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OBITUARY

OLIVER WILLOUGHBY

The death occurred in Chicago General Hospital on Wednesday, July 25th, from heat prostration, of Oliver Willoughby, son of the late Rev. John and Mrs. Willoughby, age 39 years. Mr. Willoughby was a former Georgetown boy, having attended school here in his boyhood days. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife and four children, also three brothers and one sister, Rev. B. A. Willoughby, Chicago, Elmer Willoughby, Chicago, Floyd Willoughby, Winnipeg, and Mrs. Harry Blackford, Georgetown. The sympathy of the community goes out to Mrs. Blackford in her sad bereavement.

TOO MANY ACCIDENTS

Another long list of week-end accidents are recorded. Water and highways have taken their toll through thoughtlessness and folly. Press reports of the accidents would show that had the ordinary precaution been taken there would have been no accidents. Why will people not read and learn? Why will people persist in doing those things that cause injury and death? It is not because there has not been sufficient warnings. It is not for lack of instruction. It does seem that people are carried away from all precaution on the highways and in the waters for a fraction of a second. The small lapse causes the trouble. Train the mind as you will to act there is a limit to its power. Men drive cars till they use up every ounce of energy. They are not just as ready to act in the emergency and the faction causes the lapse. People go into water holes and on beaches and do not heed the signs nor the advice of those who know the shores. They take chances and find that they are not equal to the danger. All these accidents are the direct result of not taking the necessary precaution. Those innocent are very often killed or hurt because someone did not take the precaution. There is but one way that these accidents can be overcome. Be sure that you do not do any of those fool hardy things. Plan to drive your car only when you have your full strength and are in a fit condition. Plan to enter no waters unless you know something of the tides, the shore and the undercurrents. Plan to stay in shallow waters unless you can swim with confidence and have perfect strength to do the distance. Do not dive unless you know the waters and then be sure that you are physically fit. If everyone will only take the necessary precaution of stopping and thinking before they act they will find that there are many pleasant hours in store for them and life is very sweet.

SUMMER MEETING OF HAMILTON JOCKEY CLUB

Patrons of the turf, who like to witness their sport among ideal surroundings and in solid comfort, will be interested to know that the second summer meeting of the Hamilton Jockey Club opens this coming Saturday, August 4th. The Hamilton track is one of the most popular on the circuit both with the public and with horsemen. This is largely due to the fact that it is one of the most picturesque and well-kept racing plants on the continent. Horsemen are loud in their praise of the splendid condition in which the two tracks, the regular course and the grass track, are always kept, while race-goers enjoy the attractive landscaping and neat appearance of the entire course.

The racing at the pending meeting should be of a high order as there will be no shortage of horses on hand. All the leading stables now racing in Canada will be represented, together with several newcomers, whose presence will no doubt add interest to the sport. The book program, which was issued some time ago, caters to all class of horses and should bring out large fields in every event. There is one or more features offered each day and these should bring together the better class of performers.

2.30 p.m. has been set for the post time of the first race each day.

Wallace - Harlow Wedding

The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Harlow, Chestnut St., formerly of Norwich, was the scene of a charming wedding Saturday afternoon last when their eldest daughter, Helen Dorothy, was united in marriage to John Wallace Jr., son of John Wallace, Br. and the late Mrs. Wallace of St. Thomas. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Norman McLeod, of the Brampton Baptist Church.

At high noon the bridal party took places under an arch decorated with summer flowers, ferns and ribbons. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was gowned in white mousseline de soie, cut on princess lines, with a shoulder cape trimmed in tulle, white picture hat and shoulder bouquet of roses.

The bride was attended by Miss Florence Harlow, of Norwich, her sister, as maid of honor, and Miss Dorothy Blocker, St. Thomas, bridesmaid. Miss Harlow wore a gown of pink organdie, and Miss Blocker wore green organdie, each dress set off by white accessories and shoulder sprays of pink roses. Herbert Harlow acted as best man, and Fred Lucas, St. Thomas, as usher.

