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CHILDREN WREAK HAVOC IN SCHOOL



HELEN, JOE AND TOM, triplet calves born on the farm of Charles Fatt, R. R. 1 Campbellville are shown here with Murray Fatt, 12, who assisted at their birth. Bondhaven Ragapple Maple, who has had twins and four single heifers, gave birth to the triplet Holstein calves. Acton Free Press Photo.

Rear End Collision In Fog Causes Estimated \$250 Damage To Cars

Fog which blanketed the Acton area early Thursday morning confused Kitchener motorist, Mrs. Thelma Mercer, and the foggy confusion resulted in a rear end collision causing damage estimated at \$250.

Mrs. Mercer was driving east on No. 7 Highway on the western approach to Acton at about 1:30 a.m. in the dense fog when a train on the CNR main line which parallels the highway there whistled for a crossing.

Not knowing where the sound came from Mrs. Mercer feared she was almost on the tracks and jammed on the brakes. Floyd Foster of Aurora who was driving the car immediately following the Mercer vehicle was unable to stop in time to avoid the smash.

There were no injuries in the accident which Cst. Ray Andross of the county detachment OPP investigated.

DAMAGE MAY REACH \$5,000 JUVENILES WRECK SCHOOL

Two Glen children ages 9 and 12 have been charged with causing malicious damage to Glen Williams Public School, Monday.

which according to Esquesing school board secretary Ern Batkin may run close to \$5,000.

It took the charged pair approximately three hours to make a shambles of the modern building and they probably would have continued their destruction but for the intervention of the Georgetown police and OPP who caught

the young vandals red handed when summoned to the school by Glen residents Bev Moody and Mrs. Herb Hancock who heard the breaking glass. The devastating escapade started at about 12 noon and was abruptly terminated by police at approximately 3 p.m.

Damage to the windows alone will run into hundreds. All of the windows along the back of the building and in doors throughout the school were shattered and glass blanketed the ground outside. In

side radios and clocks were demolished, water colour paints were upset, light globes were broken, and almost everything movable was overturned. In one room duplicator fluid was poured over the tiled floor and retiling will be necessary.

The Glen Public School is the fourth rural school to experience senseless vandalism which in the past few months has marked the new Stewarttown School, Ashgrove Public School and Milton Heights Public School.

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Brock Bradley, RCAF Trenton, has been spending a few days at his home, 33 Victoria Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baird, Ross, Gordon and Laura, Chipper Court, motored to Cape Cod for a vacation trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spiers, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roe, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thompson and family returned home recently after a week's vacation at Thompson Lodge at Lake Dalrymple.

Mrs. Robert Harris, Robert and Kevin, R.R. 2 Georgetown, and Mr. Fred Braisby, Caroline Street, have just returned from a holiday with Mrs. Charles R. Hall of Little Britain.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Farnell and their two children Carroll and David, 19 Albert St., holidayed for two weeks at Fairlawn Lake with Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Todd and Tommy of Niagara Falls.

Roger Addy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Addy, Glen Williams, has been on holidays from his position with the Northern Electric Company, Montreal. He spent part of his holiday with his parents and a week at Wasaga Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wyatt, 24 Prince Charles Dr. spent a week of their holidays in Sarnia with son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crosby. The second week they accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wyatt of Hamilton on a trip to Akron, Ohio.

Terry Harley, 15 John St. W. and Doug Tucker, 93 Main St. N. spent the holidays on a motor trip that took them along the Seaway to Montreal, Lake Champlain district, Burlington, Vermont; Lake Placid in the Adirondacks, and parts of New York state.

The Rev. John D. and Mrs. Rathbone, Kathy and Peter, Glen Williams, have returned from a motor and camping trip to the Maritime Provinces. Their 3250 mile trip took them to New York, Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine and then through New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island back through Quebec and the eastern part of Ontario.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Bradley, Jane and Bob, 17 Elgin Street, spent their holidays this year at Kincairdine.

Mayor and Mrs. Jack Armstrong with sons Martin and Peter, 23 Parkview Blvd., motored east last week, travelling to Boston, Mass. and home by way of Lake Placid.

John Cornelius, 15 Victoria St., has departed on a bus tour from Toronto to Mexico where he will visit fabulous Acapulco. He will be away three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson, Victoria Street, have just returned home from a three-week trip to Vancouver and Victoria, B.C.

A motor trip to Algonquin Park, and home via Ottawa and the St. Lawrence Seaway was this year's vacation for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tyler, Michael, Bobby and Peggy, 20 Elgin St.

Mrs. Stan Wade and daughter Erika, 7 Keats Ave. have returned from an eleven weeks' visit in the Old Country. Making their headquarters in Wales they travelled to many parts of Britain during their visit. They returned on the S. S. Corinthia.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ross, 5 Ontario St., are home after an extensive holiday in the south western states where they visited with her sister Mrs. M. Weston of Los Angeles. While in California they visited the famous Aragon ballroom and chatted with well-known orchestra leader Lawrence Weik. They also viewed the giant Redwoods, and toured the California coast including a stay at Monterey.

