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GOOD OLD SUMMER TIME

The electric fan drones industriously, the ice tinkles in the tall glasses—but still it's hot. Beads of perspiration are popping out on your face, and your collar is in a sad state of collapse.

You drink another glass of icewater, mop your brow again, and drawn as though by a magnet you turn again to the thermometer and see the mercury just below the hundred mark.

It's the good old summer time. It's the time that the poets and the song writers praise. And remember it's the time you were wishing for four or five months ago when there was still plenty of snow on the ground.

HUMOR

The circus manager was proudly showing off his collection of animals to a group of interested spectators and finally came to the cage housing the Laughing Hyena; "This, ladies and gentlemen," he said, "is the Laughing Hyena. He has been in captivity for five years, eats one meal a day, is bitten by fleas and is slightly mangy; yet he keeps on laughing."

Like the Hyena, the public have little to laugh about these days but, unlike the Hyena, they scarcely ever crack a smile. Gloom and depression are rife everywhere and everybody is down in the dumps.

We can all take a lesson from the Hyena and laugh, thus contributing our share toward the brightening of the world in general. A sense of humor is what we most lack now-a-days; we are all developing a too serious attitude toward life in general.

During the late war, the Canadian soldier had less to laugh about than has the average man to-day; yet it was the unquenchable spirit of humor that finally brought him triumphant through his ordeal.

A heaven-sent gift of humor has saved many a man from suicide and crime and it behoves us all to develop this rare talent to its full extent. "Laugh and the world laughs with you; weep, and you weep alone" is as true to-day as ever it was. Ask yourself who is the most popular man at the party and you will usually find that it isn't the savant but the man with a smile.

CONCERNING NEWSPAPERS

Some interesting facts concerning newspapers and advertising are contained in a new book by Fred J. Haskin, veteran syndicator of information, from which the following are condensed:

Egyptians used advertising 4,000 years ago. Most early advertising was pictorial in character. The first newspaper advertising is said to have appeared in Germany in 1591.

It is estimated that about two billion dollars are spent annually for all kinds of advertising in North America.

The fastest modern newspaper presses can turn out about 34,000 24-page papers an hour, and a somewhat larger number of 12-page or 16-page papers.

The first news agency in the modern sense is believed to have been that organized by Charles Havas of Paris in 1835. In 1840 he established a news service between Paris, London and Brussels, using carrier pigeons.

James Gordon Bennett began the publication of the first review of financial news in the New York Herald in 1835.

Newspaper editorials were originated by John Dillingham, an English journalist, and one of them got him into jail in 1845. Sometimes justly and sometimes unjustly, other editors have met a similar fate many times since.

FAMILY RE-UNIONS

Time was when a family re-union was a matter of long preparation and much planning. Nowadays the member charged with the secretarial duty sends out the post-cards the women of the households get busy with the picnic dinner, and on the morning of the appointed day the various scattered families hitch up their old flivvers and hop to it.

Pride in a family name is usually back of these gatherings of the clans. As our civilization takes on age, men think more of their forefathers and the part they played in the building of the great structure of our national and community life.

Sometimes the decendants and relatives by marriage go back to the ancestral home, assembling at the call of the secretary for a day of jollification each summer in the open. There is such a mingling of personalities and social ranks as makes for good democracy, and those who participate are the better for their annual re-unions with those of blood relationship whose walks in life are usually so far removed they never meet except on these occasions.

WHY TAKE CHANCES?

The practice by some motorists of ignoring "stop" street signs is something that requires police attention. In several instances accidents have been avoided by the narrowest of margins and if the careless driver is not taught that stop means exactly what it says, there will undoubtedly be serious accidents.

If a few of the offenders were prosecuted it may teach others to respect traffic laws. The motorist who deliberately turns into a through street without stopping is not only endangering his own life but the life of some other driver. Why take chances?

WORKERS SHARE NOT LARGE

We notice by the public accounts that the Trans-Canada Highway, built for unemployment relief, cost \$6,070,193.61. Work in other sections of New Ontario cost \$4,733,748.90, a total of nearly 11 million dollars. In the 36 pages it takes to give the details of these accounts we notice travelling expenses of engineers and other big bosses take up fully one-quarter of the printed space.