Following the service the bridal party and guests were received by the bride's mother at a buffet luncheon. Mrs. Harlow wore brown triple sheer crepe, Miss Nellie Blocker, St. Thomas, Miss Gladys Martin and Miss Nancy Perry, Georgetown, assisted in serving the luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace left for a honeymoon in Hamilton and Georgian Bay, after which they will reside in St. Thomas. The bride travelling in a short ensemble of navy blue crepe, contrasted by white purse, shoes and hat. Guests were present at the service from St. Thomas, Norwich, Hamilton, Collingwood and Georgetown.

CHURCH NEWS

Scripture Text

"And be not conformed to this world; but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable and perfect will of God." Rom. 12: 2.

St. George's Church

Rev. W. O. O. Thompson, Rector.
Tenth Sunday after Trinity: Holy Communion 8 a.m., Sunday School 10 a.m., Holy Communion 11 a.m., Evensong 7 p.m.

Sunday School picnic on Saturday, August 4th, leaving church for Bwastika Beach at 9.30 a.m.

St. Alban's Church, Glen Williams

Sunday after Trinity: Matins 9.30 a.m., Sunday School 10.30 a.m.

Holy Cross Church

Mass in Georgetown — Sunday, August 5th at 9 a.m.; Sunday, August 12th at 10.30 a.m.

Salvation Army

Sunday next: Crewson's Corners 11 a.m., Sunday School 3 p.m. Salvation Meeting 7 p.m.

Knox Presbyterian Church

Rev. Dr. A. L. Howard, Minister.
Sunday, August 5th—At 10 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Classes. At 11 a.m. public worship, conducted by the Pastor. There will be morning service only during August.

HEALTH REPORT

The following is the report of communicable diseases by the M.O.H. to Georgetown Board of Health for July, 1934:—

Diphtheria	0
Scarlet Fever	0
Chickenpox	0
Measles	0
German Measles	1
Mumps	0
Infantile Paralysis	0
Typhoid Fever	0
Whooping-Cough	0
Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis	0

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Georgetown Fall Fair Board Elect Officers

FAIR TO BE HELD THIS YEAR ON OCTOBER 5th AND 6th

The Esquesing Agricultural Society, which was unable to carry on last year owing to financial conditions, has decided to hold a fall fair this year on Oct. 5th and 6th.

The following committees were appointed at the meeting of the Board last Tue day evening:—

Heavy horses—L. E. Mullin and T. J. Brownridge.

Light Horses—J. Fisher and C. Moffatt.

Cattle—W. J. Alexander, T. H. Cook and T. L. Leslie.

Sheep and swine—Martin Near and W. C. Anthony.

Poultry—C. Chisholme, Geo. Davis and G. O. Brown.

Vegetables and grain—T. L. Leslie and W. C. Reasey.

Fruit and flowers—Martin Near and H. L. Hutt.

Dairy—A. Maclaren.

Domestic science—Mrs. A. Devereaux, Mrs. H. Cleave and Mrs. W. V. Grant.

Ladies work—Mrs. J. M. Moore, Mrs. W. Nodwell, Mrs. O. W. McLintock, Mrs. J. Fisher, Mrs. W. C. Anthony, Mrs. E. McWhirter, Mrs. J. A. Elliott, Mrs. George Currie, and Mrs. W. C. Leslie.

Races—Dr. R. Paul, Jr., Frank Petch and J. A. Elliott.

Concessions—President George Leslie, Chief W. G. Marshall and George Currie.

Sports—A. Maclaren, Frank Petch, Dr. R. Paul, Jr., and O. W. McLintock.

Advertising—George Leslie, A. Maclaren, T. L. Leslie, W. C. Anthony, and W. A. Wilson.

TERRA COTTA

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Townsend of Grand Valley, who have been renewing old acquaintances here, have returned home.

Our merchants report trade quite brisk again.

Mrs. E. Lyons had a very successful sale recently. Mr. Frank Petch, our popular auctioneer, wielded the stick in his usual good manner.

We are pleased to learn that the Halton Brick Co. expects to resume here shortly, after having been closed down for a couple of years. This will eventually give employment to a number of our local citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Burger, of Credit Forks have moved into Mr. Hugh Logan's house on the 10th Line.

Harvest operations are now in full swing and promise to be a crop.

