

STOKER MECHANIC LLOYD KEIR HOME ON FURLOUGH

Participated in D-Day Invasion and in Sicily and Italy

Stoker-Mechanic Eric Lloyd Keir, son of Mrs. Donald Houston, is home on 45 days' leave from the Royal Canadian Navy.

Lloyd has seen a lot of action in his two years' of service, having taken part in landing operations in France on D-Day, and in Sicilian and Italian operations as well. Stoker Keir was born in Georgetown, and prior to enlistment was an employee of Smith & Stone, Ltd.

Training on HMCS Star at Hamilton, he also trained at Toronto and the west coast before going to Newfoundland in November of 1942, where

he was on active duty until April of the following year, when he left for England. A brother, Stoker Mechanic John Keir, is also serving with the RCN and is now stationed at the west coast.

PTE. A. B. CLARKE WOUNDED OVERSEAS

A. Barry Clarke, second son of Mrs. and the late A. B. Clarke, of Georgetown, was wounded Oct. 23, while serving in Holland, according to an official notification received recently.

Pte. Clarke, who enlisted in the fall of 1942 with the Lorne Scots at Georgetown, trained at Victoria, B.C., and went overseas in May of 1943. He transferred to the Argyll and Sutherland Regiment and has served in

France, Belgium and Holland on Bren guns. He is 28 years of age.

Pte. Clarke's wife, who was Margaret Wylie, of Georgetown, and a baby son, "Barry" whom he has never seen) are residing at Oakville. A brother, Sgt. Cyril Clarke, has recently been discharged following three and a half years active service overseas with the Lorne Scots and later the Saskatoon Light Infantry.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mrs. D. Campbell wish to express their sincere thanks to the many friends and neighbours who have been so kind and thoughtful during the illness and death of their mother.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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Lesson for November 19

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CHRISTIANITY AND DEMOCRACY

LESSON TEXT—Mark 12:13-17; Romans 13:1-7; 1 Peter 2:13-17. GOLDEN TEXT—Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ—Galatians 6:2.

No form of government can claim divine authority, for God's Word does not prescribe any special form of government. But (and this is most important) the principles upon which government should be established are clearly given in God's Word, and the form of rule which best fits into the teaching of the Word necessarily calls for our interest and support.

We find in the Bible the declaration that men are equal in the sight of God, that government is to be a ministry for God (see last week's lesson), receiving its authority from Him and serving Him in exercising that power. Men are to be loyal to the government because they are loyal to God.

Our lesson carries forward the teaching of last Sunday. It tells us that:

The Christian Citizen is—
I. Subject to Both God and Country (Mark 12:13-17).

His devotion to God and the things of God is to be expected of the Christian. We almost said that it is taken for granted, and sometimes that is so true there is no reality in his life. But surely if he is a follower of Christ he must be devoted to Him and to His cause.

But what about his country? That relation appears anew in the striking story of Christ and those who came to test Him, yes, to trap Him with a skillfully worded question.

The Pharisees, who hated Rome for its domination of Palestine, and the Herodians, who supported Rome in its control of the land, were enemies, but they joined forces to tempt Christ. They knew that if He said "Yes" to their question, the Jews would be angry, and if He said "No," He could be condemned as a traitor to Rome.

The trap was set, but it caught only the crafty hunters. Taking their own pocket money He declared that if they used Caesar's money they ought to pay taxes to Caesar. The coin stood for an orderly government, benefits of which they enjoyed and which they ought to support.

No real Christian will evade his duty to his country whether it be to pay taxes, to take part intelligently in its government, to defend it, to pray for it, or otherwise to show his love. One of the blots on the Christian church is the lack of civic righteousness on the part of many of its members.

II. Devoted to Both Brother and Neighbor (Rom. 13:8-10).

The Christian loves his brethren; indeed that love is one of the tests by which we may know that a man is truly born again (1 John 3:14).

But that love reaches out beyond the circle of the brethren and touches every man who has need of it. The teachers of the Jewish law had sought to circumscribe that word "neighbor," but the Lord effectively dealt with that viewpoint in the story of the Good Samaritan (Luke 10).

All the commandments concerning the vital matter of personal relationship are summed up in the one admonition, "Love thy neighbor as thyself" (v. 9). When love controls, there will be no social dishonesty, strife or ill-will. There will be no violence to the person or property of another, for "love worketh no ill to his neighbor."

This is the real "good neighbor policy." Even between nations, we need more real love and less effort to impress one another by diplomacy and good will expeditions. Let there be less political manipulation and more loving, and we shall find our neighbor, both personal and national, responding in kind. Love draws out love from another.

III. Submissive to Both the Law of God and Man (1 Pet. 2:13-17).

"Fear God" (v. 17); that is, be eager that there is no failure on your part to please Him by obeying His law. That we expect of the Christian. But we expect more; he is to be a law-abiding citizen, obeying the laws of his country "for the Lord's sake" (v. 13).

The believer may, by his godly faithfulness to his government, effectively witness against the ignorant criticism of foolish men who would have us think that being a Christian makes a man a weakling, or so other-worldly that he is useless in this world.

