LEGION NOTES

Forgetting Not a Fault Some Memories Painful

by Don N. Platt

To forget is something the human mind is well equipped to do. Forgetting is not a fault it is something our conscious mind is supposed to do In order to protect us from recurring unpleasant memories these thoughts are quickly dulled by time. An excruciating pain becomes merely an abstract memory moments after the pain subsides: whereas a pleasant experience is recalled with a smile hours, days and months after.

In any gathering of old soldiers the talk is not of pain and battles but of high-jinks and carousing. The hero who bravely died saying the lives of his comrades is not so often recalled to mind as the exploits of the company's best chicken stealer. This is as it should be. Life can be difficult enough without nursing a memory full of unpleasantness.

These memories must to some extent be retained, if not for the sake of the memories, at least for the sake of those unfortunate people involved in them.

A man who gave his life cannot be repaid for his sacrifice. *The dependents he left* behind, however, should not and must not be forgotten. The man who returned damaged in mind or body must also have the helping hand for which he so dearly paid. Veterans' hospitals throughout the country are filled with men still undergoing repairs to the damage done to them twenty and more years ago.

The Royal Canadian Legion comes to the Canadian public once a year in a request for assistance in their ceaseless struggle to help those who, through the ravages of war, are unable to help themselves.

The Blood Red Poppy of Flanders is synonymous with Remembrance Day and the Legion. It is immortalized as an emblem of sacrifice and symbol of remembrance for the honouring of the thousands who gave their lives in battle to help preserve for those at home the ideals that they as Canadians cherished.

On Saturday, November 9th, Canadians will have the opportunity to dig deep in their pockets and their hearts and for a moment remember that their gift, is given to help one who has already given so much more.

BUSINESS AS USUAL

Mr C. E. Wall, the Service Bureau Officer of Ontario Provincial Command will visit Branch 120 on Thursday, November 14, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Anyone wishing advice or assistance regarding War Disability Pensions, treatment, allowances, etc should contact Wally Thompson, our Branch Service Officer, and arrange an appointment.

50-50 DRAW

The winner this week has been, shall we say, lost. Bob Williams sold the winning ticket, No. 1417Q, but the stub was incompletely filled in and to date our horde of detectives have leicited only the fact that our dubiously lucky man lives in a vacant lot on John Street Georgetown. Although the intensive search will continue should anyone find the above numbered ticket secreted among his effects a short gallop to the Legion with same will produce the bag of gold.

THE HONOUR ROLL

Killed in Action 1914 - 1918

Flt.-Lt. C. Barber	Pte. I. Green
Flt.-Lt. C. Somerville	Pte. H. Hickey
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Sgt. James Blair	Pte. W. King
Sgt. W. C. Granger	Pte. J. E. Kennedy
Sgt.-Obs. H. Nelle	Pte. W. Loud
Sgt. J. Moore	Pte. D. McKenzie
L-Cpl. A. S. Mason	Pte. G. Mason
Pte. J. Campbell	Pte. W. Phillips
Pte. J. Cowan	Pte. G. H. Sprightholme
Pte. H. Francis	Pte. G. H. Spires
Pte. S. Godfrey	Pte. S. Stawicky
Pte. J. Presswood	Pte. E. Cornish

Killed in Action or Died While on Service 1939 - 1945

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F/O. John Evans	Pte. Ervine Hills
F/O. Wm. G. McLaughlin	Pte. Fred Kidd
F/O. Norman Bails	Pte. John O'Kane
Lieut. John Bowman	Pte. John Oliver
Lieut. Bruce Zimmerman	A/B. Victor Millar
P/O. Carman Sutcliffe	Pte. H. Simpson
P/O. James Louth	Pte. Robert Wylie
F/Sgt. Lawrence Beaumont	Pte. William Wylie
Sgt. Stewart Maclaren	Pte. Jack Kendall
Sgt. Hubert E. Lost	Pte. Reg. Blair
Cpl. Hedley Shaw	Pte. John Hemphill
L.A.C. William Carey	Pte. George Latimer
Cpl. Carl Byde	Pte. Harvey Darlington
Rfm. J. Davis	Dvr. R. Allen
Pte. Harry Delaney	Pte. J. Jamieson
Pte. Stanley Desotteson	Pte. William Kay
Dvr. Claude Dube	Pte. Clarence Beaumont

Killed in Action in Korea 1951

Cpl. Ron Edmunds	Pte. Ken Norton

IN FLANDERS FIELDS

In Flanders fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses, row on row,
That mark our place; and in the sky
The larks still bravely singing fly,
Scarce heard amidst the guns below.