TEMPERANCEVILLE

A joint picnic of the school and Sunday School was held at Wilcox Lake last Saturday, there was a large crowd, and everyone reported having a real good time.

A number from this community attended the decoration service at Aurora cemetery Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cook, Silverwater, Manitoulin Island and Mrs. McMillan and Mr. White of Toronto, called on "The Jennings" last Tuesday.

The following attended the Farm and Home week at the O.A.C. Guelph on Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Kerswill, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burnett, Mrs. Nelson Thompson and Everett Phillips. This was a trip well worth while, lectures were heard on different subjects, one of our ladies was quite interested in a demonstration on cheese making.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Francis, Miss Francis, Mr. Creig and Mrs. Freganza of Toronto were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henshaw on Sunday.

Mrs. Pickering McQuarrie and family spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Hamilton, Laskay.

All the farmers are busy making hay while the sun shines.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shepherd and son visited Miss Ethel Shepherd at Ethelmere on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jennings, Maple, visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown on Sunday.

Miss Mary Barker spent the weekend with Miss Ivy Shropshire, Maple.

Don't forget the Strawberry Festival on July 4th. Supper will be served from 6 to 8 standard time. The young people from Grahamsville will present their play "The Little Clodhopper." Music will be provided by the "Sniders Orchestra." Baseball, Victoria Square vs Laskay. Admission, adults 40c., children 20c.

We welcome Grace Rumble back home from Bradford where she has been working for the last three months.

Our Y.P.S. ball team expect to play Nobleton Friday night.

Viola Lefroy, who has been with her sister in Bloomington for several months, has returned home.

Miss Gwen Beck and Mr. Nelson Kerr spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Thompson.

The Harmonic Club held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. N. Thompson Monday evening when a full year's program was arranged. There will be four meetings held during the year, three of these will be held at King, Laskay and Temperanceville in the months of September, November, February and May.

During the months of July and August, the Sunday School Service will commence at 10:30 a.m. Please note the change in time.

Dr. H. L. Mount, Toronto, called on his niece, Mrs. Maurice Beynon, last Friday. Mrs. Lewis Mount, Mrs. Wm. Paxton, Mrs. Rosborough and daughter Olive were also guests of Mrs. Beynon.

Miss Alma Cherry, Gormley, spent Sunday with Miss Nora Beynon and her mother.

Mrs. Casey and Stanley spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Boynton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Beynon, Margaret and Bobbie, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Beynon on Sunday. Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thompson called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Browning, Wilcox Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clarke, Armitage.

Several from this community attended the baseball game Monday evening at King when Schomberg played the locals, the score being 14-9 in favor of King.

BUTTONVILLE

The Literary Committee had charge of Brown's Corners Y.P.S. meeting on Monday evening. Miss Mary Rodick took the topic "The Neighborhood Library" and Mr. Wm. Brooke led in the discussion which followed.

A Walker re-union took place at the home of Mr. George Padget on Sunday afternoon last when relatives gathered to renew acquaintances with Mr. John Walker, brother of Mr. Jas. Walker. Mr. John Walker has spent the last twenty-six years in Saskatchewan. He is enjoying a month visiting friends and relatives in this community.

The first meeting of the Buttonville Institute Girls Sewing Club met at the home of the president, Miss Rozena Hord, on Tuesday evening, June 20th. There were ten girls in attendance, one enthusiastic young lady, Miss Clara Wood, coming a distance of ten miles.

Miss Mabel Stewart, a former student at Weston Vocational School, is leader of the group. The girls will make dresses, aprons, project books, etc., to enter at the "Achievement Day" to be held at Vellore in the autumn in competition with girls from other parts of the county.

The next meeting will be held on Monday evening, July 10th, at 7:30 Standard Time, at the same place.

All young ladies interested in the project are cordially invited to attend need not necessarily be institute members. Girls are required to attend at least four of the six meetings.

Miss Mabel Hord was successful in her music examinations tried at the Toronto Conservatory of Music last week.

A number of ladies from here attended the Institute District annual meeting at Wexford on Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Camplin of Unionville were the guests of Mrs. W. Brooke on Sunday.

