

EDITORIAL

Well To Remember

This week citizens will be observing Remembrance Day. In Milton the day for these services of remembrance will be on Sunday November 13. It is now 37 years since the close of the first world war and 10 years have passed since a Second World War ended. Both of them left scars which have not been entirely healed. Both of them left memories that many would like to forget. Both of them we hope made impressions on all people that will prevent further wars from starting.

At the Remembrance Day services we will have parades, hear messages and join in song that will stir the hearts, and bring back thoughts of those who gave their all in a cause for world freedom.

Some may wonder if those who made the supreme sacrifice died in vain. Then maybe those who ponder if freedom has been won and if having been won at such cost is truly appreciated. There are as many thoughts and emotions stirred on Remembrance Day as there are many people not only partaking in the services but who hide their emotions and memories away from the public.

But as we approach Remembrance Day again we can all give thanks, thanks for the present we are enjoying peace; that men and women are at work to endeavor to find means of settling our differences without destruction and slaughter and we can make our prayers each in our own way that wars shall be no more.

Remembrance Day offers many opportunities for reflection and a time to review our experiences of the past and make resolves for the future. It is well to remember.

If You Want To Share

You'll find notices every week in the paper which are placed there for your convenience and guidance. An important one, for instance, at the moment is the one which calls your attention to municipal voters' lists. Most likely you'll want to participate in the municipal elections. Therefore your attention is drawn to the fact that your name should be on the voters' list.

When you go to the polling booth on election day the returning officer is obliged to find your name on the voters' list before he can hand you a ballot paper. It doesn't matter if you have lived in town for 50 years and your name has for 49 of those years been correctly entered. It doesn't matter if you have cast a ballot for every one of those years. The only thing that counts is the correct entry of your name for this year on the voters' list.

It's not the fault of anyone if the correct entry is not made. Mistakes will happen and to safeguard against these mistakes the thing to do right now is to see that your name is correctly entered. Do it now and be ready to share in the rights of citizenship.

Taxes! Taxes!

There is no question about the serious financial plight of many mushrooming municipalities faced with providing the new schools, new streets and other local services that go with a fast climbing population. But one gets a little weary with these everlasting comparisons of municipal, provincial and federal government revenue, says The Financial Post.

Back in the far-off days of 1930, says The Financial Post, the provincial governments got 20 per cent of the total tax take of Canada, the municipal governments got a shade less than 40 per cent, and Ottawa just a fraction more. Today the provinces are taking about 17 per cent, the municipalities about 12 per cent, and the federal authorities over 70 per cent.

At first glance that may look like a pretty raw deal for the junior partners. But much has happened since 1930, principally the most expensive war this world has ever witnessed. And the major expense for that war and the enormously heavy defense measures that have followed come out of federal not provincial or municipal revenues.

Make It Clear

With fire protection available to such a wide district in this county it is imperative that in placing a call for assistance with the local brigade you give definite instruction as to the location of your property. When fire occurs there is always excitement and confusion. Minutes count in getting assistance to save life and property.

Be sure you know your street and number. If you are in the district outside the town boundaries give the number of the lot, concession and the township. There are many changes in ownership of properties both in town and on the farms. Often a name as a means of identifying location is useless.

On occasions the fire brigade has gone to several places in an effort to locate a fire. This all means delay in putting out the blaze. Best now to put near your telephone the number to call in case of fire and with it place the location of your home farm so that anyone, even a child, can put in a fire call that can bring the brigade without delay right to your door.

Excelsior!

One of those long range prophets who must include something startling in his after dinner speeches recently made a prophecy for the next half century. He saw over "40 million Canadians driving thousand horsepower cars (1.1 people to each car) and drinking an astonishing 600 pints of beer each year." Through it all he saw Canada's chance to seize her place as a world leader.

Now isn't that a vision to haunt one for the next 50 years. Those who dodge those 40 million thousand horsepower cars driven by Canadians who drink 600 pints of beer a year will have every right to be Canadians to seize world leadership. Neither we or the prophet of 1955 are likely to be here to witness this Canadian ascension to world leadership but it shouldn't be too crowded for the few survivors to get through to the throne of world leadership over the mass of human wreckage that will be littered on the path to supremacy.

