

Free Press District Page

Ballinafad

# Does anyone still make dandelion wine?

By Mrs. R. Shortill Sr.  
We think the dandelions have become old and white haired—at least the lawn mower makes headway with them until they "rise" again. There has been a superb crop. I wonder if nowadays anyone makes dandelion blossom wine? It was an old time recipe and supposed to be a tonic.  
The closing of the nursing home at Hillsburg has caused a great deal of unhappiness and inconvenience to those who lived there as well as to their ones who were concerned for them.  
We regret the passing of Mr. Joshua Thompson. He was a fine friend to all who knew him and a loving father to his sons and daughters.  
Tour museum  
The W.I. enjoyed a good day for their visit to Halton Museum. After touring the barn building we held our regular meeting by the fireplace. Mrs. Jamieson opened with a few well-chosen words and the usual W.I. code. Roll call was answered by "It Happened In Canada."  
Grace McEnery gave the report of the district Annual, Lillie Given filling in some

very interesting details. Mrs. Winnie Smith read the minutes and several items of business were settled.  
Mrs. Eleanor McLean gave the motto, "Our heritage is a priceless possession," using excerpts from Gordon Green's book on Canadian Handicrafts of each province. We had a delicious picnic supper on the patio overlooking the beautiful valley and Kelso lake.  
We had a pleasant drive back in the early evening through the courtesy of Mrs. Lillie Given and Eleanor McLean.  
On Thursday several of the ladies joined the bus load trip to Niagara and the Erland Lee Home at Stoney Creek.  
Friday night a party was held in the Community Centre. Again we were kept awake with the noise.  
The "Millionaires" night Saturday was put on by the hall board. It was a "fun" night and again a success—a good time for all who attended and donated but certainly not noisy.  
"Who at my door is standing" was the anthem by the men's choir very beautifully rendered. Our men's choir is

helping out wonderfully with our services.  
The sermon was in the nature of a question and answer entitled "Mandate for Mission." With the aid of Mrs. Betty Pickup of St. Andrews, thoughts were brought out by Rev. Don Stiles, of the attitudes and motivation as revealed at the recent Toronto Conference. This had been given by Rev. Len Keighly at that time. The Great Commission being "Go ye therefore and teach all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost and lo I am with you always."  
June 13, the sacrament for Holy Communion will be administered.  
At home  
Miss Jean Lawr is spending some time at home following surgery. We wish her full recovery.  
A. D. McEnery had a painful accident to his arm while working on the tractor but is now recovered.  
Mr. and Mrs. Morley had a weekend at Carlisle.  
Mrs. Maude Spear spent Sunday with her family here.



Picture this happy rural scene. It's a gorgeous warm spring evening, the smell of fresh cut grass is heavy on the air. The first tulips stand on tip-stem and the air is alive with jizzwhiches. The family is having a few friends in for cocktails and the lady of the house has worked hard preparing a table full of goodies, not to mention cleaning all day to make her house look a little less rural.  
The guests are due to arrive in ten minutes and she takes one last look around. She peeks into the polished sparkling bathroom and flushes the toilet for good measure. Horrified she watches the water creep up the bowl and gently spill all over the gold plush wall-to-wall carpet.  
The septic tank is in it again!  
Tanks can be fun  
Living in the country isn't all sweetness and clean air. Thoughts of wells and septic systems rarely occur to town people who are used to turning on a tap and expecting the water to flow obediently.  
Septic systems are really very interesting — yes, they are. I'm planning to write a book one day called "Fun With My Septic Tank".  
Most people don't even realize they have a septic system until the first time it cops out.  
Let there be water  
Rural water and disposal systems have to be treated with loving care and tact. A good well can produce unlimited pure water as long as it is a considerable distance from the waste weeping bed. The well we have in this house is a bored well drilled by a local diver, who did an excellent job. As predicted, we have enough water from that well to flood the township.  
We haven't always been so lucky. The first few years of marriage were spent looking for water and then trying to get rid of it. When our ancient farm well became polluted by the barnyard, Mack used his back-hoe to dig through a hill to an artesian well 1200' from the house. I was six months without reliable water facilities (and two babies in diapers) so I can truly attest to the importance of a good well.  
No goldfish, please  
The septic system is much more delicate and requires handling with kid gloves. Only 1 ply white perfumed toilet paper in small amounts should go down to the tank (I hope my kids read this!). Regular infusions of septo-bac or the equivalent should be flushed down the toilet—these are actually bugs that do the job. The tank should be cleaned out every three years or so—more often if it is a small one. Quite honestly, the best way to treat a septic tank is to avoid using it at all!

Ospringle

# Baptisms, birthday make news

By Doris Flies  
The little nest on the window sill is now deserted. After two weeks incubation, and two weeks of growing and thriving, one by one the wee robins, sporting their reddish brown vests, hopped out on to the sill, spread their wings, and flew down to the lawn, out into the new world. Immediately mama or papa appeared, offering encouragement and picking a worm to pieces to feed the youngster hopping along behind.  
Now I don't have to rush to the window to scare a crow when I see the big black willow sitters in the tree gazing down at the occupants of the wee nest.

Smith attended the Dyson family reunion, which was held at Rockwood Conservation Park on Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Klass Dekens, Carl and Bea, from the Clinton area, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Oosterhof and family.  
Field day  
Friday, June 4, was Field Day at Ospringle Public School. Pupils in grades 3 to 6 competed, accumulating points for their house league teams. Team points were: Algonquin 297, Huron 217, Iroquois 262, and Mohawk 271. Individual high scorers were Gordon Wiesner and Suzie Mann for the junior division, Jeff Beck and Cheryl Ritter in intermediate, and for seniors Danny Hindley and Sandra Timmerman.

Winners here will now go to Guelph, June 16, to compete in the East Wellington Junior Track and Field Meet.

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Ebenezer

# Friends honor Rev. Finley

By Mrs. Ron McLean  
The June meeting of Ebenezer U.C.W. was held at the home of Mary Norrish. She will be moving to her new home in Guelph, soon, and will be much missed in the neighbourhood. Mrs. Laura Hewer, the president, opened the meeting with a reading and prayer. Twenty-two ladies answered the roll. Plans were discussed for two upcoming weddings, also a strawberry social. The evening convener was Jean Early. A singing was enjoyed. Lillian Thomas read the scripture, from Ephesians. Joan Johns read "A Man Must Know." A sword drill was held, the winning side receiving a package of Kleenex. "Guarantee labels from Monarch and Purity pastry flour are valuable.

which gave birth to the Christian church was an awareness of the presence of God. The church is a place where you can come into the presence of God and breathe His spirit. When the Pentecost spirit is in you, you have the fruits of the spirit, love, joy and faithfulness. Muscles will not develop unless used. The Pentecost flame will come if we work at it.  
25th  
A large crowd of friends and well-wishers helped Rev. Russell Finley celebrate 25 years since his ordination. The Sunday school room was beautifully decorated with spring flowers and candles. Mrs. Tomlinson, Mrs. Jean James, Mrs. Laura Hewer, Mrs. Ruth Millson, Mrs. Hattie Price and Mrs. Marion

Diamond poured tea. Horace Blyth made a presentation of a wallet, with a gift of money; Laura Hewer gave a special hymn book, from the U.C.W. and Mrs. James read a telegram from Westminster, Medicine Hat, Mr. Finley's home church.  
Ministers were present from Niagara Falls, Toronto and Hamilton.  
Mr. Finley was ordained in Calgary, and has been the beloved pastor at Eden Mills, Arkell and Ebenezer for ten years. Arkell honoured him in the evening.

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