

# Personals

Miss Edna Foley of Oshawa visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Currie.

Mrs. Elma Robertson of Edmonton is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Randell.

Miss June Cooper of Toronto spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cooper.

Capt. H. E. Gastle of Gananoque visited with friends and relatives in town over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dibble of Toronto spent the week-end with the latter's sister, Mrs. R. J. Hamilton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. King of Milton attended the Oakville Lions Club Horse Show and were very much delighted with it.

Mr. M. W. Clements is in St. Luke's Hospital, Chicago undergoing an operation. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dickson, Flying Officer and Mrs. Ernest Dickson, Mr. William Dick, all of Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bayley.

Staff Sgt. C. W. Chard and Mrs. Chard and son of Trenton are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Geo. Ross. Mr. Chard has just returned home after serving overseas for three and a half years.

# Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. David Wilson, Victoria Street, Milton, Ontario, wish to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Lieut. Nursing Sister Lillian Marie Wilson to Pte. Walter Grant Purvis, Cameron Highlanders of Ottawa, son of the Rev. William W. Purvis and the late Mrs. Purvis of Mallorytown, Ont. The marriage to take place in St. Nicholas Church Taplow, Buckinghamshire, Eng. the latter part of December.

# CANNED VEGETABLES ALSO CANNED FRUIT IN SHORT SUPPLY

Weather conditions in 1945 handicapped both the seeding and the harvesting of crops that are largely canned with the result that the pack this year is disappointing, the Dominion Department of Agriculture has announced.

Estimates made by the Department place the 1945 pack of beans (green or wax) at 900,000 cases, 335,000 below that of 1944. Only 900,000 cases of corn were canned, 991,000 less than last year, and 400,000 below the five year average of 1940-44. Canned peas at 2,900,000 cases this year are down 700,000 cases in comparison with 1944. But these are 100,000 cases above the five year average.

The drop in canned tomatoes is substantial this year. It was only 1,300,000 cases, which is 1,982,000 cases down from 1944. Tomato juice is not going to be as plentiful in the next several months for the 1945 pack was only 2,300,000 cases, a drop of 1,942,000 cases from last year. Other tomato products, such as pulp, puree, paste and catsup are in lower supply compared with 1944.

The report concerning canned fruit for this year is as bad as that of the vegetables. Only 36,000 cases of apricots were put up, 58,000 cases less than last year's pack. The cherry crop in 1945 was a failure in Eastern Canada, but was good in British Columbia. The total pack was 40,000 cases, a drop of 66,000 cases.

While it was expected early in the summer that this year's peach crop would not be up to the average, actually it turned out good. The 1944 total pack was 619,000 cases and 1945 it was 550,000 cases, only 69,000 below last year. The crop of pears was poor and only 320,000 cases were canned or about half of the quantity packed last year. Plums were a failure in Ontario but good in British Columbia. This year's total pack of 260,000 cases is down 48,000 cases.

# CO-OPERATION

The people who manage and direct community movements and organizations, cannot be expected to do all or most of the work of these organizations themselves. They depend upon the willingness of a large number of people to co-operate, to serve on committees, and work in entertainments, and public functions. Also they depend upon ability to rally public support and induct people to tell their friends about these activities, and attend meetings and patronize entertainments.

In progressive towns there are a large number of people who are willing to work in organizations and community movements, to serve on committees and get up entertainments and so on. Their enthusiasm and energy secure success in these efforts, and such a town is a good place to live in.

In 1939, the total imports, excluding gold, of Canada reached \$562,155,258; the exports, excluding gold, were \$494,119,558.

# Church News

## KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

REV. JOHN RIDDELL Minister

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16th, 1945  
Morning Service — "The Value of Life."  
Evening Service—"Image of God."  
Thurs. Dec. 13th — 8 p.m. Dramatic Society in Church Vestibule.

## ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH

Minister—Rev. Gordon W. Porter M.A., B.D.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16th, 1945  
10.00 a.m.—Church School.  
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship and Sermon. "Christmas as Judgment."  
The Gideons will visit our church in the afternoon at the Milton Hospital and County Prison.  
7.00 p.m.—Evening Worship "Is Santa Claus a Racket?"  
Dec. 14 8 p.m.—Church School Christmas Concert.  
Dec. 16—Sunday evening Church Young Peoples' Reorganization meeting.  
Dec. 18—Tues. at 8 p.m. Woman's Association will meet at the home of Mrs. C. K. Stevenson.  
Dec. 23—Sunday Eve at 7 p.m. Christmas Candlelight service. Christmas and decorated setting.

## GRACE ANGLICAN CHURCH

REV. S. A. KIRK Rector

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16th  
3rd Sunday in Advent  
8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion. Quarterly Corporate Communion for the W. A.'s and Sunday School Staff.  
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.  
11.00 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.  
7.00 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon. Representatives of the Gideon Society at this service.  
Advance Notice, Sunday, December 23rd, 7 p.m.—Annual Choral and Candlelight Service.

