

TEMPERANCEVILLE

On Wednesday, July 28, Temperanceville Sunday School together with their parents and friends and members of the Mission Band, held their annual picnic at Woodland Park. The weather was ideal and a large crowd of about eighty spent a most enjoyable time. Our sincerest thanks to Mr. Hare who so kindly provided the transportation and to those who donated towards the expenses.

On Sunday, August 8, the evening service will be in charge of the young people from Mt. Pisgah with assistance from the Temperanceville group. This most worthy undertaking deserves your encouragement and appreciation.

Special services have been planned for each of the remaining Sundays in August when our pastor will be on vacation. We extend to Rev. Modle and his family, sincerest wishes for a most enjoyable holiday.

LANGSTAFF

The Langstaff Ladies' Trio, a talented group composed of Mrs. A. LeMasurier, Mrs. W. Layzell and Mrs. Elwood McLean, provided the music on Sunday morning last at Langstaff Baptist Church.

Birthday greetings were extended to JoAnne McLean, Sonny Olynik and Ronny Hicks.

At the evening service, Mrs. Cairns of Thornhill was soloist.

A teenage boys' class, led for the present by Mr. Herb Foster, has been formed in connection with the Baptist Church here.

Meeting in the church at 3:15 on Sunday afternoon, a fine group of boys between the ages of 15 and 19 have already attended, and every boy in the community in this age class is extended a personal invitation to come out.

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R. LYNETT,
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These loans are made through the chartered banks and guaranteed in part by the Dominion Government against loss. THERE HAVE BEEN NO CLAIMS MADE UPON THE GOVERNMENT FOR LOSS SINCE THE ACT CAME INTO FORCE.

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NATIONAL CONVENTION TO MAKE HISTORY

A national gathering of people's representatives are convened in Ottawa this week in a history-making convention of the Liberal party. For the first time in Canadian history a national convention will select a Prime Minister, for never before has a party in power had a national convention to elect a leader. The business of the convention is truly the business of the nation, for Liberal policy has guided the affairs of this country through the medium of Liberal governments for twenty-two of the past twenty-seven years.

The thirteen hundred delegates will elect a new leader and future Prime Minister for the 12,000,000 people of Canada and will chart a legislative program for the future of the nation.

Each constituency in Canada is represented by three delegates, in addition to the sitting member or defeated candidate, and there are several hundred delegates representing women's organizations, young Liberals, and University Liberal Clubs.

The North York delegation includes J. E. Smith, M. P., Hon. W. P. Mulock, former member, Ross Linton, Riding Association President, Thomas Blackburn of King, and Mrs. Lorne C. Lee, Aurora, President of the Ontario Women's Liberal Association. Alternate delegates attending are Jos. Vale, Newmarket, Peter Burt, Association Secretary and J. A. LaFay, North York Township.

Liberal delegates at Ottawa are representative of that growing section of our population who realize that citizens owe more than a lip allegiance to our country. They consider their service and support to the Liberal Party as a form of service to the country, as important in time of peace as it is in time of war. Selfish interests of individuals and of nations helped to produce the Second Great War. Selflessness and a community spirit can help prevent another war and can help guide Canada to prosperity and security, with freedom from want, freedom from fear and freedom of speech and worship.

The delegates to the third National Liberal Convention are seized with the importance of their task. It is a heavy responsibility that will rest upon them. But as democrats and Canadians they will be eager to exchange views and opinions with their fellows from other parts of the country and to set a course for our Liberal Government.

OUR NEW PROVINCE

Canadian interest in Newfoundland has been greatly heightened by the prospect of it joining Canada as a tenth province. While many would like to have seen a larger majority for joining Canada than the 6,000 given, it is difficult to see how the will of this majority can be disregarded.

320,000 people live in Newfoundland. It has 1,300 settlements with not more than 10 boasting 5,000 population. Generations of battling with the elements in tiny isolated villages have given to the Newfoundlander a capacity for hard work and ingenuity. The Newfoundlander generally is a jack of all trades and master of fishing. As seamen they have always been classed among the best "small boat men in the world".

Second in importance in the industries of Newfoundland is Pulp and Paper. Over 10,000 people are employed by it. About half this number dig iron ore under the sea-floor at Bell Island the balance — the labourers of the St. John's waterfront, the civil servants and a very few farmers. Altogether a brave, happy breed whom Canadians will be glad to welcome as partners.

FARM LOAN ACT APPRECIATED

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