

LORNE SCOTS JAMBOREE

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THE LORNE SCOTS REGIMENTAL BAND IN ATTENDANCE

GEORGETOWN PARK Labour Day, Mon. September 4th

Monster Dance Frolic

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A Prominent Guelph Orchestra
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the evening.

LOCAL NEWS

—A week from next Monday is Labor Day and a public holiday.

—With September so close at hand, the summer months have slipped away rather quickly.

—First prize money for the baseball game at the Georgetown Fall Fair has been donated by Bob Lane.

—The board fence at the park has been painted recently, and the judges' stand and grand stand put into shape.

—Don't miss the Community Sing-Song at Huttonville Park Sunday evening. Silver collection with proceeds going to send cigarettes to local boys overseas.

—Norval Junior Institute and Junior Farmers annual summer dance will be held at Huttonville Park, Thursday, August 24th. Modernates Orchestra.

—Group No. 2 of the Past Noble Grand's Club of Verdun Rebekah Lodge will hold a lawn tea at the home of Mrs. W. Mendham on Thursday afternoon, August 24th, 3 to 7 p.m. Admission 25c. Have your tea cup read, 10c extra.

—Miss Betty Lawr, who is working this summer on the farm of Gordon Soper at Cheltenham, brought an egg to the office last week which had been laid by a patriotic hen of the Soper flock. The egg had no less than six "V's" engraved on the shell. The egg is on display in the Herald window.

—Commencing Friday, August 25th, we place on sale the largest stock of Fall Supplies we have had since the war started. Roofing, Caulking Cement, Roof Coating, Weather Strip of all kinds, Stove Pipes, Mazda Bulbs, 15c. Window Glass and repairs for all makes of Stoves and Furnaces. All merchandise to be sold at city Sale Prices. No waiting. Blain's Hardware and 5c to \$1.00 Store, Brampton. One of Ontario's Largest Hardware Stores.

—W. S. Hall, Oakville, was one of the prominent buyers at the dispersal sale of the Curvillia Holstein herd of George A. Laidlaw, held August 17, at Aylmer. He secured two head, paying \$325 for a six-year-old cow and \$315 for a four-year-old heifer. The 38 head sold averaged \$249 with a top price of \$525 for the three-year-old heifer. Founded in 1910, many of the most noted show cows and producers of the breed have come from Curvillia. Most famous probably are "White Susie" and "Black Susie", who made a continent-wide reputation in the 1920's as great show cows and producers.

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LIMEHOUSE

We regret that two persons in the neighbourhood met with unfortunate accidents last week. Mr. Harold Brown had his right hand badly cut when operating a circular saw on his father's farm on Friday. We hope that he may have the use of his hand again. On Saturday morning Mr. Ken Hamilton had his left wrist broken when the crank stuck while he was cranking a truck. Both are receiving treatment at Guelph General Hospital.

Mrs. J. L. Ellerby spent a few days in Toronto recently. While there she attended the funeral of the late Paul McAdams.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Hall and children of Toronto spent their holidays at the cottage here.

Mrs. Christie of Thorold visited her niece, Mrs. Kirkpatrick recently. She was accompanied by her son Bobby Christie.

Miss Margaret Kirkpatrick spent a few days with relatives at Stewartstown recently.

Miss Marion Norrie is holidaying in Toronto.

Mrs. Jas. Kirkpatrick spent the week end at Midland with the Lambers.

Bill Mills of RCAF with his wife and family spent last week with his mother at their summer home here.

Mrs. Harry Smethurst of Barrie and Mrs. Pat Trauner and baby daughter, Cookstown, visited Mrs. Smethurst recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Hosker and daughter of Guelph visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Miller over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hadley and son Bobby of Lindsay called on Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Benton on Monday.

Messrs. Fred Brooks and Joe McDonald made a business trip to Toronto on Tuesday.

Following the Mission Band meeting at Mrs. Gaby's the children enjoyed a corn roast on the rocks Monday night.

