

Blood Donors Urgently Needed!

ENROLL NOW AT
Brill's Dept. Store
 FOR
Red Cross Clinic
 ON
Wednesday, March 3

9.00 a.m. to 12 noon
 AT THE LEGION HALL

As blood containing fat dries oily and insoluble and MUST be discarded, eat a plentiful breakfast of fat free foods.

DANCE

To Willis Tipping and his Cascade Music

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24th

Oddfellow's Hall, Brampton

Admission, 50c.

Dancing 9-1

With the NAVY LEAGUE

The following prayer is used in His Majesty's Navy every day:

"O Eternal Lord God, Who alone spreadest out the heavens, and rulest the raging of the sea, Who hast compassed the waters with boundless until day and night come to an end. Be pleased to receive into Thy Almighty and most gracious protection the persons of us Thy servants, and the Fleet in which we serve. Preserve us from the dangers of the sea, and from the violence of the enemy; that we may be a safeguard unto our most gracious Sovereign Lord, King George, and his Dominions, and a security for such as pass on the seas upon their lawful occasions; that the inhabitants of our Island may in peace and quietness serve Thee, our God; and that we may return in safety to enjoy the blessings of the land, with the fruits of our labors; and with a thankful remembrance of Thy mercies to praise and glorify Thy holy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

This matchless invocation should appeal to every Canadian heart because of the simple beauty of the phrasing, and the fervency of the supplication. A. T. Wilgress, Globe and Mail.

LEATHER VESTS

NO! DON'T THROW THAT OLD PURSE AWAY! If it is made of pliable leather the Navy League can use it to make the much appreciated leather vests for our men of the Merchant Navy. These vests are invaluable in keeping out the cold. One organization in Toronto with only fifteen members made one thousand and twenty-five of these vests. They are really a work of art, consisting of several small pieces of leather, cut from various articles, overlapped and machine attached. They exemplify that old saying 'as snug as a bug in a rug.'

"I was naked and ye clothed me." We are appealing for good used articles of clothing suitable for survivors of torpedoed ships. We want to thank all those who have so generously responded to this appeal. We now have the help of Mr. Todd's Trail Rangers who will pick up any parcels which cannot be taken to Mrs. W. Mendham, Quelp St. If you will call Mrs. Mendham phone 35, or Rev. Mr. Todd, phone 440w, this matter will receive prompt attention. Thank you.

Although only ten weeks old the Survivors Clothes Division has already sent out 5,222 articles as a separate unit of the Ontario Division of the Navy League.

DITTY BAGS

Here are a few extracts from letters of recipients: "Just the encouragement every sailor needs. God bless you all!" "There is little to say except that we are darn proud to have such great people behind us; and the Navy League is close to our hearts." "Your card and letter and lovely ditty bag were the

only mail received, so doubly welcome. Home mail gone a tray. Could not include any ditty-bags so good. Sweets and tinned stuff very welcome variation when months at sea. Will do not a bad old world after all. I miss a person never get too old when it comes to opening parcels. All we boys had a jolly time seeing what each other got. It really put the spirit of Christmas in the air."

"SEE TO PUSS FIRST"

Puss, pet of one of our crew was badly injured in a recent Channel dash, but the ship's wounded pleaded that she should be attended first in hospital, and she is rapidly recovering.

MAGAZINES, BOOKS, GAMES

To you it is just a bundle of magazines tied up with an old string to be given to the first worthy cause that comes along.

To our Trail Rangers—it is part of their war work—they are doing something for our heroes—the gallant men of the Royal Canadian Navy and the Canadian Merchant Navy.

To our sailors—it is a fresh form of relaxation—a boost to their morale—yes, and maybe doing the right thing at the right moment to win a battle.

Not so far-fetched either—remember the old tale—"For the want of a nail, a battle was lost."

NEIGHBOURS BAND TOGETHER FOR RUSSIAN RELIEF

A group of ladies have banded themselves together to give Aid to Russia, and they are doing splendid work. Every Monday afternoon, Mrs. J. Farmer, Mrs. J. Kirkwood, Misses Letty and Cecily Boomer, Mrs. Sam Mackenzie, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. Ken Hunter, Mrs. Glen Britton, Mrs. Leon Cook, and Mrs. Norton Nelson, meet to make over garments, knit, and make quilts for the needy Russians. At each meeting, the ladies contributed, and light non-rational refreshments served. The meetings are held turn-about at the different houses. At the present time, there are three or four quilts on the go, and 47 articles have been completed. A fine example of their work may be found in the felt slippers which are made from old hats. The ladies turn their finished work in to Mrs. K. Preston, who packs it in the ball for Russian Relief.

ASHGROVE

Monday evening, Feb. 22nd, Georgetown Y. P. U. visited Ashgrove Y. P. U. The Georgetown Y. P. U. put on the worship service. After games were enjoyed lunch was served. The meeting closed by singing "Taps".