Mr. O. McDonald, Misses Bessie McDonald and Ruth Clifton have gone on a motor trip to the Soo. We wish them a pleasant trip.

Mr. W. J. Rutledge reports doing a rushing trade in his gravel pit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Marlow and family have moved to Toronto.

ACTON

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Easter left on Monday by motor for a trip to Arlington, Mass. Mrs. W. Colas accompanied them, to visit her brother-in-law at Beechwood, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Meyers and daughter Elaine and Audrey have been visiting at the home of D. H. Young. On Friday last Mr. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Meyers, Mr. I. and Miss M. H. Young of Georgetown, left on a motor trip. They visited North Bay and spent a day fishing in Restoule Lake in the French River district. They followed the trans-Canada highway to Ottawa, returning home by Prescott and Kingston.

The benefit baseball concert last week for "Minute" Walters, whowas injured in a baseball game, was well patronized. Lucky prizes for admission numbers went to Frank Gibbons, Bob Marshall and H. S. Holmes.

The services of Acton Citizens' Band are much in demand these days and the concerts they provide are very popular. On Sunday they gave varied and popular concerts at Erin and in Acton. Last evening they took part in a garden party program at Ebenezer Church. Next Sunday they will play at Edgewood Park, in Eden Mills, and their own garden party on Thursday next. On Monday evening, August 6, they will play at Freelton.—Free Press.

MILTON

Miss Ethel Brennan and Miss Alma Greer of Bowmanville, visited Miss Brennan's sisters, Mrs. F. L. White of Milton, and Mrs. W. J. Hill of Glen Williams, over the week end.

Miss Dorthy Denyes entertained on Saturday afternoon in honor of Miss Mary Stewart, of Toronto, formerly of Milton, who is to be married early next month to W. Sinclair. The occasion was a miscellaneous shower.

The officers, teachers and children of Grace Church Sunday school, here, enjoyed their picnic, which was held at Bronte Beach on Friday afternoon.

The funeral of the late Thomas W. Greenlees, one of Milton's well known and highly esteemed citizens, took place from his late residence, Main Street, here on Friday last at 2.30 p.m. The service was conducted by Rev. C. D. Draper of Beamsville, formerly of Milton, and Rev. J. N. McPaul. Deceased was born in Nelson township.

Thomas Davidson Hume, one of Milton's well-known citizens and for many years owner of the Princess Theatre here, died at Guelph General Hospital last week, after several weeks' illness. In his 68th year, he was an active member of Knox Presbyterian Church and a past master of St. Clair Masonic Lodge, Milton, and a past president of the Milton Golf and Country Club. His wife died six years ago. One son, Rex Hume, of Burlington, survives.—Champion.

BALLINAFAD

Mr. and Mrs. G. McMenemy have returned after spending some time with friends at Listowell.

Mrs. E. Shortill and Fred are enjoying a holiday with friends in Michigan.

Miss K. McKay's many friends were very sorry to learn of her removal to Guelph hospital last week and all wish her a very speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Shortill visited friends in Guelph on Sunday.

The W.M.S. of the United Church held their July meeting on the Manse grounds on Wednesday afternoon. The societies of Acton, Melville and Churchill being their guests. Mrs. H. Inglehart of Palermo, first vice-president of the Halton Presbyterial, was guest speaker and gave a very helpful address on "The Holy Spirit." Miss Jessie McKay gave an excellent Bible study from St. John's gospel and Miss B. Hilts led in prayer. The Acton auxiliary contributed two very delightful musical numbers. While the ladies were preparing to serve refreshments some of the Mission Band girls put on a contest. Though the day was extremely hot there were about sixty in attendance and all report a very helpful and enjoyable time. The August meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Robt. McEnery.

During Rev. Mr. Aitken's absence on holidays Mr. J. McDermid of Georgetown will have charge of the services on August 5th and 12th. On Sunday, August 12th the service will be in charge of the Young People's Society and on Sunday, August 26th, the W. M.S. will take charge.