We are the dead.
Short days ago we lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved, and now we lie
In Flanders fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe:
To you from failing hands we throw
The Torch; be yours to hold it high.
If ye break faith with us who die
We shall not sleep, though poppies blow
In Flanders fields.

Lt. Col. John McCrae

STEWARTTOWN

New Brampton Baby Makes Five Smith Generations

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hooper (the former Gail Smith) of Brampton, on the birth of their daughter, Elizabeth Jane, on Friday, October 25th. First grandchild for Mr and Mrs. Roy Smith. A great grandaughter for Mr and Mrs. Cecil Smith and a great great grandaughter for Mrs. Willett, all of Stewartown.

Mrs. J. C. Murray has returned home after a three-week vacation, spent in Peterborough among relatives.

The rain and the snow on Saturday made little difference to those who attended the Annual Bazaar sponsored by the St. John's Church Guild.

Rev. J. E. Maxwell welcomed the ladies and led in prayer, then declared the Bazaar open.

The hall was beautifully decorated and gave the atmosphere needed for Christmas gift shopping.

The fancy work department proved a likely spot for this where Mrs. Cecil Smith and Mrs. J. C. Murray displayed their wares: all kinds of aprons, pillow cases, knitted garments, stuffed toys and articles too numerous to mention were purchased by the eager shoppers.

Mrs. John Dickinson was quite busy at the "Touch and Take" table, where children as well as grownups were delighted with their packages.

Mrs. C. G. English was kept busy selling tickets on a very pretty quilt made by the Guild members and won by Mrs. K. Joe Wilcox of 42 Domville Rd. Fort Erie with ticket number 277.

Miss Diana Armstrong sold tickets on a beautifully embroidered table cloth donated by Miss Prairie Mazurie and won by Mrs. Lucy Warstaffe of Georgetown with ticket number 45.

ASHGROVE

Burlington-Huttonville Ministers at Anniversary

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The one hundred and third anniversary of Ashgrove United Church was held on Sunday with a good attendance at both services. The front of the church looked lovely with bouquets of variegated chrys anthemums. The choir sang special numbers and in the morning were assisted by Mr and Mrs. Fred Shortell of Bolton who sang two duets 'Seek Ye the Lord' and 'Hold Thou My Hand' which added greatly to the service.

The visiting minister Rev. J. P. Ashton B.A., B.D. of Trinity Church, Burlington, spoke on 'Friends' and the hour he can do with church workers which should be a rich fellowship. He likened the enemy of the mob who destroyed Jesus the cross but what did they gain from taking his life they destroyed themselves. We don't hurt our enemies nearly as much as ourselves, he concluded. We must build up people, not destroy them and he urged calling on God for forgiveness; he has no enemies.

At the evening service the choir was assisted with solos by Mr. Thomas Darcie of Georgetown who sang "I Depend On My God" and "How Great Thou Art" (with that wonderful voice of his). The minister, Rev. William Morris, B.A., of Huttonville, spoke on "The Joyous Good News" and his scripture was from 19th chap of St. Luke: the Story of Zacheus in the sycamore tree. This rich publican and tax collector was so determined to see Jesus, who looked up and saw him and received him joyfully and the change in Zacheus brought him happiness and victory and he became the most generous character in Jericho.

The Son of Man came to seek and to save that which was lost. He wants us to be the Light of the World. We can all change: Jesus wants to come and heal us all of our sins and faults. Zacheus sought Him and was rewarded. With love and understanding we can all be seekers and savers.

GLEN WILLIAMS

Glen People Attend O'Hara-Hutton Vows

Mrs. Ina Wheeler and Mrs. Ali Spencer were guests at the wedding of Miss Marion Hutton and Mr. John O'Hara at Melrose United Church, Hamilton recently. John is the grandson of Mr. John Wheeler. The bride is a graduate of Grace Hospital, Toronto, and the groom is employed with CBC Television, Toronto.

The bride and groom are the lucky winners of a trip to Nassau for their honeymoon. Mr. and Mrs. Phares Vandal [illegible] and Mr. and Mrs. Chadwick of Kitchener were also guests.

Miss Ruth Spencer [illegible] for Sunday School teacher at Lake Orion Training Centre [illegible].

Some of our ladies attended St. John's Church ladies bazaar in Stewarttown on Saturday.

Saturday evening Mrs. D. Williamson of Silver Creek was hostess for a linen shower for a bride of this month, Anne Bates of the 9th line.

Susan Wheeler entertained some of her school chums at a Hallowe'en party. Those were Shirley Hanson, Sue [illegible], Bates, Sandra Fortune and Joanne McKenzie.

The lovely days of October are on the communion table in the United Church Sunday, with memories of Mr. John Wheeler placed there by his family.

