

NEWS of the DISTRICT

Various Items Concerning Activities in Communities Nearby Where Many of Our Readers are Interested

LOWVILLE

The March meeting of the W.M.S. and W.A. of the United Church will meet on Thursday afternoon of this week at the home of Mrs. W. J. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry King attended the silver wedding anniversary of the former's sister and her husband Mr. and Mrs. Bert Darby of Rockwood on March 2nd.

The meeting of the Farm Forum was held on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Richardson with a good attendance. After the general discussion, following the broadcast, cards were played. Lunch was served.

The teachers of School Area No. 1, Nelson, entertained the Trustees and some friends to a luncheon in Strabane School on Monday evening.

The official board of the Lowville Pastoral charge met on Monday afternoon in the Lowville Church.

Mr. Fred Auckland is attending the meeting sponsored by the Purina Feed Co. at St. Louis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Colling of Watertown are spending a few days this week with their sons here.

HORNBY

The beginning of the week started off with blizzards and snow filling the roads and shutting everybody in. But thanks to the snowplows we have a number of the roads open again.

The storm caused the local postmaster to walk to the train with the mail on Tuesday evening.

On Friday evening the tax payers of Ward 2B, Esquing gathered together to pay honor to the soldiers of that section.

Mr. Geo. Currie, acting as chairman, opened the program by calling on Rev. F. Ainsworth to lead in prayer. Mr. James Cunningham introduced the guest speaker, Rev. Gordon Porter of Milton who gave a very interesting and fitting address. On the program also were piano duets and a solo.

Those honored with the gold rings and watches were: George Stewart, Everett Jones, John Henderson, Fred Dunk, James Downs, Harold Robertson, George Collins, Harold Bailey, Gordon Bridgen. A very appetizing and dainty lunch was served and the rest of the pleasant evening was spent in dancing.

CAMPBELLVILLE

The Federation of Agriculture film board under the direction of Mr. R. S. Heatherington, presented the following pictures at No. 6 School on Monday evening "Elephants," "Swimming Aces" and "Every Man's World."

A party was held at the home of Mr. Harold Small in honor of Donald's twentieth birthday. After games were enjoyed a social hour followed.

Mr. Harold Roberts and friend, Miss Barbara Simpson, of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roberts over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hood were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mitchell.

Mrs. George Inglis was hostess to 28 ladies who attended the Women's Institute meeting last Wednesday afternoon. The president, Miss Jane Reid, opened with a few words followed by the Institute Ode. Roll call was answered by each one naming a Halton boy or girl who has made good. The topic was given by Miss Katharine McPhedran on "Health," which was prepared by Mrs. James Baynton. Mrs. James Mahon gave a paper on "Hospitalization" and it was decided our group would take it, after an executive meeting in Milton, in April. Mrs. Howson Lush gave current events in rhyme.

\$25.00 was donated to the Red Cross also \$25.00 for boxes for Britain. Mrs. F. Jackson and Mrs. Douglas Agnew the committee to send them. Mrs. William MacLaren, convener for Home Economics, displayed a pair of ladies' mitts, made from an old sweater and lined, which were beautiful, also a hand hooked rug made from odds and ends. Mrs. Lloyed Crawford gave the minutes of the first Institute meeting held at Crawford's Lake in 1905. Lunch was served by Mrs. James Mahon, Mrs. Charles King, Mrs. Wm. Roberts, Mrs. John Howard, and Miss Katharine McPhedran.

The No. 1 Farm Forum met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cairns on Monday evening with about 40 present. Mr. Archie Cairns was chairman for the evening and the discussion was "Would Social Security Solve the Farm Labor Problem?" Progressive euchre was played later in the evening. Prize winners were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ferrier, Mrs. Charles King and Robert Hurren. Lunch and a social hour followed. Next meeting to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Inglis.

Mrs. Parchem died in Detroit on Sunday and the funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon from the family residence where her son Edward resides. Interment was made in St. John's Cemetery with Rev. Mr. F. C. Jackson in charge of the service.

NASSAGAWEYA

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fatt of Lot 24, Con. 5 Nassagaweya on the arrival of a son on Thursday.