Halton Liberal-Progressive Picnic at Oakville

The second annual picnic and gathering of Halton Liberals and Progressives will be held this year at Trafalgar Park, Oakville, on Saturday, 11th August. Last year's gathering in the same place was a great success, but this year it had been intended to meet in some other part of Halton County. The victory of 19th June, however, has caused a change in the plans and has resulted in preparations for an appropriate festival or carnival of celebration. Oakville remains the place of assembly, as it is the home of Halton's member, Mr. Thomas A. Blakelock, who was returned with a greatly increased majority. Last year Mr. Blakelock was the host. This year his neighbours entertain him. An honored guest is the Honorable A. W. Roebuck, Attorney General, who will represent the Ontario Government, and who will address the gathering in the evening. There will be other speakers, and the Honorable Harry C. Nixon, Provincial Secretary, and one of Mr. Blakelock's fellow members in the last Legislature, has been asked to present to the gathering Mr. Blakelock's achievements in public life.

The festivities will commence at 1 p.m. and will last until midnight. There will be sports and races for men and women, boys and girls, and attractive prizes will be given to the winners and runner-up. Two ladies' softball teams are to give an exhibition game. The Oakville band will be in attendance. There will be a variety of stands for light lunches, ice cream and cold drinks. Tea and coffee will be provided free. Each child will be given an ice cream cone, and of the estimated attendance of over five thousand, it is anticipated that fifteen hundred will be children. In the evening comes a variety entertainment by versatile and talented performers will be provided on a large stage in front of the covered grand stand. Train, about 9 o'clock, Mr. Roebuck and Mr. Blakelock will be appropriately welcomed and will give addresses. A number of former Liberal candidates in Halton County will also speak.

It is hoped that Conservatives, as well as Liberals, will participate in the gathering, and to all residents of Halton County, the committee in charge extends a cordial invitation. An official souvenir programme will be available, each copy of which will be numbered, and useful and valuable premiums will be given the holders of lucky numbers.

ERIN

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson of Georgetown spent Sunday with Mrs. Leslie.

Misses Helen and Doris Hush are holidaying with relatives in Toronto and Buffalo.

Mrs. Herbert Arscott, of Erin, suffered bruises and shock, when a car driven by her husband was sideswiped by another car driven by John Eves, Tornto, a short distance from Bellfountain, last Sunday evening.

A quiet, but pretty wedding took place at All Saint's Church, Erin, at noon, on Saturday, July 21st, when Muriel Mabel Watson, second youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Watson, Orton, was united in marriage with Mr. Lorne J. Donaldson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Presley Donaldson, Waldemar. Rev. F. C. Jackson officiating.

J. H. Gibson recently constructed a novel fly trap and has it set up in a window in his garage, where it is doing its intended purpose effectively.—Advocate.

LIMEHOUSE

Miss Jessie Coles of Acton, spent a couple of days last week with Glenvale Hill.

Our baseball team played a losing game here on Friday night with the Stewarttown nine. We are looking forward to them redeeming themselves on Thursday night of this week in Stewarttown.

Despite the showery weather last Thursday afternoon and evening, the garden party on the United Church grounds that evening was a decided success. There was a good attendance and a splendid program.

On Tuesday of last week, while shoeing a horse, Mr. Sidney Kirkpatrick was knocked over by the horse, receiving a painful injury to his right knee. It was thought at first to be only a bad bruise, but inflamation has set in necessitating complete rest and having the knee in a plaster cast. We sincerely trust it may not be for long, and that Mr. Kirkpatrick may soon be able to be about his work again.

The Girls Lookout Club held their monthly meeting on Saturday afternoon last, at the home of Miss Olive Marshall. The President, Miss Jean Given took charge of the meeting. After the regular business had been conducted Miss Jean Given gave an interesting paper on "Lack of Rain," and Miss W Ivens of Toronto, in her usual delightful and interesting manner, related some of her experiences in Paris and Belgium during her trip to the British Isles and the Continent last year.

The Women's Association of the Presbyterian Church had a quilting bee at the home of Mrs. John Newton on Tuesday of this week.

Messrs. Wm. and Ralph Marshall and Mrs. Hill of Toronto visited Mr. R. Marshall and daughter during the week end.

Mrs. A. L. Marshall, who has been visiting her mother Mrs. James McDowell, contracted a cold and has been confined to bed the past few days. We trust she will soon be about again and able to enjoy her holiday.

