

CHURCHILL

Rev. James Kirkwood Speaker At United Church on Sunday

Rev. James Kirkwood of Saskatoon was the guest minister at Churchill United Church on Sunday and preached a very inspiring message. Mr. Kirkwood is from Ballinafad and was sent out West as a student minister.

Mrs. Don Nelson and Donald Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Lawrence and Barb, of Toronto visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thompson have returned home after spending two weeks vacation at their cottage on Musoka Lake at Bracebridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Carvell and family of Leveak visited on Sunday at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ford.

Miss Yvonne Bragg of Toronto is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Alfred Saunders.

Miss Carol Ann and Mr. Robert Dawson have returned to their home at Oil Springs after holidaying at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred MacArthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thompson visited with Mrs. Margaret Birney, Neil and John at Sudbury.

Visitors over the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freeman were Miss Eileen Anderson of Powassan, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Graff and Greta of Burlington, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Freeman, Misses Gertrude and Bernice of Rockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Freeman of Milton, Mrs. Lloyd Anderson and boys of Powassan and Mrs. Bert Robertson and family of Osprey, Mr. and Mrs. Clare MacArthur of Welland is holidaying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred MacArthur.

Mr. Lloyd Anderson and family of Powassan have been visiting at the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. William Dobbie and visiting other friends.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Binnie were Sargeant and Mrs. W. A. Johnson and baby daughter of Downsview. The young people are to have the service at Churchill Church for next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Binnie visited on Sunday with Mrs. Alexander of Erin. Visitors at the same home were Mr. and Mrs. W. Grant of Craven/Sask.

Spectators Recommend By-Law Urge Council to Take Action

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division where he also resides, told the spectators it had been stated that other industries had caused a greater odor than the one noticeable in Acton and other nuisances but there had been no suggestion that they close down.

Be Reasonable

The councillor pointed out steps had been taken and through time the nuisance had been cleared up. He suggested if people were prepared to be reasonable and consider other families that would be affected by the industry closing, things might work out providing the company, was trying 100 per cent. to eliminate the cause of the odor.

Much Revenue

Mr. Bishop informed council he had painted his house three times in the past three and a half years and the paint had been affected by the spray. He was told by councillor B. Rachin that if there was sufficient evidence to substantiate his story no doubt there was something that could be done.

The councillor also stated "If a plant like this were to close down and the revenue cut off, you would have another reason to leave town as there is a great deal of revenue derived from it."

After council assured the spectators further action would be taken many of them left.

A resolution was approved to

urge the O.W.R.C. to make a thorough study of the causes of deterioration of the south spring well.

Councillor W. McLeod opposed this action as he informed his colleagues it would be adding insult to injury as the O.W.R.C. had already been requested by the Public Utilities Commission to investigate and they were doing everything within their power at present.

Town Assessor

Council agreed to advertise in the Municipal World for a town assessor at a salary range from \$3,600 to \$4,500 depending on qualifications.

The road committee was empowered to engage the Godson Contracting Company to pave sections of the highway No. 7 on Main and Young Streets.

Deputy Reeve J. Greer informed council the Department of Highways would pay 75 per cent. of the cost of the paving with the town assuming the balance.

R. L. Davidson requested council's action in cutting weeds along the right of way to the Churchill Road Spring and was informed it was the responsibility of the P.U.C. and suggested they be contacted about the problem.

J. T. Hurst was granted power of attorney in the absence of clerk J. McGeachie during his holiday period.

Where, When?

Brittle Pages Pose Mystery Search Newspaper for Clues

The newspaper backing in an old mirror posed a puzzle for the Huisman family at 175 Mill St. Brown and brittle with age, the newspaper was a cipher since the top of the pages was missing and there was no dateline or indication of place.

Marie Huisman brought the small old piece of newspaper to the Free Press office this week, and it makes challenging reading.

When was it printed? The date is finally established by a small weather synopsis which compared a temperature of 60 degrees in 1897 with 58, degrees in 1896. So: the date was 1897.

The place? There are a few want ads visible offering real estate for sale, and the addresses are all on Madison Ave. or Broadway—hence it was in New York.

Temperate Advertiser

The name of the newspaper? Two young men are advertising for positions. One, who signs himself Temperate, requests replies be sent to Box 173 Sun office, and the other to Typewriter, Box 183 Sun office. So it was the New York Sun.

