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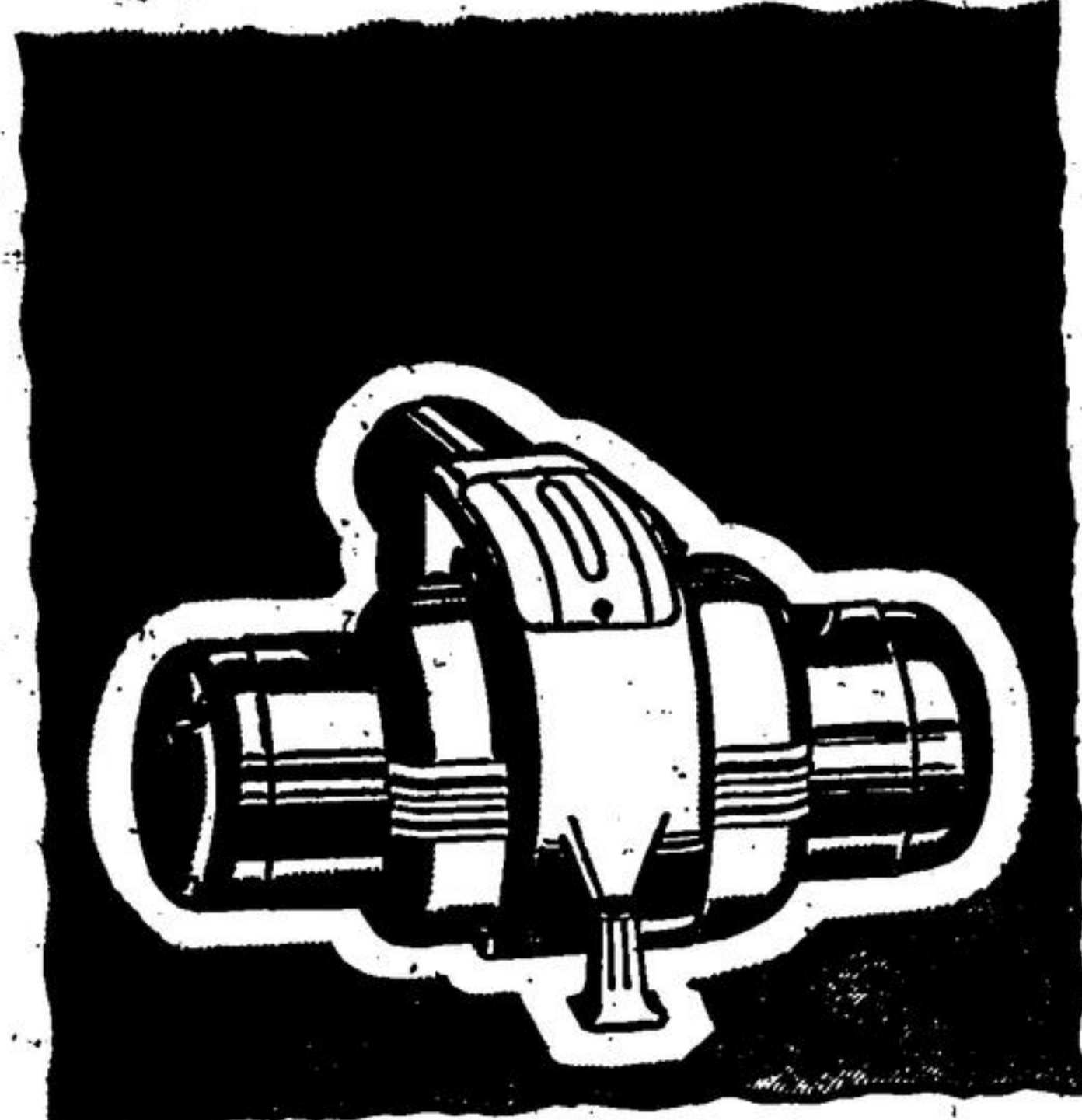
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Legion Notes

GHUBBY AND HIS merry men seem to have run into a real streak of bad luck in the industrial ball league, and have been losing fairly consistently. However, the holidays have taken a number of his players away on vacation, as well as Scotty Patterson having a nasty hand injury. Maybe the boys will break their losing streak yet.

WE SEE THAT horseshoe pits have been set up at the back of the Legion Hall. As yet haven't seen any one playing, but no doubt they will get lots of use in the near future.

WE SEEM TO HAVE caused a major disturbance when we stated in this column that the Col. Straight branch of the Canadian Legion had SOLD us the billiard table now in the recreation room. The truth of the matter is, that the table was donated absolutely gratis, and the amount of money paid was for repairs to the table. This mistake occurred through our having heard the figures read out at the general meeting, and taking it for granted that this was the price of the table. To rectify this, we have sent a copy of this column to the secretary of that Branch, with our apologies for any misunderstanding that has occurred. Hope this will satisfy all who have been complaining, both to the writer, and the executive. Again, we might add that anything printed in this column, is done so believing it is factual, however, mistakes do occur, and we are always glad to rectify them. However, matters could be speeded up if anyone wishing to have anything corrected, would come to the writer, instead of bothering the executive, who have enough to worry about as it is, in running Branch 120.

