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Most Fire Fatalities Are Women, Children

Seven out of ten of all fire fatalities this year will be women and children, according to the All Canada Insurance Federation. Officials of the Federation, which represents more than 200 fire, automobile and casualty insurance companies, said that fire accounted for 500 deaths each year in Canada. Warning that most fires are caused by carelessness, they said that 20 children died in fires last year because they were left unattended by parents.

According to insurance statistics, 1,300 fires occur in Canada each week—more than 80 per cent. of them residential fires. Annual cost for all fires is close to \$100,000,000.

The first golf club in North America was the Royal Montreal, founded in 1873.

Four More Ounces Each a Day Would End Surplus of Milk

If every person in Canada drank just four more ounces of milk a day, there would be no surplus of milk or milk products—yours and old would be better nourished, farmers would be more prosperous and business would profit. This is the view of Dairy Farmers of Canada, the national producers' organization, in bringing to the attention of the nation that June is dairy month. During that month approximately three and a half million cows will be coming into full milk production.

Utilization of dairy products in Canada is not fully understood by consumers, it is pointed out by the producer organization. When the cow population is out on fresh June grass, milk production soars far beyond the ability of the public to drink milk. Actually, on a yearly basis about 30 per cent. of all milk produced is sold as fluid milk and cream. The remainder of the milk in 1955 found its way into the following channels: creamery butter, 43 per cent.; cheese, 6 per cent.; concentrated milk and ice cream, 8 per cent.; dairy butter, 2 per cent.; used on farms, 10 per cent.

Milk and milk products have to be sold in the highly competitive food markets of the country, a fact which becomes even more pressing as export markets diminish. Small dairy surpluses, and they are rarely more than three or four per cent. of the total, have to be disposed of in such a manner that farm prices, already seriously depressed, are not driven further down.

Dairy Farmers of Canada, in the late 1940's, realized that domestic sales of dairy products would have to be increased. To this end their national advertising program was instituted in 1950 and it is given credit for materially helping to increase or stabilize per capita consumption of dairy foods.



HALTON CIVIL DEFENSE graduates are receiving first aid courses from St. John's Ambulance instructors at Milton. Leaders and instructors shown with the first aid manual in the top photo are, left to right, staff sergeant Frank Shannon, Milton, sergeant (St. John's) John Rogers, assistant Harvey Swift, sergeant J. Wallace, Campbellville, corporal Ron Featherstone, Milton. The lower photo shows sergeant Rogers demonstrating one type of artificial respiration.

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Set Mill Rate For Rockwood, Eden, Township

The mill rate for Rockwood for 1956 has been set at 48.2 mills, at 45.2 mills for Eramosa township and 46.2 mills for Eden Mills. Eramosa township council set the rates.

In order to make it a tourist attraction, the Eramosa council is requesting the Ontario Department of Highways to consider improving the land at The Marker, erected by the Wellington County Historical Society on No. 7 Highway at the Guelph township and Eramosa town line. The councilors expressed the opinion that if the spot is level and landscaped it would set out the marker and prove to be a fine tourist attraction.

The road superintendent was instructed to purchase 80 tons of bulk calcium to be delivered by June 10.

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CAMPBELLVILLE Ladies' Aid Receives Letter from Formosa

Mrs. William Roberts was hostess to the Ladies' Aid on Wednesday evening. The president, Mrs. Crawford, opened the meeting with hymn 748. Mrs. Roberts read Psalm 146. The Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison. Reports were given by the secretary-treasurer and cheer secretary.

Plans were made for the quilting for the bazaar. It was decided to give a donation for the Vacation Bible School to be held in July. Several items of business were discussed.

Mrs. Greenlees read an interesting letter received from Rev. James Sutherland in Formosa. Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland had spent their holidays in Hong Kong.

Thirteen members answered the roll call. The offering was received and dedicated with the Doxology. After singing another hymn, the meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. J. K. Mahon and a social half hour was enjoyed.

Several ladies attended the Guelph Presbyterian Rally held in Kitchener on Wednesday evening where Miss Laura Pelton was the guest speaker.

Ladies' Ball League Returns W. Korzack

William Korzack, Glen Williams, was returned as president for a second term at the annual meeting of Halton ladies' rural softball league in Milton court house.

Marilyn Cunningham, Norval, is secretary-treasurer and Mrs. Lloyd Fickering, Trafalgar, vice-president. Representatives attended from Hornby, Haltonville, Trafalgar, Norval, Omagh, Lowville, Palermo and Glen Williams.

Practical Address Given by Mrs. Dilts

May 9, the residence of Mrs. William Early, were the time and setting for the meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of Ebenezer church. The guest speaker on this occasion was Mrs. Dilts of Rockwood. She was introduced by Mrs. Wynne Durbar, who was in charge of the devotional part of the meeting.

"Use what you have in your hands—pray that your hands and their usefulness may further God's Kingdom and your own happiness, and life will be worth living." This was the theme of a very practical talk by Mrs. Dilts. Discussion followed the talk and several questions were asked and answered.

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