With all that established, we look to see what the news is in the newspaper. So here are some of the headlines.

"Where is Mrs. Nopenny? She disappeared from Williamsburg last October and a sister is hunting for her."

"Stove Full of Bees. They made

things lively for an Italian junkman and caused his horse to run away."

"Violence at a Mine. Strikes assault employees of a coal company."

"Meeting in an uproar. Stalwart Republicans denounce the city's attempts to dictate and then withdraw."

Murder, Drowning

Sections of type also reveal meagre details about a drowning and a murder trial.

Next thing to look at were the advertisements. And here are some of the New York bargains:

"Shoes, sizes 5 1/2 to 10 1/2. 75 cents; sizes 11 to 2, 95 cents."

"Imported satin finish plaids, well worth one dollar, 69 cents. Splendid Value! Plaids will be very fashionable."

"Five acres for \$150 on Long Island, easy terms; \$2 per month and up."

"Lovely building lots by the sea, \$15 to \$30; installment plan. Circulars sent."

"Elegant furnished rooms, \$1.50 to \$5, for respectable couples."

The old paper is in the Free Press window this week.

SORRY

News items omitted from this week's issue of the Free Press will appear next week. Lack of space prevented all articles being included but correspondents can be assured their news items will appear next week.

Plaque Unveiled at Guelph Honoring Memory of Settlers

An interesting event took place Saturday afternoon in Royal City Park, Guelph, when a plaque was unveiled, under the auspices of the Wellington County Historical Research Society, to honor the memory of the La Guayra Settlers who in 1825 journeyed from Scotland on a ship named "Planet" to La Guayra in South America, and later on came to Canada.

After arriving in Canada John Galt rendered them some assistance in settling in Ontario. One interesting feature of the event was the presence of Colin M. Blyth, grandson of Janet Macdonald, one of the 135 settlers, who had the privilege of unveiling the plaque.

Mr. Brock Davis, president of the Historical Society was chairman, and called on Mr. Fred Dixon who represented Mayor Hastings in welcoming all present to Guelph. Hon. John Root of Wellington-Dufferin spoke at some length and mentioned that it was through the Department of Travel and Publicity that the historic plaques were made possible.

Others who also spoke were Mr. Alf D. Hales, M.P. Wellington South; Mr. G. F. Koch, chairman of Guelph Planning Board; Prof. J. M. S. Careless who represents Archaeological and Historic Sites Board.

Mrs. John Bould who was wearing the plaid sashes of two orders of which she is president, "Daughters of Scotland" and "Jane Kennedy Auxiliary to Order of Scottish Clans", congratulated the Historical Society on the work they do.

A member of Guelph Pipe Band John Laird contributed selections, before the program and during the unveiling. Closest descendant to Joseph Macdonald at the ceremony was Mrs. Jennie Davis, a granddaughter who lives in Detroit and is 90 years of age. She was born in Morden in a house no longer standing and also went to school there. Nine descendants of Joseph Macdonald were present for the afternoon ceremony.

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Acton, Ont.
INSURANCE AGENCY

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SPARE RIBS 39

ALL POPULAR BRANDS

CIGARETTES 3.05 Carton

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● Why Pay More Elsewhere - When You May Buy For Less Here ●

LEDGER'S I.G.A.

AUGUST IS

Sandwich Time



SAVE ON THESE SANDWICH ITEMS FEATURED AT IGA!

GOLD SEAL TUNA - 29c (7 oz. Tin)

PEANUT BUTTER - 29c (16 oz. Jar)

SWEET PICKLES - 29c (16 oz. Jar)

WAX PAPER - 29c (100 ft. Roll)

BONELESS CHICKEN 269c (7 oz. Tins)

STRAWBERRY JAM - 45c (24 oz. Jar)

CHEESE SLICES - 29c (1/2 lb. Pkg.)

IGA ROYAL GUEST BREAD 18c (24 oz. Loaf)

FROZEN FOOD FEATURE B.C. Chipsteaks 29c (5 oz. Package)

WATERMELONS 59c (18 lb. AVERAGE EACH)

Clusters of Cool Juicy Flavour U.S. No. 1 Grade

Seedless Grapes 3 3/4 39c

Frying or Roasting CHICKENS 35 (FRESH GRADE "A" 2 1/2 to 3 lb. Average)

Cooked Ham 39c (TABLERITE SLICED 6 oz. Pkg.)