

New look fire truck

Over the past two months, Victoria Harbour's 1961 Chevrolet Spartan fire truck has undergone a complete refurbishing by John Frlic of the Harbour. The truck has now been placed back in service after receiving a major body and paint job as well as minor engine repairs. During the period that the truck was out of service, fire protection for the village was provided by Tay Township's Waubaushene and Old Fort brigades. As well as the new look for the fire truck, the Harbour's volunteer firefighters are now equipped with "pagers" to notify them of a fire rather than the general alarm siren that has been used over the years. TOP PHOTO shows the new Daytona yellow paint job and new lettering scheme. BOTTOM PHOTO, the truck is shown in the early stages of being overhauled.

-Photos by Bob Murray

Away for few days

Victoria Harbour

Mrs. Arthur Springthorpe of Wheatley and Mrs. J. Thomas of Leamington spent a few days this week with Mrs. J.E. Springthorpe.

Mr. and Mrs. Overton Green of Lexington, Kentucky spent holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tremblay and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Evans.

The Sunday morning service in St. John's United Church was conducted by Mr. Clinton Todd and Mr. Gordon Walker of Ebenezer was the guest speaker. A duet by Leslie Todd and Lisa Ditchburn with Mrs. C. Todd as accompanist was appreciated.

A wooden plaque with St. John's United Church 1882-1982 was presented to the Church by Mr. and Mrs. Everton Green of Lexington, Kentucky. Next Sunday, July 25 the guest speaker will be Mr. Arden Mertz from Waterloo and the Sunday, following August 1 the minister Rev. Wesley Oake will have returned from spending holidays in Newfoundland.

A Community Shower for the McArthur Family -- We are all delighted to welcome the McArthur Family into their new home in

Victoria Harbour. You will remember the recent fire in which they lost their home. To help them get started again the CWL is having a shower on Tuesday July 27 at 8 p.m. in St. Mary's Hall. Everyone is invited (men included). Collecting in Sear's Office in Victoria Harbour.

Mrs. Donovan and Miss Gail Donovan recently returned from a three week motor trip Western the Provinces going as far as British Columbia. They accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Gary Donovan from Lyndon.

Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Joy of Brighton, Mich. visited Mrs. Joy's sister Mrs. Gwen Woodburn recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Walker and daughters of Burlington recently visited his mother Mrs. Ted Walker.

Word was received in the village of the death in June of Mr. Andrew (Pike) MacQuarrie at his home in Fergus. Mrs. MacQuarrie recently visited Mrs. Leslie Winfield and Mrs. Joyce Ball. She also visited Mrs. W.A. Stewart in Midland. Mr. and Mrs. MacQuarrie lived here some years when Mr. ago MacQuarrie was principal of the Victoria Harbour Public School.

Mrs. Laura Carleton returned from visiting her son in the North West Territories.

Mr. H. Ollerenshaw of Caswell's Beach, died after a short illness in Huronia District Hospital last week.

Mrs. Ted Walker and Angie enjoyed a trip to Quebec City and other places on the S.S. John MacKellor with Chief Engineer Ted Walker.

Mrs. Gordon Gervais spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ken Burns and daughters in Kirkland, Quebec.

Church break-ins leads to arrest

Montgomery Kilmer, 16, of no fixed address was sentenced in Midland court this week to one year's probation and 50 hours of community service after pleading guilty to two counts of break and enter and one count of attempted break and enter.

Kilmer was arrested in Toronto after Penetanguishene police commenced an investigation into a series of break-ins earlier this month at St. Ann's Roman Catholic Church in which efforts were made to take money from the church's "poor box."

Wise and otherwise

by Lillian Zack

"It is dangerous to become my friend", says Isabel MacIntosh as she greets me at her door. "I keep my friends all my life."

Born in 1887, Miss MacIntosh is an early graduate of the Hamilton General Hospital's School of Nursing.

Student nurses in those days received no paymen! other than room and board and worked 12 hour shifts. Upon graduation, they could expect a salary which ranged from \$40-\$60 a month.

graduation Miss Isabel

spent two years in New York studying the diseases of women, which she recalls as a wonderful experience.

Other highlights in her life include a trip to Paris and Brussels in 1933 as the First Jeanne Mance Nurse to represent Canada at the International Congress of Nurses, a medal she received from King George commemorating Their Silver Majesties' Jubilee in 1935 and the excitement of her political involvement as of the Secretary Hamilton Women's Following her Civic Club, which was instrumental in the

highly successful election to office of the late Nora Frances Henderson.

Isabel MacIntosh is a vital woman today. With assistance, she maintains her own apartment, dresses her own hair, does her own shopping and has friends in for tea.

She admires Prime Minister Trudeau and watches TV news eagerly. "Front Page Challenge" is her other favourite.

Discovering that we are both only children, she sparks, "It's a myth -- don't you agree -- that only children are more selfish. If anything, the opposite is true. We need others and reach ou! more."

Her life certainly reflects this. She feels

she is able to enjoy her long life because of others - her friends from childhood (one of whom named a daughter for Isabel), her fellow congregants at church and the fine people in the Hamilton community who provide her with home care services, such as Mealson-Wheels, a Homemaker and the

Victorian Order nurse. Although being very old may bring dif-

ficulties of strength, health, vision or hearing, Miss MacIntosh feels that every stage of life has its own problems.

When she reads about those which youth face oday and the incidence of adolescent suicide, she feels that her

generation was very fortunate.

Sharing, accepting and giving are her favourite remedies for many of life's difficulties.

"Giving does something for your heart condition," says Isabel MacIntosh.

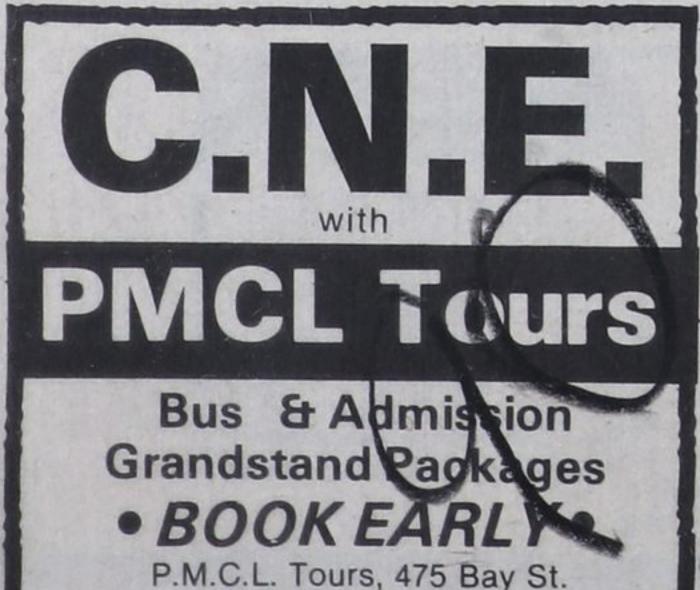
The gift of her company is as good as an apple any day.

Wyevale Museum tour

On July 15 about 15 members of Wyevale Pine Ridge Institute toured the Midhurst Museum and held a short meeting in the boardroom. Also enjoyed a luncheon at the picnic tables under the trees - a most enjoyable day.



The stolen car of Midland resident Marlene Zoschke was found by Midland OPP around 5:30 a.m. last Friday in Port McNicoll. The car was set on fire. The Port McNicoll fire department extinguished the fire. No one has been arrested.



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