Mr. Kenneth Stephenson was home for a day or two last week to attend the garden party, returning to camp at the end of the week.

Rev. C. Jones of Nassagaweya occupied the pulpit at the Presbyterian Church last Sunday. Rev. Dr. Howard will, it is expected, return to his duties on Sunday next.

Miss Nellie Bwackhamer of Detroit and Mrs. Wm. McKechnie of Toledo, who have been visiting with their mother and sister here, left for their respective homes on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gowdy and children of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Gowdy during the week. Mrs. Gowdy taking part in the program at the garden party on Thursday night.

Mrs. Follett and Miss Grace returned to Toronto the latter part of the week to attend the wedding of Mr. Clarence Follett on Saturday last. They have, however, returned to the cottage again.

Miss Helen Gale of Toronto visited with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. Gale, on Saturday last.

While playing on a pile of ties on Saturday, Master Ronny Davies had the misfortune to run a sliver into his hand which required medical attention to have it removed.

Miss Elsie Davies is holidaying at Bronte this week.

Mr. A. L. Marshall spent the week end at the home of Mrs. J. McDowell.

Miss Beatrice Lane underwent an operation for removal of tonsils on Monday at Guelph Hospital. We trust she will soon be home and enjoy better health than she has done for some considerable time.

"The motion picture industry of the United States is the most glaring example of what uncontrolled imagination can do."—S. Parkes Cadman.

Picturesque Georgetown Property Sold for $15,000

J. A. Willoughby, realtor, country estate specialist, reported the sale of one of the most picturesque properties in Georgetown, the Alfred Hunter 33-acre property on Maple Ave.

This touches the west branch of the Credit river and has a delightful bungalow pattern, seven room house with landscaped lawn and acres of magnificent dahlias and flowers of all kinds, the growing of which for years has been a hobby of the vendor.

The purchaser is E. B. Swackhamer of Islington, and the purchase price of the property was $15,000 cash.

Five Federal and Two Provincial By-Elections

Four federal by-elections, possibly six, filling vacancies in the House of Commons, are going to be held in September all in the Province of Ontario and probably all on the same date.

Apparently there is some doubt whether for the newly-opened seat of Victoria and Haliburton, vacated by Hon. Peter Heenan's entry to the Quebec cabinet, voting will occur so soon, but writs are planned to be issued in a few days for East Toronto, North York, Frontenac-Addington and West Elgin. The date of voting which is in view is Monday, Sept. 24. It may be that the Northern Ontario seat will go to vote at the same time. The constituencies are all more or less affected by redistribution, but that will not be effective until the dissolution of Parliament, consequently in the elections the old boundaries will prevail.

Of the five vacancies, three East Toronto, North York and Frontenac-Addington were held formerly by the Conservatives and the other two by the Liberals.

Elections for the Ontario Legislature in the constituencies of North Grey and South Wellington will be held on August 20th, with nominations on August 13. Premier Mitchell Hepburn announced last week. The North Grey seat became vacant when D. J. Taylor, Liberal-Progressive member, resigned to accept appointment as Deputy Minister of Game and Fisheries. The vacancy in South Wellington was caused by the death of David Mason, Liberal member-elect, in an automobile accident.

GLEN WILLIAMS

St. Alban's Annual Sunday School picnic will be held on Saturday, Aug. 4th to Bwastika Beach. The truck will leave the church at 9.30 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Dobbie and daughter Shirley of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. H. Dobbie and daughter Betty of Toronto, were visitors at the home of Mrs. M. Cameron on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Marsden and family of Woodstock were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hill over the week end.

Quite a number of picnic fans spent the week end at Wasaga Beach, arriving there aboard Mr. Howard Garvin's truck.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Pacer spent the week end in Toronto at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Pacer.

Mrs. Thomas Hewitt, Sr., of Peterboro is holidaying for a week at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bennett's.

Master Billy Graham of Islington is spending his holidays as guest of Master Jack and Charles Crawford.

Miss Irene Hewitt and her brother George, of Winnipeg, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Bennett for a week.

