

Dropped Between Stitches

"Whose leaves shall not fade"
Throughout the wintertime their leaves are green—the Cedar, the Cypress the Pine and Fir. We love to see them in a winter scene. Green leaves in winter make the pulses stir. Likewise a man who keeps throughout his life his ideal love of God, vital and bright, a love surviving all the storms and strife, he, too in winter is a moving sight. For such a man will symbolize the tree whose leaves are green when other trees are bare. Parched, hungry souls observing him will see his soul well watered, sunned and garden fair.

He grew as one of those whose love of God in winter still clings fast, and he bore, like pine and cedar trees, the spirit's evergreens unto the last.

The life that holds God fast unto the end (in spring, in winter, sunny spots and shade), though it beneath the bitter winds may bend—is yet a tree whose leaves shall never fade.

—Wilhelmina Stitch

The entire civilized world was shocked and grieved during the past week at the sudden passing of a great man. Franklin Delano Roosevelt was great because of the simple yet dignified and courageous life which made him an outstanding leader. The late president spoke the language his people knew and understood. In times of crisis and anxiety he steered the course through very troubled waters with a quiet confidence and unshakable faith which inspired and encouraged the people, not only of his own country, but of Canada and the British Empire as well as the smaller and less fortunate countries of the allied nations. Although quiet he was resolute. One of the late president's ambitions in life was to live as a country squire, far from the publicity and strain of governmental affairs and the White House, but destiny decreed it otherwise and he became the thirty-second president of a great nation. Despite physical handicaps which would have discouraged many, he executed his duties faithfully and well, working and dying for the cause of freedom, peace and justice.

In peacetime, as in war, Franklin Delano Roosevelt persistently strove for a better world for the underprivileged and suppressed peoples and it is probably for his humanitarianism as much as his rank as a fourth term president that his passing has caused so much sincere regret throughout the world.

Democracy has lost a true and unflinching champion and we join the people of the United States in their sorrow at the passing of a great man.

Thirty seven members of the Fireside Club met on Monday evening in the basement of the First United Church for their regular monthly meeting. Plans were made for a Rummage Sale to be held on May 5th and the convener, Mrs. Harper, requested the members to attend on Friday afternoon and evening of May 4th to assist in sorting and arranging the articles for the sale. The convener of war services, Mrs. T. Harper, reported 24 knitted articles for civilian and service use were completed in the last month. Mrs. F. Evans reported that 276 letters had been sent to service personnel during March and that a bulletin was being prepared for April. 125 of these had already been sent. Mrs. W. Brewer

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led in a worship service and a vocal solo entitled "My Cathedral" was sung by Miss Mary Jane Elliott, accompanied at the piano by Miss Peggy Williams. Mrs. M. Agnew, from West China, spoke on the post war reconstruction. A question period followed, the guest speaker answering queries put to her by the members. Mrs. Ross Beatty thanked Mrs. Agnew on behalf of the club. A social half hour was later enjoyed with Mrs. L. Fowler convening the refreshments. The next monthly meeting of the club will be held on Monday, May 21st.

Boy, Oh Boy! It's a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hardy of 60 Maple Street South. The new arrival weighed 7 lbs. 14 ozs. and is to be named Nora Elizabeth. This makes a family of two for these proud parents.

The Nurses Alumnae of St. Mary's Hospital held a very pleasing and successful dance in the gymnasium of the McIntyre Community Building last Friday evening when a gay throng gathered to dance to the music of Gene Crocco's orchestra. Pretty evening gowns and informal afternoon dresses mingled to make the affair very colourful and gay.

At the meeting of the Gold Nugget Rebekah Lodge which was held last Thursday evening a one minute silence was observed for the late President Roosevelt who was a veteran Oddfellow. Tonight Mrs. Eileen Sauder of South Porcupine, District Deputy President, will make her official visit to the lodge and a record attendance is requested. On April 26th there will be an initiation of new members. The ladies of the Rebekahs are holding their annual Spring Tea on May 10th and there will also be a sale of work. Some very lovely work is being prepared for this bazaar which promises to be more attractive than ever.

Members of the Twixters Club of St. Matthew's Church held their semi-monthly meeting in the Church Hall on Monday evening. Miss Audrey Paice, treasurer, gave a report on the social held last week. This had proved to be a most successful undertaking on the part of the club. Plans for future activities were discussed and the club hopes to sponsor a similar event in the not-too-distant future. Eleven members were present at Monday's meeting.