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Mrs. C. Stumpf of Elmira has been a guest with her sister, Mrs. A. H. and Mr. Feller, 2 Emery St.

Mr. and Mrs. James Linton, Frances, Ritchie and Jennifer, 6 Lyons Ct., have returned from a vacation spent at Southampton.

Mrs. J. H. Chamberlain, Janet, Blake and John, 5 Market St. holidayed for two weeks at Glenhaven, Lake Simcoe, Dr. Chamberlain joining them for the week-ends.

Mrs. A. N. Cole and Douglas Cole, Guelph Street, have just returned from a two-week motor trip which took them to the Lake of the Woods district and Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Guests vacationing during the past week at Valley View Cabins, Huntsville included Mr. and Mrs. George Chaplin, Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Cross, Daniel Hurren, and Harold Scott, Verna and Clifford Scott of Rockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Collins, Guelph Street, returned this morning to Malton airport from Calgary, Alberta, where they have been visiting with their son Sgt. Bruce Collins and Mrs. Collins and their daughter Patricia. Mrs. Collins made the trip by bus and was later joined by Mr. Collins who flew out. Mrs. Collins also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kemshead and their family in Edmonton, Alberta. While in Calgary they made several trips which included Banff and Lake Louise.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Cunningham, R. R. 2 Georgetown, announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Jean, to Harry William Bonner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bonner of R. R. 3 Rockwood. The marriage will take place on Saturday, August the twenty-ninth at three o'clock in Ashgrove United Church.

Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Dixon, Norval, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marlene June Elizabeth to James Donald Cunningham, son of Mr. & Mrs. R. W. Cunningham, 17 Byron Street, Georgetown. The marriage will take place on Saturday, August the Twenty-Ninth at Three o'clock in the Norval Presbyterian Church.

Chatting

M. H. B.

HAVING JUST painted my toenails the giddy red favoured by the teenage members of the household, I figure I have reached the ultimate in leisure. Only once a year does the urge to a pedicure seize me. And it is after several weeks at the cottage—a sure sign that my lakeside sojourn's almost over.

Not that staying at the cottage is completely work-free; care-free existence. There is just enough to do, in the way of household chores, to make me appreciate my leisure, and just enough problems to be solved to make me treasure those moments when the surf lapping soothingly on the shore, finds a lovely echo in a head almost completely empty and at peace.

FOR INSTANCE—On a day when the lake is shining placidly blue as a mill-pond, my matching mood more often than not, is shattered by someone wanting to try out water-skiing for the first time. What to say? "Well, really, Mom, you can't keep a person cooped up all her life. Besides, all the kids are doing it. I'm the only one who can't water ski!"

A reluctant permission given—anxiety takes over—so enticing as they did before your offspring became part of the scenery, skimming along unsteadily in the spray thrown up by a speeding motor boat.

I HAVE TO admit that nothing too much can detract from the pleasure of soaking up the sun on a sandy beach, especially after a swim. The only thing that keeps me from a state of complete and utter relaxation at such a time are air-mattresses, and other such inflated toys being played with by a non-swimmer member of the household. If I want to be completely free from care, such paraphernalia stays at home.

MUCH AS I enjoy the water and sun at the lake, I must confess that what I look forward to most of all is having time to read. Before we take off from home, a trip to the library is an absolute necessity. This usually results in an impossibly large huddle of books being toted up to the cottage—to say nothing of the huge carton of magazines that have accumulated at home, which I can't bear to part with until I have at least glanced over. Funny about those old magazines. When you see them in a great pile—more than you know you can ever possibly read—they somehow lose interest. Frustrating, that's what it is. I try not to let it get me down, tho.

WHEN PEOPLE ask me where we go for our summer holidays, quite often they are none the wiser when I reply "Inverhuron". Now, however, that the government has created

a Provincial Park on the beach and woodlands adjoining our little resort, Inverhuron will become much better known. The park has just been opened this year, and the camping area has been filled to capacity ever since. It's interesting to note, by the way, the tremendous swing, tenting for a family holiday. Even five years ago there seemed to be very few people who spent their holidays camping out. Now in many resort areas, the tenters far outnumber the cottagers.

MAYBE I'M prejudiced, but I don't think you'd ever find a leveler park than Inverhuron. Its 540 acres consists of areas heavily wooded in cedar, red pine and balsam fern-filled meadows, and beaches rimmed partly with fine white sand and partly pebbly. There are lots of picnic tables, usually with a barbecue beside it, complete with wood for your fire. The dollar entrance fee per car, entitles you to enter and use the park facilities, or the facilities of any other Provincial Park as often as you wish. At Inverhuron these include well-appointed bathing stations and washrooms, drinking water, and a life-guard on duty at the sand beach. There is also a strip for launching boats.

