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Harvest Services at Schumacher Church

Notable Building Activity in Schumacher This Year. Other Schumacher News.

Schumacher, September 16th, 1936. Special to The Advance.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hodgson, of Stratford, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Phillips last week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Johnston are spending their vacation with relatives in Shawville, Quebec.

Mrs. J. Granger, of Willowdale, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Tomlinson, last week.

Miss Marion Leng left on Sunday for Toronto, where she will attend University.

Mrs. B. King, of New Liskeard, visited friends in Timmins, and Mrs. B. Sherk, in town, last week.

Miss Helen Manette returned last week from a vacation in Toronto.

Mrs. William Webber left Friday for a holiday in New Liskeard and Sudbury.

Mrs. J. Beaudry, of Kirkland Lake, spent the week-end visiting at the home of her son, Len.

Mr. and Mrs. George Biggs left on Sunday for a vacation in Toronto.

Mrs. F. Kelly returned Sunday from a holiday at Mrs. C. Roach's cottage, Gauthier Lake.

Miss Mary Talpoff, of Noranda, was the guest of her sisters, Mrs. Townsend and Mrs. Caswell, last week.

The Messes Florence and Ruby Spinks arrived home Sunday after spending the summer with relatives in Cananta.

Mrs. P. O'Shea, of Toronto, arrived in town this week to join her husband and take up residence here.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hall left Friday to spend their vacation in Toronto and Burlington.

Mr. H.rry Manette, who has been holidaying in Toronto, arrived home Sunday.

Rev. Father Martindale, Miss Nora Dillon, and Mrs. C. Fiendel left Monday for Cobalt, when they will represent the local order of the C.W.L. at their annual convention.

Messrs. Hugh Calverly, Allan Costain and George Stevenson are at the Fredrickhouse River this week for the opening of the duck season.

The child welfare clinic will be held in the public school on Friday, September 18th, from three to five o'clock.

Mr. A. Saye, who has been in Mud Lake area for the past few months, returned Monday evening.

Mrs. Charles Dearden, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. P. Cameron, and brother, Ken, left Tuesday for Toronto and Niagara Falls, Mrs. Dearden and her mother will then journey to the Pacific coast, returning late in the fall.

Mr. J. Amo, and sons, Dick and Edward, left Saturday for Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lawrie are leaving this week for a vacation in Winnipeg.

Mrs. George Henderson was in Iroquois Falls this week attending the Rebekah Lodge.

Jack Leng, who has charge of the United Church in Lavant, is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leng.

The annual Harvest Home services in Trinity United Church were well attended on Sunday. The decorations of flowers, fruits and vegetables were worthy of note.

The minister delivered appropriate addresses, and special music was rendered by the choir. On Monday evening a social hour was held when community singing was enjoyed by the large gathering.

The programme consisted of a duet by Mr. and Mrs. George Jenkins; a reading by Mrs. J. Prentice; a solo by Mrs. Parterski; Mr. Campsall delighted all with two guitar solos. Rev. M. Tait addressed the gathering and after the sale of thank-offerings Mrs. J. Huxley, church organist, was presented with a bouquet of flowers for her faithful services as organist.

Mr. J. Higgenbottom acted as chairman for the occasion.

It has been many years since the town has seen so much building being done. Close to a hundred thousand dollars worth of construction has taken place this summer.

The new Catholic Church and priests' residence, a new front and addition to the Pearl Lake hotel, and many new homes, as well as a great deal of remodeling and repairing homes are included.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Douast, of Sudbury, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Bazinet last week.

Mrs. Gerald Armstrong and children left Saturday for Birdsall to reside.

Mr. D. J. Kerr returned last week from Vimy and the British Isles.

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Mike J. Guimanne, and his son, Clement, the latter being held in custody, are charged with being drunk and disorderly and resisting arrest, while Clement Guimanne faces a further charge of driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated.

The alleged fracas occurred when Chief MacGill attempted to arrest Clement Guimanne, after stepping from the car, struck the chief knocking him to the pavement. A general melee developed in which several citizens attempted to assist the chief, and order was not restored until three provincial police arrived and assisted in taking the Guimannes to the lock-up.

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Mrs. Christine Allen brought a similar message to the Rebekahs. "Grow in Fellowship" was the slogan for her year's work and she spoke of how well the Rebekahs are doing all over the province. She thanked the Gold Nugget lodge for the fine assistance they have given in supplying the Toronto home with preserved fruits, pickles and jams. The two barrels of preserves sent each year from here help materially in providing good food there. There are 64 such homes in North America.

Speaks to Lodges This Week Mrs. Allen is spending this week touring the Northern lodges and at regular meetings will deliver addresses on the work of the order.

J. G. Harris, of Schumacher, District Deputy Grand Master, introduced Mr. Kingston and Mrs. T. Kussner, of Ansonville, District Deputy President of the Rebekahs, introduced Mrs. Allen.

The dining room of the Empire hotel was filled for the occasion. Immediately after dinner, Geo. S. Drew proposed the toast to the King, and recalled the three occasions during the war on which he had met him, as well as the fourth time at the recent Vimy pilgrimage. He spoke of the King as a man who mixed with the men overseas and who mixes today with his people as one of them.

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