## THE CHURCH OF CHRIST OMAGH

Service at 11 a.m.  
Come Now and let Us Reason Together Saith Jehovah—Isaiah 1: 18.

## MILTON GOSPEL TABERNACLE

A group of Gideons will be at the Tabernacle on Sunday evening at 8 p.m. Special numbers will be rendered by their quartet.  
Bibles will be put in the Hospital and the Jail by this group on Sunday afternoon.

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## PRINCESS THEATRE

FRIDAY and SATURDAY  
Sonja Henie, Michael O'Shea in "IT'S A PLEASURE" (Technicolor)  
P. SMITH—"Sport Sticklers" CARTOON — "Trip Happy Porky"  
"News"

MONDAY — TUESDAY  
Joel McCrea, Gail Russell in "THE UNSEEN"  
"Gun in His Hand."  
Canada Carries On—"Harbors Go to France."  
Colored Travel — "Where Time Stands Still."

COMING  
Friday and Saturday Dec. 21-22  
Dorothy Lamour and Eddie Bracken in  
"THE FLEET'S IN"

Colored Cartoon — "M. M. Meets Wolf."  
Colored Sport—"Swim Capades."  
Fri. and Sat. Pictures at 7.30  
Other Nights 7.45

## CHILDREN'S UNDERWEAR SHORTAGE MAY CONTINUE FOR SOME MONTHS

"We must face the fact that even though manufacturing output is higher than it was before the war, the extraordinary demand for children's underwear, sleepers and other night-wear cannot be fully satisfied for some months yet," Donald Gordon, Chairman of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, announced recently.

"Children's underwear is in short supply in relation to demand, as any mother knows," Mr. Gordon says. "However, the present short supply is partly due to insatiable buying of available stocks on the one hand, and reconversion of industry on the other hand. It should be realized that Canadian production has been running at an all time high, and that enough is being supplied to meet minimum essential requirements on a basis as high as any country in the world at the present-time."

"Some comments have also been made about the appearance of such things as luxury negligees and so on," Mr. Gordon remarked. "The manufacture of such articles does not involve a serious reduction in the supply of utility garments as flat fabrics are not substitutes for knitted underwear. For underwear we need knitting yarns and this is a scarce item of textile supply the world over."

## WINTER'S HARBINGER

ST. BONIFICE, Man. (CP)—Police here figure winter has started when John Sanford appears in court. For the 15th consecutive year he appeared in court the other day on the usual charge of vagrancy and was given six months in jail. Sanford welcomes the sentences to provide him with shelter and food for the winter.

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## FOR CHICKENS

I.O.O.F. Hall, Milton

MONDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 17th

15 GAMES

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## Final Meeting for 1945 of Halton County Council

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The present Health Service Underway, agreed it was one of the finest things that ever hit the County.

Mrs. Pettit expressed pride in the County for pioneering in this work and also paid great tribute to Mr. McDonald for his whole hearted interest in the project and hoped that he would be asked to serve on the Board even after he had retired from the Council.

The Warden endorsed Mrs. Pettit's remarks, adding that all work undertaken by Mr. McDonald had been equally meritorious.

Office space for the County Assessor was discussed and as a temporary office it was suggested that an office available in the Bank of Commerce Building be rented for this purpose. Other accommodation was also suggested, so that it was moved by Mr. Craig, seconded by Mr. Smith, that the Warden, Dr. Heslop be empowered to make satisfactory arrangements for renting an office for the County Assessor for January 1, 1946. Carried.

The Warden was asked to vacate the chair and with Mr. Gilbert as chairman the wish of the Council was asked as to voicing their individual appreciation to the retiring Warden as had been the custom in the past, Mr. Gilbert told Council that Dr. Heslop had said he would prefer that this not be done. However, Mr. Craig thought it was too bad if they were all in such a hurry that they could not take time to voice a few words of personal appreciation to their Warden. Each member therefore spoke as he saw fit and the Warden was the recipient of many words of commendation, obviously in all sincerity as to the appreciation of his services during his term of office.

Regret was also expressed by fellow members regarding the pending retirement of Messrs. J. M. McDonald, N. Gilbert and W. J. Robertson. Mr. Cleave in his remarks, aptly referred to J. M. McDonald as "Mr. Iisley." The Warden, brief as usual, was none the less obviously sincere in his thanks to his fellow members for their words of commendation. He said he felt it had been a successful year and that much had been accomplished and this, he asserted, was due to the co-operation and good fellowship of the entire Council. He also expressed regret that several of the older members, with whom it had been a pleasure and privilege to associate with, were dropping out.

Council adjourned following the singing of the National Anthem.

The most important industries of the Netherlands are shipbuilding, machinery, textiles including rayon and chemical products.



## J. Cadesky OPTOMETRIST

WILL BE IN MILTON ON

Thursday, December 20

Anyone suffering from Eye-strain Defective Vision or Head-ache should not miss the opportunity of consulting this eye-sight specialist. Appointments may be made with Mrs. O. Pettigrew, Main Street.

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