

**PERSONALS**

Mr. William Brown, of Cobourg, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. S. P. Chapman.

Mrs. Ann Lawson has returned to Georgetown after a two months' visit in Oshingwood.

Pte. T. H. Parry, of the 46th Highlanders, Camp Borden, was in town last week-end.

Mrs. Al Cameron, of Huntington, Quebec, is visiting in town with the Misses Brown.

Major J. R. Barber is taking a "refresher" course this week at the Toronto Armouries.

We are sorry to report that slight change is noted in the illness of Mr. A. B. Wilson, who is ill in the Red Deer, Alberta, hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGilvray, of Burlington, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. McGilvray and Mr. and Mrs. Garfield McGilvray.

Nursing Sister Helen Lane, of Camp Borden Military Hospital, spent Friday and Saturday of last week with her sister, Mrs. Fred Sinclair and Mr. Sinclair.

Deaf Willoughby, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Willoughby, of Toronto and Georgetown has been chosen president of the Students' Administrative Council at the Ontario Agricultural College for the present term.

The engagement is announced of Margaret Alice, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. King, of Georgetown, to Harold Patrick Malone, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Malone, of Regina, Saskatchewan, the wedding to take place early in January.

Mrs. E. Kemner attended the funeral of her great-grandson—the infant son of Private Joseph Essard, now Essard, of 58 Park Street, Hamilton, who passed away suddenly at Hamilton General Hospital on Thursday, December 6th. The funeral was held from the Dodsworth and Brown Funeral Parlours at 2:30 on December 8th, to Woodland Cemetery. Also attending the funeral were her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Herington.

I Peter iv 7 (Moffatt), "Steady then, cool and pray." When our hearts are filled with fear, In a world where might holds sway, Let faith and courage show, — "Steady then, keep cool and pray."

Startling headlines, large and bold Tell of blitzkriegs night and day, Parachutes and subs, and tanks, — "Steady then, keep cool and pray." Through our faith is sorely tried, And the skies look dull and grey, Let us quit ourselves like men, — "Steady then, keep cool and pray."

Right will triumph in the end, For God's purpose none can stay, He is still upon the throne, — "Steady then, keep cool and pray." H. W. BARKER

**Picturesque Spanish Moss Now Has New Jobs**

Long noted for its picturesque contribution to Florida's scenery, Spanish moss is developing into a definite economic asset furnishing employment and income to hundreds of Floridians, according to J. S. Foley, chairman of the Florida State Chamber of Commerce.

For years the springy, hair-like fibers of the cured-and-"ginned," long, gray strands have been used for stuffing upholstered furniture and mattresses. But today many new uses are being discovered, and Spanish moss is being found in many guises, he declared.

One of these new uses for Spanish moss fibers has been developed by the modern air-conditioning industry. The fibers are woven into a mat, held in a wooden or metal frame, and placed in the air-intake to clean and filter the incoming air. Oft times the mat is moistened with a sticky, resinous oil, and it will then pick up all dust particles as the air winds its way through the labyrinth of small air passages in the fiber mat.

Similar air-cleaning use of Spanish moss fiber is made in filters attached to carburetors on automobile, airplane, and other internal combustion engines.

Spanish moss has also been discovered to be a valuable source of nourishment for range cattle. And, while rather bulky for cooking in an ordinary kettle, man could use its broth as a vegetable broth if so minded.

Despite its range of occurrence throughout the South, Spanish moss enters commercial channels almost entirely from the states of Louisiana and Florida, it is stated. Florida has 10 firms supplying commercial Spanish moss, according to the Florida Industrial Directory of 1935.

**GLEN WILLIAMS**

Margot Williams, who, with Amelyn Hayes was awarded the general proficiency scholarship in Form V at Georgetown High School commencement, has been accepted for the Toronto General Hospital School for Nurses, and will commence her training when called in the new year.

Miss Mary Bludd, who underwent an operation for appendicitis in Oshingwood General Hospital last week, is now progressing favourably.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Bible Class of the United Church was held Friday evening, Dec. 6th. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—

President—Mrs. J. Addy. 1st Vice-president—Mrs. G. Cooper. 2nd Vice-president—Mrs. W. Allen. Secretary—Miss Alice Addy. Monthly Treasurer—Miss Kate Hill. Weekly Treasurer—Miss Una Hill. Teacher—Mrs. A. Allen. Assistant Teacher—Mr. R. Blythe. Pianist—Mrs. J. Addy.

The annual meeting of the Women's Association of the United Church was held on December 5th. The following officers were appointed for the coming year:—

President—Mrs. Fred Norton. Vice-President—Mrs. W. J. Hill. Secretary—Mrs. A. Presswood. Treasurer—Mrs. J. McMenemy. Pianist—Mrs. J. Addy. Visiting Committee—Mrs. Warren, Mrs. R. Addy, Mrs. Wheeler. Devotional Committee—Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. Blythe, Mrs. J. McMenemy.

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**Persian Inscriptions May Prove Big Historic Find**

Recently discovered inscriptions, made about 290 A. D. by Kartir, a Zoroastrian high priest and power behind the throne, are hailed by University of Chicago archeologists as of vast importance in the study of ancient languages and history.

Dr. Martin Sprengling, internationally known authority on ancient languages, made the translations from photographic enlargements of the inscriptions. He compared them to archeological importance to the Rosetta stone, which unlocked the ancient Egyptian language.

Dr. Sprengling estimated the inscriptions were made about 290 A. D. by Kartir, a Zoroastrian high priest and kingmaker, whose career interlarded those of four ancient Persian rulers.

The inscriptions were in Pahlavi, Middle Persian language which contains words of both Semitic and Aryan origin. They were discovered near the ancient city of Persepolis by archeologists from the University of Pennsylvania, and the Boston Museum of Fine Arts.

The Kartir stones reveal, Dr. Sprengling said, that the ancient Persians did not practice religious intolerance, contrary to previous conclusions from romantic literature. Religious groups using sacred writings for guidance were persecuted, according to the new translation.

It was indicated that the Zoroastrians then had no such sacred book of their own. The Zoroastrian Kartir, Dr. Sprengling said, is revealed as having been one of the most important religious figures of all time. Inscriptions mentioning him were discovered in 1936, but he then was spoken of only as an obscure young churchman.

**Would Aid Nature Lovers**

National recreation leaders who have been busy organizing games in city parks for people's leisure are placing more emphasis this year on appreciation of natural beauty in the out-of-doors, V. K. Brown, president of the Midwest Institute of Park Executives, told a conference on nature recreation and education recently.

It appears that the new leisure time has sent people to parks to ask officials to map out more softball diamonds, more cricket fields, ment tennis courts. The whole movement of organizing people into teams and organized play has gathered such momentum, recreation leaders point out, that some of the good old-fashioned enjoyment of the out-of-doors has been pushed to the background.

As some of the speakers expressed it at the conference, the extension of playfields in some cases has shut out the man who just wants to be quiet and observe the trees, flowers, birds, squirrels, and take in a little sunshine. Extended beaches, for instance, have cut off the view of the people who just want to leisurely sit and watch the waves roll in.

**Army War College**

The Army War college at Washington, D. C., is one of the general service schools of the army. It is the highest unit in the military educational system, having as its object the training of selected officers or duty in the war department general staff and for high command in accordance with methods approved by the war department. In addition, it supervises the activities of the historical section.

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