

## We See This Week

THAT Art Scott and David Saxe were presented with framed scrolls in recognition of ten years of pleasant business relations with the Shell Oil Company at a company dinner in Orangeville last week.

THAT Olive Moyer has replaced Miss Joan DeVries as salalady at Phoenix House during the latter's trip to Holland.

THAT Bill Hyde has returned to work with George Muckart after being laid up for several months with an injured knee suffered when he fell from a ladder while working in Acton.

THAT Scott Motor Sales are officially opening their new garage next Saturday with a big program which will include movies, music and lucky draws.

THAT Georgetown Council are becoming "church minded". They attended St. George's Church last Sunday after the Municipal Building dedication and on April 26th, they are going to church twice, for Rev. C. C. Cochrane's farewell sermon in the morning at Knox Church and Rev. R. C. Todd's farewell sermon at the United Church in the evening.

THAT the town roads are gradually getting into shape. The town men were busy last week with the grader and the Scott-Jackson company was grading roads where sewer pipes had been laid.

THAT the United Church was testing some new chimes last week which are worked from phonograph records amplified through a loud speaker. The amplifier can also be connected with the organ.

THAT Penon's Fish and Chip store has had a new tin hood and a fish refrigeration display unit installed.

THAT Mr. and Mrs. Norman Herbert and daughter, have moved into their new home on Maple Avenue.

### Pastor Distributes \$5 Bills as Talents To Aid Church

Members of Georgetown United Church were particularly interested to read a story written by Gordon Campbell in an issue of the "Georgetown Daily Star" last week. Rev. Gordon Smyth had preached for a call in the local church a few weeks ago. His unique way of raising money for church renovation is explained in the following article.

Haliburton—Some 100 members of the congregation of this town's United church each received a crisp new \$5 bill as they left the evening service last night. No it wasn't bank night but merely Rev. Gordon Smyth's way of applying the parable of the talents toward raising \$3,000 for the church's renovation fund by June 20.

"Although the gift was advertised," the youthful pastor told his congregation, "I am pleased to see it didn't attract any curiosity-seekers. It is not a 'smart Alec' trick but a venture of faith as the money was borrowed from the bank in the minister's name."

The parable of the talents is the story of a wealthy master who entrusted his money to three servants before going on a journey. To the first he gave five talents (approximately \$5,000 in our money), the second received two talents and the third one. The uneven distribution was based on each servant's ability.

After a long period the master returned and asked for a report on what each had accomplished. The first and second man had doubled their talents and were praised for their faithfulness. The third man, who merely dug a hole in the ground and buried his talent, was criticized for his laziness by the master, who said, "Cast ye the unprofitable servant into outer darkness."

#### Makes Suggestions

Attached to the \$5 bills were two other documents—one was a list of some 50 suggestions for putting the talents to work and the other a synopsis of the parable and an explanation of the use of the money so raised would be put.

Included in the suggestions were afternoon teas, using hobbies, such as the building of sailboats, to advantage, raising plants, making costume jewelry, renting vacuum cleaners, starting a newspaper route and baby sitting.

Participation via the talents in the financial drive for funds is not limited to Haliburton and the rural communities of Ingoldby and Lochlin, which go to make up the parish. "We will include constituencies in other parts of the province and our tourists if they're interested in the cause," Mr. Smyth said. "The idea is not to cut into the present church giving, but as an extra do-

nation. Anyone interested need only drop me a card and I will immediately send them their talent."

The little white church on the hill overlooks a planing mill in this village of 900 souls, and has grown from a subsidized mission four years ago to a self-supporting church today that donates almost as much to missionary work as it formerly received from that source.

"I have a marvelous congregation with a wonderful spirit," declared the 29-year-old pastor, who came direct from Queen's University to Haliburton in 1944. "They decided the parsonage needed renovating and in no time obtained \$2,000 to modernize it," continued Mr. Smyth. "That illustrates their spirit and our 19 confirmations at Easter their faith."

Born and raised in Pembroke, he married a Kingston girl. He has a three-year-old daughter, Margaret Anne and a three-week-old son, David Ellsworth.

Mr. Smyth plans to equip the church with stained glass windows, new lighting facilities, and chancel, a modern Sunday School and kitchen facilities in the basement, as well as "bring the grounds as close to a Garden of Eden as possible."

