

Helen Luxton married in Fergus

Rev. Beverley Brightling of Toronto officiated at the wedding of his brother, John Edward Stewart Brightling, and Helen Margaret Luxton, Rev. Bruce Peglar also officiated at the ceremony at St. James Anglican Church Fergus.

The church was decorated with candles, and white chrysanthemums on the altar and baskets of yellow and white chrysanthemums in the sanctuary. Mrs. M. S. McEwen of Fergus was the organist.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. William Grier Luxton of Fergus and the late Rev. Mr. Luxton, who was rector at St. Alban's parish for several years. Luxton Hall is named in his memory.

The bride has been living in London, Ontario. The bridegroom is a son of Mrs. William H. Brightling of Toronto and the late Mr. Brightling. He is on the staff of Port Credit secondary school.

The bride was given in marriage by her grandfather, Mr. Arthur J. Holbrook of Guelph. Her floor length gown was of white silk organza. The bodice was highlighted by a yoke effect of chintilly lace forming a scalloped neckline. Her chapel train cascading at the back was embellished with appliques of chintilly lace. A French silk illusion fingertip veil was caught up by a detailed lace headpiece touched with tiny seed pearls and crystals. She carried a white prayer book adorned with yellow roses, stephanotis and lily.

Marian Luxton of Woodstock was maid of honor for her sister, Junior bridesmaids were Marilyn Livingstone of Cooksville, a cousin of the bride and Susan Brightling of Toronto, a niece of the bridegroom.

They wore similar floor length gowns of birchleaf chiffon over tulle with matching roselle headresses. They carried

cascade bouquets of yellow chasta daisies.

Col. Wallace Hoblitt of Washington, D.C., was best man. Ushers were Kenneth Brightling and Nelson Dancy both of Toronto.

A reception was held in the Elizabeth Room of the Royal Hotel, Guelph. The bride's mother received wearing a pink lace sheath dress with matching

cost, picture hat and a corsage of deep pink roses.

The groom's mother wore an aquamarine silk dress with white accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

For a motor trip through the British Isles the bride wore a rose suit with matching flowered hat and mauve orchid corsage. On their return they will reside in Mississauga.

Study Martin Luther, J. Calvin background of Protestantism

The Ladies' Aid and Women's Missionary meetings of Nassagawaya Presbyterian Church were held on Thursday, July 4 at 8:00 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Grant Campbell. The meeting of Ladies' Aid opened with singing, "O for a closer walk with God," followed by a recital of The Lord's Prayer. The minutes of the last meeting were read by

Mrs. Roberts and approved. A letter was read from Miss Shirley Dredge.

There was a discussion concerning a wedding to be celebrated on July 27 and the same committee as previously named was chosen consisting of Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Cargill and Mrs. Henderson. A price was set for covering and tying quilts. The collection was taken and dedicated by Mrs. Henderson. The hymn, "Our loved Dominion Heavens," closed this meeting.

The Women's Missionary Society was chaired by Mrs. Norris who read a poem and prayer. Mrs. Cargill read the minutes. Mrs. Norris reported that Miss Elsie Cavory had given a delightful acceptance of her invitation to come as guest speaker for the "Thank Offering" meeting in October. The President gave a report on the June 26 gathering of the Hamilton Presbyterian where Mr. Morehan of Toronto spoke of the great needs of the people in Cuba. The roll call was answered by a verse containing the word "grace." The offering was dedicated by Mrs. Kennedy.

The topic for the group was taken by Mrs. J. Dredge, Mrs.

J. Zehr and Mrs. R. Solder, and was taken from Proverbs 22. This chapter was read responsively, led by Mrs. Dredge. "Soldiers of Christ arise and put your armour on," was sung and Mrs. Roberts led in prayer. Mrs. Zehr told of the background of Protestantism which goes back to the time of Martin Luther, and how he was excommunicated by Pope Leo X. He

translated the Bible from Latin to German and maintained that the Bible was the only authority. This started the eventual breakdown between church and state.

Mrs. Solder then told of the life of John Calvin and his interest in the doctrine of reformation. Some of his doctrines are included in the Westminster Confession of Faith.

After singing a hymn, "Faith of our Fathers," the meeting closed. Mrs. Henderson as courtesy convener thanked the hostesses and each one who helped in the program, and lunch was served.

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Mr. and Mrs. Donald Reed celebrate 45th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Reed, 1105 Ave., celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary recently at the home of their son, Garnet Reed, R.R.3, Proton Station, with an open house gathering.

The Reeds retired from active life in the fall of 1964, and moved to Acton where they occupy an apartment at the home of their son Stewart and family.

Besides the adults present at the open house 11 grandchildren were also present. Numerous cards and gifts were received from the family, neighbors and friends.

The Free Press joins in congratulating the couple. Mrs. Reed is the capable news reporter for the Acton Golden Age Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed have a family of four, three sons and a daughter, comprising Stewart, Acton; Flora, Mrs. Blain Edmondson, Burlington; Garnet, Victoria Corners; and Don, Wingham, Ontario.

Mrs. Fred Bannion and Mrs. Grant Bolts poured tea for 100 guests during the afternoon from a lace covered table covered by a decorated anniversary cake made by the Reeds' daughter Flora (Mrs. Blain Edmondson) and decorated by Mrs. Gilbert McConnell. The setting of table, flanked by sprays of flowers, tall lighted candles and floral arrangements featured sapphire colors in keeping with the 45th anniversary.