Miss Mary Brantom of Lorne Park is holidaying at the home of Mrs. M. Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Norton spent the week end in Hamilton at the home of Mrs. C. Norton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Addy and family are home again after their holiday at Wasaga Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Preston and family are back from their holiday at Wasaga Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Mascales and family of Cooksville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Allen over the week end.

Miss Catharine Allen of Toronto was home over the week end.

The United Church Sunday School picnic will be held on Saturday, Aug. 4th, at Stanley Park, Erin. The truck will leave Schenk's store at 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Robinson and children of Orton, Mr. E. Cram of London, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. William Halpin.

Mrs. Colbeck of Welland is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Barth.

Miss Pugh spent a few days in Toronto last week.

Master Jackie Fry is home again after his holiday at the home of Mr. W. Brantom of Lorne Park.

Mr. Norman Prest of Hamilton spent the week end at the home of Mrs. M. Cameron.

Interesting News Items of the District

Machinery valued at $15,000 is being installed in the Breithaupt building in Kitchener to establish a new industry to manufacture women's shoes.

The centennial celebration of Nottawasaga, held July 2 and 3 at Dunsdin, cost the township $1,000 and was well worth it, say residents of the township.

More than 600 applications were received for two teaching vacancies in the Deseronto High School, and there were 263 applications for a vacant Public School principalship in Gananoque.

Fort Erie will have a tax rate this year of 35 mills on the dollar. This is an increase of five mills over last year's rate.

Fergus Council decided that the ratepayers will be thanked through the press, for the amount of taxes that have been paid, and the property-owners for their promptness in paying them.

Victoria Harbor passed a by-law forbidding dance halls to operate between 12 o'clock Saturday nights and 8 o'clock Monday morning.

On trial for allegedly stealing a car from behind Farr's garage, in Brampton, Arthur Arnold was acquitted by Magistrate L. J. C. Bull.

The case against Norman Arnold, charged with robbing the booth at Huttonville Park, was dismissed by Magistrate Bull, owing to lack of evidence.

Hanover Council decided to order a 6,000-gallon tank car to abate the dust nuisance.

Midland will have a downtown park on a vacant lot on the main street.

Repairs are being made to the electrical development plant of the Hydro Electric commission at Eugenia Falls.

Simcoe County Council granted the Women's Institute permission to use the old registry office in Barrie as a museum.

The Armstrong Construction Co., of Brampton, has been given a portion of a Welland Canal contract. The work will be done near St. Catharines.

Adam Andrews, aged 60, timsmith, of Arnprior, was instantly killed when a gasoline tank he was soldering blew up. The 150-gallon tank had been empty for about a year and the cause of the explosion is unknown. His forehead was bruised, and it is thought that either part of the tank struck him or he hit his head violently on the ground as a result of the explosion.

"The Ottawa Spotlight"

By Wilfrid Eggleston

Ottawa, August 1.—Man is struggling manfully with the wheat situation, and a solemn international conference about it meets at London on the 15th of this month, but Dame Nature has taken a hand recently pretty well all over the world, and she, I fancy, did more toward wiping out the "surplus" in one crop season than all the legislators have done in the past five years. Indeed, it seems quite possible now that between man and nature the restriction of production may be quickly overdone, and the pendulum may swing from abundance to scarcity all in a couple of years.

The Canadian government is still a staunch believer in an international wheat agreement, and in spite of the growing conviction in western Canada that no such restriction is now needed, Canada's delegates will go to London prepared to sit down with the large importing and exporting nations and try to work out quotas for the next twelve months. The government will take the view that an agreement is just as desirable as ever, and that the reduction in crops the world over has made it simpler to come to a satisfactory arrangement.

Argentina to be Forgiven

The wheat agreement arrived at a year ago did not work out in a very satisfactory manner, it must be admitted, chiefly because the Argentine, which found itself with a much larger crop on hand than it had anticipated and no elevators in which to store it, found it necessary to go on shipping what long after its assigned quota was fully reached. Canada, the United States and Australia meanwhile kept within their quotas, the United States very much so. Canada had been given 360 million bushels as a quota, she actually shipped about 195 million.