Get well wishes are sent to Tom Norton, Mr. John Macdonald and Mr. W. Everson who are patients at Georgetown & District Hospital.

The St. Ann's Ladies Guild held a success full bake sale Friday evening. Those in charge were Mrs. D. Townsend, Mrs. J. Hooper and Mrs. R. Reynold. Their next meeting is in the Parish Hall Nov. 13th at 8 o'clock.

Some people are so tense these days they have to take tranquilizers in order to sleep in church.

Of Police Cars Discuss Leasing

Possibility of adopting a leasing system to replace ownership of police cars is being investigated by the town council.

Mayor Hyde told council on Monday that Chinguacousy finds this a better system, and that other towns are adopting it.

"I think it is good business, and if we did one of the vehicles should be an unmarked car," he said.

Property chairman Bill Smith said he would report to council next Monday on costs.

CLEARING
AUCTION SALE
of older style
Household Furniture
The undersigned have received instructions from
ALBERT WARE
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M. LESLIE
by public auction at his residence in the
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on
Saturday, Nov. 9th
at 1 p.m. the following
Side board, [illegible] king chair, secretary desk with mirror, [illegible] toilet sets, floor model radio, floor lamp, small tables, wash stands, number of chests of drawers, wicker chair, arm chair, Singer treadle sewing machine, sewing work basket, hand sewing machine, trunks, clothes baskets, [illegible] crib, glass butter churn, Deforest Crosley man's radio, [illegible] for double bed and mattress, single cots and mattress, high chair, number of odd kitchen and dining room chairs and tables, electrolux vacuum cleaner, quantity of rolled linoleum, large size heavy duty electric stove, [illegible] electric stove, [illegible] coffee percolator, dishes, room tables and six chairs, coal and wood cook stove, [illegible] Maytag washing machine, [illegible] bicycle, [illegible] cycle, [illegible] saddle, [illegible] copper boiler, kitchen [illegible], [illegible] stove, two plant fetnetses, [illegible] box of tools, [illegible] and hatchet, weed sprayer, lawn mower, steel [illegible], [illegible] buffalo, 3 cycle machine, [illegible] 3 horsepower [illegible], [illegible] table, [illegible] carpenter [illegible], [illegible] steel [illegible], [illegible] of [illegible] steel [illegible].
Also take as popping shaker machine. Electric [illegible] heavy duty electric stove, [illegible] electric [illegible], [illegible] chairs and table, [illegible] cupboard [illegible], [illegible] drawers, 2 [illegible] with [illegible] and [illegible] double bed and [illegible] mattress, [illegible] dishes, large [illegible] set of [illegible] electric motor, [illegible] other articles.
TERMS: Cash [illegible]
No [illegible]
Inspection [illegible] day of sale.
Refreshments [illegible]
Elliot & Holmes
Auctioneers
Clerks: T. D. McCutcheon, L. Simmons

Jaycee Jamaica Trip Won by Oakvilleite

Tom Derrick, of Oakville, a janitor at Union Carbide Co., is the lucky winner of the Jaycees Jamaica trip. A complete seven day vacation for two at the Tower Isle Hotel, plus the T.C.A. flight was the good news given the incredulous Mr Derrick at midnight Friday night.

George Farrow, President of the Jaycees, drew the ticket, sold by Raymond De Paul, brother of Mrs. Bob Burke, and immediately phoned Mr. Derrick. The winner could only stammer incoherently, "Who me?", but the noise in the background testified to the family's jubilation.

The dance itself was a complete success, with the Riviera being crowded, many dressed casually as beachcombers.

Kay Butler emerged the Limbo Champion for the ladies and Ron Montgomery wore the men's winning sash. Aiding the atmosphere of the islands were five Jamaican students from O.A.C. dressed in red shirts, with ruffled sleeves, and playing the steel drums.

Not to be outdone, Tom Derrick in yellow satin shirt and wine cummerbund, sang some brand new calypso numbers. In addition he accompanied Ralph Ursel and his Manhattans in many of the other dance numbers.

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[illegible] on the 1963 Voters' List [illegible] the following locations: [illegible] Building, 36 Main St. N., [illegible] Grocery, [illegible] and Maple Ave. [illegible] Market Centre.

In case of omission or corrections, enquiries may be made by telephone or attending the Clerk's Office, 36 Main Street North, 877-6951, between 9.00 a.m. and 5.00 p.m. Monday to Tuesday and 9.00 a.m. to 8.00 p.m. Thursday.

To be qualified to vote at Municipal Elections, you must be 21 years of age, a British subject; an Owner or Tenant, or Wife or Husband of an Owner or Tenant; and your name must be on the Voters' List or added thereto by an appeal made within the time above mentioned.

Please check now to ascertain if your name is on the Voters' List.

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