Our freedom in Christ is not an excuse for careless or wicked living. Not at all—just the opposite in fact. We "honor all men." How can that be done? Only by the grace of God; but by His blessing we can do it. That makes for the real appreciation of man, which is the very foundation of our democracy. If it means anything, it must have as its foundation principle the supreme value of human life and the dignity of the soul of man.

Smith & Stone Employees Overseas Will Again Receive Christmas Parcels



Above is the Committee in charge of the Honour Roll at Smith & Stone, Ltd., and reading from left to right they are: Albert Henney, Euphemia Martin, Margaret Martin, Dolene McEnery, Harvey King, Helen Ritchie, Gordon Spence

Every employee of Smith & Stone, Ltd., who is overseas this Christmas will receive a Christmas remembrance from his buddies back in the plant. Of course he may get dozens of boxes from dozens of well wishers, but he'll certainly get one from the plant.

And that remembrance will come from each and every employee, bar none.

Every worker, regardless of his pay or how long he has been with the firm, feeds the kitty every pay day for the boys.



HARVEY KING

From a staff of about 200 there are 70 men and three girls on active service. Of these 30 are overseas with the army and five with the ROAF.

Through an energetic plant committee 34 of these 35 men who are overseas get 300 cigarettes every month. The other one gets 1000 every month. He's Johnny Wilson, an air-gunner whose bomber was shot down over Germany. He's been a prisoner at Stalag 6, somewhere in Germany, for more than two years while his mother and sister are working at the job he used to do in Smith & Stone. Johnny's father died in September, but he may not know of it yet.



ERNE SIMSON
GORDON SPENCE

The committee which so energetically looks after the welfare of the lads and lassies whose names are on the honor roll includes Albert Henney, Harvey King, Margaret Martin and Euphemia Martin, who are not related, Helen Ritchie, Dolene McEnery and Gordon Spence who is the chairman.

The folks at the plant have been sending the cigarettes since May 1941, and acknowledgments have come back from the British Isles, Italy, France, Sicily, Belgium, Holland and Germany itself. This will be the fourth Christmas on which they have sent boxes.



DOLENE McENERY
HELEN RITCHIE



MARGARET MARTIN
ALBERT HENNEY

Two of the plant members who fought in Italy and were invalided home were visited in Christie Street Hospital, Toronto, soon after they got back. These are Gordon James who was wounded, and Jimmie Collier who was sent home because of illness.

Georgetown boys, particularly those from Smith & Stone are not being forgotten.

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By Gordon Sinclair

Quality Guaranteed "SALADA" TEA

CARROLL'S

QUAKER MUFFETS 2 pkgs. 17c
PANCAKE FLOUR pkgs. 15c, 35c
ROMAN MEAL pkgs. 29c

QUICK COOKING QUAKER OATS 19c

AYMER Choice, Slave 3 PEAS 20-oz. tin 13c
Catawba Dry, Gieger
ALE 2 qt. 25c
Deposit Extra

Palmetto Beauty SOAP 2 cakes 11c
Classic
CLEANSER tin 5c

COFFEE ROMAR 19c 1-lb. 35c
1/2-lb. pkgs.

Shredded WHEAT 2 pkgs. 23c
Cowan's
COCOA 1-lb. tin 24c
Nestle's Emulsified
MILK 6 16-oz. tins 54c

Woodbury's Facial SOAP 3 cakes 23c
For Linoleum — CHAR
Speed Coat 59c, 98c
Princess Soap
FLAKES 1/2 pkgs. 24c

AYLMER TOMATO or VEGETABLE SOUP 2 10-oz. tins 17c

Sweetened Cake FLOUR pkgs. 29c
For Overruns —
Oxo Cubes 10c, 23c
Green Valley
PEAS 2 tins 23c

Dr. Ballard's Mastic or KIBBLE 2 pkgs. 25c
Arrow's Bird
SEED 10-oz. pkgs. 17c
Ross-Miller Poppy
MIDGETS 2 pkgs. 25c

CUT and MIXED PEEL 29c

Keen's MUSTARD tin 27c
Spaghetti or
MACARONI tin 5c
Brookfield
CHEESE 2-lb. 75c

Antiseptic, Perfumed Soap— ODEX 2 cakes 11c
Chemico
CLEANSER tin 25c
Square Base Tumbler with
PEP BRAN 2 pkgs. 24c

JUNKET POWDERS Assorted pkgs. 11c

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SUGAR Pk 10 — 14 to 45 PRESERVES — 1 to 32
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IN OUR MAIL BAG

Georgetown, Ontario,
November 13th, 1944.

The Editor,
The Georgetown Herald.
Dear Sir:

The Poppy Fund Committee would like to take this opportunity to gratefully thank all who gave such generous donations, and also the public, who responded splendidly to the call for this worthy appeal.

Yours truly,
Col. G. B. S. Cousens, F. McCartney,
L. Blanche Grive, Secretary-treasurer
P. Armstrong, H. Stalford.

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