

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TAX NOTICE--1955
MUNICIPALITY OF ACTON
SECOND INSTALLMENT NOW DUE

Attention is drawn to the payment of 1955 taxes, which are now payable in four instalments. Taxes are payable to the Municipal Treasurer at the

ACTON PUBLIC UTILITIES OFFICE
INSTALLMENTS ARE DUE AS FOLLOWS:

SECOND INSTALLMENT	JULY 15
THIRD INSTALLMENT	SEPT. 15
FOURTH INSTALLMENT	NOV. 15

According to the Tax Collection By-Law a penalty of 1/4 of 1 per cent. per month will be added on the amount remaining unpaid after the fifteenth day of July.

This penalty applies to each instalment in a similar manner.

The attention of Ratepayers is directed to the Penalties and other clauses as printed on the reverse side of every Tax Notice and explained in detail on every Tax Bill.

MAKE PAYMENT NOW AND TAKE YOUR TAX NOTICE WITH YOU WHEN MAKING PAYMENT

J. McGEACHIE, Collector

ROCKWOOD
Dam Mecca For Swimmers

As a result of the hot weather over the week-end, Hortop's mill dam was the mecca for young folks and grownups to beat the heat.

During Monday's hot spell, temperatures down Valley Road were between 98 and 102 in the afternoon in the shade and 94 during the noon hour.

Dominion Day passed off quietly here.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. Wm. Dunbar in the passing of his sister, Mrs. E. J. Cook of Guelph recently.

Miss Connie Stout, nurse-in-training at Kingston General hospital, returned to her duties the first of the week after two weeks' holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stout, "The Cedars."

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Greer and family, who were holidaying up at Manitoulin Island, stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Day over the week-end on their way home to Aldershot.

Mr. John Lynch of Toronto was a visitor in town Sunday.

Mr. Norman Lambert of Toronto was home for the week-end.

LIMEHOUSE
All Grade Eight Pupils Successful

All Grade Eight pupils at S.S. No. 9 obtained high school entrance standing under Mrs. Jack Lawson. They were Barbara Currie, Doris Edwards and Dorothy Kirkpatrick.

Mrs. Wilson, teacher of the junior room at S.S. No. 9, is in London, where she is enrolled in the summer course for K.P. teachers.

Mr. T. H. Price left on Thursday on a motor-trip to Western Canada. Congratulations to Miss Ruth McBride, who successfully passed her first class teacher's course at Toronto Teachers' College. She will teach in Georgetown.

Mr. Earl Scott was the holder of the lucky number on the \$10 hamper of groceries raffled by the Gibraltar School Association last week. Mrs. F. J. Brown Sr. drew the ticket.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. E. Edwards, now of Fort Erie, on the arrival Sunday of their third little son.

Visitors: Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Grieg and Lois Ann of Brantford with aunts, Mrs. Newton and Miss Ivens.

Mr. and Mrs. Teague and family of Georgetown with Mr. and Mrs. Smith a week ago.

Miss M. Jolley of Toronto with the Clifford McDonald's.

Miss Mollie Robertson of Victoria, B.C. with the Roughley's.

Billie and Catherine Karn of London with the E. Karn's.

The F. T. C. Brown's attended the Brownridge reunion at Brampton Saturday, a family church service at Ashgrove United church on Sunday and a gathering afterwards at the old homestead, now the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Brownridge.

The Karn's spent the week-end with relatives at London.

Mr. and Mrs. Laus spent the week-end at Sauble Beach.

The Patterson's enjoyed a trip to Rochester and Syracuse, N.Y., during the week-end.

LIGNY-DUFFERIN
School Grounds For Final Picnics

Ligny and Dufferin school grounds were the scene of happy picnics last week when the pupils and teachers bade farewell until the fall term. Mr. Stevenson, Dufferin teacher, leaves by plane this week for overseas.

Congratulations to David Howden on obtaining first class honors in grade one piano at Guelph in Royal Conservatory examinations.

Mrs. A. McKenzie is ill and confined to Milton hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Pleased to report Cliff Brown is improved enough to be out of bed. He has been quite ill the past two weeks with a virus infection of the stomach.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown, Susan, David, Diane and Rocky Finlayson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Gooch, Ancaster and Ray Sutton, Toronto, spent the long week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Zimmerman, Sharon, Diane, Paul and Debbie of Dundas with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Davenport on the holiday.

EVERTON
Summer Popular For Family Visits

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dolmer and family were Mrs. Dolmer's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Madill of Berksley, Mr. Norman McInnis of Markdale and Mrs. P. A. Morrow, Dundalk. Bill, Ronnie and John Dolmer returned home with their aunt and uncle to spend their summer vacation.

Mrs. Bill McKeon, Berlin, New Hampshire, returned home last week-end, spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stewart and Bill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Craig and Jackie, Toronto, visited on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jestin and family.

Mr. E. Walker and Mrs. W. Walker, Burlington; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Alton, Rockwood; Mr. and Mrs. Bev Hepburn and family, Milton; Mrs. Stanley McDougall and Marjorie, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Alton and Ian, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patten and family, Guelph, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Alton and Miss Jennie Tovell.

Friends of Miss Willa Benham were sorry to hear of her accident last Thursday night. Willa is in hospital with a badly fractured leg. All wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Harry Hortop spent a few days last week with Miss Lois Black, Rochester. Miss Black and friend returned with Mrs. Hortop for the week-end.

Misses Elizabeth and Nancy Hortop visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hortop, Rockwood.