A delicious treat of Strawberry shortcake was served by the lunch committee and hostesses and enjoyed by all.

Mrs. J. Thompson courtesy convener, thanked the hostesses for her kind hospitality and use of her home.



Mr. and Mrs. Reed

Don and Elsie (Hendry) Reed were united in marriage at Monmouth on June 20, 1923. They lived in the northern districts of Ontario until 1949 when they moved from South Porcupine to settle on the farm now occupied by their son Garnet and family.



"Evan DeGaulle can't fix de weather"

Greenock W.I. hears talk on leather by G. K. Mance

Greenock Women's Institute met on the evening of July 9 at the home of Mrs. James McCulloch, Acton.

Sixteen members and five visitors were present for an interesting meeting prepared by the Convenors "Agriculture and Canadian Industry."

Roll call answered by the members was "some place I have visited this summer" and introduced the guest you brought with you to the meeting to-night.

Mrs. Alfred Winters, convener of the program introduced her guest speaker, Mr. Mance of "White's Tannery", a local industry.

He brought with him several beautiful pieces of finished leathers which the ladies all admired. He also answered questions on processing of leathers and different finishes in use at his plant.

Mrs. A. Winters thanked Mr. Mance for his very interesting talk.

Plans were made for the annual picnic for the members and their families to be held this year at the picnic grounds of Mr. and Mrs. William McDonald, R.R.2, Acton, on Sunday August 11, at one o'clock.

An executive meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. G. Wallace on Tuesday evening August 6.

A delicious treat of Strawberry shortcake was served by the lunch committee and hostesses and enjoyed by all.

Mrs. J. Thompson courtesy convener, thanked the hostesses for her kind hospitality and use of her home.

Policemen, friends fete Staff Sergeant

Follow Milton O.P.P. officers, guests from neighboring police departments and friends hold a farewell party in honor of Staff Sgt. C. J. "Jack" Parkinson at Boyne Community Centre south of Milton Friday evening.

On behalf of his co-workers and friends, Const. Jim Hodson presented a wallet and an engraved desk namplate to the popular head of the Milton detachment, Staff Sgt. Parkinson was recently promoted from Sergeant, and transferred on the weekend to the Kitchener O.P.P. detachment.

He had been connected with the Milton O.P.P. detachment for the past five years, first as a Corporal and then as Sgt. and commanding officer for the past 15 months.

300 at annual I.O.F. picnic

Nearly 300 hundred people attended the annual picnic of Court 1159, The Independent Order of Foresters at Harnby Park, June 30.

Features of the day included rides on Garnet Howden's antique fire truck and J. Anscombe's ponies.

Races, conducted by "Bubbles the Clown" from Hamilton, resulted in each of the children receiving a prize. Pop and ice cream was subsequently distributed free.

Winners of the draws included L. Lister who netted a chaise longue, Mrs. Joyce Diamond receiving a lawn chair and Cathy Boughton who won the bicycle offered in the children's draw.

The day ended with a buffet supper served by Mrs. Jack Montgomery and Mrs. Andy King.

Free Press Personals

John Mowat is spending his vacation at Whitehorse, Yukon Territory, visiting with Richard Currie.

Master Scott Masales is home again after several days' stay in Guelph General Hospital.

Mr. Jack Frank, Church St. is a patient in Milton District Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barnes have left on a motor trip to New Brunswick this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Elliott have returned from a vacation spent in the New England States and Maritime provinces.

Local Orange Lodge members who went to Stratford Saturday for further celebrations were C. K. Brown, 98, and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fuller.

Alex Near is a patient in Guelph General Hospital. His many friends are hoping for an improvement in health for him.

Alan Odenbach, R.T., C.D., former Milton Chief Technician, has recently taken over as manager of the new laboratory and radiology department in the Acton Medical Centre.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davidson and Mr. and Mrs. Robert McEnery enjoyed a trip to Manitowlin Island and Elliott Lake during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Lindsay and daughters spent holidays at Sauble Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Van Schalm of Nykork, Holland, are visiting for the next three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. John Van der Brink, Main St. N. Their first visit to Canada, the Van Schalm's hope to visit many places of interest in Ontario, including Algonquin Park. Joe Van Schalm is a nephew of John Van der Brink's and this is a return visit. The Van der Brinks stayed with the Van Schalm's last year on their visit to Holland.

Albert Ford is in Guelph Hospital where he underwent surgery this week.

Auction sale

The Board of Managers and Ladies' Aid of Nassagawaya Presbyterian Church, Haltonville recently held a successful auction sale.

Max Storey was auctioneer and J. C. McIntyre acted as clerk. Both are former members of the church.

Entertain Rhythm Band at Mrs. Jim Bradshaw's

The Rhythm Band of the Golden Age Club was graciously entertained by their pianist, Mrs. Jim Bradshaw, and her husband, at their attractive home at 9 Cameron St. on Sunday afternoon.

The Congenial Group enjoyed a social chat and pleasant fellowship with a background of recorded music. Lovely Colleen De Bruyn, the Bradshaws' oldest granddaughter played several old favorite songs on her accordion. Mrs. A. Wylie recited a number of amusing poems.

In the shady yard, a beautiful meal was served, of roast turkey, various delicious salads and relishes, followed by ice cream and cake. Father Morgan

evoked the Blessing. Before dispersing, Mr. Davidson expressed in a few well-chosen words, the gratitude of the Band for the delightful afternoon of king hospitality.

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