The deepest sympathy of this community goes out the Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frank and family in their bereavement.

The township and county snow plows are still busy opening up the roads in this district.

There was a small attendance at the church service last Sunday through bad roads.

Some of the mail couriers have not been able to cover their mail routes for more than a week.

There was a small vote polled at the election on Monday which resulted in the election of R. Maxwell Storey as councillor in the place of Linus McMillan, now Township Clerk.

The mild weather the last few days has settled some of the snow banks and also brought some of the spring birds back again.

ZIMMERMAN

Mr. and Mrs. S. Stein and family of Dunnville visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rogers.

Lenten Service will be held in the United Church on Wednesday night, March 19th.

Mr. Gordon Hadley is wearing a big smile these days (it's a boy).

A miscellaneous shower was held in Ash School on Monday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bird. Rev. E. M. Carter acted as chairman and the couple were the recipient of many lovely and useful gifts. A splendid program was enjoyed by all. Lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Cartwright and daughter Sharon, returned home last week after spending a month in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Martin and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Dales at Lowville.

Willard Bridgman, Delmar Galbraith and Reginald Smith of Palermo visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. Bridgman at Puslinch.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sinclair and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. Sinclair at St. George.

Mr. Harvey Patterson and Lloyd of Harper's Corners visited Sunday with relatives in the community.

Mrs. Burwell Bridgman quietly celebrated her 96th birthday on February 28th at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Smith at Palermo. She was the recipient of many gifts and congratulations in honor of the occasion. Mrs. Bridgman was born in Nelson Township and has been a resident of the township practically all her life. She has 27 grand children and 6 great grandchildren. She is enjoying fairly good health for her age.

OMAGH

Special birthday greetings to Mrs. Tasker, First Line, who will celebrate her ninety-fifth birthday on March 16th.

The many friends of Mrs. James Turnbull were indeed sorry to learn that she had the misfortune to fall and break her leg last week.

Recently animals thought to be wolves were noticed on the farms of Messrs. Beatty and Chapman. A hurried call brought the local hunters to the scene. They searched for several hours but all they managed to capture was a dog. It is hoped if such animals are at large in the district, they will soon be caught.

We understand that little Catherine Ford daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Ford has been in Galt under the doctor's care for some time. We trust she will soon be well enough to be back home with her family.

We are pleased to report that Miss Marjorie Galbraith is convalescing at her home after her recent operation in Milton Hospital and also that Mrs. Lanouette and Ken. Devlin are doing nicely.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. George Peacock, who celebrated their thirty-eighth wedding anniversary on Monday.

Much credit is due to the workers on the snow plows for their grand work in clearing the roads. Every road in this district was drifted so badly it was nearly impossible to even travel fields to get their milk to a highway. There was only one case (that we have heard of) where the stork and snow ploughs had a race—fortunately the plows won, allowing the doctor to reach the patient and remove her to a hospital where a few hours later a baby girl was born.

NOT PROPER TERM

REGINA (CP)—The victim of an armed robbery was describing his encounter with the hold-up men. "One of them was sitting on my chest," he said. "The other gentleman was pounding my head with something." Court suggested that it would not be necessary to use the term "gentleman."

KILBRIDE

Mrs. Charles Prudham spent a few days last week with old friends in Toronto and visited over the week-end with Mrs. Mowbray in Hamilton. Mrs. Wm. Bullard and son Kenneth attended the funeral of their cousin Wilfred Frank, at Acton, last Thursday.

A number from here attended the funeral of David Currie, of Chatham which was held on Saturday from the home of his brother, Donald Currie, at Carlisle.

Wayne Molto of Toronto spent last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt. Howard.

ASH

On Friday evening, February 28th, the friends and neighbors met at the home of Mr. George Cudmore to celebrate his 77th birthday. The evening was spent in cards, dancing and music. Of course a delicious lunch was served.

Despite weather conditions, a nice crowd attended the Ash Literary social evening on Friday last. The euchre prizes were won by Mrs. Jean Douglas, Mrs. G. Brownridge, Mr. Jno. Marshall and Mr. E. Henderson.