ONE OF OUR pleasantest outings this summer, was a "cook-out" at one of the park barbecues. It's about a ten minute drive from the beach, so the cold drinks were still icy and the hamburgers just fine for popping into the frying pan. Then we sat around the table for an hour or so, enjoying the view of the bay from our little wooded knoll. It was around three in the afternoon when we decided the time had come to return home.

WE PROCEEDED to pack everything into the trunk of the car. And I do mean everything. Including our driver's purse with the one and only key to her car in it. So we enjoyed the scenery for a couple of hours longer than we had planned, until a young chap from a neighbouring village rescued us from our plight. This he did by completely removing the back seat, and reaching thru a small opening into the trunk to retrieve the purse containing the precious key.

Ah, well, if everything were perfect we'd have nothing to think about, much less write about, would we.

ARRIVED BACK at the cottage just in time to take shelter from a wild thunderstorm. And when it cleared away there was a beautiful sunset. I sat on a big rock at the shore and watched a man row his boat into the rays of the setting sun. The horizon was all pink and gold, and every time he raised the oars it seemed as the two sheets of flame fell from each paddle into the blue waters of the lake.

Burlington Man Suffers Heart Attack At Picnic

A 65 year old Burlington carpenter, Floyd Harvey, died in Stewarttown Sunday while out for a Sunday drive with his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey were enjoying the countryside and stopped at Stewarttown to picnic near the pond when M. Harvey suffered a heart attack.

Windshield Shattered By Bullet On 7th Line

Edward James Rogers of R.R. 1 Georgetown became understandably angry Monday afternoon when someone shot at him with a 22 rifle while he was driving north on the 7th line, shattering the windshield of his car.

Mr. Rogers was just south of McCullough's corners when he was shot at and in his haste to back up to attempt to catch the gunman he lost control of his car and backed into the east ditch. The car rolled on its side and suffered damage amounting to approximately \$50.

PARK SWINGS, SLIDES ARE PREY FOR VANDALS

The numerous local children who took advantage of the playground facilities provided for them at the Georgetown park were the hardest hit by a mean and thoughtless act of vandalism there sometime last

Wednesday night or early Thursday morning. The culprits attacked the swings and slides and viciously twisted them into melle symbols of their own warped minds.

Their destructive work was discovered Thursday by park caretaker A. C. Prouse who immediately reported it to police. Besides wrecking the playground the vandals up ended every picnic table in the area.

Police chief Roy Haley said that any information leading to the apprehension of destructive party will be much appreciated by his department.

RAYLAWN RESIDENT WINNER OF HI-FI

GS TV and appliance store in the Delrex Market Centre was a popular place last Friday evening for the drawing of their lucky number ticket for the Marconi Hi-Fi set. Little Lois Finnie drew the lucky number and the award was made to Mr. D. Waywell of 179 Raylawn Crescent.

Toronto Railwayman Was Father of Georgetown Resident

Mrs. Fred Darby, 49 Raylawn Crescent, was saddened by the loss of her father, Theodore Earl Pinkney, of 185 Vine Street, Toronto. Mr. Pinkney died Friday, July 24 at the age of 61, after being in ill health for a few months. He was born in Streetsville, moving to Toronto where he was employed with the Canadian Pacific Railways until he was forced to take a leave of absence in May due to his health. In former years he had been a member of the Odd Fellows lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Pinkney were married in St. George's Anglican Church in October of 1920. Mrs. Pinkney survives him as do their children, Avis, Mrs. Ernest Dawson, Mrs. James Handcomb, Betty, June, Mrs. Fred Darby, George, Garnet, Donald, Keith, Ted and Jo Ann.

Funeral service was conducted by Rev. Stackhouse of St. John's Anglican Church, Toronto, at the William Speers Funeral Chapel, 2926 Dundas St. West on Monday, July 27 at 1:30. Interment was in Prospect Cemetery, Toronto. Four nephews and two fellow employees of the C.P.R. were pallbearers.

Several relatives of Mr. Pinkney live in the district at Caledon, Erin and Alton.

\$300 PRIZE WON AT KINSMEN BINGO

A new Georgetown resident, Mrs. E. F. Crane, was the big money winner at the Kinsmen's monster bingo in the arena on Friday, July 24. Mrs. Crane won the \$300 progressive jackpot offered by the Kin who put up hundreds of dollars worth of prizes to be played for in twenty regular games and one "share the wealth."

Proceeds from the bingo will be used to assist the Kin in their community service work and non-winners will have a second chance at the attractive cash prizes when the young service club sponsors another monster bingo in the arena on August 14th.



ABOUT 80 EAGER YOUNG district boys and girls attended the Daily Vacation Bible School at Ballinacred United Church. They were persuaded to stay still for a minute beneath the maples at the church door to be photographed. Superintendent of the school was Murray McBride, a young student minister, and he was assisted by local ladies, several school teachers and interested young people. The program included songs, games, crafts and bible study. Acton Free Press Photo.