

for your

Excavating Jobs

CELLARS, PONDS, LOADING, ETC.

SAND, GRAVEL
and FILL

call

Barclay Haulage

TR. 7-3891

BALLINAFAD

Meetings Held Here By Several Church Groups

Mrs. Fred Shortill was hostess when members of the Evening Auxiliary held their monthly meeting last week. Roll call was "Ways to Improve the Auxiliary" and an invitation was extended to ladies in the community to join the group. Cards and visits were recorded by Mrs. Dick Shortill. Mrs. E. Snow read a poem on church citizenship and Mrs. Baker gave a reading on the different things alcohol is used for such as chloroform and carbolic acid. Mrs. M. McLaughlin chose as the topic, two important missionaries and their history. Plans were completed for a bazaar which was held in the basement of Erin United Church. The hostesses and Mrs. J. McEnery served lunch after the meeting.

Mrs. Pollock of Georgetown, who lived for many years in Saskatchewan where her late husband was a

minister spoke at the Easter Thanksgiving meeting of Ballinafad WMS. Introduced by Miss Beatrice Hitts, who told of conditions during the years of drought and the help which was obtained from supplies shipped in from more prosperous regions of Canada. Mrs. Norman Sinclair and Mrs. Elwood Snow of the Evening Auxiliary took the devotional service. The Mission Band sang a chorus and six members recited a poem "The Easter Story." The third certificate was presented to the Band as an award for good work done during 1953. Both McEnery and Helena Hitts of the Circle girls gave readings on temperance and stewardship and Mrs. F. J. Shortill sang a solo. Mrs. Russ and Bonnie Cotton gave the dedicatory prayer.

The May meeting of the W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. J. Kirkwood. "Christian Family Life" was the theme of the worship service, led by Mrs. J. Snow who stated that the stabilizing influence of Christian home life has never been so necessary as now. We need to know some place that affords the opportunity for attaining an inner calmness of spirit, a place where strength, loveliness and goodness emerge. God still works through homes, she said.

The beauty of the house is order. The blessing of the house is contentment. The glory of the house is hospitality.

The crown of the house is godliness. Cards sent and visits made to sick and shut-ins were recorded. Roll call was answered with "My pet hate in housekeeping" and answers were quite varied. Plans were completed for the annual bus trip today. Mrs. Mitchell conducted a contest and refreshments were served by the hostesses and Mrs. N. Huss.

Before leaving to spend the summer in the United Church mission field near Havelock, Jim Kirkwood was presented with a pen and pencil set after a morning church service at which he preached. Mrs. Elwood Snow read the address and Mr. R. Warne made the presentation. The address said:

Ballinafad, Ontario,
May 16th, 1954.

Dear Jim:
Today our thoughts go back to

the time of Christ's parting commission to His Disciples, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature." We think of the very small group of men who heard this challenge and who went forth to lay the foundation of our Christian Church.

Our thoughts go back, too, to the struggles that the early Christian Church had to endure, to the struggles that have confronted the Christian Church down through these past nineteen centuries.

But our Gracious Heavenly Father must have surely seen that the church was truly grounded and anchored to the Rock, for He, in His own good time and way has always seen that the Church has had good workers to overcome all its difficulties in its glorious march forward, extending His Kingdom in this land and across the seas.

We can only bow our heads and lift up our hearts, in humble, grateful praise and thanksgiving to our ever Faithful Heavenly Father, as we see the power of the Church of Christ today.

As we, His servants are gathered here to enjoy fellowship one with the other, and with Him, we wish to ask God's guidance and blessing on one of our own, who is going out from among us, for these coming summer months.

Jim, you are one who has not only heard Christ calling you to a field of service for Him, but you have answered that call.

Now, as you go to serve on your Summer Mission Field, we ask God's continued blessing upon you, in your work for Him.

To take with you in this new work, and to remind you always, that the thoughts and prayers of your friends back home are with you, we present you with this little gift.

May God bless you and ever lead and keep you in His Way.

Signed on behalf of Ballinafad United Church:

Miss Beatrice Hitts,
Mrs. F. J. Shortill,
Miss Lillian Shortill,
Mr. Robert Warne.

LIMEHOUSE

GETS MENTION, PRIZE ON TELEVISION SHOW

Peter Glynn was mentioned on TV a couple of weeks ago. With his letter reporting sighting his first bluebird to the Hobby Work Shop, CBC TV, Toronto, he was named on the program and received a bird book.

The WMS met at the home of Mrs. Smethurst on Thursday evening. Mrs. Smethurst reading Scripture, Mrs. Patterson the Prayer and Mrs. Benton, the study. Text word used was Judgment. Miss Ivens and Mrs. Benton read part of the study as a dialogue. News items were read during the program. The hostesses served lunch afterwards.

Hobby Roughley celebrated his fourth birthday with a luncheon at noon on Friday. His guests included Stephen Lawr, Michael Noble, Paul Turner, Teddy and Johnny Clarke and Diane Foster.

Recent visitors:

Mrs. Roy Ross of Montreal with the H. Nortons.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Robertson of Oakville and the J. A. Smethursts of Islington with Mrs. Smethurst a week ago, and last week-end were Mrs. McGowan and the Harry Smethursts of Barrie.