Mrs. L. DeVries was guest speaker at the February meeting of the W. S. on Tuesday, February 23rd. Her illustrated address on Holland was most interesting. Miss Isobel Wrigglesworth played a piano instrumental. The March meeting will be a euchre with Mrs. Gerald Graham, Mrs. R. Cunningham and Miss Elsie Bird in charge.

Keep in mind that the Red Cross Drive starts on March 1st. Deny yourself some luxury and help this worthy cause.

Social and Personal

Mrs. M. C. Munroe, Toronto, visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Petch last week.

Mrs. Roy Wilcox of Hamilton spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. R. MacDonald.

Miss Margaret Brown, of Burlington, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Murdoch over the week end.

Mrs. Joe Allen and daughter, Donna, of Long Branch, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. McEachern and son Ronald, of Onaria, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lillico over the week end.

Miss Jean M. Kinson of Quelp was a visitor at the home of Mrs. James Carlin, Silvercreek, for the week end.

Mrs. George Brown and Miss May Lanyon held highest score for the fourth night of play in the IODE Bridge Marathon.

Mrs. G. McCallum, Graham Pittell and Joseph Gibbons attended the Annual Hydro Convention, O.M.E.A. and O.M.U. at the Royal York Hotel, February 8, 9, and 10.

Mr. Jim Bradley, formerly at the Bank of Commerce here, and thence transferred to Waterloo, has been moved to the Milton branch.

Miss Victoria Guyot and LAC Larry MacKenzie, both of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sydney MacKenzie last week end.

LAW Elizabeth Coffin is spending two weeks leave at home here with Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Coffin. She has as her guest Miss Jane Bailey of Gifford.

Commencing February 28th, Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Ostrom will conduct two weeks' special Evangelistic Mission at the Preston Baptist Church. They will also be in charge of the musical portion of the programme.

LAW Betty Poole, from Toronto, B. C., and L. A. W. Gladys Dockhill, from Melville, Sask., both of whom are attending the No. 4 Wireless School at Quelp, were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dayfoot.

On Monday night, February 22nd, Mrs. B. P. Chapman, entertained the ladies of the Park Circle of Knox Church at an evening of bridge and coffee in her home. Mrs. Mary Lawson and Mrs. K. R. MacDonald helped the hostess serve refreshments.

Mr. Douglas McKay of Stratford visited friends in town over the week end.

The Monday Night Knitting Club met at the home of Miss Isobel Richardson last week. Not enough knitted articles have been completed to make a shipment to Toronto worthwhile so it was decided to wait until a later date. The hostess served lunch at the conclusion of the evening.

Mrs. T. Orlove, Lady Superintendent of the Georgetown St. John Ambulance Brigade, and Miss Dolene McEury, Ambulance Sister, attended the St. John Ambulance Brigade Annual Dinner at the Toronto Ladies' Club in Toronto last Wednesday night. Mrs. Gordon Conant presided and Mrs. Albert Matthews, and Mrs. Gilmour, Lady Supt. for Canada, were among the speakers.

The War Service Club of Rebekah Lodge met at the home of Mrs. B. Great last Monday night, and during the course of the evening's work, voted \$200 to the Aid to Russia fund. There were twenty-three ladies present, and Mrs. H. R. Bailey, Mrs. Ed Wheeler, Mrs. R. L. Kercher, and Mrs. H. Cleave served lunch.

Mrs. Myrtle Davis, and Mr. Kenneth Harrison are to be congratulated on the fine showing they made in the mid-winter examinations at the Toronto Conservatory of Music. Mrs. Davis passed Grade 1 Piano with honours, and Kenneth Harrison obtained honours in his Grade 2 Rudiments examination. Both candidates are pupils of Miss M. Matthews.

On Monday evening a number of friends and business associates of Miss Nellie Kennedy and Mr. A. C. Walk, of the Bank of Montreal staff, which bank recently closed its doors in Georgetown, were guests at a presentation held in the Legion Hall in their honour. Mr. D. Brill acted as chairman and called upon Mr. R. B. Foulis who made the presentations. Both Miss Kennedy and Mr. Walk very graciously replied. Mayor Joseph Gibbons and Mr. J. D. Kelly also expressed the good wishes of their friends to Miss Kennedy who is retiring from business, and to Mr. Walk who is leaving this week to assume his duties as manager of the Fenelon Falls branch of the Bank of Montreal.



HUGHES CLEAVER, M. P.

Prominent in Government circles is Hugh Cleaver, of Burlington, Ontario's representative in the Federal Government. Last week he was chosen one of a 41-member select committee which will examine and report on a national plan of social insurance which will constitute a charter of social security for the whole of Canada.

LIMEHOUSE

Mrs. R. Lane spent Sunday in Hamilton.

Misses Shirley Wright and Ruth Norton spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Campbell of Hamilton. Mr. Alex Wright was home from Toronto over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hill and family spent Sunday, Feb. 14 with Mr. and Mrs. Denis Hill in Hamilton.

Mr. J. L. Herby was home from Camp Iroquois for the week-end. Our Donald McDonald of Pettawawa, Mr. and Mrs. L. Law and Allan of Brampton visited Mrs. B. O'Leary on Sunday.