The United States crop this year is not only the smallest for more than 40 years. It is only about 55% of the average in the previous five years and there is no doubt that our neighbor will have to dip into the bins to the tune of at least 150 million bushels, merely to supply her own needs. While the United States could still, at a pinch, export a little from her carryover, that would reduce her stocks to a perilously low figure a year from now, and the general impression is that no exports from the United States are to be expected. Nor will Russia have any to sell abroad. If she feeds her own people. The Balkans are out of the picture. Australia has a smaller crop. What does that leave? It leaves Canada and the Argentine, Canada, Australia supplying practically all the import requirements of the world for the next twelve months. Not that the imports will be tremendously heavy. France still has a large carryover. But England, the Netherlands, Belgium, Switzerland, and several other European countries will have to buy wheat somewhere.

Unemployment Relief

There will be some plain talking done at Ottawa before the end of this week. The provinces are alarmed at the threat of the federal government to turn over all unemployment relief costs to them and the municipalities. The plain fact is, that neither the provinces nor the municipalities can carry the burden alone, and even with much federal help the strain has been almost more than many sections of the country can bear. The Bennett government came into power on the cry that unemployment was a national problem and must be dealt with as much, and the provinces won't let him shift it.

And while it is a vast sum which the federal government has spent on unemployment in the past four years —103 millions, plus large loans—it is less by 30 millions than Canada spent on the Welland Canal. It does not begin to touch the expense Canada went to help "win the war" in Europe. At least two billion dollars was added to the national debt in the four years 1914-1918 (with the aftermath) and if we get through the depression by spending only one-tenth of that sum from the federal treasury, we should, perhaps, consider ourselves fortunate. Whatever the Ottawa government does it cannot allow people to starve or go naked. I think you will find that a year from now, in spite of its warnings about a "cut off" that the federal government will still be paying out the millions toward the welfare of the unemployed.

GIVE US A TIP

Is it a wedding.
The HERALD asks you to give it a tip.
Is it a birth, or death.
The HERALD asks you to give it a tip.
Is it some friend over the week end.
Or sickness in your family.
The HERALD asks you to give it a tip.
Is it an accident, or a party.
The HERALD asks you to give it a tip.
Or friends sold or bought property.
The HERALD asks you to give it a tip.
Are you contemplating a trip or
Has your school a new teacher.
The HERALD asks you to give it a tip.
Do you know of new records in agriculture, horticulture or any other line.
The HERALD asks you to give it a tip.
Do you know anything that would make interesting reading.
The HERALD asks you to give it a tip.
Thank you — Phone 8.

KITCHEN CHATTER

A mirror helps to brighten a dark corner.

Substitute whole wheat flour for half of the white flour in biscuits, and get a new flavor as delicious as it is wholesome.

Unless the water supply for the camp or picnic is known to be absolutely pure, it is safest to boil all drinking water.

To remove marking ink from white cottons or linens, apply javelle water followed by water containing a few drops of ammonia.

The loss of vitamins in cooking is less when foods are cooked rapidly at high temperatures than when they are cooked slowly for a long time. Use as little water as possible in cooking, and utilize what is left in soups, broths, or gravy.

TIT FOR TAT

A Scottish cleric owned a farm which was run as economically as possible. One day, taking a stroll, he saw his ploughman sitting idle on the handle of the plough, while the horses took a needed rest. It occurred to him that he paid the man six-pence an hour, and so he said gently, but reproachfully: "John, wouldn't it be a good plan for you to have a pair of shears, and to be trimming a few of these bushes along the fence, while the horses are resting?"

John returned the minister's gaze, and answered: "And might I suggest that you take a bowl of 'taters into the pulpit, and peel 'em during the anthem?"

Obsolescence is that deterioration which takes place in a thing, not because it is not as good as it always was, but because there is something better."—Owen D. Young.

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Glen Williams Resident Remembers Brampton Main St. When it was Mud Puddle

The Brampton of to-day is a mild and domesticated town, in spit of the efforts of strikers and lacrosse teams to create news, compared with the Brampton of three generations ago, according to Tom Hill, now a resident of the village of Glen Williams, but once a citizen of Brampton.