JIMMIE MURPHY is running the bingo, and social evenings in Alex Taylor's absence on holidays. Excellent crowds are still attending both.

THE EXECUTIVE ask that all members read carefully the advertisement appearing in last week's Herald, and act on same. Guests' card for Friday evening socials can be obtained from the steward.

A VERY POOR turn out from Branch 120 attended the Zone Church Parade held at Bronte a few Sundays ago. Tom Grieve, who attended, tells us there was only one carload from town.

We understand that Bronte is in the midst of transferring from this Zone to another, so possibly this had some bearing on the matter.

ANY MEMBER wishing to attend the Zone picnic to be held at Martin's Park, Churchville should put his name down on the blackboard in the Legion Hall. If enough names are put on the board, a bus will be hired for transportation.

WE HAVE A HUNCH that every member of Branch 120 should be on hand for the general meeting in September. Unofficially, we hear there will be the biggest news that has happened to the branch in a long time. The president and executive urge every member to turn out, and if our guest is correct, fellows, the news will be worth it.

THERE'S A NEW booklet just

released by the Dominion Dept. of Veterans' Affairs, which would be of interest to any Legion member (or veteran) caring to write for a copy. It reviews and answers in detail any questions about the various allowances, credits, etc., available under the Act. Copies of this booklet can be obtained from the Dept. of Veterans' Affairs, Ottawa. However, following are a couple of points that cause a great deal of argument and are nicely defined in this booklet:

Medical Treatment of Veterans: Who is Eligible? — All veterans with service in an actual war theatre who are financially unable to provide treatment themselves; war disability pensioners for their pensioned disabilities; and pensioners for other conditions if they are financially unable to pay for treatment.

Definition of financial ability to pay is: Single veteran may have \$1200 income a year; married with one dependent, \$1600 a year; married with two dependents \$1850 and each additional dependent \$150 is allowed and still eligible for treatment. May the veteran have savings and still be eligible for treatment? — Yes, but here again is a means test. Only if the estimated cost of treatment will reduce, in the case of single veteran, savings to less than \$250; and a married veteran with one dependent to \$400 is he eligible for treatment. Also if the cost of treatment is less than 10 per cent of his income he is not eligible.

For information regarding pensions — all information is available by writing or seeing the Pension Medical Examiner of the Canadian Pension Commission at the District office in Toronto.

If applicant was in British forces representation should be made to British Ministry of Pensions, Journal Building, Ottawa. The Dept. of Veterans Affairs has a branch called Pension Advocates Branch, staffed mainly by lawyers who are available to any veteran or to dependents of veterans who have died. This service is free.

Veterans Preference in Civil Service — Persons entitled to disability preference receive top priority while those entitled to overseas preference have a second priority which give them a definite advantage over persons not so entitled. However, any veteran must first qualify in open competition examination before he becomes eligible for any preference whatever.

These three points are often not fully understood, and the above-mentioned booklet clearly explains them, along with many other points.

IN THE NEAR FUTURE, we are going to attempt to write the history of Branch 120, since its inception. This represents quite a task and while much of its history is apparent in the minutes of bygone meetings, yet any such story must depend to no small extent on the memories of those who have belonged since the forming of this Branch. Naturally, there are certain discrepancies in any two people's recollection of the same events. However, it is hoped that in the main, the story will be fairly accurate, because not only does it represent a thread through the lives of the members of Branch 120, but it is also part of the story of Georgetown itself.

We ask that anyone having any papers, notes, pictures, etc., pertaining to the Branch, loan us the same as soon as possible. We promise to return them in good condition, and will only need them for a couple of weeks. Anything you have you think may be of the slightest interest will be appreciated and may be left at the Herald Office or phone the writer and it will be picked up.

VACATION MINISTERS FOR NORVAL - UNION CHURCHES

Three district ministers have been engaged to preach at Norval and Union Presbyterian churches this month during the annual vacation of Rev. J. L. Self. On August 13th and 20th Rev. Alexander McLean, B.D., of Willowdale, who is moderator of Toronto East Presbytery will be in charge. On August 27th Rev. Robert Armstrong, M.A., of Acton will preach and on September 3rd, Rev. William Weir B.A., of Brampton.

PREACHES AT DEEP RIVER AGAIN DURING VACATION

Rev. and Mrs. John Smith have left for Deep River in the Ottawa district, where for the second summer Mr. Smith will take charge of the United Churches at Deep River and Chalk River for a month. Chalk River has been much in the news this year as the headquarters for mining of ingredients for the atom bomb. The congregation of St. John's Church here will hold joint services with Knox Presbyterian Church during Mr. Smith's absence.