The Ladies of the Canadian Legion Auxiliary held their regular weekly Comforts tea in the Legion Hall on Wednesday afternoon. Attending the tea were:—Mrs. L. Nicholson, Mrs. L. Mason, Mrs. W. Wilkinson, Mrs. A. Borland (Sr.), Mrs. F. Curtis, Mrs. L. Hardy, Mrs. J. A. Wilson, and Mrs. B. Whitson. The members of the auxiliary are requested to attend the Victory Loan Parade on Sunday.

A work meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of St. Mary's Hospital is scheduled for Wednesday afternoon, May 2nd, at 2 p.m. in the Nurses Auditorium. A large attendance is desired so the ladies are requested to please note the date and plan to be present for the afternoon's work.

The Golden Star Branch of the Women's Institute held their regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon, April 18th, in the Hollinger Hall. Mrs. W. Johnston, president, was in the chair. Plans were completed for entertaining servicemen's wives and war brides on Wednesday, April 25th, at 3 p.m. A programme has been arranged and a lunch will be served. The ladies of the Institute are scheduled to meet at the Red Cross Rooms in the Bardessono Home on Thursday, April 26th, at 2 p.m. when it is hoped that a record number of the members will be on hand to help with the much needed work. Mrs. Carl Briggs gave her report in connection with her War Services work and W.P. & T.B. activity. The decision was made to purchase a

war bond. On May 1st, Miss Jean Malcolmson will conduct a Health Course in the Hollinger Hall from 10 a.m. until 4.00 p.m. This course is free and a cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend. At the close of the business session a social half hour was enjoyed by the members and a light lunch served.

After the cold, dull, stormy, sleety weather of the past week we were awakened at daybreak this morning by the song of a robin. Perched atop a high clothes post he sang at though he hadn't a care in the world, he would have cheered the most downcast soul. What a contrast to all the grouching and grumbling that has gone on during the cold spell when folk have had to revert to winter coats and replace their new spring chapeaus with kerchiefs. Being a bird has its advantages, no worries about what to wear, ration coupons or the silk stocking shortage. Thin tires and the gasoline ration are the least of his worries when he wants to go anywhere. Life is like that—it has its compensations.

Thanks for Support in the Red Cross Campaign

Timmins, April 10th, 1945
To the Editor of
The Advance, Timmins, Ont.
Dear Sir:—Please accept my sincere appreciation for your whole-hearted co-operation and support during the recent Red Cross campaign. I also wish to thank the management and staff of C. K. G. B. for their untiring efforts on behalf of this very worthy cause, the Boy Scouts for the distribution of display of material, and the merchants who were responsible for the Red Cross display windows, and the sponsors of newspaper adverts, and radio programmes, also the speakers who so ably addressed various meetings and radio audiences.

Yours truly,
Timmins Branch, Red Cross Society
Per W. (Bill) Roberts.

Eastern Porcupine Red Cross Shipped 1217 Articles

Shipments by Branch for the Months of February and March

Shipment from Eastern Porcupine District branch, Canadian Red Cross, South Porcupine, for the months of February and March, 1945—1217 articles.

Knitting—410 articles
Sewing—civilian—692 articles
Sewing—hospital—99 articles
Quilts—16 articles
Total—1217 articles

Knitting—Seaman
19 Turtle-neck Sweaters
22 Scarves
17 Pairs gloves
35 Pairs socks
8 Ribbed Helmets
101 articles

Army & Airforce
22 Pairs gloves (Khaki)
12 Round neck sweaters (Khaki)
14 Turtle-neck Sweaters (Airforce)
Total—48 articles

Civilian
53 prs. girls' socks —6 yrs.
56 prs. boys' socks —6 yrs.
9 boys' sweaters —8 yrs.
12 boys' sweaters —6 yrs.
50 prs. baby soakers
51 baby sweaters —6 yrs.
231 articles

Hospital—30 knitted wash cloths
30 articles

Sewing—Capture Parcels
213 Filled Housewives. —213 articles
Hospital—80 Sterilizing Squares; 19 prs. Ward slippers; total—99 articles

Civilian
10 girls' blouses—10 yrs.
10 girls' pinafore dresses—10 yrs.
85 boys' suits—12 yrs.
50 Women's dresses—size 38
320 Diapers. Total—475 articles

Non-Quota
2 girls' jumpers—4 yrs.
1 girl's jumper—10 yrs.
1 boy's coat—2 yrs.
Total—4 articles
16 large quilts. Total—16 articles
Our new quota is for 600 articles marked "urgently needed".