Congratulations to the community to Mr. and Mrs. G. Hadley on the birth of a son. Now if they can raise him to want to farm he will be the 4th generation on the Hadley homestead.

A good crowd gathered at Ash School last night to honor Mr. and Mrs. B. Bird with a miscellaneous shower. They received many nice gifts as well as the good wishes of Zimmerman and Ash communities.

OAKVILLE

The Bronte Harbor Commission has contracted with the Boone Construction Co. of Toronto for the building of a new pier in the harbor.

Oakville's Junior hockey team took the local C group championship from Milton Monday night in the third game of the group play-offs at the Oakville arena.

Work is now proceeding on the construction of an office to house a detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police to serve Oakville and the district. The new quarters are located in the western portion of the building of William Whitaker Sr., Colborne St.

Tribute was paid to the memory of two Oakville pioneers, John Urquhart and his wife, Margaret Laing, when a handsome stained glass window bearing their names was unveiled and dedicated in Knox Presbyterian Church at the Sunday morning service.—Record-Star.

BURLINGTON

An interesting ceremony will take place in St. Luke's Anglican Church on Sunday morning when Rev. C. F. Heathcote will dedicate a memorial window in memory of Flight Sergeant Colin Homer (Tim) Smith, R.C.A.F., who was reported missing on June 7th, 1942 on a flight over enemy territory.

At the monthly meeting of the Nelson Township Council held in the township hall on Monday, Deputy-revee E. C. Foster, Cr. Wm. Hume, Paul Fisher and Wm. T. Dales were appointed a reforestation and conservation committee for the township of Nelson. This committee will deal with reforestation in the township, and will also co-operate with the county council in any scheme pertaining to the township.

The regular meeting of the Strathcona Home and School Association was held in the school on Tuesday afternoon with the president, Mrs. W. T. Hood, presiding. Motion pictures on safety were shown and also a talk pertaining to that subject was given by Miss E. L. Donkin. It was announced that the presentation of a scroll in honor of ex-students, who were in the service, would take place in the school on Wednesday evening.—Gazette.

AUCTION SALE

OF FARM STOCK & IMPLEMENTS

on TUESDAY, MARCH 18th at 1 p.m. the property of MR. THOMAS A. WILSON Freeman P.O., situated on Walker's Lane, 2 miles east of Burlington and half mile north of Queen Elizabeth Highway.

HORSES—4 grey Percherons, one pair 6 and 7 yrs. old, full brother and sister, weighing about 3200 lbs.; 1 pair 8 yrs. old, about 3200 lbs. (A choice lot.)

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HOGS—8 choice Yorkshire Sows, 1 with pigs at foot, 2 due about time of sale, 2 in April, 2 in May, 1 just bred; 1 registered Yorkshire Hog; 15 fat Hogs.

IMPLEMENTS—Deering Binder, in good condition; Mower; Dump Rake (new); Seed Drill; Steel Roller; spring tooth Drag; 4-section Harrow; Disc Harrow; single furrow Riding Plow (like new); Cutting Box; 1 Truck Wagon Box and Rack; 1 Farm Wagon; Bob Sleighs; Brooder House; Farm Tools, etc.

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INDIANS LIKED MAPLE SUGAR, TOO

Among the few contributions of the American Indian to our civilization was the art of making maple sugar. The process was comparatively crude. After slashing the tree slantwise with a tomahawk, a wooden chip or spout was inserted to guide the fluid into birch bark pails resting on the ground. A number of such receptacles are on display in the Royal Ontario Museum, varying in size and design.

One of the methods of boiling down the sap was to use earthenware pots. The other was to drop red-hot stones into a sap trough such as those commonly used by the Mohawks—hollowed out basswood logs. In the latter process, the stones were removed when cold and more hot ones dropped in so that the boiling down was accomplished only after a great deal of labor. Although poor in quality and meagre in quantity, the product thus obtained was a highly valued one, being the only sugar available.

WINNIPEG (CP)—A reduction in rates throughout the Manitoba Power Commission system went into effect at the first of the year. To domestic and farm users it means a reduction to less than one cent a kilowatt hour for all consumption above 150 kilowatt hours a month.