It sure will be a sight to witness if the last 50 years are any example.

Brief Comment

The precipitation these days is just as likely to be snow as the rain which we have been getting the past week.

Better count the days between now and December 25th and if you're one of those folks who hate to rush, do that shopping now.

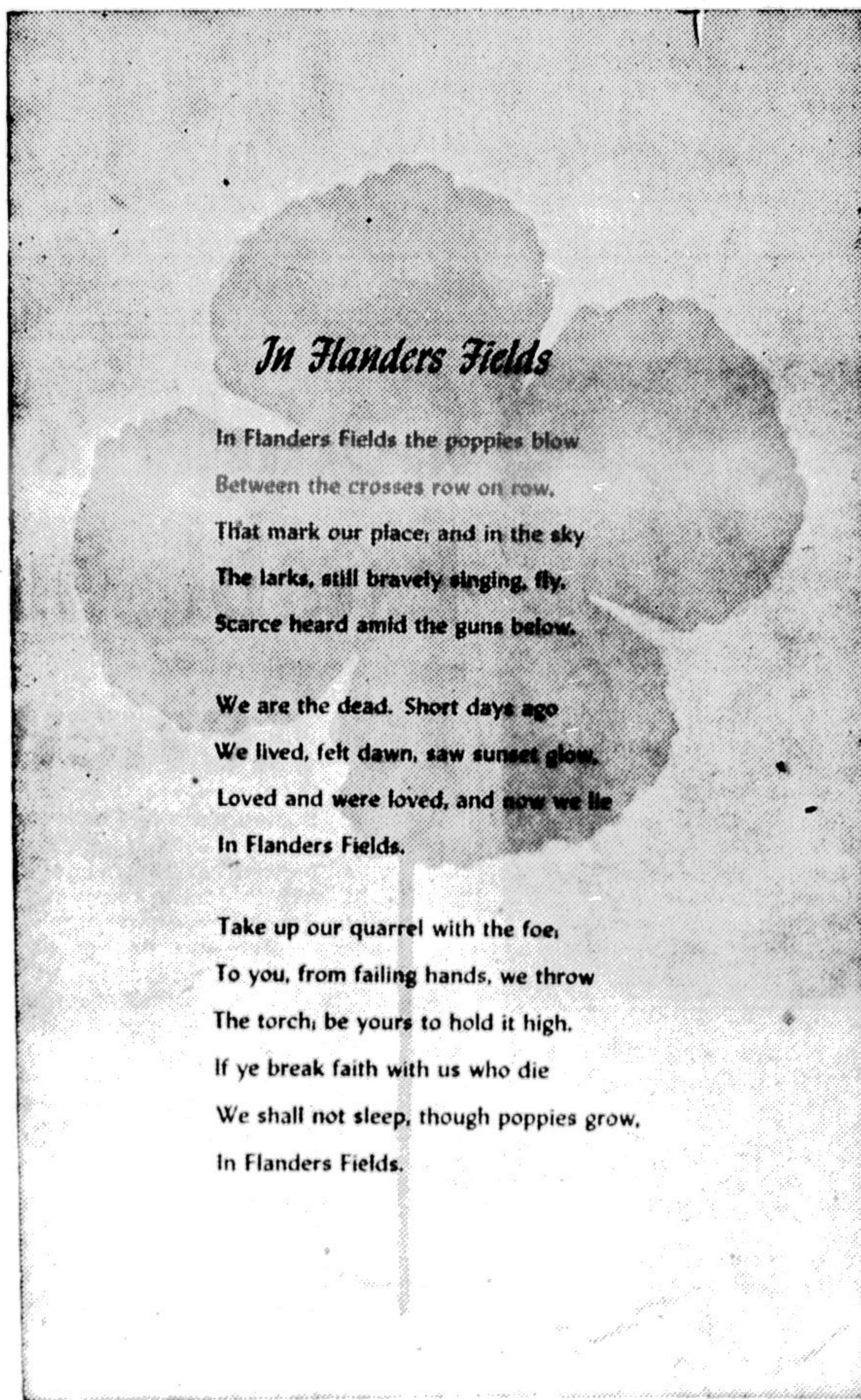
Last week The Ridgeway Dominion marked three score years of publishing the news and views of that district. Birthday congratulations to this fine community representative.