Miss E. Martin and Miss R. Hord were the guests of Miss Rhoda Barker at Headford on Sunday and attended the Headford Sunday School anniversary services.

LASKAY

Mr. J. O'Brian held his sale of house furnishings and blacksmith tools on Tuesday, June 20th. The sale was well attended and the articles for sale went for good prices.

Mr. Brown, a lawyer from Toronto, who bought the property has moved in. We welcome these new comers among us.

The meeting of the Y.P.S. was in charge of the Social and Literary convener. The topic was given by Mr. Torrence. He gave an account of his experiences as a sailor during the great war 1916-1918, which was very interesting.

Laskay inter-church baseball team journeyed to Victoria Square on Friday night. A very interesting game was played, resulting in a score of 14-10 in favour of Victoria Square.

Miss Ruth Campbell of King who has been spending the past few weeks at the home of Marjorie McMurphy has returned home.

Mrs. Robeson of Toronto is staying with Mrs. Wm. Boys of Laskay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Williams are spending their honeymoon at Niagara Falls and other points. Mrs. Williams before her marriage was Miss May Clubine.

Everyone keep in mind the union communion of the three congregations, King, eston and Laskay, to be held in the Laskay United Church, July 9th, at 10:30 a.m. The three choirs will unite in the service of song.

Mr. Pearson Smeltzer and Mr. Leslie Glass attended the J.F. meeting held at Vellore on Thursday night. They report a splendid program, and all the strawberries they could eat.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Smeltzer attended the anniversary services of the Teston United Church Sunday.

Mr. Glen Dooks came home Wednesday and is gaining strength every day.

Misses Irene, Roberta and Mildred Gillies, attended a trousseau tea in Toronto last Tuesday for Mrs. Nash. Mrs. Nash was Miss Margaret Nixon before her marriage on Saturday to Dr. Nash.

Misses Gertra Patton, A. Thompson, Helen Hunter and M. McMurphy were at the harmonic committee meeting held at Mrs. N. Thompson's Monday evening.

Weed Notice

To Property Owners, Township of Vaughan

Public Notice is hereby given to all Property Owners in accordance with the

WEED CONTROL ACT

That all weeds which may be growing on their lands within the township of Vaughan must be cut by

JUNE 24th, 1933

And notice is hereby given that subsequent to that date the Township Weed Inspectors will enter upon the said lands and have the weeds cut, charging the cost of such cutting against the owners concerned.

SAM IRELAND GEO. DEFERRARI WM. HERON Weed Inspectors Township of Vaughan

SLATS' DIARY BY ROSS FARQUHAR

Friday—Ike Blunt bet Eb Tube a 5 \$ Bill the uther day that he cud jump off Amos Browns bank Barn & use a umbreller as a Paryshoot and Land on his ft. He lost the bet beuz he landed on his hed but his widdow was a good sport and payed the bet rite after the Funeral.



Saturday—This morning when I awoke up I had ben dreaming and at 1st I thot I was in heaven and then I herd pa tawking to ma and he sed sum thing about haveving me to mow the Yd. wile the Do was still on the grass.

Sunday—Ma hired a nuther girl to cum and help wait on the table wile we had Co. today and the new girl was feeling offly bad beuz her sweet Heart was in the Hospital. Ma ast her whut happened to her sweetheart and she sed that las nite he knocked her down and stepped on her face and she stuck the Bread nife in his Leg.

Munday—Sandy Mac Dougle has put in a Appelcation for State compensation beuz he has went and got Fallen Arches frum standing so long in the Bread line.

Tuesday—Red Wicker has opened up a store and is making a big sale on ice skates and ear muffs and when pa ast him why he was trying to sell those things he sed beuz there wasnt so much Compatsihun at this time a yr.

Wednesday—Ma was tawking about Sim Stubbs and she sed she beleaved he had married his wife for her money and she thot such ackshuns was a sin & a Shame and pa sed well if he married her for her money he was fermly convinced that he had ernt it.

Thursday—Olly Tailer says he can read his wife like a Book and Ant Emmy says that if the neibors tell the truth he reads her for a wife & then just throws her down.

The Government of South Africa is using an armored car, fitted with a searchlight and machine guns to deal with growing illegal diamond prospecting.

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