TERRA COTTA

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hayward of Guelph, spent Sunday with Terra Cotta friends.

Mrs. Jas. Mackle spent the week end with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. R. Puckering and Mrs. J. McNabb were visiting with friends at Inglewood.

Real Estate is still booming in our Village. Particulars later.

Threshing is still the general order of the day in this section.

Mr. J. Duncan of West Toronto, was a business caller in our Hamlet last Sunday.

A number from here look in the Lions Club Street Carnival on Friday and all report a swell time.

Miss Pearl Kennedy of Georgetown is still running the Sunday School in the United Church here and reports a fair attendance. She would like very much if the parents would turn out too and thus encourage the good work here.

Wedding bells are still ringing in our Hamlet. May the good work continue.

Our genial merchant, Mrs. K. Iam reports trade quite brisk at present and doing a rushing business in ice cream and soft drinks. We wish her continued success.

Some of our young men are talking of going on the Western Harvest Excursion. The call is great but the numbers are few.

Mr. Frank Mezwick and his daughter Jennie, have gone to Delhi, to work in the tobacco plant there.

Mr. J. McCauley, we understand has secured a lucrative situation at the Provincial Brick plant at Cheltenham. Success to you Jack.

It is expected that Mr. Jas. Mackle who has been in the Christie Street Hospital for treatment will, we hope, be home this week much improved in health.

CEDARVALE

(Intended for last week)

Mr. Fred Smith of Cleveland, Ohio, Mr. Howard McKee of Hamilton, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Smith.

The threshing machines are humming in this section again.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith of Cleveland, Ohio, visited with friends here.

Miss Bolka and Peter Mulder visited on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Grainger Cummings.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. Ed. Smith in the death of his sister, Mrs. David Burt.

THIS WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. D. Sinclair of Ballinlad visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Plester, Lorna and David of Grand Valley visited with Mrs. Earl Fuller and Mrs. H. Keeler. A number from here attended the Carnival in Georgetown on Friday night.

Mr. Neil Harding spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harding, Orton.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Griffin were: Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Martin and Theodore J. Vineland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smart, Grimsby, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. McArthur, Rockwood, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Davidson of Acton and Mr. and Mrs. Howard McArthur and Mabel of Erin. Celebrated 98th Birthday on Monday.

Felicitations and congratulations from neighbours and friends from far and near were showered upon Mrs. Angus McArthur, Monday, the occasion being her 98th birthday. Despite her years this grand old lady keeps house for her son William, and is quite alert and active and enjoys excellent health. The occasion was celebrated by a family gathering when all sat to a sumptuous repast. A birthday cake with candles, centered the table.

Mrs. McArthur received many gifts, cards of congratulations, flowers and telephone calls. She took great pleasure in making quilts. She made 9 log cabin quilts, one for her 8 children and one for each of her grandchildren.

Everyone loves and respects Mrs. McArthur that is called (Grandma) by all who knew her. She was born at Port Credit 96 years ago. She loves to have people read to her, and enjoys the radio. She has a family of 4 girls and 2 boys: Mrs. J. O. Martin, Vineland; Mrs. R. L. Davidson, Acton; Mrs. H. Keeler and Mrs. Arthur Griffin of Erin; Howard, Erin and William are home with her mother. Three grandchildren, Mrs. E. Fuller, Mr. W. Davidson and Miss E. Griffin all of whom joined in celebrating the happy occasion.

GLEN WILLIAMS

Leading Wren Sally Black of Toronto spent a week end leave with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Black.

Mrs. Platt returned to her home in Oshawa on Monday, after spending two weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob McMenemy.

Mrs. R. McMaster returned to her home in Niagara Falls, N. Y., after spending a vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Norton.

Miss Evelyn Asheson, of Cheltenham, has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Landry.

Mrs. Andrew Jones, who has been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crawford for a week returned to her home in Barrie on Saturday.

Elwood Smyth of the R.C.A.F. was a week end visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Graham.