The makers of paper are now making announcements of further increases in price. It's a process that's bothersome and like other increases adds to higher prices to the consumer.

In every planned community . . . between the position of the impatient few who would chuck the town plan out the window and the rigid professional planners who are in danger of thinking that man was made for the town plan, not the plan for the man, there should be a meeting place of compromise.—Kitimat (B.C.) Northern Sentinel.

On every hand we see the awakening of keener interest in local history. Perhaps we are approaching the age when we can look back on our early beginnings with pride, or perhaps we are becoming more aware that our forefathers left us a great heritage.—Stanstead (Que.) Journal.

It is a sad thing that courtesy should be so unexpected in motor traffic, for courtesy is common enough in most other phases of Canadian life, says the Peterborough Examiner. "But we wonder what the effect on our accident rate would be if drivers would just try the elementary but unexpected plan of behaving as politely as if they were on foot."



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 amid 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 grow,
In Flanders Fields.

The Bible

REV. G. P. PARSON,
District Secretary.



Today

Upper Canada Bible Society

The Scriptures in diglot form, literally a two language edition is far too little known. Today thousands of people from other countries are settling in Canada and in making this country their home, these people are anxious to learn its language.

The Bible Society publishes the Scriptures in parallel columns of English and another language for their convenience. The second language may be French, Italian, Czech, German or that of many other European countries. It may be in an Asiatic tongue such as Chinese or Hindi. Whether it be Arabic or some dialect used in Africa, the book is always called a "Diglot".

A Gospel in this form is offered to all New Canadians by the Bible Society as they arrive at port of entry. Most are happy to accept a copy of the Scriptures in their mother tongue combined with that of the country of their future home. The Society seeks to aid new Canadians also by presenting to them a Bible in English at the time they receive their citizenship papers.

Serious students of the Bible use the Greek-English New Testament in critical study of the text, seeking the original meaning of the passage.

In the early days of printing, "Triglots" or three language editions were printed for study purposes. As in all its missionary editions these Diglots are distributed at or below cost of publication.

Suggested Bible readings for the week: Sunday, Matt. 25: 1-30; Monday, Matt. 25: 31-46; Tuesday, Mark 12: 1-27; Wednesday, Mark 12: 28-44; Thursday, Luke 7: 31-50; Friday, Luke 14: 1-14; Saturday, Luke 14: 15-35.

Canada Year Book Full Of Figures

The number of divorces in the country has increased steadily from 1900 when there were only 11 in the whole country until 1953 when there were 6,055.

Only one Baptist married one Jew in Canada in 1952 while there were 15,000 marriages between Catholics and another 15,000 between United Church members.

There are 12 hand fog horns maintained by the government. The CBC played 257.15 hours of old-time music last year.

These are just a few of the amazing variety of facts that can be found in the Canada Year Book 1955. It gives all the official statistics of the resources, history, institutions, social and economic conditions of Canada.

With graphs and maps, it makes interesting reading for anyone interested in figures, or in spotting something unusual or significant.



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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13th, 1955
10:00 a.m.—Senior School.
11:00 a.m.—Junior School.
11:00 a.m.—Remembrance Day Service. "Through Hardship to the Stars" (The R.C.A.F. motto.)
Friday, November 11 — Y.P.S. at 7:30.
Tuesday, November 15, 8 p.m. — Coronation group, hostess Mrs. C. Hill.

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Friday, November 11, 8 p.m.—Young People's Service. Rev. A. L. Sanderson will show a film, "Workers Together with God" for all Christian workers.
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13th, 1955
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
7:00 p.m.—Evangelistic Service.
Tuesday, November 15, 8 p.m.—Bible Study and Prayer.
A Warm Welcome Awaits You

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Rev. R. P. E. Jeffares, B.A., Rector

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13th, 1955
TRINITY XXIII
11:00 a.m.—St. George's. Matins, Sermon and Church School.
2:00 p.m.—St. John's. Holy Communion, Sermon and Church School.

GRACE CHURCH ANGLICAN
Milton, Ontario
Rector: Rev. D. A. Powell

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13th, 1955
2:30 SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY
8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion.
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion.
7:00 p.m.—Evening Prayer.

ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH
Minister—REV. J. L. BLAIR, B.A.
Organist, Mrs. Harold Magee, A.T.C.M.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13th, 1955
9:45 a.m.—Senior School.
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service, Junior School and Nursery Class.
7:30 p.m.—Young People's Services. Film, Workers Together with God.
Monday, November 14—4:15 p.m., Mission Band will meet in the Sunday school room; 7 p.m., C.G.I.T. will meet in the S. C. room.
Tuesday, November 15 — The Mr. and Mrs. Club will meet at the home of Jack and Betty Thistlewaite.
Friday, November 18—8 p.m., Senior Choir.

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH
215 Commercial Street
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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13th, 1955
10:00 a.m.—Bible School.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship. "Let Us Forget."
7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic Service.
8:45 p.m.—The Lord's Supper.
Wednesday 16—Prayer and Business Meeting.
"We preach not ourselves . . . But Christ Jesus the Lord."

THE GOOD OLD DAYS MAY HAVE SEEMED BETTER

Fifty Years Ago

Taken from the November 9, 1905 issue of the Canadian Champion.

The new Bank of Hamilton building is nearing completion and is a handsome structure.

O. V. Guest of Acton was brought before H. P. Moore, J.P. for assaulting Charlie Lee Sulz, the Chinese laundry man, and fined \$3.00.

A blind man named Lippert from Berlin has been making the rounds of Milton selling a preparation for cleaning clothes, etc. In many cases pity for the man has led people to buy his product, if for no other reason.

B. O. Hooper, who has been for some months the local manager of the branch office of the Bank of Hamilton, was transferred last week to the east end branch at Hamilton.

John Mexted met with an accident to his eye that might have lost him its use. While plastering a ceiling, some plaster fell and filled his eye. A portion of the plaster was removed at once but some remained in the eye all night. The lime injured the coating of the pupil and it will be some time before he will be able to use it.

G. A. Griffith has sold his grocery business to James Houston, who formerly occupied the store on the opposite corner. Mr. Griffith has worked up a large business and he and his family will be missed in Milton. Mr. Houston has been long known in Milton and neighborhood and needs no introduction to the public.

Today, November 9 1905, is King Edward's 64th birthday.

An appalling calamity happened to the Milton hunting party on Pickering River, Parry Sound district, in the death of W. A. Clark, manager of the Toronto Cream and Butter Co. on Thursday of last week. The men in the two camps of the party had arranged for a "combination still hunt" and were all supposed to be following parallel lines in search for deer. In some way Mr. Clark came across the line followed by Wm. Panton, proprietor of the Champion, and the latter unfortunately took aim and fired, killing him almost instantly.

Twenty Years Ago

Taken from the November 7, 1935 issue of the Canadian Champion.

From the thousands of letters received in the Brock's Canary Lovers contest, Bertha, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Barton, was one of the 100 successful winners, which called for an essay on "Why I would like to own a canary", the prize being a pet canary. Congratulations.

Only those ratepayers in the township of Trafalgar who have paid the necessary \$10 fee will receive the benefit of fire protection from the Oakville fire brigade after November 10, it was decided at a meeting of Oakville town council held on Monday night.

At the annual convention of the teachers' institute of East Simcoe, it was announced that all final examinations for the public school will be eliminated. The pupils will be passed upon their standing for the year, tests being held every two months, the change to come into effect this year.

Some of Milton's hoodlums and smart alecs did considerable damage in the South Ward on Halloween, such as wrecking small buildings, tearing down fences, all of which cost the owners plenty.

The bakers of Halton, Peel and Dufferin counties met at the McGibbon Hotel in Georgetown on Monday evening last. There was a large attendance and a successful business meeting was held. Baking business in general was discussed and the standard price for bread over the three counties was set at 8c per loaf and 7c per loaf wholesale.

Dishes rattling, telephone bells ringing, beds shaking in general, accompanied by dogs howling, marked the earth tremor which visited this district early Friday morning last. No panic occurred, but citizens jumped out of their beds wondering what it was all about. Many slept the sleep of the just and did not hear the tremor or even feel it. The damage in this district was negligible with the exception of a few shocked nerves.

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