Mrs. Duckett Sr., Guelph, spent last week-end with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Duckett and Norman.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Fryer and family, Acton, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Omar Parker, Mr. Clifford Talbot, Toronto, visited recently with his sister, Mrs. Roy Hindley.

Mrs. Lloyd Cutting and Raymond, Acton, visited Monday evening with her mother, Mrs. Jestin.

List Promotions For S.S. No. 8

Public school promotions at S.S. No. 8, Nassagaweya, in alphabetical order, are as follows:

Grade 1 to 2—Peggy Blyth, Jean Little, Jimmy McArthur (rec.), June O'Gorman, Sandra Varcoe.

Grade 2 to 3—Frederick Collins, David Varcoe.

Grade 3 to 4—Sandra Blyth, John de Blauw, William Diamond, Patsy Hunter, Stella O'Gorman, Joyce Thomson.

Grade 4 to 5—Patsy Manes.

Grade 5 to 6—Joyce Hunter.

Grade 6 to 7—Gordon Diamond, Gloria McArthur.

Grade 7 to 8—Sharon Blyth.

Grade 8 to 9—Betty McArthur, Mary McIntyre, Donald Thomson, Mary Varcoe, Vera Varcoe.

Mrs. Annie L. Paul is the teacher.

Couple To Reside On Farm At Orton

Belwood United Church was the scene for the wedding of Greta Jean Wolfe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wolfe, Belwood, to John Ross Bessey, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bessey, Guelph.

Rev. R. D. Trank performed the double-ring ceremony. The church was decorated for the occasion with lily-of-the-valley and fern.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length dress of white imported chantilly lace over net and moire silk taffeta. The net bodice was topped with a lace pocket. The skirt was fashioned from deep lake frills. Her nylon fingertip veil was caught with a headress of orange blossoms and white rosebuds. She carried a bouquet of red sweet-pea roses and white stephanotis.

Mrs. Eddie Putson of Fergus as matron of honor wore a ballerina length dress of pink coronation lace with matching headdress and mittens. The skirt had deep frills and the jacket was fitted. She carried a nosegay of blue carnations.

Miss Marion Wolfe, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid, wearing a ballerina length dress of romance blue chantilly lace with matching headdress and mittens. The fitted bodice was accented by rhinestones. She carried a nosegay of pink carnations.

Mr. Elgin Bessey of Hillsburgh, brother of the groom, was best man. The ushers were Mr. Elgin Wolfe, brother of the bride, and Mr. Harry Moore of Hillsburgh.

Robert Trank of Belwood, the soloist, was accompanied by Mrs. Alvin Smith.

A reception for over 80 guests was held in the church parlor.

Mrs. Wolfe received the guests wearing a powder blue crepe dress with white accessories and a corsage of red roses.

The groom's mother assisted wearing a rosewood crepe dress with navy accessories. Her corsage was blue carnations.

For a wedding trip through Northern Ontario, the bride donned a navy gabardine suit. Her accessories were white and red and she wore a corsage of white carnations.

On their return Mr. and Mrs. Bessey will reside on the groom's farm two miles south of Orton.

Out-of-town guests were present from Acton, Rockwood, Fergus, Mono Mills, Shelburne, Grand Valley, Orton, Belwood, Guelph, Laurel and Waldemar.

Japanese Bride Leans To Cook Canadian Style

Montreal (CP) — Pretty Akiko Root knew a little about the Canadian way of life when she came here from Japan—she had already learned how to cook hamburgers and hot dogs.

But her husband, Cpl. Howard Root, 23, admits that even that slight knowledge was more than he knew about Oriental customs when he fell in love with the slim kimono-clad girl.

He recalls that he had to persuade Akiko's eldest brother to act as go-between in the romance.

"Then I sweated it out for three weeks before her father would consent to the marriage," he said.

Cpl. Root, a member of the Royal Canadian Regiment, first saw Akiko when he was transferred to Japan after being wounded in action in Korea. She was a cook in the United States Army dependents' quarters adjacent to the motor work shop where he was stationed.

He fell in love with her almost immediately, but then had to learn how to court a girl Oriental style.

After their engagement he had to persuade his fiancée to give up her kimono for western dress, a task she found "most embarrassing."

She explained she didn't know what sizes she needed under the western system.

The Roots have two children, a boy and girl born in Japan.

Akiko now is adding more western dishes to her original specialties of hamburgers and hot dogs.

Seven Receive Extra Benefits

The Catastrophe Benefit Plan, approved by members at the annual meeting of the Halton Co-operative Medical Services, will be carried out this week when seven members will receive cheques totalling approximately \$2,000.

Occasionally in every community certain people experience hardship every year as a result of unexpected illness or injuries, far more serious than the average conditions for which prepaid hospitalization or surgical contracts were designed. This was evident in the fact that when members of the Halton Co-operative Medical Services who had received extensive hospitalization benefits during the fiscal year ended November 30, 1954, were asked to submit their hospital, medical and surgical costs exceeding \$500, 12 members submitted claims totalling over \$13,000.

Of this number, seven had expenses in excess of \$1,000, totalling over \$9,000 and were thus eligible for Catastrophe benefits. One member had a total expense of \$1,788.75. This could happen to anyone!

Co-operative Medical Services organizations in Ontario are among the first to offer extra benefits for catastrophic illnesses. Luckily, the money for these extra benefits was obtained from the 1954 savings of the Halton Co-operative Medical Services. In view of the fact that medical and surgical costs are steadily rising, careful consideration and study is being given to future plans for catastrophic benefits.

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