Jack Gilbert, who suffered a broken ankle a couple of weeks ago, and is convalescing at "Diva-Daie", Toronto, spent a week end leave at his home.

Miss Anne Bullivant of Hamilton, was a week end visitor with Mr. and Mrs. R. McMenemy.

LIMEHOUSE NATIVE HALE AND HEARTY AT 85

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tunity to obtain some money as hard cash was few and far between in opening up a homestead. Mr. Shanks was no exception, except he stuck. In 1889 he decided to give grain buying a whirl and he did stretching a supposedly temporary thing right up until 1941. From 1890 to 1905, as far as we know, he worked for the late Nick BowE and the Ogilvie Flour Mills. In 1906 Mr. Shanks came over to the Northern. Obviously he liked the business not only for its worth with farming it made a completely busy year. In his time he has handled about 9,000,000 bushels of grain, 9 or 10 general managers and 10 superintendents. Naturally enough these years of farming and buying have left their impressions. Beliefs that cannot be classed as merely ideas. Practical application has

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produced results. Mr. Shanks was a success at his twin activities and the formula is an old one—work, mental and physical. Of course they go hand in glove, for physical effort is of little avail if at first some head work hasn't been applied. Mr. Shanks believes a farmer should have his next season's activities and machinery ready the fall before. The cardinal point in preparation is seed and Mr. Shanks was always on the look out for good seed. Today he grows more bushels per acre, and better grain than he did 60 years ago and he has never lost a crop.

Grain buying wasn't just another job to Mr. Shanks. He gloried in the handling of grain but there was a bit of a missionary in his make-up. To begin with, he believes the elevator company had a part and a service to provide in agriculture, and he as a representative could be a part of it. Being a farmer he knew a farmer's mind and outlook, and that to Mr. Shanks is a grand requisite in grain buying. Farmers are no different to people in other businesses, as they like to talk especially with someone who shows an interest and understanding. Grain buyers, he believes, can become a clearing house of problems and ideas to all good purposes. Mr. Shanks never doubts he has done a splendid job in his community.

Looking back over the 60 years brings an actual realization of the vast

changes of the grain business. The changes were general and as years blend into one another so have events in the evolution of the trade. To Mr. Shanks oldtime stories or incidents are not particularly interesting. What interests him is the grain business as it is today. Although retired Mr. Shanks is still with us in heart and mind, and we salute a pioneer and a grand citizen in the forefront of oldtimers.

TONY STAPLETON
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you first come to the souvenir shop, then an information desk with two girls who can direct you to any part of the city you wish to see. In this room are maps of the table and material to wrap up any parcels you wish to send home and they can be mailed from there.

The next room is used for dancing which is held from four until eight o'clock. The floor was just jammed any time I went past it and plenty of dancing partners for the boys who dance. Then the big stairs that lead up to the second floor are at the end of the hall. On the left hand side of the building there is a large lounge room with big soft easy chairs and chesterfields. What a treat it was to sink down into a soft chair again.

The only trouble was that you hated to get up. Then there is a billiard room with five tables and also a writing room. Upstairs, two big rooms are used as dining halls. Dinner and supper are served free and you have two hours to go through on the meal parades. Another big room is used as a refreshment room with table and wicker chairs with big bean umbrellas throughout the room. Only soft drinks are served and they are ice cold and quite a treat on a hot day. I spent most of the day looking for presents and there is another present on the way over for you, and also a souvenir for Dad. There were many beautiful things a person could buy if he had the money. Prices are very high. I would have liked to have sent everybody a present but that is out of the question as we can only drop nine dollars a month to spend. However, maybe later on I can buy more presents.

Well the last two days over here we have had two very bad storms. Yesterday it poured down for nearly two hours and it also hailed. I never saw bigger hailstones in my life. Some were as big around as quarters and all as big as dimes. We were lucky and our blankets did not get wet so we had dry blankets last night. Every night now we have fresh tomatoes, cucumbers or corn and sometimes all three and also lettuce once in a while.

(Signed), "Tony"