About 20 cubic feet of poisonous gas is created with each pound of coal consumed by a steam locomotive.

Trade Paper Tells Tiffany Cosmetics Story

The current issue of Canadian Packaging, a trade paper published by the Maclean Hunter Company tells the story of the creation of a new line of cosmetics by the Rexall Drug Company. Robb's Drugs, local outlet for Rexall products, has been featuring the new line of Tiffany Cosmetics and manager Stuart Young says there is a brisk demand for the product.

Reading the article, one is impressed with the painstaking research which goes into the packaging and design of a new product. The name was chosen because of its historical linking with quality. Louis Tiffany a 19th century painter and designer became so famous that his name lent itself to such description. Next step was to create bottles and labels which were in harmony with the quality idea which the company wished to stress.

An English bottling firm created a new glass shape. A paper box firm went to work on package design which led to a detailed study of frigates and reproductions of authentic models of old sailing ships. They were lithographed in seven colours in such minute detail that lithographers did their work under magnifying glasses to ensure absolute register. A coin motif which can be seen on the top of powder boxes, on the covers of lipstick containers, was copied from a 17th century Spanish doubloon. The cosmetic division of Rexall Drug Company, which is headed by Fred Crowhurst, was started shortly after the founding of the company in 1910 and retails its products through the Liggett and Rexall stores in Canada. Robb's is one of 1273 Canadian drug stores which operate under the Rexall name.

ASHGROVE Institute Members Attend Picnic at Lowville Park

The Women's Institute held a picnic last Thursday at Lowville Community Park when a goodly number of members and children attended. Swings and paddling in the water was enjoyed by the kiddies, while chatting under the trees occupied the ladies until the races began. Prizes went to Children 4 and under, Jeffrey Nurse and Nancy Hunter. Girls 6 and under, Adrienne Nurse and Jeannie Hunter; Boys 6 and under Jimmy Stiles; Girls 8 and under, — Marilyn Wilson; Sandra Stiles; Girls 10 and under — Carol Hunter; Evelyn and; Boys 10 and under, Ross Austin, Billy Kerr; Girls 12 and under, Evelyn Bird; Boys 12 and under, Tommy Hunter and George Bird; Girls 14 and under, Marion Bird, Margaret Bird; Boys 14 and under, Norman Bird; 3-legged race, Jean and Marion Bird, Ross Austin and Tommy Hunter; Married Ladies race, Mrs. Jas. Carney and Mrs. Charles Austin. Grandmothers race with a book on their head was won by Mrs. George Elliott, a visitor from Hamilton and second, Mrs. George Nurse. Driving nails into a block of wood was won by Mrs. J. J. Thompson. A lovely picnic supper ended this grand afternoon.

Our minister, Rev. F. Ainsworth is on holidays and next Sunday the service will be in charge of the Young People. The speaker is Mr. Jas. K. McDougall of Milton who is leaving for Ethiopia the end of August. On August 13th the WMS will have charge of the service and on the 20th there will be no service in the church.

Mr. John Graham of Hamilton has been visiting his brother, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Graham for a week. Miss Lue Reed of Toronto is having a week's holiday with her sister Mrs. George Wingfield and family.

Miss Elsie Bird on the staff of the Sick Children's Hospital of Toronto was home for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Richardson and daughter Mary of Laurel visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Belloddy.

Barbara Cunningham has been holidaying with relatives in Toronto and Midland.

Norman Clarridge of Brampton is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bridden and family.

Mrs. Mark Collier and daughter Audrey of Breslau were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wilson. Audrey is staying for the week, also Jimmy and Bobby Brooks of Hamilton are visiting at the same home.

BOWLING TWO RINKS PRIZEWINNERS AT ELORA TOURNAMENT

Six rinks of doubles from the local lawn bowling club went to the Elora Tif-Tof tournament last Wednesday night and two managed to get in the money, E. B. Tyers and Wilfrid Lavole and Ern Thompson and W. G. Bell. The prizes were furniture, as is usual in Elora.

This week six rinks go to Acton on Wednesday and six rinks to Rockwood on Friday night.

Vince Mountford Heads Garden Party Show at Union

The annual garden party of Union Presbyterian Church attracted four hundred people to the home of Dave Andrews, near Victoria, last Thursday.

Rev. J. L. Self, minister of the church, introduced the master-of-ceremonies, Vince Mountford of Brampton who, with pianist Alf Sutton has been at most of the garden parties in the district this year. The talent included Raymond Lower, magician, Irene Cook, soloist, Art Rhodes and his Hillbillies, Al and Charles Mountford, novelty singers and Eleanor Armstrong and Ruth Wilkinson, dance team.

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