BOY SCOUTS

The old gentleman needed a helping hand. School was out and boys were going home. Suddenly, four bright lads appeared and all turned in to help. Soon the job was done.

"Are you Boy Scouts," enquired the old man. "Yes, sir," the eldest replied.

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FOR SALE

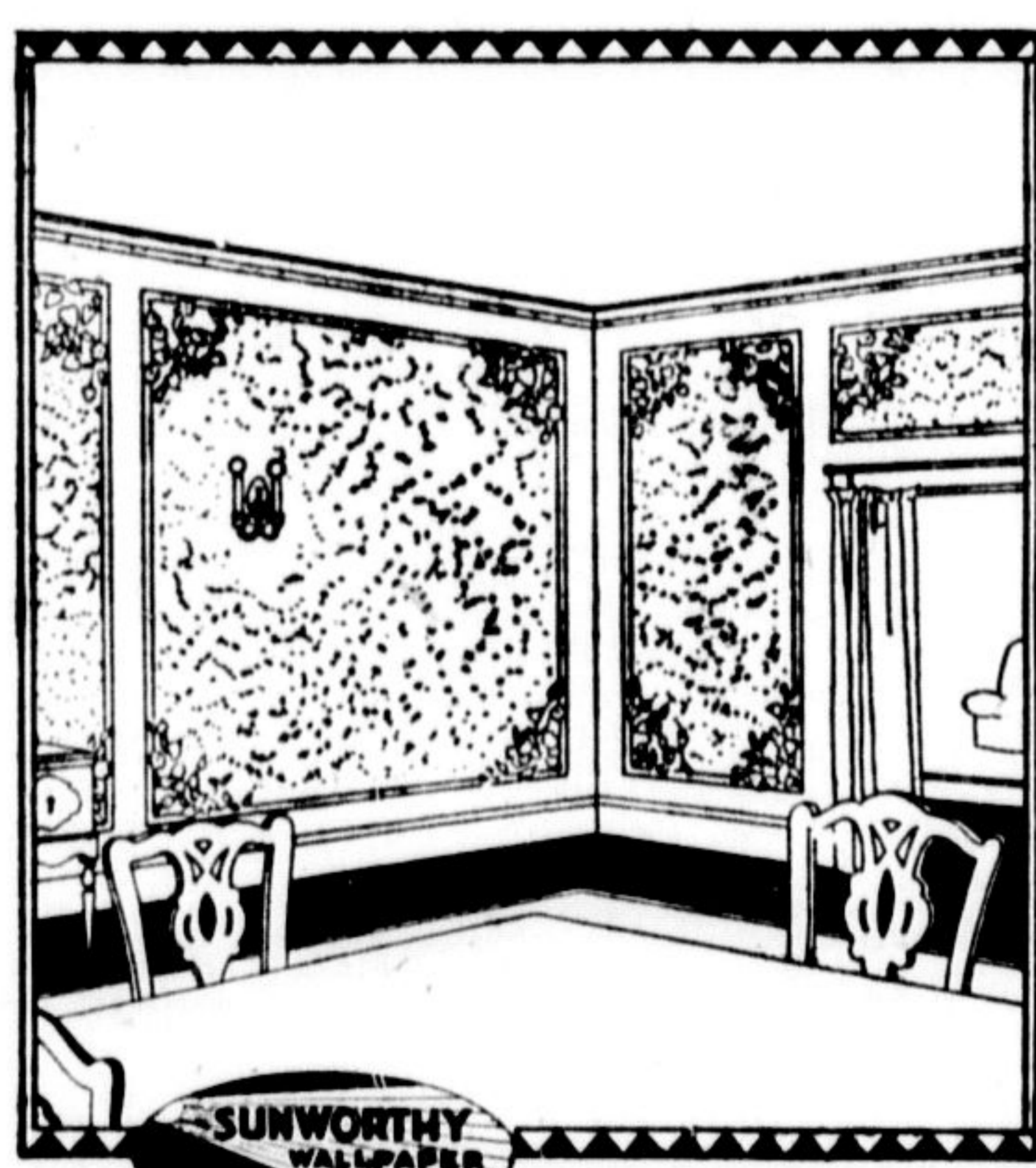
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