Every Saturday night, says Tom, the local musicians had a free-for-all fight on the main street of the town. These large and beefy gentlemen, judging by his accounts, were generous opponents, and you didn't have to be a resident of the town to join in the battles. "There were at least two local factions in each engagement, but affiliation with one or the other was not necessary, all that was needed was a desire for action, and the visitor was sure to be obliged. The fights usually began at a dance in the Brampton House Hall, and spread thence down to the business section of the town. "Main Street was a mud puddle from one end to the other in those days," Tom Hill declaries, "and I can remember when there were only a few scattered houses up and down the street."

At that time Tom was only a little lad, going to school, and the now floutishing town was only a village. He was born in a little house beside the C.N.R. right-of-way, although, of course, there was no C.N.R. in those days, and the Grand Trunk had not been run through.

There was a school on John Street, which antedated the Central school, which, at the time of its building, was known as the Grammer School.

Dan Rice's circus came to Brampton, and away went Tom with the show. He looked after the "Happy Family," a group of parrots and monkeys, in a cage drawn by four mules. He looked after the mules, too, and often slept atop the wagon as the circus moved from one stand to another. Then, the ringmaster took sick and Tom got the job. He liked it, and announced the turns with true bombast and a pomposity that made him the envy of every country lad that visited the show. But he came back to Brampton in the end, and turned to the more prosaic business of carpentry.

James and Robert Alexander, two hairy wristed sons of toil, took him as apprentice for four years. During that time he was one of the most noted baseball players of his day, and was sought by Toronto teams, for which he played, and by the Boston Red Sox. He couldn't go with the Boston team, though, for in those days the parents' word was law, and he had been apprenticed, so in Brampton he stayed.

As an athlete he won renown for himself and the town. On the lacrosse team of the town he was mated with Richard Blain, later appointed to the Senate. "Dick" Blain's memory is hallowed in Tom Hill's mind as a good sport, a clean player, and above all, a man. As a lad of ten he stole away with the 36th Peel Battalion to quell the Fenian Raids, but west of Georgetown they discovered his presence, and shipped him home again. But he still thinks he would have made a fine bugler.

He didn't miss all the fun, however. One night the home guard caught a man whom they believed was a spy, and locked the man in the bastile. There was something of a miniature flood in the cell, and he stood all night in water inches deep. In the morning Reeve Kenneth Chisholm decided to look over the catch, and found that the man was simply a wanderer in search of work. The home guard apologized, which was gentlemanly of them.

Brampton, in those days, was much more subject to a superfluity of water than it is today. One spring a particularly fine flood came down the Etobicoke, and wags of the town band made a raft, climbed aboard, and floated through the town tooting "A Life on the Ocean Wave." They got more of it than they had bargained for, for the raft struck something in the river and went to pieces, and the bandsmen imbibed a lot of muddy river water before they got ashore.

There was a warm welcome everywhere in the town for strangers. "We went to all the churches in town by turns," says Tom, "and we did enjoy the frequent revival meetings in the Primitive Methodist Church on Queen Street East."

He voted at the last open poll held in town, holding up his brawny hand for the Conservative candidates, Matthew Crooks Cameron and John Coyne. One of the great pleasures of his life was association with that great Torontonian, Ned Hanlan. They met at the Island by chance, and cemented a friendship that lasted for years. Proud was the day when Tom could haft Ned's shell and put it in the water for him. Hanlan, Tom says, won his first race because, sculling idly about the river at the Philadelphia centennial, he was dared to take part in a race in which the greatest oarsmen of the day were rowing. Hanlan won handily, and invited to come back to Toronto, was greatly surprised when a crowd of several thousand cheering citizens tendered him a welcome.

Tom Hill today lies in a sunny room in the front of the Glen Williams Hotel. He hasn't been out of bed for seven years, an injury to his hip confining him to the covers, but he still keeps in touch with his birthplace, and is keenly interested in the news his papers bring him. He is proud, too, of the many fraternal organizations of which he belongs. He is a Mason, an Orangeman, member of the Knights of Pythias, Knights of Malta, Knights of Rhods, and a host of other organizations.—The Evening Telegram.

"There are few things of which we may be certain, but they are mostly things which do not matter." —Dean Inge.