All told, about \$1,000 will be given out as talents during the next two weeks, the minister said, and it is hoped each \$5 will be doubled, tripled or even quadrupled before Ingathering Day, Sunday, June 20.

"At a special service on that occasion, all money raised will be tallied and publicly dedicated," concluded Mr. Smyth, whose salary was recently raised from \$1,450 to \$2,100 annually.

So far \$4,500 of the \$7,500 needed for the renovation program has been subscribed in cash and pledges.

### NOAH CRESS DIES IN KITCHENER

A well known Ontario businessman and establishment of the firm making Cress Corn Salvo, Noah G. Cress died in St. Mary's Hospital, Kitchener, on Wednesday, March 31st. Mr. Cress was a former resident of Georgetown, living in the house on Edith Street now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Petch, until he moved to Kitchener about five years ago.

He was born in 1864 at St. Jacobs, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Levi Cress. His wife predeceased him in 1943. Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Henry Holdmann (Marion), Kitchener, a brother, Henry of Elmira, a sister, Mrs. Oscar Smith, St. Jacobs, and two grandchildren, John and James Holdmann.

Mr. Cress attended St. Matthew's Lutheran Church in Kitchener. Funeral services were held on Friday with Rev. Dr. John Behmlender officiating and interment was made in Conestoga Cemetery.

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All Brands	20 oz. Tin	23c
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Horseley Sweetened	2 3/4 oz. Tin	27c	<b>BLENDED JUICE</b>	3 Packages	20c
Horseley Sweetened	2 3/4 oz. Tin	11c	<b>GRAPEFRUIT JUICE</b>	Package	9c
Red Glo—Choice	2 3/4 oz. Tin	23c	<b>TOMATO JUICE</b>	Package	8c
Several Brands	2 3/4 oz. Tin	16c	<b>UNGRADED PEAS</b>	1 lb. Tin	39c
Royal City—B.C. Choice	2 3/4 oz. Tin	19c	<b>PEAS &amp; CARROTS</b>	1 lb. Tin	17c
Clark's	2 3/4 oz. Tin	17c	<b>BEANS WITH PORK</b>	1 lb. Tin	42c

**TOMATOES** 19c

**RASPBERRY JAM** 39c

**SOCKEYE SALMON** 21c

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**CALIFORNIA RAISINS** 39c

**CALIF. CURRANTS** 17c

**MILD CHEESE** 42c

**MIXED PICKLES** 25c

**CUCUMBER PICKLE** 20c

**JELLY POWDERS** 20c

**JELLO PUDDINGS** 8c

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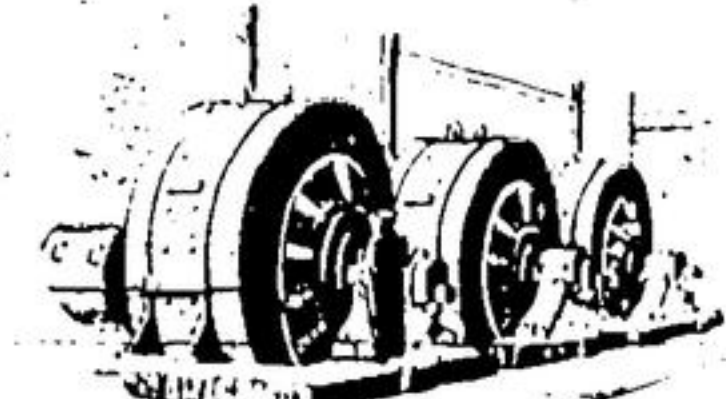
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**JOHN ADASKIN** says: "I have never regretted a career in Canada. Today—more than ever before—new fields and opportunities are opening up for young Canadians. As business in general expands, as the arts gain wider recognition, it's certain that opportunity will continue to knock harder and more often for the talent of this country."

#### NEW... OPPORTUNITIES

**JOHN ADASKIN**, son of an immigrant wood-worker, developed his talents as a musician to win a distinguished place in Canadian radio. He became CBC's senior program producer. Now his own Productions company in Toronto has produced over 4,000 radio shows, including some of the most popular on the Canadian air; is Master of Ceremonies and musical conductor on the national talent show "Opportunity Knocks".

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