The ladies completed another quilt for Russian relief at Mrs. Kirkpatrick's on Wednesday.

Miss Doris Mitchell was home from Toronto for the week-end.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. E. Beeny on the arrival of a little son.

Prof. Memorial Hospital on Sunday, February 14th.

L. A. C. Lorna Norton was home from Kingston for the week-end.

Mrs. J. A. Greig I.O.D.E. Regent

The County of Stratford Chapter I. O. D. E. elected Mrs. J. A. Greig their new Regent at the Annual meeting in the Legion Room, Monday night, Feb. 15.

Mrs. C. V. Williams presided over the opening feature, for the evening, the annual business meeting of the I. O. D. E. Chapter, conducted by the Nominating Committee, who conducted the election of officers. The results were as follows:

- Honorary Regent: Mrs. W. G. O. Thompson
- Regent: Mrs. J. A. Greig
- First Vice-Regent: Mrs. Sam Mackenzie
- Second Vice-Regent: Mrs. Graham Farnell
- Secretary: Miss Isobel McDermid
- Assistant Secretary: Miss Jean Mackenzie
- Treasurer: Mrs. J. R. Barber
- Educational Secretary: Mrs. Sam Mackenzie
- Empire Study Secretary: Mrs. Gordon Sutherland
- Echoes Secretary: Miss Ann Hickey
- Standard Bearer: Miss Hilda Erwin
- War Services Convenor: Mrs. R. Barber
- Child Welfare: Mrs. A. Beaumont

The various committees in connection with Chapter activities will be elected at the next meeting.

Committees for 1942 presented their final reports, and all were most satisfactory. Mrs. J. D. Kelly stated that 2618 pounds of magazines had been sent in to the depot during the year, as well as playing cards and books. Mrs. Gertrude L. Dunn reported that 170 knitted articles had been completed by members, and the treasurer, Mrs. Wallace Thompson, reported that \$728.67 had been raised during the year for the fund of the Chapter.

The retiring Regent, Mrs. C. V. Williams, expressed her thanks to the members of the Chapter for their cooperation during her term of office.

The hostesses for the evening, Mrs. S. W. Orr, Mrs. L. Bell, and Mrs. W. Carpenter served refreshments at the close of the evening.

WAR SERVICE COMMITTEE AT ST. GEORGE'S

St. George's Church of England has formed a War Service Committee to send treats to those on active service from the Church. Last Wednesday evening a meeting was held in the Rectory, and the following officers appointed:

- Chairman—Rev. W. G. O. Thompson
 - Secretary—Mrs. Fred Armstrong
 - Treasurer—Mr. T. Eason, Jr.
 - Committee—Mr. W. P. Bradley, Mrs. W. V. Grant, Mr. Fred McNally, Mrs. B. Francis, Mrs. H. R. Scott, Dr. Clifford Reid, and Mrs. S. Mackenzie.
- Already over \$80.00 has been raised through special collections. The ob-

NORVAL

St. Paul's Church held a euchre in the Parish Hall, Norval, on Tuesday night, with nineteen tables playing. It was a fine night, and everyone enjoyed the games. Mrs. W. Milliere won ladies' first prize, and Mrs. C. Sinclair, second prize. Mr. Howard Lillico was high for the gentlemen, with Mr. Spencer Wilson, second. Mrs. W. McClure won the door prize. The event was sponsored by the Women's Institute, and there will be another held in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris of Hamilton spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Laird.

Mr. and Mrs. C. McLaughlin and Miss Grace, attended the wedding of Mr. Lloyd Hunter in Brampton, last Saturday.

Mrs. Black and Mrs. R. Collop spent the week end in Toronto.

There's an epidemic of flu in the country, and also in the village.

Miss Burnett spent the week end with her sister in Waterloo.

Miss Jean Davis was home from Toronto for the week end.



L. A. KUELEMAN
 Main St., Brampton



Your RED CROSS CALLS TO YOU
 Never has the need been so urgent
\$10,000,000 NEEDED NOW!

YOUR RED CROSS appeals to you for funds to carry on its program of mercy; to continue vital war work, performed by no other organization. Never has the need been so urgent.

Helping to keep up the morale of half-a-million fighting men is a gigantic task, and that is only the beginning. The Red Cross makes life more bearable for thousands of prisoners of war. Over 2,000,000 parcels were shipped to them last year—more than this number must go in 1943. Our men in British and Canadian hospitals need Red Cross comforts and heartening visits from the staff of Red Cross "visitors".

Red Cross help to shipwrecked sailors is essential, thoughtful, immediate. Homeless war orphans—our own kin and those of our allies—sick and starving men and women in many lands—millions in Russia, Greece and China and other peoples of the United Nations—need more food, medicine and comforts from the Red Cross.

The need is world-wide; this year the cost will be greater than ever. The work must go on. Obey the dictates of your heart; open wide your purse and be generous. Remember, you are the Red Cross!

Georgetown District Headquarters — Phone 19

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