Ladies, please give a few hours of your time to this Red Cross work. As countries are being liberated the need for children's clothing, especially is very great.

A few of the faithful are doing all the work and we need many more to help. We would like each sewing machine to be in use each afternoon and evening.

Surely, there are many ladies who can spare two or three hours, per week, of their time to help clothe these people who are in desperate need.

Please come and help the Red Cross.

Much Food Appears to be Still Left in Germany

(New York Herald Tribune)
In their haste to get away from General Patton's 3rd Army, the Nazis unintentionally made several handsome contributions to the Allied food stocks. One of the best enemy donations was at Windheim, where they left behind three bulging storehouses. American troops were pleased to find that the contents were not K-ration, but: Five thousand pounds of canned beef, 10,000 pounds of noodles, 5,000 of sausage, 5,000 pounds of canned soup, 9,000 pounds of cheese and 114,000 pounds of oatmeal.

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Observe 25th Anniversary of Wedding Event

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. MacLeod, 75 1/2, Mountjoy Street So. were hosts at a surprise party on Saturday evening April 14th, to celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary which was on Sunday April 15th. Mr. A. N. MacInnis, on behalf of the gathering, presented the honoured couple with a handsome silver casserole and pie plate and he expressed regret that Mr. and Mrs. MacLeod's two sons Norman and John, and daughter, Mary, could not be present on this happy occasion. Mr. MacLeod responded to the presentation in a few well chosen words, expressing appreciation of thoughtfulness and kindness of their friends which meant more to them than anything else.

Many anniversary cards and telegrams were received by the guests of honour and a large number of friends called during the afternoon and evening to extend their felicitations and express good wishes for their continued happiness.

During the evening a lunch was served from a table which was centred with a wedding cake and lighted by tall candles.

Those present at the party were:—Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. MacInnis, Randall MacInnis, Mrs. John Banich, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ir and Joy, Mrs. Ethel Howard and daughters, Georgina and Barbara Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mayhew, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth MacLeod, Peggy and Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Parent, Mrs. Threffa Strong, Doris and Dorothy MacLeod.

Unable to be present but contributing to the gift were:—Mr. and Mrs. Armine Wood, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Murrey Martin and family, John Banich and Gale.

Pet Show Held at Mountjoy United Church, Auspices of the C.G.I.T.

Interesting and Attractive Event. Mrs. Cousintine Judge at Event.

The Pet Show held at Mountjoy United Church on Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Canadian Girls in Training drew an enthusiastic crowd of boys and girls as spectators and exhibitors.

Judging the exhibition of dogs, cats,

rabbits, goldfish and canaries, was Mrs. J. Cousintine of the Yorkshire Kennels.

For Red spaniels, Elva Hayes won first, and Joan Drew second; black spaniels, Margaret Tapper had first and Jean Harris second; for springer spaniel, Jean Powers won first, Miss Vaccino second and Sophie Wrona third; for terriers, Lulu Jean Kerr had first, Jim Campbell second and Carolee Church third; for pomeranian, Ruth Wilson first; and for deer hound, Erna Farrell first; for the best dog in the show Lulu Jean Kerr's wire hair terrier won the award.

Among the cats exhibited Wayne Carter won first, Jean Newell second and Marjorie third. Mildred Petersen had first with her canary. Goldfish brought Carol Newell first, Marilyn Moisey second, and Jane Daley third. For rabbits Marilyn Rose won first and Winnie Farrell second.

The dogs which did tricks on the platform were owned by Jim Campbell, Carolee Church, Margaret Tapper, John Drew, Elva Hayes, Keith Bates, Ruth Wilson and Lulu Jean Kerr.

Refreshments were served of ice cream, hot dogs and cold drinks by Adele Gaultette and Evelyn MacElaire of Mrs. Lawrie's group, by Elva Hayes Catherine Haystead and Joan Sloman of Miss Kay McInnis' group, and Shirley McElaire and Vivian Haystead of Mrs. E. Gilmour Smith's group.