Mr. and Mrs. Cuthbert and family of Toronto with the F. Gearys.

Mr. Norm Perron of Toronto with the Lawrs.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Pearson of Milton with the A. W. Bentons, Mrs. Livingstone, Toronto, with the Findlays.

3rd VICTORY LOAN BONDS have been CALLED FOR PAYMENT JUNE 1st

IF YOU HOLD Third Victory Loan 3% Bonds (issued November, 1942 to mature November, 1956) they should be presented for payment on or after June 1st through any branch bank in Canada. AFTER THIS DATE NO FURTHER INTEREST WILL BE PAID. The interest coupon dated November 1st, 1954 and all coupons dated later than this must be attached to the bonds when they are presented for payment. Payment will be \$101.26 for a \$100 bond (and for other denominations accordingly). This payment includes a \$1 premium as required by the terms of the bond—plus 26¢ which is interest at 3% from May 1st to June 1st—the period since the last coupon became payable.

Government of Canada

By: BANK OF CANADA, Fiscal Agent

VB-54



We have so much to protect

This Canada of ours — is ours to enjoy at a price — the price of constant alertness. We cannot take for granted our freedom to worship, to vote, to educate our children, or to order our home life as we please. All these freedoms are ours only as long as we are willing to do everything necessary to maintain and defend them. All honour, then to the Canadian Soldier — the steadfast guardian of all our free institutions. Without men like him, the Canada we love might cease to be. We have so much to protect. Let us all do our part, without let-up, in whatever way our duty lies.

SERVE CANADA AND YOURSELF IN THE ARMY.

To be eligible you must be 17 to 40 years of age, skilled tradesman to 45. When applying bring birth certificate or other proof of age.

Apply right away — For full information write or visit the Army Recruiting Centre nearest your home.

No. 13 Personnel Depot, Wallis House, Rideau & Charlotte Sts., Ottawa, Ont. — Telephone 9-4507
No. 5 Personnel Depot, Artillery Park, Bagot Street, Kingston, Ont. — Telephone 6149
Canadian Army Recruiting Centre, 90 Richmond St. W., Toronto, Ont. — Telephone EM. 6-8341 — Local 276
No. 7 Personnel Depot, Wolseley Barracks, Oxford & Elizabeth Sts., London, Ont. — Telephone 2-3261
No. 2 Personnel Depot, 230 Main St. W., North Bay, Ont. — Telephone 456
Canadian Army Recruiting Station, 184 King Street East, Hamilton — Telephone 2-8708

CUT FLOWERS

Artistic Floral Arrangements
for all occasions
WALTER RIGG
Florist
TRiangle 7-3282
Member of Telegraph Delivery Service
"Tell It With Flowers"

FREE

DAILY PICK-UP AND DELIVERY

Georgetown and
Glen Williams

WOOD'S PERFECTION CLEANERS

TRiangle 7-2965

Flowers FOR EVERY OCCASION

Design Work a Specialty

Flowers by wire anywhere
in the world.

Norton Floral

TRiangle 7-3582 - Georgetown

Have your

ESSO

OIL BURNER installed now!



\$55.00 down

1 - 2 or 3 years to pay
Payments as low as \$9.00
per month.

FREE ESTIMATES

W. "BILL" SPROULE

4 ELIZABETH ST. E.
PHONE 1877
BRAMPTON

• BUILDING SAND

• CONCRETE
GRAVEL

• ROAD GRAVEL

• FILL & TOP SOIL

TOM HAINES

Glen Williams

TRiangle 7-3302

HAMILTON CONSTRUCTION

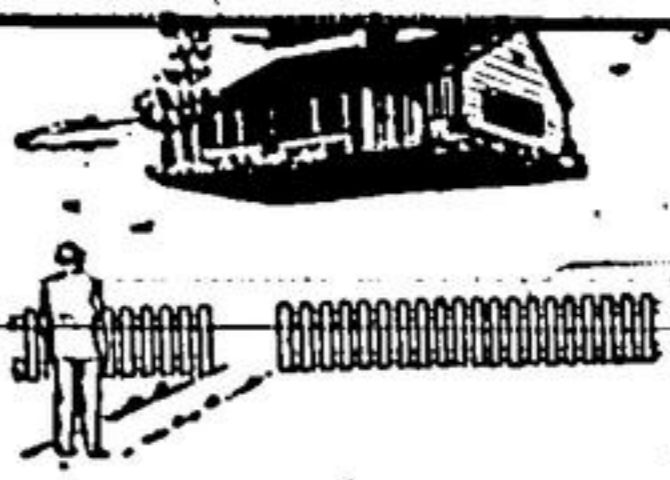
AT YOUR SERVICE

Every Building Need

Discuss your problems
with us.

TR. 7-3480

156 Guelph Street



Getting Away?

FIRE may rob you of a good share of your property value, if you haven't brought your insurance protection up-to-date.

The price of replacement and repairs is way up. If Fire strikes your home, will you have the insurance help you need to get back to normal?

Let's make sure NOW.

JOHN R. BARBER AGENCY

— successors to —
Elmer C. Thompson Insurance Services

JOHN R. BARBER
F. Kersey — E. C. Thompson
Mill Street — TR. 7-3211