Mrs. Cousintine gave very helpful advice on the feeding and care of dogs, urging that in addition to commercial dog food they should be fed meat and vegetables mashed up, and that dogs should not be washed more frequently than once a month because a dog's skin is not porous, and frequent washing removes healthful oils. She advised that dogs should be enclosed in a yard rather than kept tied up for lengthy periods. She stated that over 450 registered dogs are in Timmins, and expressed the hope that a full-fledged dog-show might be organized for the Porcupine by dog-lovers.

29 Cases of Diphtheria at Rouyn and Noranda

What can be considered as an epidemic of diphtheria is now going on at Rouyn and Noranda. The authorities, urged on very strongly by The Rouyn-Noranda Press have been taking effective measures to deal with the epidemic. An isolation hospital has been secured and equipped to handle the cases and to avoid danger of further spread of the disease. The assistance of the Quebec provincial Health Dept. has also been secured and has proved of great assistance in combating the epidemic. The Rouyn-Noranda Press has renewed its advocacy of the establishment of a Health unit with

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headquarters at the Twin Towns (Rouyn and Noranda). This health unit will undoubtedly help to avoid further epidemics by encouraging preventive measures. The experience of other centres has shown that most epidemics are easy to avoid. Smallpox epidemics have been practically abolished by the common use of vaccination. It would be equally easy to banish diphtheria by immunization methods. Indeed, there are cities and towns in Ontario and elsewhere, where the immunization of children and adults has meant the practical abolition of diphtheria epidemics once so common. Timmins has gone for years without a single case of diphtheria. Where the immunization plans are well carried out it means practical safety from epidemics. The only cases of diphtheria are those coming in from outside places where the health conditions are not so good. These being isolated cases however, are handled much easier, and without danger of epidemic proportions. The fact that there is so much intercourse between towns and cities and rural places

gives all a special interest in the health measures used elsewhere. It is accordingly distinctly the business of outside places as to the health measures adopted by other centres. For this reason the battle put up at present by The Rouyn-Noranda Press for the best possible health conditions in Rouyn and Noranda is of very wide and general interest and concern. The Rouyn-Noranda Press is particularly to be commended for urging on the Twin Towns a more general acceptance of preventative measures such as general vaccination and anti-toxin treatments.

Brantford Expositor—Clement Attlee, in the British House of Commons the other day, rendered a good service when he declared there would be "no place at the peace table for neutrals." They will thus be able to keep up their neutrality to the end.

Toronto Telegram—It's easy to blow your dough in nowadays, but it takes at least \$100 to create a zephyr.

Sugarless BUT Sweet
MAGIC Honey Pound Cake

1 1/2 c. seedless raisins 2 1/2 tsp. Magic Baking Powder
1/4 c. shortening 1/4 tsp. salt
1/4 c. honey 1/4 tsp. vanilla extract
3 eggs, well beaten 1/4 tsp. lemon extract
2 1/4 c. sifted all-purpose flour

Rinse raisins; drain; dry on towel—cut fine with scissors. Work shortening with spoon until fluffy and creamy; gradually add honey, while continuing to work with a spoon. Add beaten eggs, and blend. Gradually stir in sifted dry ingredients; beat with spoon until smooth. Add extracts, raisins; stir to blend. Bake in greased, lightly floured 9" x 5" x 3" pan at 300°F. for 2 hours.

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These are the rules. If we break them, we can be certain that we will start our country — his country — on the spiral of inflation. Prices shoot sky-high. Wages try to catch up, and never succeed. You may pay a dollar for 30 cents worth of goods, and this means your dollar—your soldier's dollar—is worth only 30 cents.

There's no limit to inflation, and there's no stopping it once it starts. So, let's make sure OUR boys will come back to a protected dollar—a dollar that will buy a full dollar's worth of goods. Let's keep up the fight against inflation, every day, in every way we can, so that our men overseas can look forward to pleasant, satisfying living . . . the Canadian way of life.

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By respecting price controls and other anti-inflation measures, and refraining from careless and unnecessary buying. I will not buy two where one will do, nor will I buy a "new" where an "old" will do.

By buying Victory Bonds and War Savings Stamps, supporting taxation, and abiding by all such measures which will lower the cost of living and help keep prices at a normal level.



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